



Search for a Vector Like Quark T' decaying into top quark and Higgs boson in a dileptonic same sign final state with the CMS experiment at LHC

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Motivation



- Completion of the Standard Model (SM) in 2012 with the discovery of Higgs boson.
- Limits of the SM:
 - Dark matter?
 - Neutrino's mass?
 - Higgs boson measured mass $m_{H} \approx 125 \text{ GeV}$. \longrightarrow Hierarchy problem!
- Vector-Like Quark (VLQ) T':
 - Interaction with the Higgs boson solve the hierarchy problem.
 - Expected invariant mass m_⊥ ≈ 1 TeV (13 TeV in the center of mass of the LHC for 2016-2018).

T' is highly unstable: how can we observe it?



T' production





• Single T' produced via electroweak process.





T' production





• W leptonic or hadronic decay.



- NB: Excess <u>published</u> in the all-hadronic channel with 2016 data for $m_{T'} = 680$ GeV.



Signal final state





- Final state:
 - Two leptons SS.
 - Three jets with one b-jet.
 - Two neutrinos (not considered).



- Three channels:
 - Two muons.
 - One muon + one electron.
 - Two electrons.

What about the backgrounds?





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- Goal: get the main backgrounds under control.
 - New analysis strategy!







- Reducing tt/Diboson/ttX.
- Looking for a resonance in the St = $\sum_{\text{leptons+jets}} Pt$

spectrum (Pt = transverse momentum).

- Estimation of the background:
 - Data-driven technique.
 - Fit of the smoothly falling St distribution.
- Optimized for $m_{T} = 700$ GeV.

St distribution for backgrounds and signal after object identification



Let's start with the object identification to reduce $t\bar{t}$ and diboson events!



Object identification



• Kinematic selection: Pt (transverse momentum) and η (pseudorapidity).



CMS structure







- Variables on study:
 - Identification (ID): based on a global algorithm (Particle Flow) that reconstructs all the particles thanks to the tracks, hits...
 - Isolation: leptons must be distant from other particles.
 - Impact parameter: leptons must be close Vertex (PV).
 - Charge: leptons must have the correct electric charge.
 - Jet flavor: b-jets must be correctly identified.



We identify and ask for 2 leptons SS and \geq 3 jets with \geq 1 b-jet but we can go further!







The two leptons must be back-to-back.
 → ∆R (leptons) > 1.8 to reduce all backgrounds.

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

 $\Delta R \thicksim 0 \text{ for leptons next to each other} \\ \Delta R \gtrsim \pi \text{ for leptons back to back}$

• The T' has a large mass so we expect the 2 leptons to have high Pt.

• $\sum_{2 \text{ leptons}} \text{Pt} > f(\text{St})$ where f is a function optimized to 2 leptons reduce all backgrounds (see next slide).

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Denjamin Blancon Optimization using quantiles OH.25.23 of background yield

- Goal: optimize the cut value as a function of St to preserve the efficiency in each St bins.
- Pt of the two leptons (y-axis) vs St (x-axis) plotted in a 2D histogram for the background.
- Percentage of the background yield kept in each bin to plot the related 1D graph.
- Fit of the 1D graph thanks to a polynomial function.

→ New Cut that preserves the background shape!

 \sum Pt > f(St).

2 leptons





Selection criteria - ttX





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¹: Internal analysis value.







We expect one b-jet with high Pt in the final state.
 Pt of leading b-jet > f'(St) where f' is a function optimized to reduce all backgrounds.



Pt leading bjet

Let's see the results with this selection!





