

# Search for Higgs Beyond the Standard Model at Tevatron Run II

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Overview:

- Introduction
- Fermiophobic Higgs
- SUSY Higgs

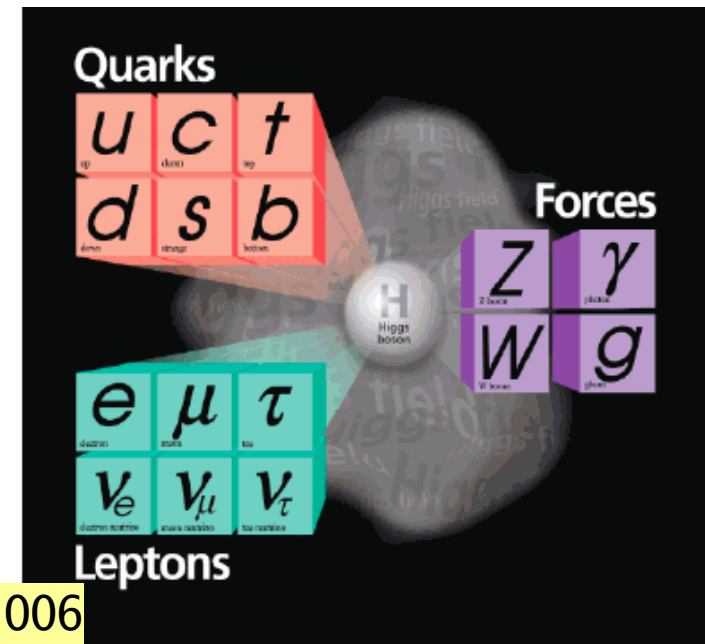
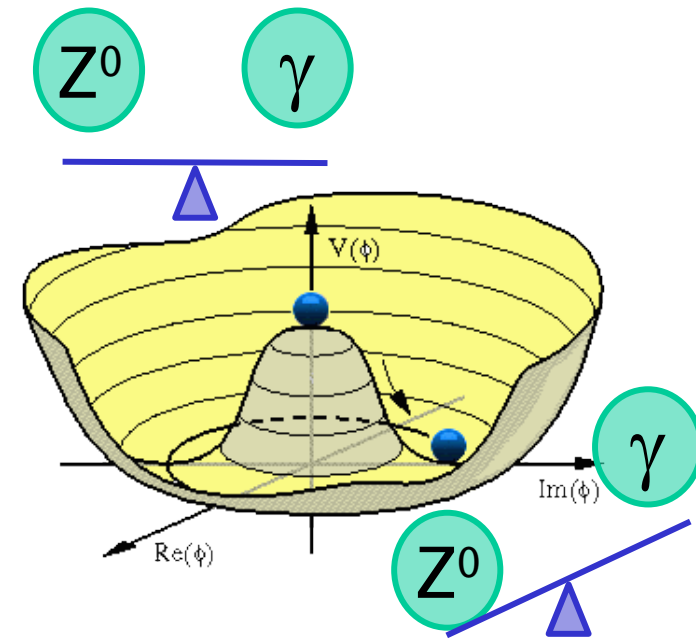


# Searching Higgs beyond Standard Model

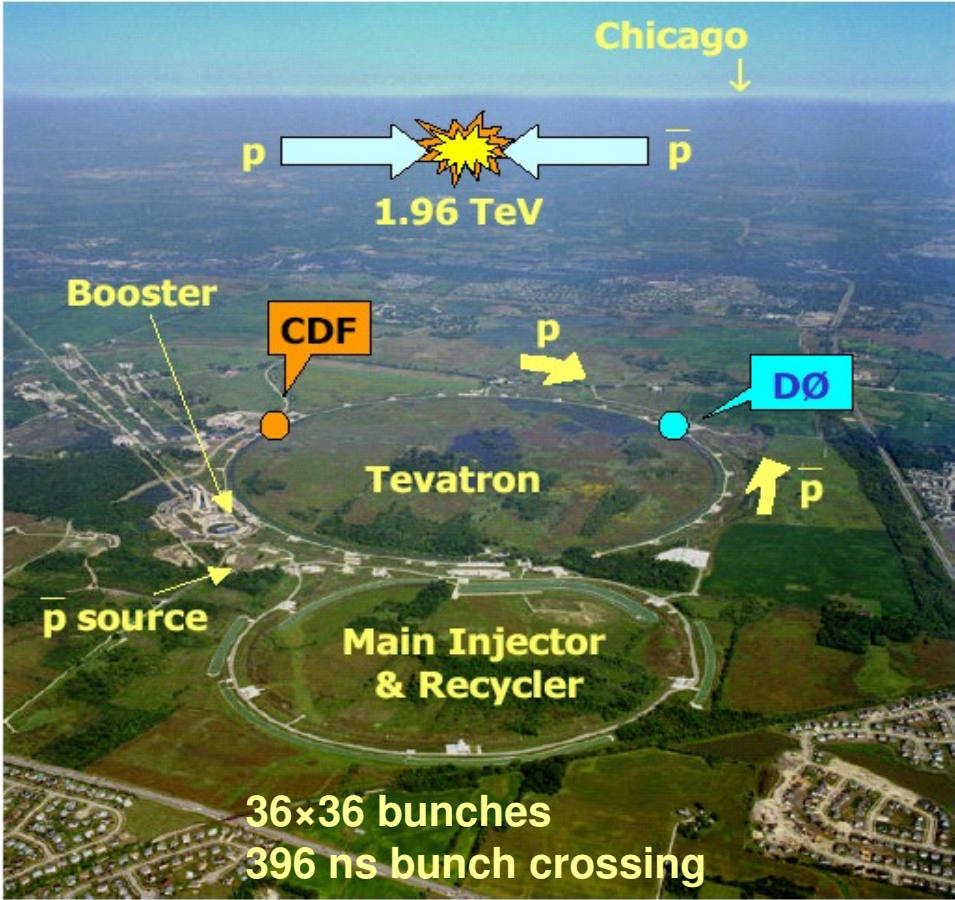
## Standard Model

- simplest explanation of EW symmetry breaking Standard Model Higgs mechanism with a  $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$  doublet
- But Higgs is still unobserved
- Standard Model is not the ultimate theory
  - lack of explanation: Choice of gauge group (GUT ?), flavour structure, mass hierarchy, neutrino masses, baryogenesis, dark matter, gravity.....
  - Flaw: unstability of weak scale = naturalness
- We expect new physics at the TeV scale:
  - New physics likely means a different Higgs sector.
  - It is worth searching Higgs Beyond Standard Model: We could discover both Higgs and new Physics !!!
- In the following, search for neutral Higgs signatures
  - SUSY Higgs
  - Fermiophobic Higgs

h $\rightarrow$ bb : M. Michaut, Phd Thesis 2006  
h $\rightarrow$  $\tau\tau$  : R. Madar, Phd Thesis 2011



## The Tevatron



~ 4 fb<sup>-1</sup>/experiment on tape  
The most recent results (summer 2008)  
are based on 2 - 2.6 fb<sup>-1</sup>  
(data recorded up to spring 2008)

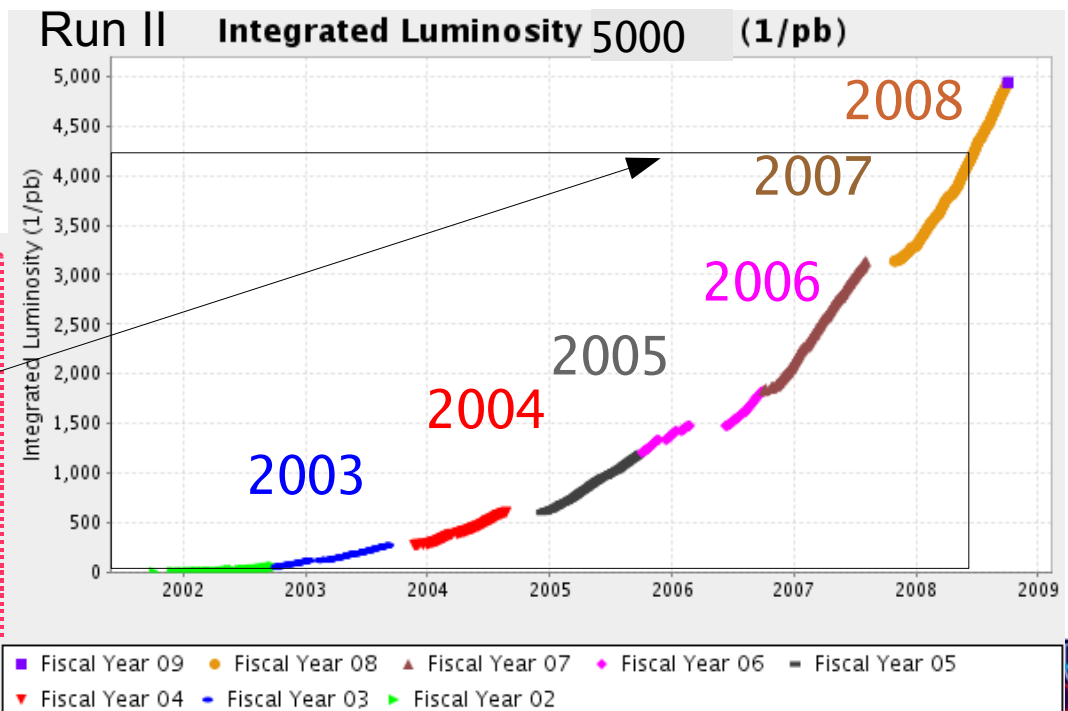
## Run IIa: (2002-2006)

**~1.5 fb<sup>-1</sup> delivered per experiment**

Run IIb since june 2006

**~3.5 fb<sup>-1</sup> delivered per experiment**

6 to 8 fb<sup>-1</sup> by end of run (2009 or 2010)



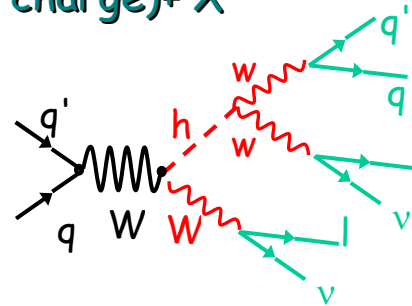
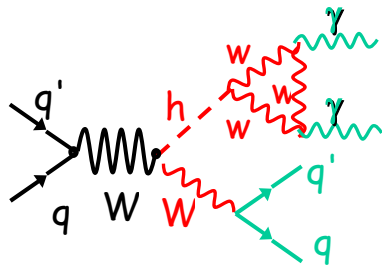
# Fermiophobic Higgs.

May arise for example from 2 Higgs doublet model type I

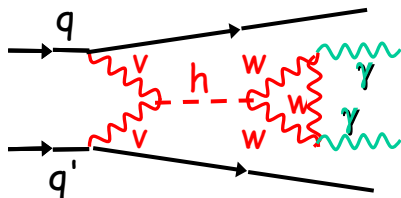
- one doublet couples to fermions, the other doublet couples to boson only.
- Decays:  $ZZ$ ,  $WW^*$ ,  $\gamma\gamma$

Production modes at Tevatron

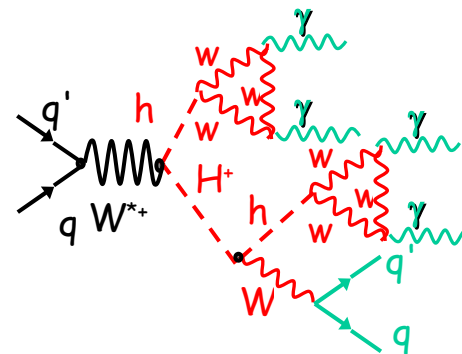
- usual  $gg$  fusion via top-loop is suppressed
- associated production with vector boson
  - $\gamma\gamma+X$ ,
  - $WW^* \rightarrow 2 \text{ leptons (same charge)} + X$



- Vector Boson Fusion  $qqH \rightarrow \gamma\gamma+X$

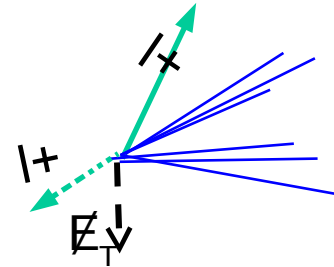


- via charged Higgs production
  - eg:  $qq \rightarrow hH^+ \rightarrow hhW^{*+} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma\gamma(\gamma) + X$