Selection criteria - Results

Process	Signal	tt	ttX	Diboson	Sum of Bkgs	S/B	
No Cut	5.3E3	2.7E7	1.0E5	4.3E5	1.9E9	0.0003%	- 99.997%
Cut 0: 2 leptons SS and \geq 3 jets with \geq 1 b-jet	9.9	872.3	508.4	59.6	1.5E3	0.65%	→ - 99.986%
Cut 1: ΔR (leptons) > 1.8	9.2	597.7	341.7	37.7	1.0E3	0.89%	-
Cut 2: Sum of Pt of the two leptons > f(St)	5.3	175.1	155.8	22.5	377.3	1.40%	52.0%
Cut 3: Min(m _{bqq} , - m _{top}) > 34 GeV	4.1	101.7	73.2	17.1	207.5	1.98%	- 55.0%
Cut 4: Pt of leading b-jet > f'(St)	3.6	89.5	66.5	12.6	182.5	1.98%	

- All channels with 2018 simulation considered.
- tt
 tt
 and ttX processes highly suppressed (S/B ≈ 2%) but remain the main backgrounds (49.0% and 36.4% respectively).

How about the St distribution?







- Reminder: $St = \sum_{leptons+jets} Pt.$
- Background shape smooth after the full selection and can be fitted.
- Signal spread over a too large range of momentum.
- Investigate other variables.





St distribution by lepton channels

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- Same conclusion for separated channels.
- Signal not visible in the dielectronic channel.
- Let's have a first look with real data!

17 L = 59.7 fb⁻¹, √s = 13 TeV **CMS Preliminary 2018** 00000 Events/ 00000 00000 00000 3225 Data 24053.6 TT 2L 20.5 TT SL 310.3 ST tW 2.4 ttH 38.4 ttW 38.0 ttZ 17.3 ZX HX www 15000 1.6 Signal700 10000 5000 100 200 300



CM

- First comparison between data and MC has been done for the dimuonic channel in the tt dileptonic control region (two leptons opposite sign).
- St variable 'blinded' for the moment.
- Data/MC agreement within 20% for the Pt of the leptons. To be improved!

Comparing data with simulation





Comparing data with simulation

• Similar level of data/MC agreement for other variables studied (except St!).











- Add the one muon + one electron and dielectronic channels for data/MC agreement.
- Add latest calibration corrections to improve the data/MC agreement.
- Estimate the expected sensitivity in the signal region.
- Perform the analysis by adding 2016 and 2017 samples.



Summary



- We focused on T' \rightarrow top+H dileptonic SS final state analysis.
- Analysis strategy designed: multiple studies (object identification, cut selection and optimization by using percentages of the background yield).
- First data over MC comparison.
- We expect a finalized analysis strategy by the summer!



Back-up

- Several extensions of the Standard Model (SM) predict the existence of VLQs:
 - \circ Spin $\frac{1}{2}$ fermions.
 - Left-handed and right-handed components behave in the same way under the SM symmetry group.
 - Vector current couplings to the weak gauge bosons.
 - Non-Yukawa coupling mass-terms for VLQs are allowed.

Туре	Charge
Х	+5/3
Т	+2/3
В	-1/3
Y	-4/3

SU(2) Multiplets				
Singlets	T,B			
Doublets	(T,B),(X,T),(B,Y)			
Triplets	(X,T,B),(T,B,Y)			

- VLQs could be produced both singly and in pair:
 - Pair production:
 - Strong interaction processes.
 - Model independent cross section, suppressed for large VLQ mass.
 - Single production:
 - Electroweak processes.
 - Cross section depending on VLQ mass and coupling to SM particles.
 - Models foresee preferential mixing with 3rd generation SM guarks.

Туре	Decay channel
Х	tW
Т	tZ, <mark>tH</mark> ,tA,bW
В	bZ,bH,tW
Y	bW

Higgs boson branching ratio decay

Datasets (UL18, Luminosity = 59.7 fb⁻¹)^{\circ}

Process	Cross-section (fb)	Number of events	Dataset name
Signal (M _{T′} = 600 GeV)	176.4 ¹	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-600*
Signal (M _T = 625 GeV)	148.9	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-625*
Signal (M _{T′} = 650 GeV)	121.3	276,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-650*
Signal (M _T = 675 GeV)	105.0	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-675*
Signal (M _{T'} = 700 GeV)	88.6	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-700*
Signal (M _T , = 800 GeV)	45.9	397,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-800*
Signal (M _T = 900 GeV)	25.1	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-900*
Signal (M _{T'} = 1000 GeV)	14.5	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-1000*