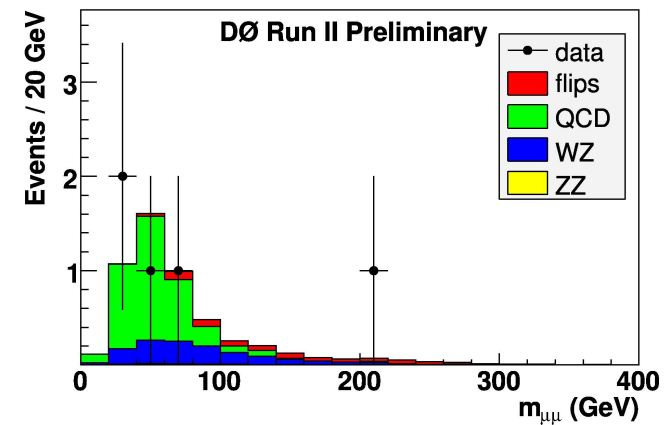
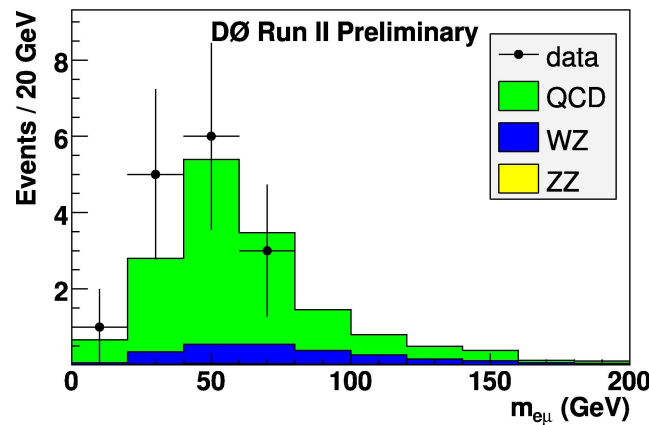
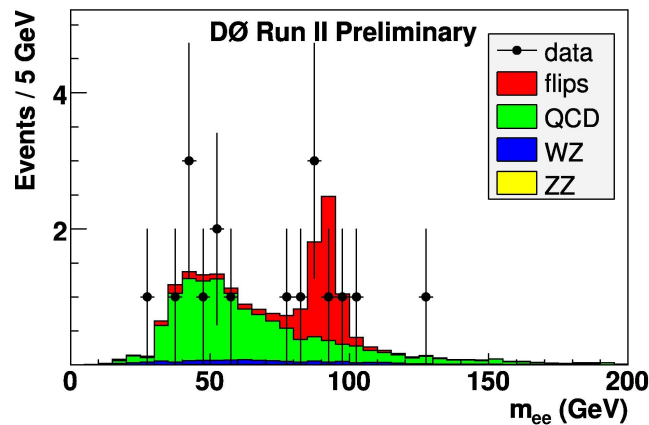


# Fermiophobic Higgs: $WW^*$ final state

- Clear and clean signature
  - 2 like-charge isolated leptons  $p_T > 15$  GeV
  - Missing transverse energy,  $E_T > 20$  GeV
- Background arises from
  - WZ production
  - Drell-Yan + mismeasured charge ( $\sim 10^{-3}$ )
  - QCD, W+jets with fake leptons



estimated from MC  
estimate from data  
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$D0 \mathcal{L} \sim 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

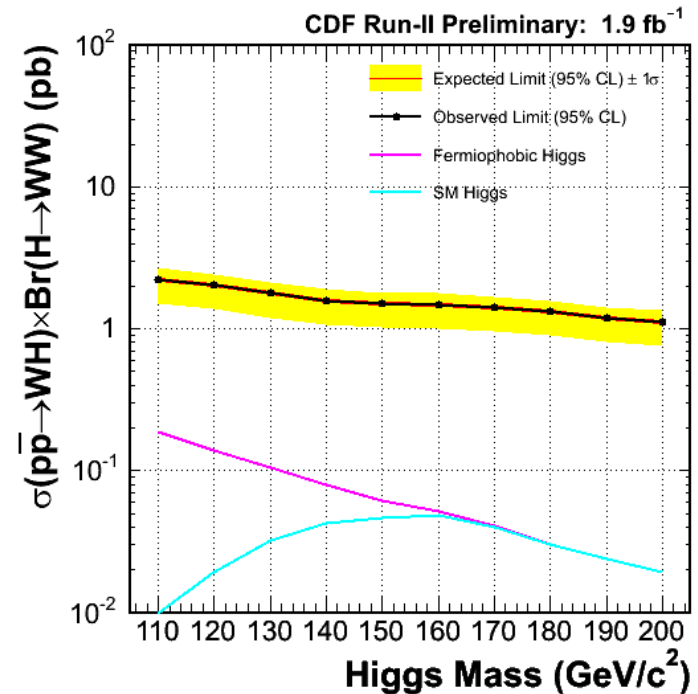
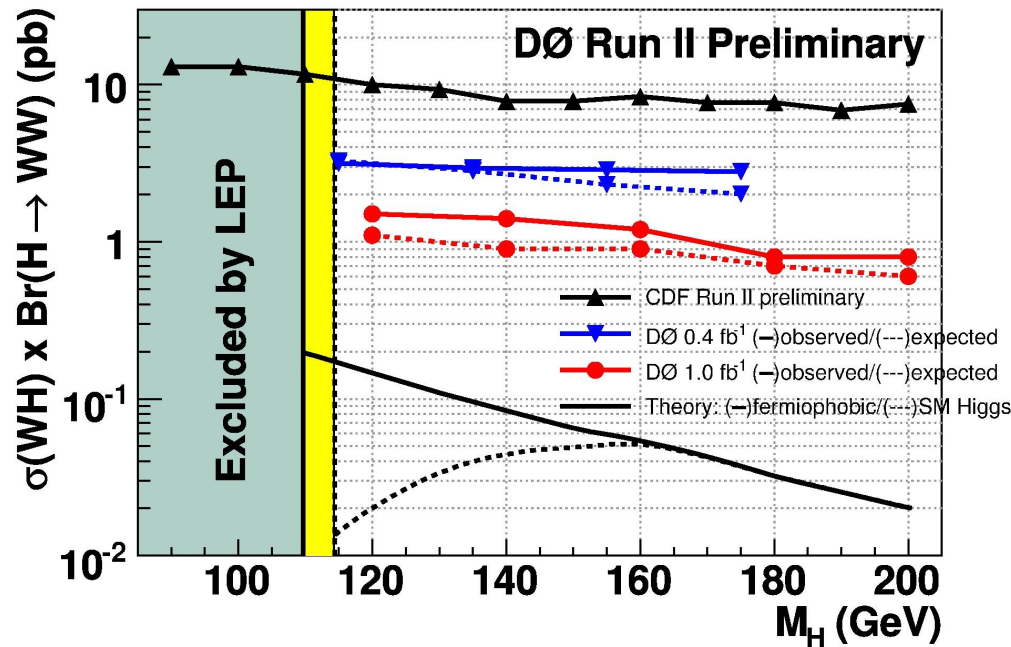
|              | $ee$            | $e\mu$          | $\mu\mu$            |
|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| charge flips | $11.9 \pm 3.8$  | $0.04 \pm 0.02$ | $0.8^{+2.3}_{-0.8}$ |
| W/QCD        | $7.4 \pm 1.1$   | $15.4 \pm 2.8$  | $2.8 \pm 0.9$       |
| WZ           | $1.18 \pm 0.17$ | $2.46 \pm 0.34$ | $1.29 \pm 0.18$     |
| ZZ           | $0.10 \pm 0.01$ | $0.16 \pm 0.02$ | $0.07 \pm 0.01$     |
| total        | $20.6 \pm 4.0$  | $18.0 \pm 2.8$  | $5.0^{+2.5}_{-1.2}$ |
| data         | 19              | 15              | 5                   |

$CDF \mathcal{L} \sim 1.9 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

|                    | events            |
|--------------------|-------------------|
| bkg                | $141.7 \pm 9.2$   |
| sig( $m_H = 110$ ) | $0.938 \pm 0.050$ |
| sig( $m_H = 160$ ) | $0.272 \pm 0.016$ |
| data               | 134               |

# WW\* limits

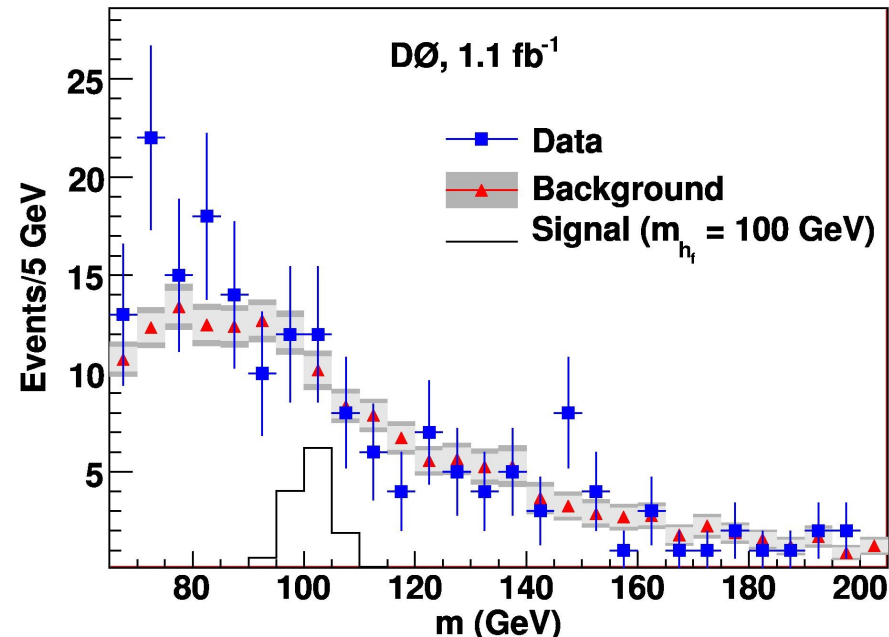
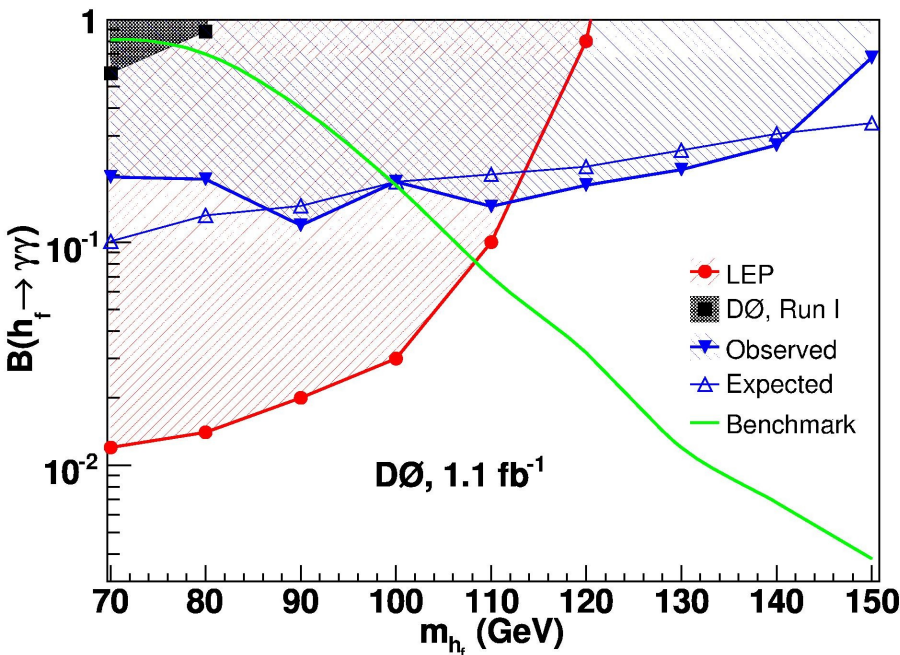
- Absence of deviation relative to background expectation can be interpreted in Fermiophobic model



Results are one order of magnitude above benchmark Fermiophobic model.

# Fermiophobic Higgs: search for $\gamma\gamma$ at DØ

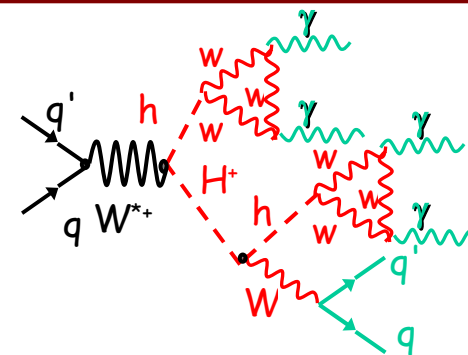
- Neural Network for  $\gamma$ /jet discrimination
  - Background from  $jj, \gamma j, \gamma\gamma$  mostly determined from data
  - no excess in  $\gamma\gamma$  mass spectrum for  $L \sim 1.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
  - Event counting in 10 GeV sliding mass window: limit as a function of  $M_{h_F}$  and  $\text{Br}(h_F \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$



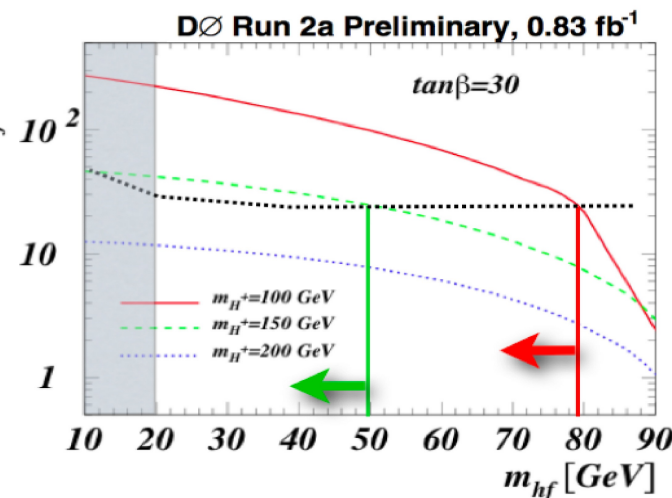
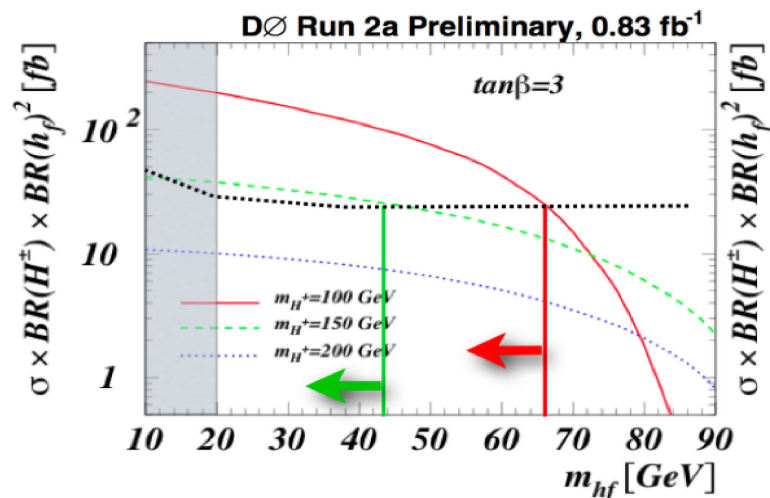
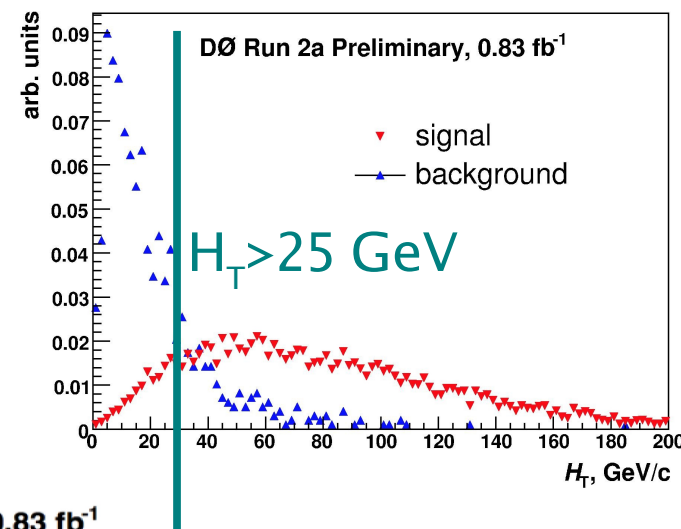
- Improve LEP limit by a factor of 4 for  $M_{h_F} = 120 \text{ GeV}$
- Need more data or analysis improvements to probe benchmark scenario
  - Can recycle more recent analysis searching for Standard Mode  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  (2.3  $\text{fb}^{-1}$ )

# Fermiophobic Higgs: search for $\gamma\gamma\gamma(\gamma)$ at DØ

- 'Light' Higgs  $M_{h_F} \sim 40-80$  GeV can escape search for  $h_F \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  at LEP if  $VVh$  coupling is suppressed.
- $3\gamma$  signatures**
  - Look for excess of high pt photons
  - small background arising from  $q\bar{q} \rightarrow 3\gamma$
  - $H_T > 25$  GeV  $\text{bkg} = 1.1 \pm 0.2$  DATA=0
- Production through charged Higgs is model dependent
  - limit as a function of  $M_{H^\pm}$ ,  $M_{h_F}$ ,  $\tan(\beta) = v_2/v_1$  (ratio of vev's)

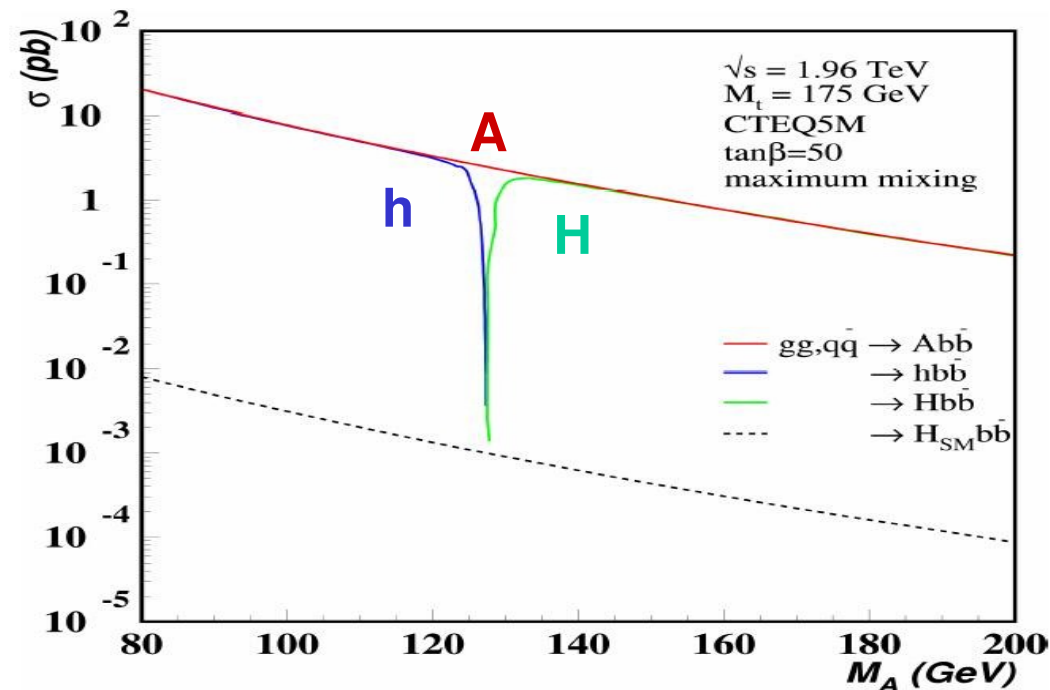
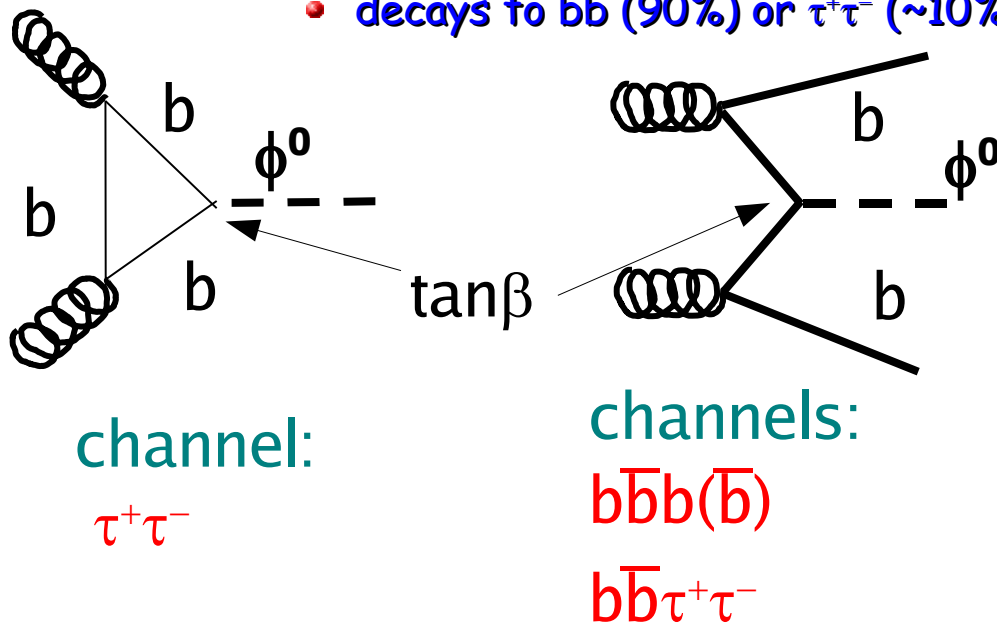


Distribution of 3-body transverse momentum



# SUSY Higgs at large $\tan(\beta)$

- In MSSM 2 Higgs doublets (type II)
  - $\tan\beta = v_2/v_1$  ratio of vev's
  - 5 Higgs : 3 neutral ( $h, H, A$ ) and 2 charged ( $H^\pm$ )
  - 2 parameters at tree level : ( $M_A, \tan(\beta)$ )
- At large  $\tan(\beta)$  : 2 neutral  $\sim$ degenerated in mass with  $b\bar{b}\phi$  coupling  $\sim \tan(\beta)$
- cross-section enhanced by  $\sim 2 \times \tan^2\beta$  (at leading order) relative to SM
  - decays to  $b\bar{b}$  (90%) or  $\tau^+\tau^-$  ( $\sim 10\%$ )

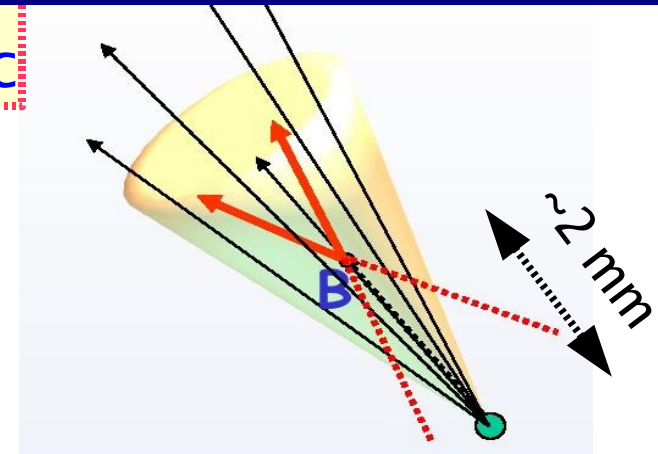
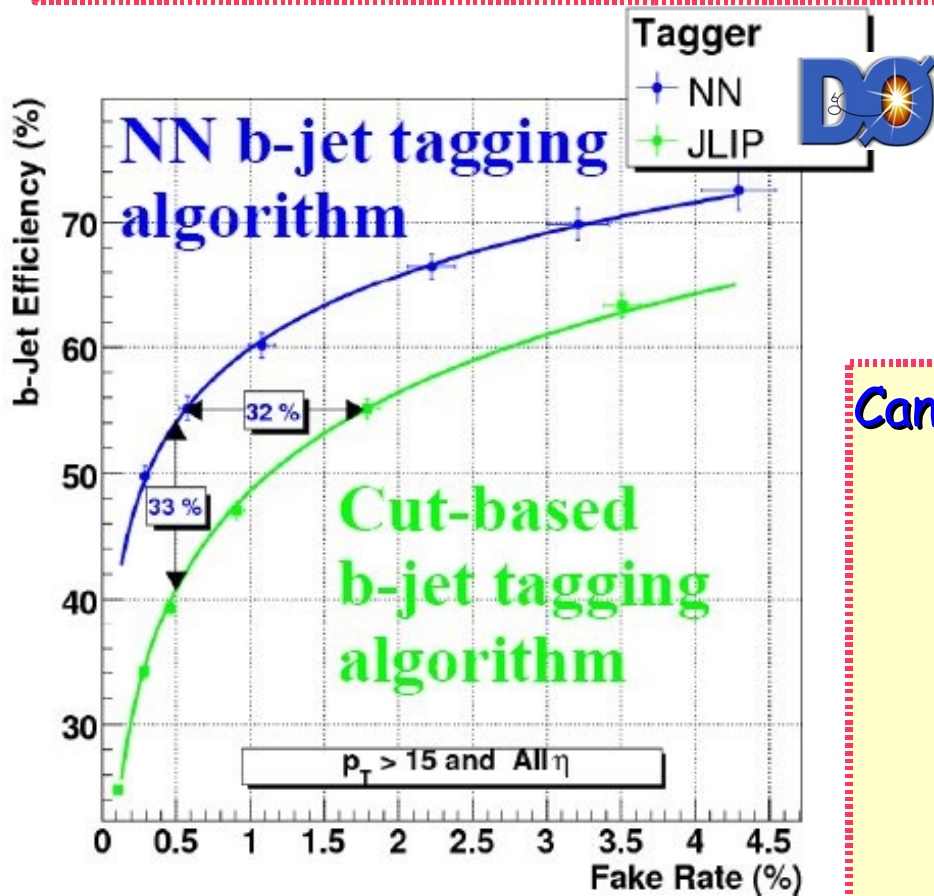