¹: <u>Github</u> for the computation of the theoretical cross-sections (NWA)

* = _LH_TuneCP5_13TeV-madgraph_pythia8/RunIISummer20UL18NanoAODv9-106X_upgrade2018_realistic_v16_L1v1-v1/NANOAODSIM

Datasets (UL18, Luminosity = 59.7 fb⁻¹)[™]

Process	Cross-section (fb)	Number of events	Dataset name
Signal (M _{T'} = 1100 GeV)	8.67	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-1100*
Signal (M _{T'} = 1300 GeV)	3.39	394,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-1300*
Signal (M _{T'} = 1400 GeV)	2.19	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-1400*
Signal (M _{T'} = 1500 GeV)	1.45	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-1500*
Signal (M _{T'} = 1600 GeV)	0.974	367,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-1600*
Signal (M _{T'} = 1700 GeV)	0.663	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-1700*
Signal (M _{T'} = 1800 GeV)	0.458	400,000	/TprimeBToTH_M-1800*

No 1200 GeV mass point dataset for UL18.

* = _LH_TuneCP5_13TeV-madgraph_pythia8/RunIISummer20UL18NanoAODv9-106X_upgrade2018_realistic_v16_L1v1-v1/NANOAODSIM

Datasets (UL18, Luminosity = 59.7 fb⁻¹)[®]

Process	Cross-section (fb)	Number of events	Dataset name
ttbar semileptonic	364,351	476,408,000	/TTToSemiLeptonic_TuneCP5_13TeV-powheg-pythia8/*-v1/NANOAODSIM
ttbar dileptonic	87,315	145,020,000	/TTTo2L2Nu_TuneCP5_13TeV-powheg-pythia8/*-v1/NANOAODSIM
ttW	610.5	27,686,862	/ttWJets_TuneCP5_13TeV_madgraphMLM_pythia8/*-v2/NANOAODSIM
ttZ	770	32,793,815	/ttZJets_TuneCP5_13TeV_madgraphMLM_pythia8/*-v2/NANOAODSIM
ttH	271	7,328,993	/ttHToNonbb_M125_TuneCP5_13TeV-powheg-pythia8/*-v2/NANOAODSIM
Single top (tW)	19,467	22,220,050	/ST_tW_antitop_5f_NoFullyHadronicDecays_TuneCP5_13TeV-powheg-pythia8/*-v1/ NANOAODSIM /ST_tW_top_5f_NoFullyHadronicDecays_TuneCP5_13TeV-powheg-pythia8/*-v1/NA NOAODSIM
WZ	4,429.7	9,821,283	/WZTo3LNu_TuneCP5_13TeV-amcatnloFXFX-pythia8/*-v2/NANOAODSIM
ZZ	1,256	98,488,000	/ZZTo4L_TuneCP5_13TeV_powheg_pythia8/*-v2/NANOAODSIM

* = RunIISummer20UL18NanoAODv9-106X_upgrade2018_realistic_v16_L1v1

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Datasets (UL18, Luminosity = 59.7 fb⁻¹)⁹