# b jets tagging: essential to search Higgs in general

See talk by Sebastien Greder

B-hadrons are long lived particles:  $c\tau \sim 0.5$  mm

B-hadrons can decay semi-leptonically:  $b \rightarrow \mu \nu C$



Can make use of:

- High impact parameter of tracks  $\Rightarrow$  light quark Jet Probability
- Secondary vertex reconstruction (SVX)
- Lepton tag
- b-jet kinematics (large B-hadron mass)
- Combination of above with multivariate techniques (eg Neural Network)

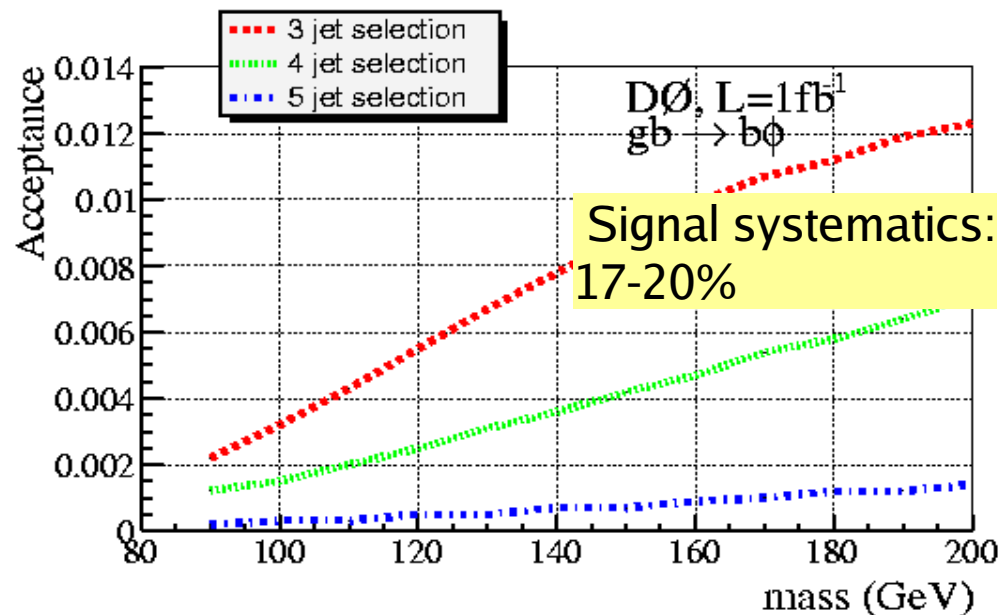
Eg: CDF 2<sup>nd</sup> vertex tag:  $\epsilon=50\%$  for 2% mis-tag at  $\eta < 1$

Eg: DØ NN  $\epsilon=60\%$  for 1.5% mis-tag  $P_T=50$  GeV (loose tag)

used for (b)bh  $\rightarrow$  (b)bbb  $\epsilon=50\%$  for 0.5% mis-tag  $P_T=50$  GeV (tight tag)

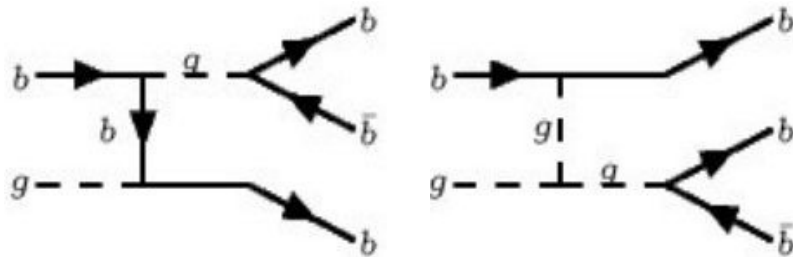
# $D\bar{D}$ : $hb(b) \rightarrow bbb(b)$ (large impact from $D\bar{D}$ France)

- **Selection:**
  - 3 to 5 jets with  $p_T > 20 \text{ GeV}$   $|\eta| < 2.5$ 
    - 2 b-tag jet with  $p_T > 25 \text{ GeV}$
    - 3 b-tag in final selection
  - trigger  $\varepsilon \sim 60\text{-}70\%$ 
    - multi-jet conditions
    - b-tagging conditions (challenging)
- In first  $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  of DATA  
3,224/2,503/704 events for 3/4/5 jets selection
- Signal simulated by Pyhia, reweight events to match MCFM NLO kinematics

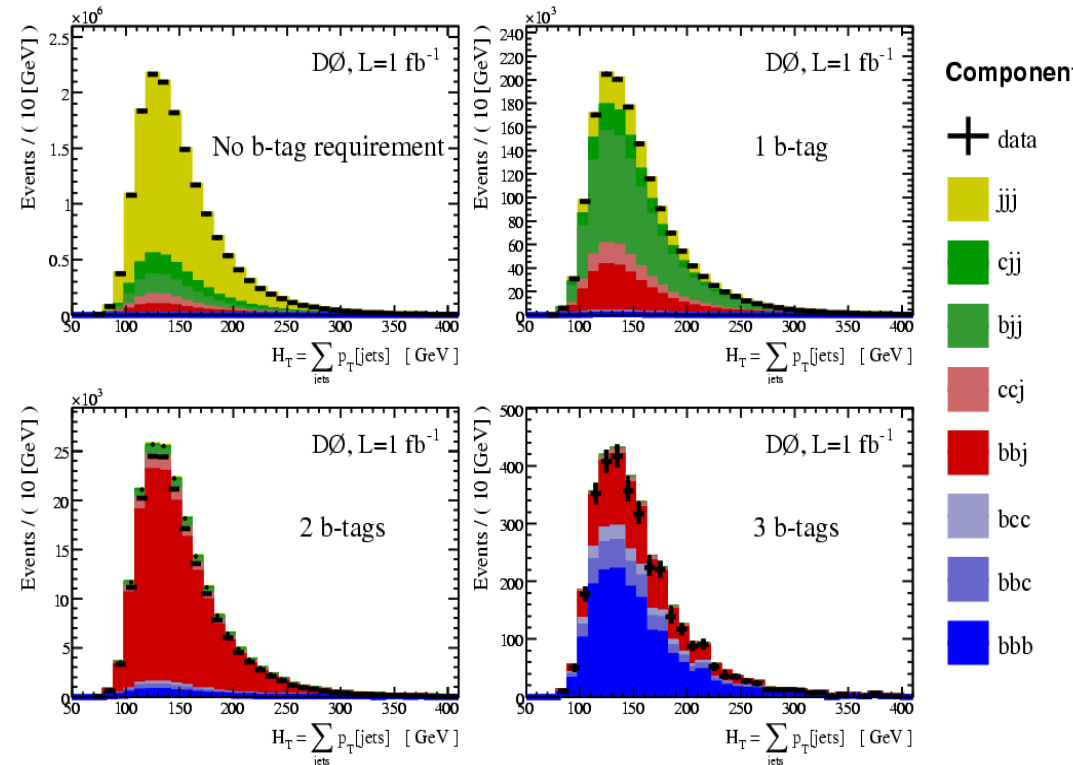


# Challenge: modeling the background of $hb(b) \rightarrow bbb(b)$

- Large multi-jet background, hard to understand and model with data.
- backgrounds not only  $bbj$ ,  $bbbb$  BUT ALSO odd number of visible heavy flavor (just like signal)  $bjj$ ,  $bbc$ ,  $bbb$ ,....



- Main background for final selection is found to be  $bbb$  very similar to the signal final state.
- backgrounds are not predicted accurately by MC
  - compute DATA/MC correction
  - large systematics



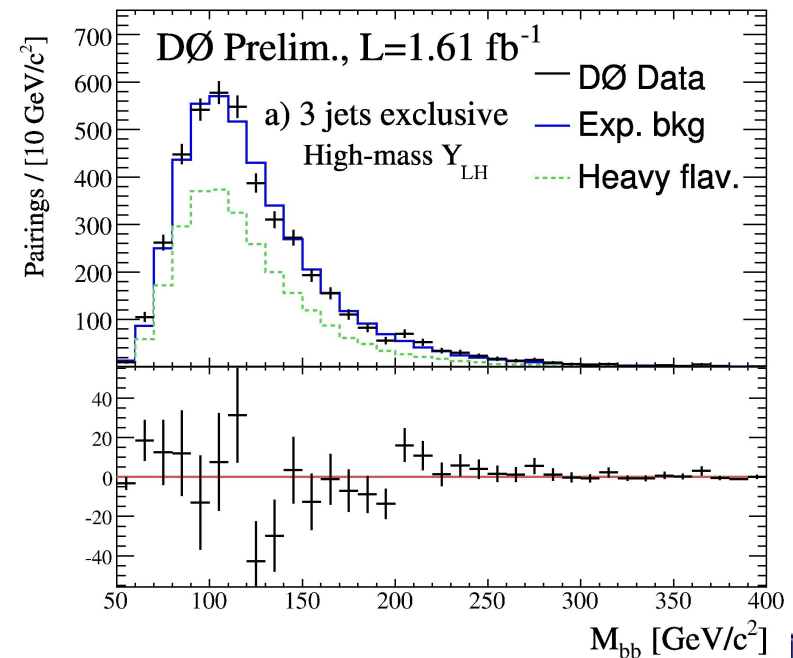
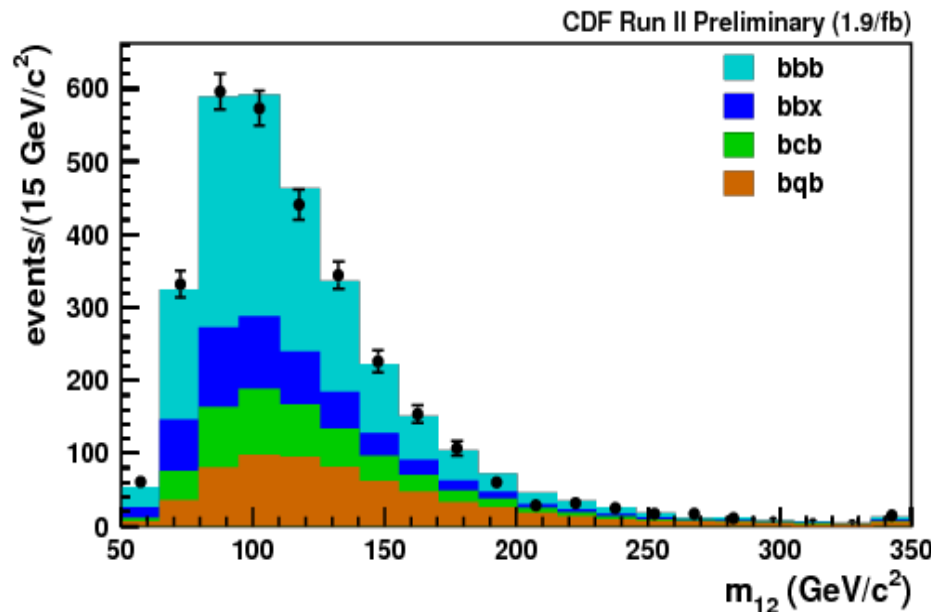
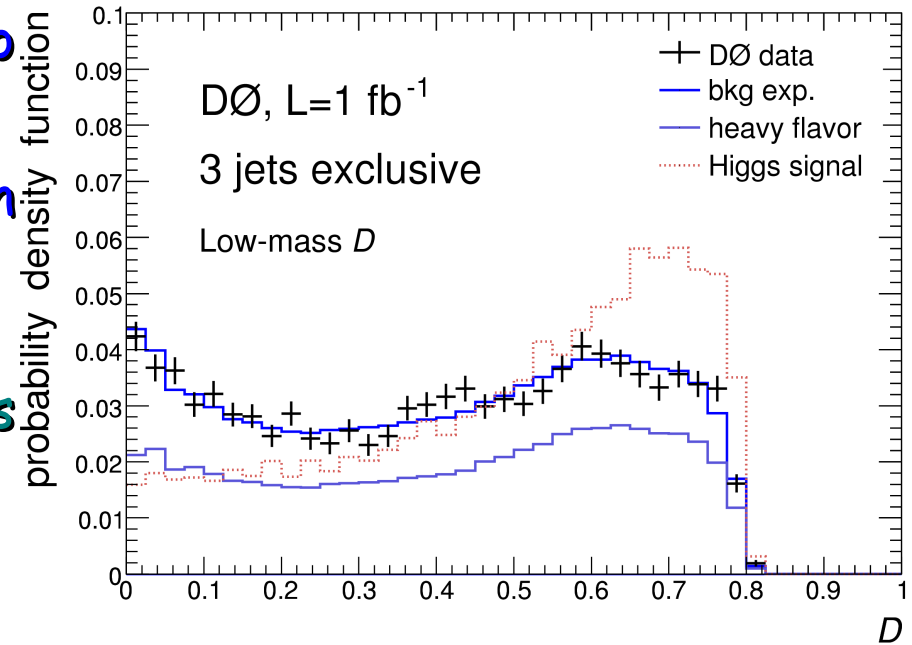
$D\bar{D} \mathcal{L} \sim 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

background analysis, obtained by fitting data to different tagging efficiency.

|               |         |      |
|---------------|---------|------|
| 3 tag sample: | bbb     | ~50% |
|               | bbj     | ~30% |
|               | bbc+bcc | ~17% |
|               | ccj     | ~2%  |
|               | jjx     | ~1%  |

# Searching for a hbb signal

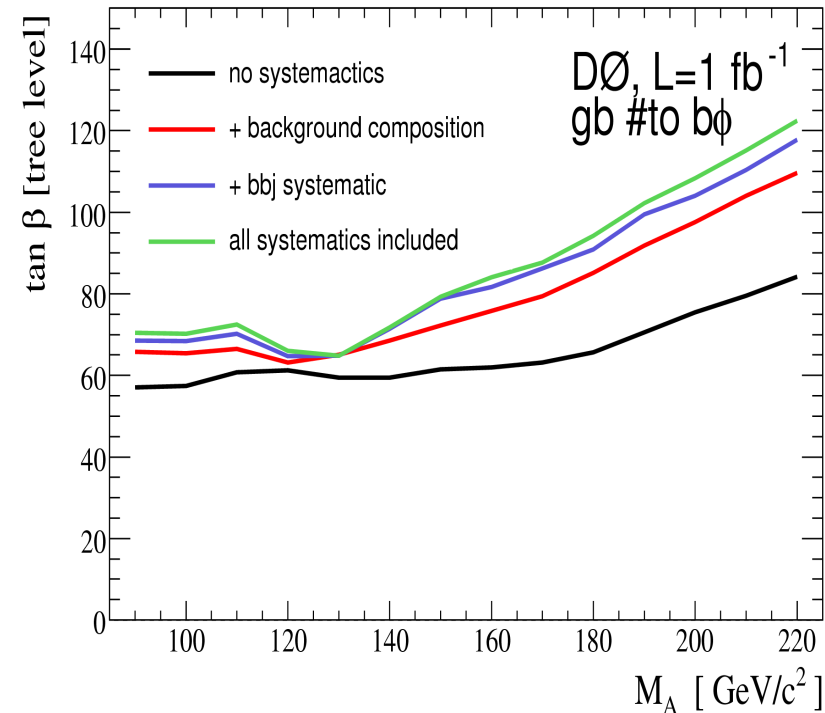
- $D\bar{D}$ : Likelihood based on kinematics to separate signal from background.
  - Verify data-background agreement in low-likelihood region
  - Then check the high-likelihood region.
  - Look for excess in di-jet mass spectrum
- CDF also perform bbb analysis in  $2\text{fb}^{-1}$ 
  - find similar background admixture



# Background systematics

- Much larger impact than signal uncertainty
- The normalization is unknown, only the uncertainties on the background shape matters:
  - bbb vs bbj fraction
  - bbb vs. bbj kinematic
  - bbb vs. bbj b-tag shape
  - b jet energy scale resolution
  - b-tag trigger (different efficiency for 2tag and 3tag events)

eg for  $M_A = 160$  GeV background systematics decreases sensitivity by ~50%



# MSSM Benchmark

- 2 parameters,  $(M_A, \tan(\beta))$  to describe SUSY Higgs sector at Leading Order
- $hbb$  vertex receive large corrections from sbottom-gluino and stop-higgsino loop
- Five additional parameters due to radiative correction
  - $M_{\text{SUSY}}$  (parameterizes squark, gaugino masses)
  - $X_t$  (related to the trilinear coupling  $A_t \rightarrow$  stop mixing)
  - $M_2$  (gaugino mass term)
  - $\mu$  (Higgs mass parameter)
  - $M_{\text{gluino}}$  (comes in via loops)
- Two common benchmarks
  - Max-mixing - Higgs boson mass  $m_h$  close to max possible value for a given  $\tan\beta$
  - No-mixing - vanishing mixing in stop sector  $\rightarrow$  small mass for  $h$

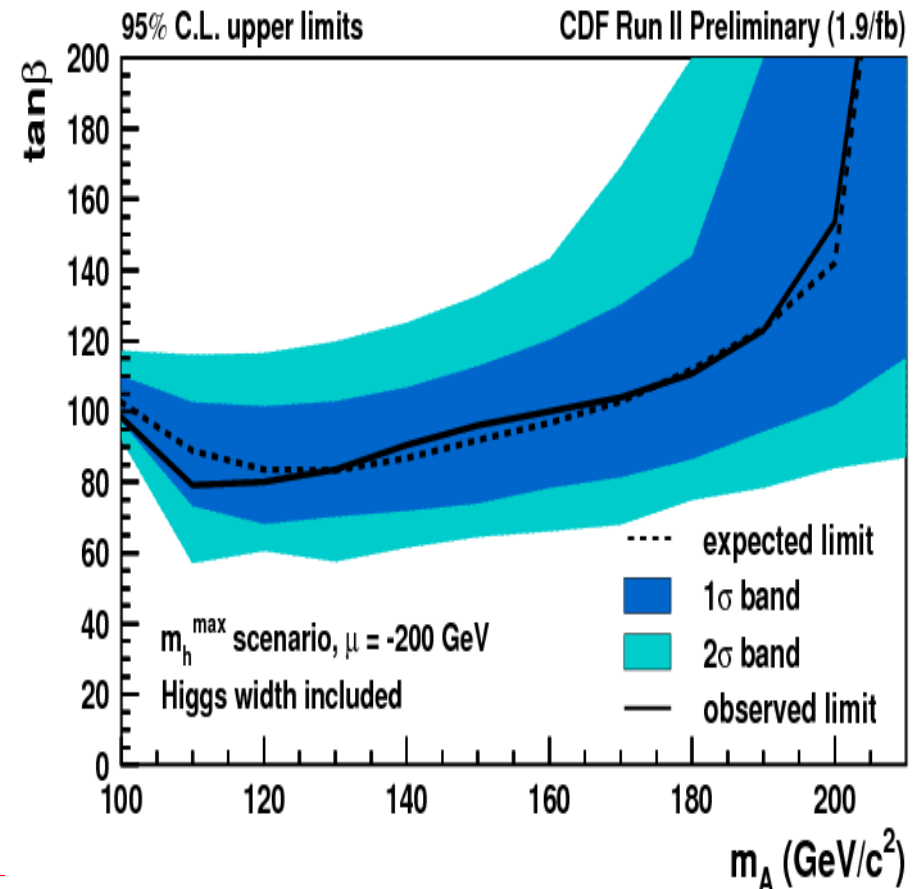
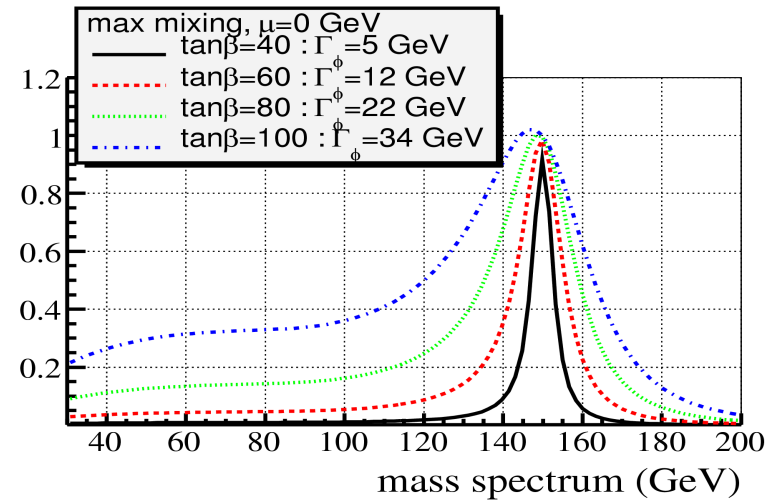
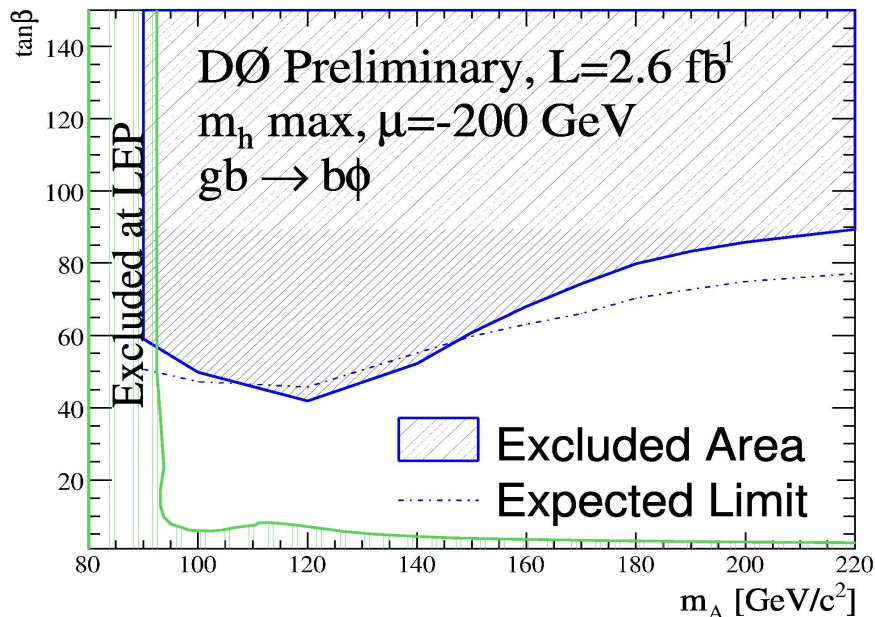
|                   | $m_h$ -max    | no-mixing     |
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| $M_{\text{SUSY}}$ | 1 TeV         | 2 TeV         |
| $X_t$             | 2 TeV         | 0             |
| $M_2$             | 200 GeV       | 200 GeV       |
| $\mu$             | $\pm 200$ GeV | $\pm 200$ GeV |
| $m_g$             | 800 GeV       | 1600 GeV      |

# bbb(b) results

Interpret results in MSSM benchmark scenario:

- $\phi b b$  coupling modified by SUSY loops
- also account for larger intrinsic width at large  $\tan(\beta)$

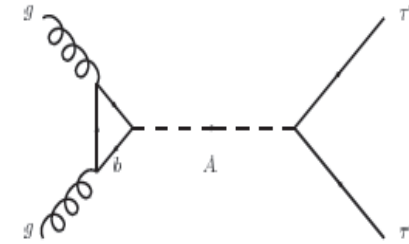
Results start to exclude interesting region  $\tan(\beta) \sim 40 \sim M_{\text{top}}/M_b$