Process	Cross-section (fb)	Number of events	Dataset name
WWW	208.6	240,000	/WWW_4F_TuneCP5_13TeV-amcatnlo-pythia8/*-v1/NANOAODSIM
WH	31.3	19,916,695	/HWminusJ_HToWWTo2L2Nu_WTo2L_M-125_TuneCP5_13TeV-powheg-pythia8/*-v2/N ANOAODSIM /HWplusJ_HToWWTo2L2Nu_WTo2L_M-125_TuneCP5_13TeV-powheg-pythia8/*-v2/NA NOAODSIM
ZH	185.8	9,899,256	/HZJ_HToWW_M-125_TuneCP5_13TeV-powheg-jhugen727-pythia8/*-v2/NANOAODSIM
ww	12,178	9,994,000	/WWTo2L2Nu_TuneCP5_13TeV-powheg-pythia8/*-v2/NANOAODSIM
WW Deep Scattering	170.3	500,000	/WWTo2L2Nu_TuneCP5_DoubleScattering_13TeV-pythia8/*-v2/NANOAODSIM
Drell-Yan	18,610,000 (10-50 GeV)	94,452,816	/DYJetsToLL_M-10to50_TuneCP5_13TeV-madgraphMLM-pythia8/*-v1/NANOAODSIM
	6,020,850 (50 GeV)	96,233,328	/DYJetsToLL_M-50_TuneCP5_13TeV-madgraphMLM-pythia8/*-v1/NANOAODSIM
W+Jets	61,334,900	81,051,269	/WJetsToLNu_TuneCP5_13TeV-madgraphMLM-pythia8/*-v1/NANOAODSIM

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- List of the trigger HLT paths for the different channels:
 - \circ HLT_IsoMu24.
 - HLT_Ele32_WPTight_Gsf.
 - HLT_Mu17_TrkIsoVVL_Mu8_TrkIsoVVL_DZ_Mass3p8.
 - HLT_Mu8_TrkIsoVVL_Ele23_CaloIdL_TrackIdL_IsoVL_DZ.
 - $\circ \quad HLT_Mu23_TrkIsoVVL_Ele12_CaloIdL_TrackIdL_IsoVL.$
 - HLT_Ele23_Ele12_CaloIdL_TrackIdL_IsoVL.

Muon identification

- List of additional studied variables:
 - Phi.
 - 3D impact parameter ip3d.
 - Mini PF relative charged isolation = Pt of muon/ $\sum_{R_{iso}}$ (Pt of all charged particles): loose < 0.10, tight < 0.05¹.
 - PF relative 0.3 isolation = $\sum_{R = 0.3}$ (Pt of charged hadrons Max(0, Pt of neutral hadrons and photons PU/2)) / Pt of muon:

loose < 0.10, tight < 0.05^2 .

- PF relative 0.3 charged isolation = $\sum_{R = 0.3}$ (Pt of charged hadrons) / Pt of muon: loose < 0.10, tight <
- ¹: <u>mini-isolation</u> (Section II.A.), ²: <u>isolation</u> (Section 3.5.)

Muon identification - 2µ channel

ID	Isolation	Sip3D	Signal	ε Signal (%)	P Signal (%)	ttbar	ttW	WZ	S/B
Loose	Nothing	Nothing	41.0	60.9	35.7	26632.0	728.4	4484.1	0.13%
	Loose	Nothing	27.0	52.0	46.5	6550.1	584.9	4168.7	0.24%
	Tight	Nothing	23.6	47.4	48.7	4139.4	520.1	3712.3	0.28%
Medium	Nothing	Nothing	38.7	60.4	37.5	24082.3	705.5	4344.5	0.13%
	Loose	Nothing	25.4	51.6	49.1	4575.9	566.9	4043.7	0.28%
	Tight	Nothing	22.1	47.0	51.4	2432.3	504.5	3603.1	0.34%
Tight	Nothing	Nothing	37.2	58.1	37.8	23025.9	681.1	4205.5	0.13%
	Loose	Nothing	24.3	49.3	49.3	4291.6	548.0	3919.0	0.28%
	Tight	Nothing	21.2	45.3	52.1	2250.2	487.8	3494.3	0.34%
		<10	19.6	45.2	56.1	1310.2	475.9	3419.9	0.38%
		<5	17.7	44.1	62.2	790.4	454.9	3219.9	0.40%
		<3	15.7	42.2	70.9	484.0	417.1	2891.8	0.41%

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Electron identification

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- List of additional studied variables:
 - Same variables as for muons.
 - \circ $\Delta\eta$ between SuperCluster and electron.
 - Non-PF 0.3 ECAL isolation.
 - Non-PF 0.3 HCAL isolation.
 - Non-PF 0.3 track isolation.
 - Non-PF 0.3 track isolation with HEEP ID.
 - WP 80 MVA isolation ID.
 - TTH MVA lepton ID.