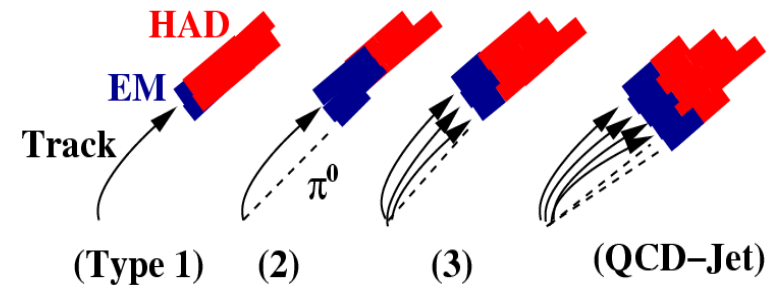
# $\phi^0 \rightarrow \tau\tau$ at large $\tan(\beta)$

- Taus decay within the inner detector, ~17% to  $e$ ,  $\mu$ , ~65% to hadrons. Three channels used:

$$\begin{array}{ll} \tau \rightarrow \mu \nu\nu + \tau \rightarrow \text{hadrons } \nu & \tau_\mu \tau_h \text{ channel} \\ \tau \rightarrow e \nu\nu + \tau \rightarrow \text{hadrons } \nu, & \tau_e \tau_h \text{ channel} \\ \tau \rightarrow e \nu\nu + \tau \rightarrow \mu \nu\nu & \tau_e \tau_\mu \text{ channel} \end{array}$$



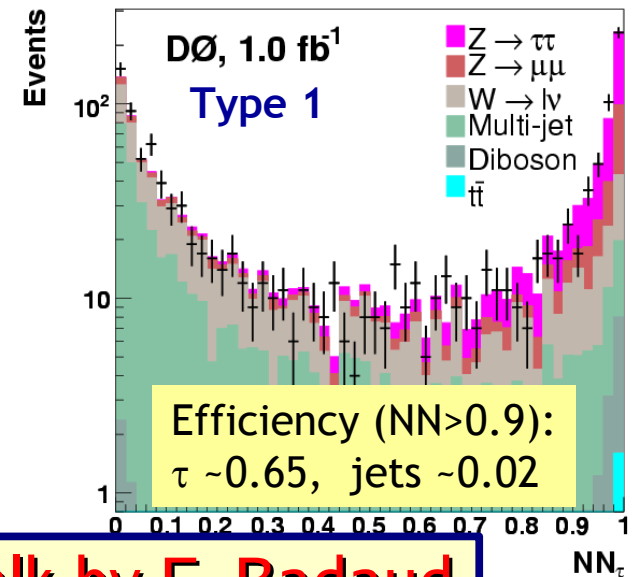
- At DØ, hadronic tau candidates are divided into 3 types:



- Type 1: one track, calorimeter cluster without EM subcluster
- Type 2: one track, calorimeter cluster with EM subclusters
- Type 3: 2 or 3 tracks consistent with tau mass, calorimeter cluster

- Tau identification is based on Neural Network: Non-linear correlations between variables are taken into account Discriminating variables: Profile, Isolation, ...

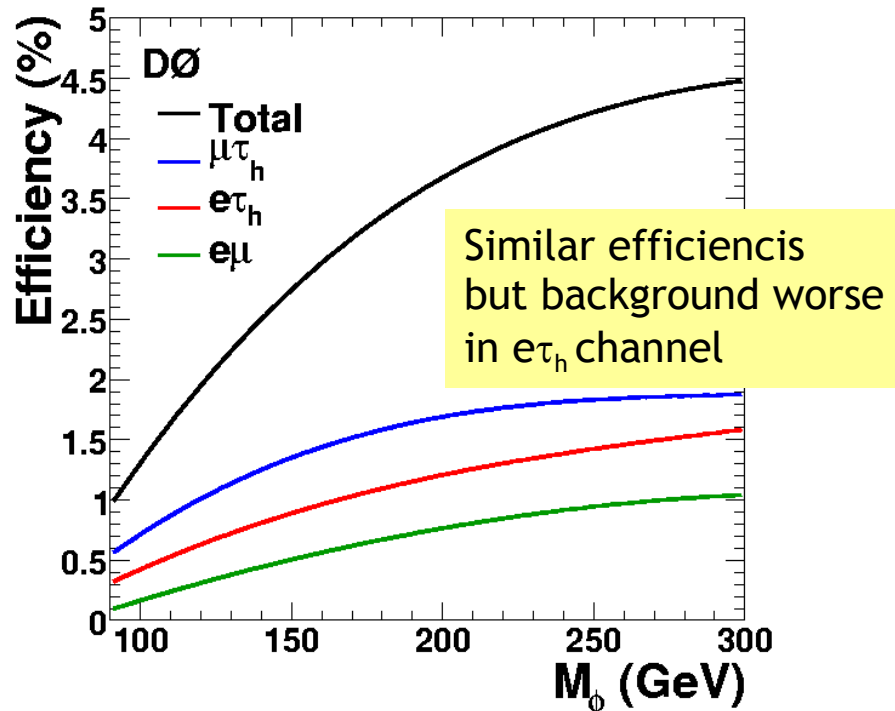
- Dedicated energy correction:  $\tau$ -energy scale



**See talk by F. Badaud**

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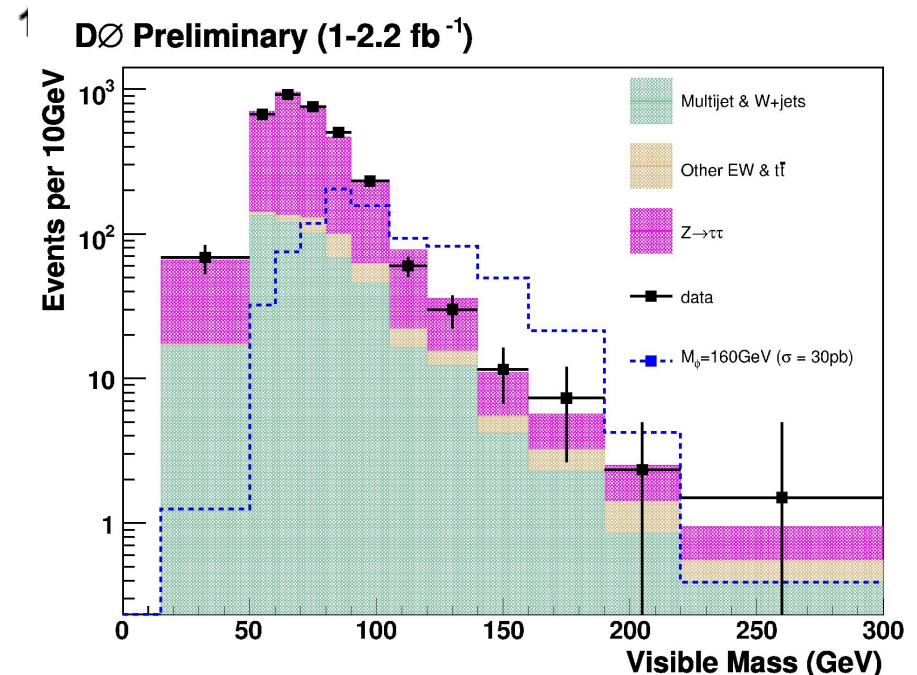
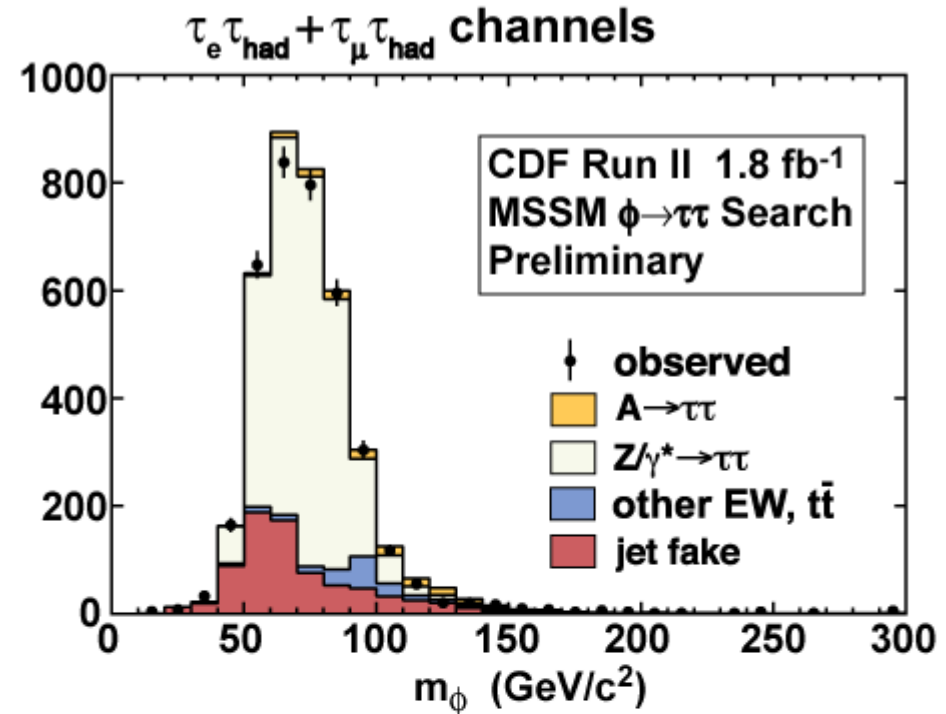
- Main backgrounds arise from  $Z \rightarrow \tau\tau$ ,  $W$ +jets and multi-jets events



- Discrimination against background based on visible mass:

$$m_{\text{vis}} = \sqrt{(p^{\tau_1} + p^{\tau_2} + \cancel{E}_T)^2}$$

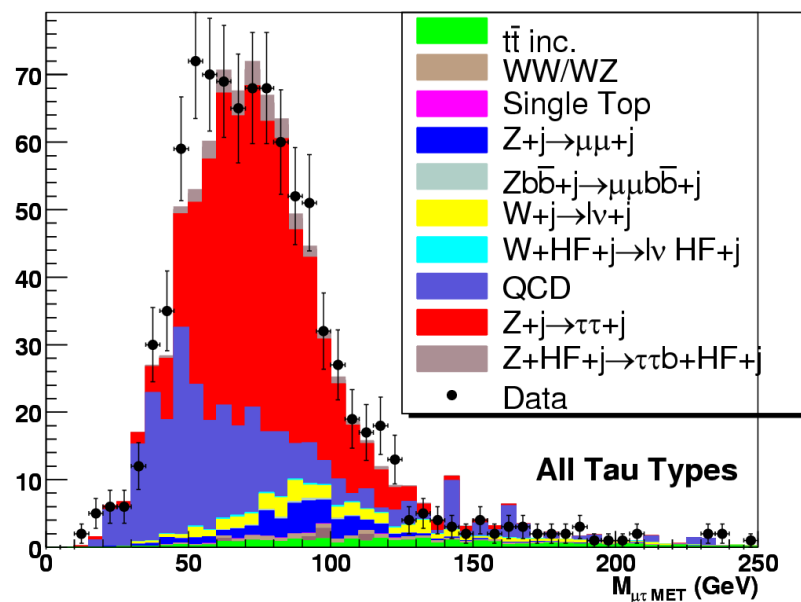
- No sizeable excess wrt background expectation



# DØ: $(b)b\phi^0 \rightarrow (b)b\tau\tau$ at large $\tan(\beta)$

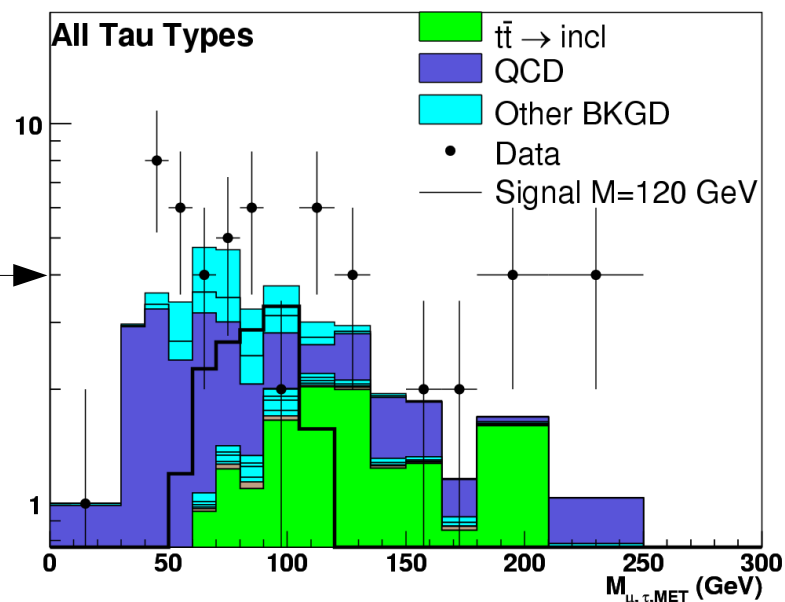
- Look for high  $p_T \tau_\mu \tau_h + \text{jet}$
- First channel to use dedicated tau triggers
- Before b-tagging : background Z+jets and QCD

DØ RunII Preliminary, 1.2 fb<sup>-1</sup>



b-tagging

DØ RunII Preliminary, 1.2 fb<sup>-1</sup>



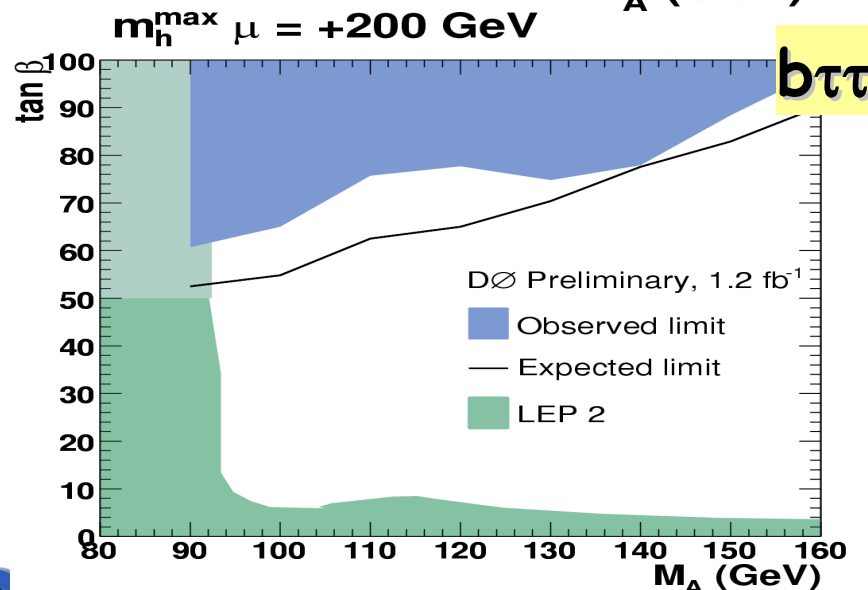
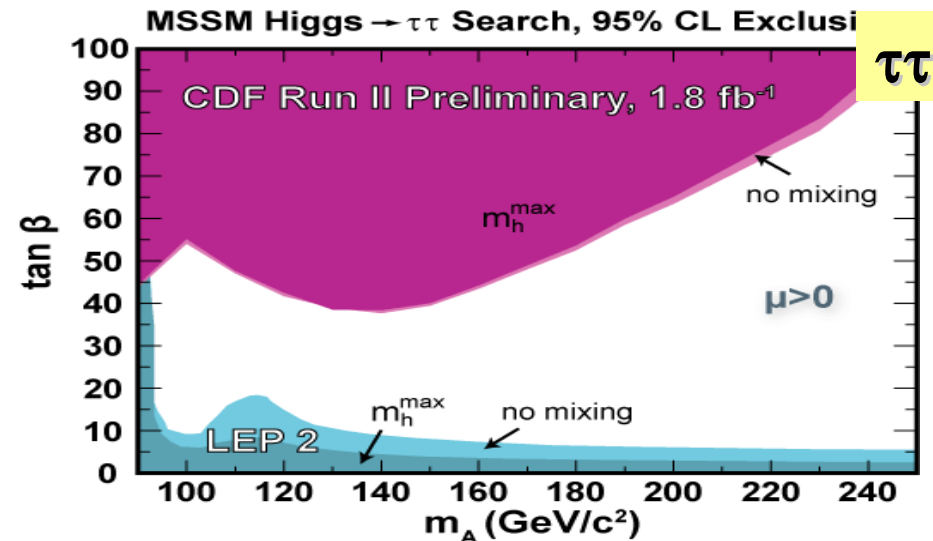
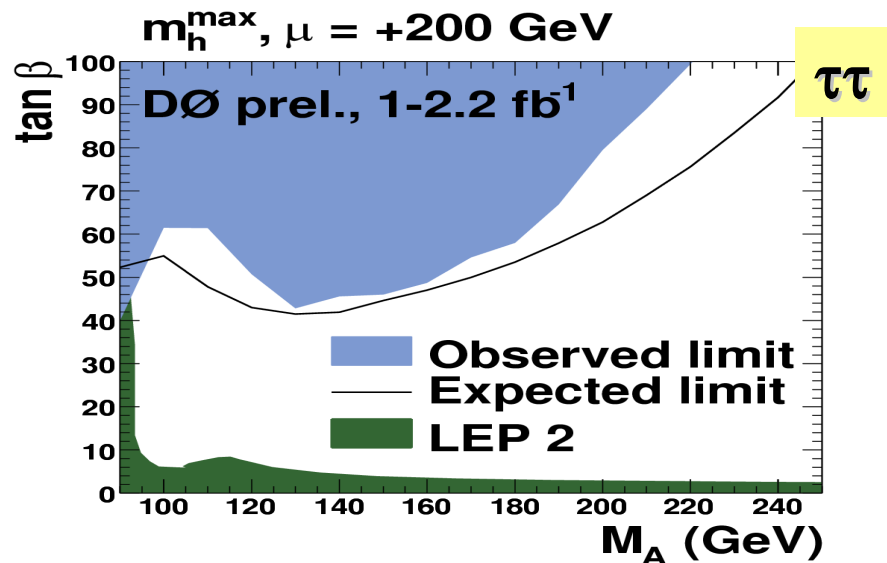
- Main background is top pair production and QCD after b-tagging
- Multivariate technique enhance S/B
- No significant excess above background expectation

# MSSM results: tau channels

Interpret results in MSSM benchmark scenarios

- tau channels less sensitive to difference between scenarios than bbb channels:

$$\text{yield} \simeq \frac{\Gamma(\phi \rightarrow b\bar{b}) \times \Gamma(\phi \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-)}{\Gamma_{\text{total}} - \Gamma(\phi \rightarrow b\bar{b})}$$



- Note complementarity:  $b\tau\tau$  can cover « hole » due to large Z background in  $\tau\tau$  channel.
- Results start to exclude interesting region  $\tan(\beta) \sim 40 \sim M_{\text{top}}/M_b$

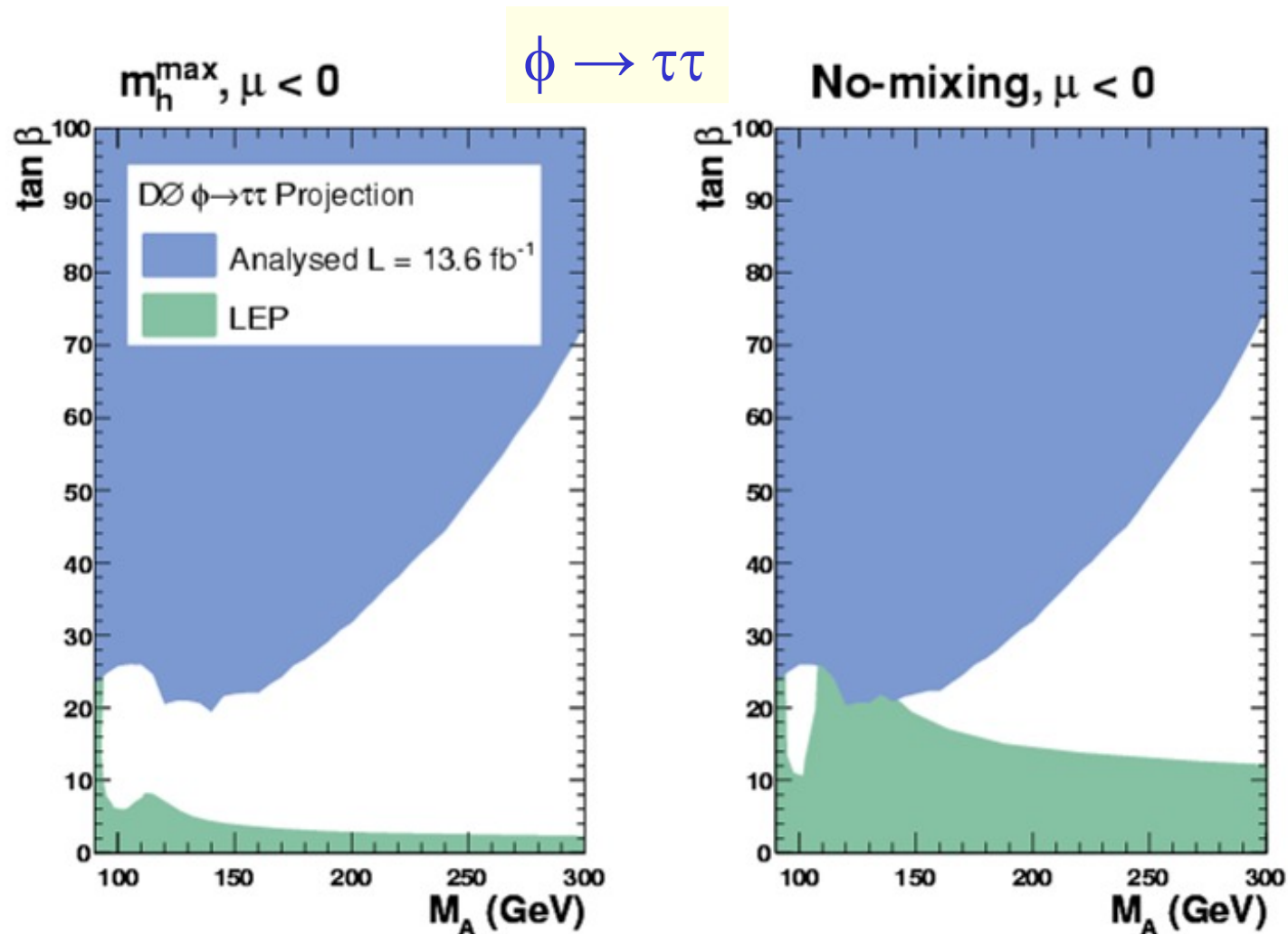
# Conclusion

- Tevatron experiments are able to search for Higgs beyond Standard Model.
- Constraints have been obtained in the last years for Fermiophobic and MSSM Higgs production:
  - Improvement relative to LEP limit for Fermiophobic Higgs
  - Starting to probe region of interest  $\tan(\beta) < 40$  for MSSM Higgs
- More results are expected to come with
  - more data, thanks to Tevatron performance
  - combinations between channels and experiments
    - Latest news says that eg in SUSY, some phase space at  $\tan(\beta) < 30$  could be excluded when combining,  $b\bar{b}b$ ,  $\tau\tau$ ,  $b\tau\tau$  channels from DØ and CDF.
  - Forseen analysis improvements at DØ:
    - better b-tagging
    - better jet momentum resolution
    - better tau-id and Electromagnetic identification
    - better trigger efficiency (oring of existing conditions)

## Support slides

# Projections

Projections for full 2010 dataset (2 experiments)



# MSSM interpretation $b\phi \rightarrow bbb$

- Strongest limits for the  $m_h^{\max}$  scenario with  $\mu < 0$ 
  - Large sensitivity to  $\mu$  and its sign through loop corrections:
    - Negative  $\mu$  gives enhanced production
    - No exclusion below for  $m_h^{\max}$ ,  $\mu > 0$ .

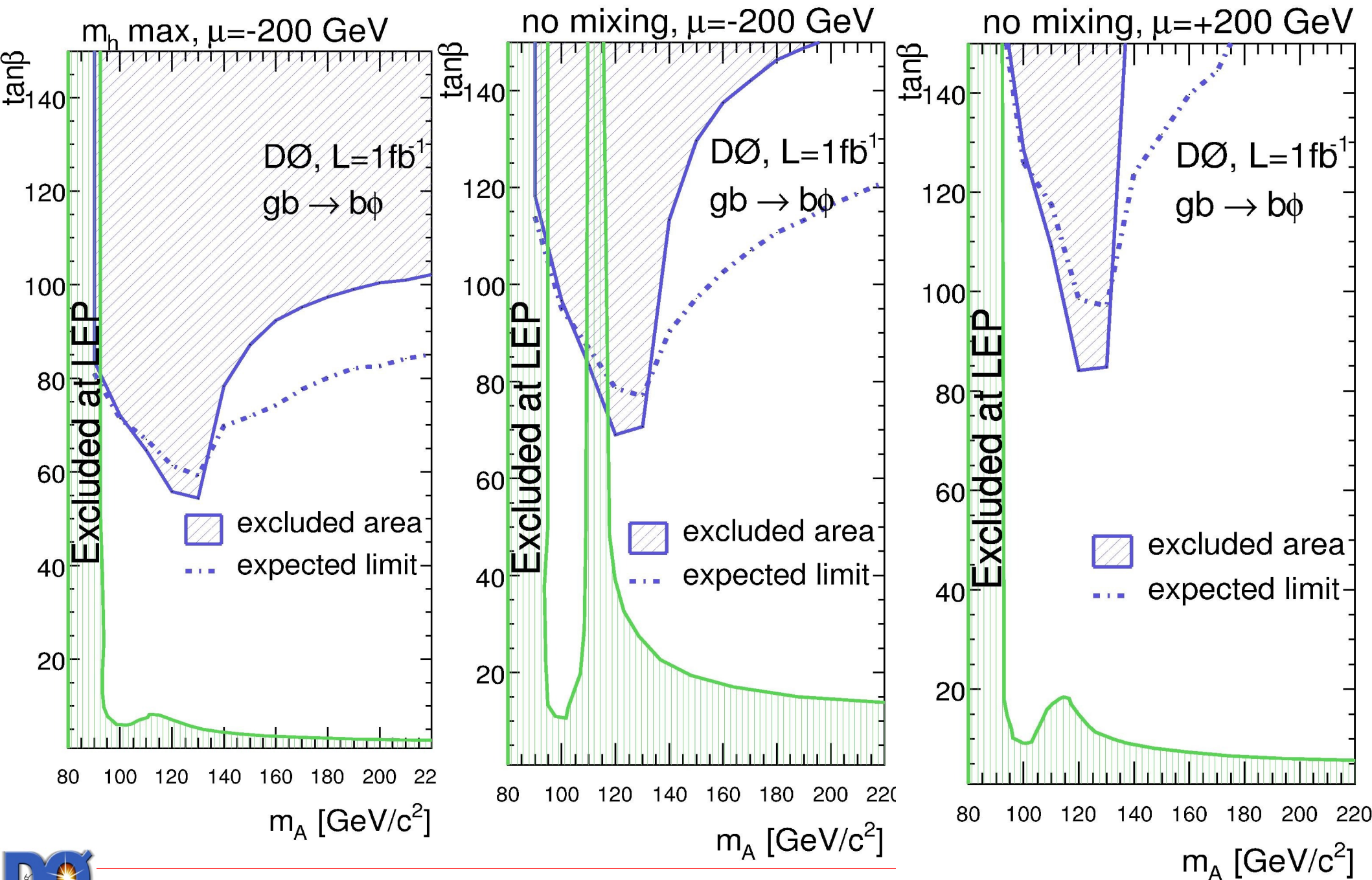
Tau channel more sensitive and less dependent on MSSM scenario

$$\sigma(b\phi \rightarrow bb\bar{b}) = 2 \times \sigma(b\phi)_{SM} \times \frac{\tan^2 \beta}{(1 + \Delta_b)^2} \times \frac{9}{(1 + \Delta_b)^2 + 9}$$

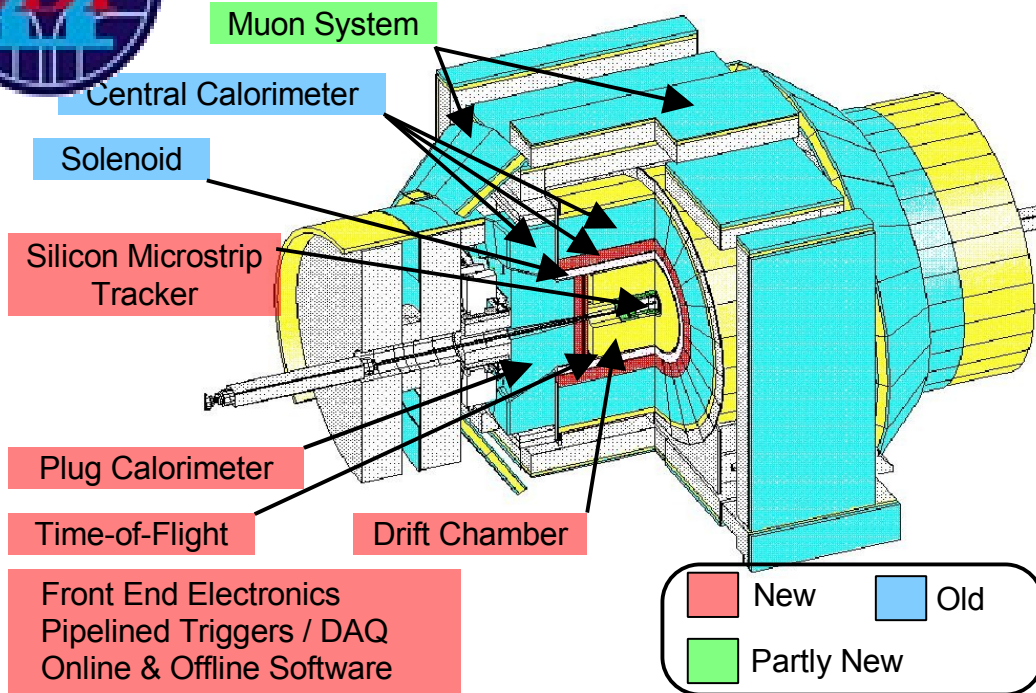
$$\sigma(\phi \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-) = 2 \times \sigma(\phi)_{SM} \times \frac{\tan^2 \beta}{(1 + \Delta_b)^2} \times \frac{(1 + \Delta_b)^2}{(1 + \Delta_b)^2 + 9}$$

$$\Delta_b = \frac{2\alpha_s}{3\pi} m_{\tilde{g}} \mu \tan \beta \times I(m_{\tilde{b}_1}, m_{\tilde{b}_2}, m_{\tilde{g}}) + \frac{\alpha_t}{4\pi} A_t \mu \tan \beta \times I(m_{\tilde{t}_1}, m_{\tilde{t}_2}, \mu).$$

# MSSM interpretation $b\phi \rightarrow bbb$



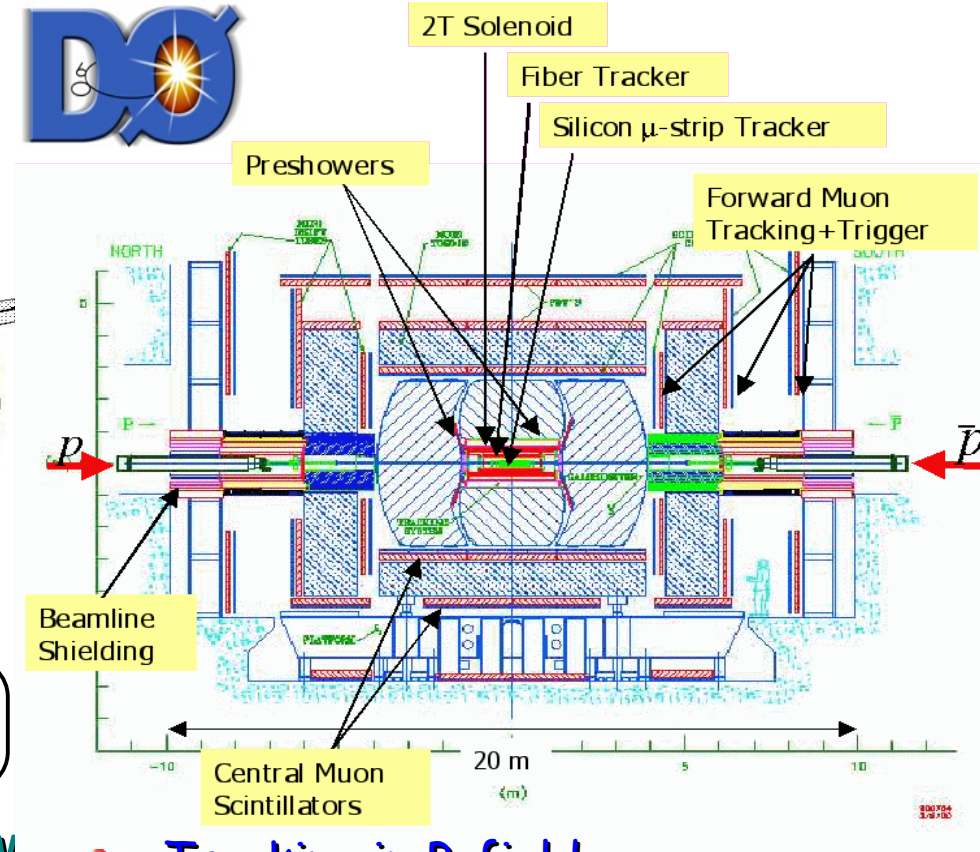
# Tevatron Experiments at RunII



- New**
- silicon detector
  - Drift chamber
  - TOF PID system

## Upgraded

- Calorimeter
- DAQ/trigger
- displaced-vertex trigger



- New**
- Tracking in B-field
  - Silicon detector
  - fiber tracker

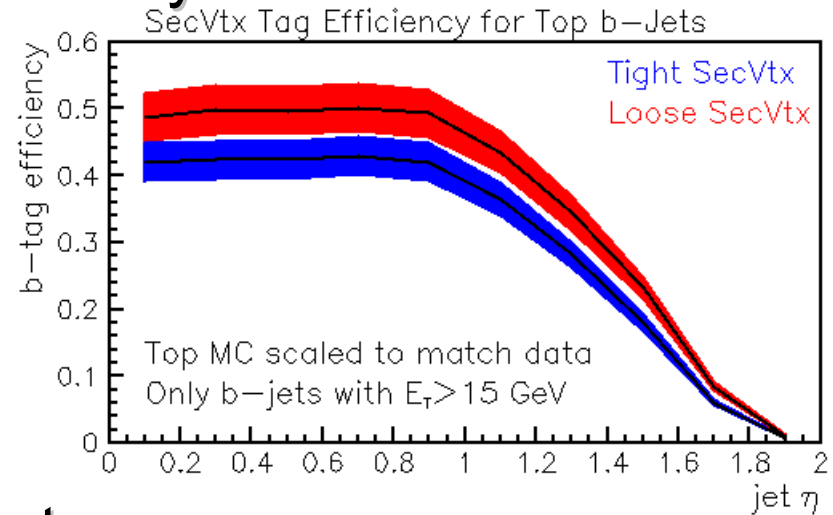
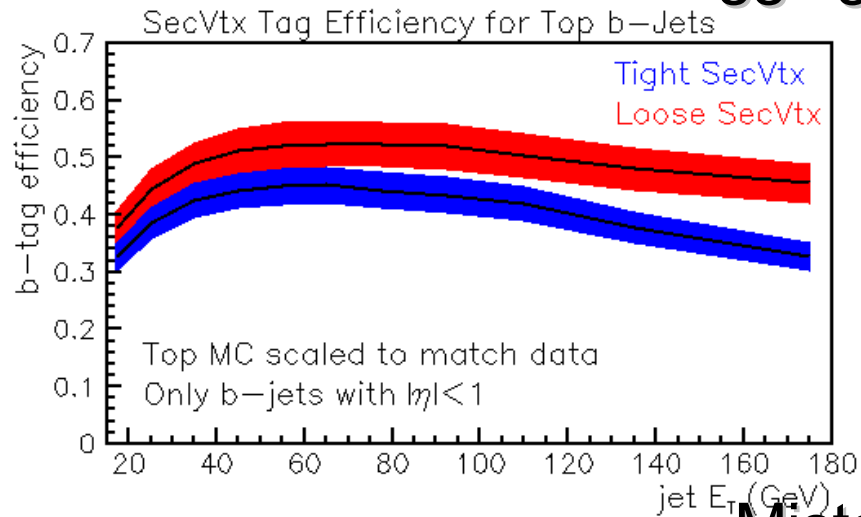
## Upgraded

- Calorimeter, muon system
- DAQ/trigger
- RunIIb: Silicon layer 0, Cal Trigger



# backup CDF b-tag plots

## Tagging efficiency



## Mistag rate