Electron identification - 1µ+1e channel 36

ID	Isolation	Sip3D	Signal	ε Signal (%)	P Signal (%)	ttbar	ttW	WZ	S/B	
Tight	Tight	<3	20.6	27.1	64.1	2373.5	566.3	6724.2	0.21%	
		<2	17.5	23.7	66.0	1623.8	494.4	6227.3	0.21%	
HEEP		<3	20.3	25.2	64.6	3151.1	527.4	6149.2	0.21%	Ī
		<2	17.0	22.2	66.7	2148.8	458.1	5614.0	0.21%	

Electron identification - 1µ+1e channel ³⁷

- List of variables for <u>ttH AN</u>:
 - $\circ \quad \ \ \mathsf{Pt} > 25 \; \mathsf{GeV}, \, |\eta| < 2.5, \, \mathsf{loose \; ID}, \, \mathsf{isolation} < 0.40, \, \mathsf{sip3D} < 8.$
 - Transverse impact parameter d_{xv} of electron < 0.05.
 - Longitudinal impact parameter d_{z} of electron < 0.1.
 - \circ σ_{inin} of electron < 0.011 in barrel (|η| < 1.479) and < 0.03 in endcap (|η| > 1.479). Electron energy_{HCAL}

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$$------ < 0.1$$
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Electron energy_{ECAL} 1 1

Electron energy_{ECAL} Pt_{tracker}

- Number of missing hits = 0.
- Loose MVA isolation ID.

	Signal	ε Signal (%)	P Signal (%)	ttbar	ttW	WZ	S/B
Study ttH AN	2.7	2.9	53.7	1668.2	64.8	835.3	0.11%

Jet identification

- Cleaning of the jets in a cone of $\Delta R < 0.4$ with loose leptons:
 - Loose electron: Pt > 25 GeV, $|\eta| < 2.5$, loose ID, isolation loose, very tight sip3Dand tight charge.
 - $\circ\,$ Loose muon: Pt > 20 GeV, $|\eta|$ < 2.4, tight ID, isolation loose, tight sip3D and tight charge.

- List of corrections already applied:
 - Generator weights.
 - Pileup weights.
 - B-tag weights (performed with the Method 1d of the <u>documentation</u>).
 - Jet energy corrections.
- List of corrections to apply in the future:
 - Jet energy resolution.
 - Missing Transverse Energy (MET) corrections.
 - Lepton ID/Isolation/Trigger weights.
- Filters for 2018 applied:
 - Flag_goodVertices
 - Flag_globalSuperTightHalo2016Filter
 - Flag_HBHENoiseFilter
 - Flag_HBHENoiselsoFilter

- Flag_EcalDeadCellTriggerPrimitiveFilter
- Flag_BadPFMuonFilter
- Flag_eeBadScFilter
- Flag_ecalBadCalibFilter

 R_{iso}

Muon	Pt > 20 GeV, $ \eta < 2.4$, tight ID, tight isolation, tight sip3D, tight charge.	
Electron	Pt > 25 GeV, $ \eta < 2.5$, tight ID, tight isolation, very tight sip3D, tight charge.	
Jet	Pt > 30 GeV, $ \eta < 4.5$, tight ID. The overlap with the leptons is removed in a cone of $\Delta R < 0.4$ (see <u>backup</u>).	
B-jet	Pt > 30 GeV, η < 2.5, tight ID, medium DeepJet b-tag.◄ Identical overlap condition as the jets.	 B-jet identification discriminant. Three values: loose, medium or tight.

 \sum (Particles) - Pt(lepton)

< 0.05 (tight) where (R_{iso} = 10 GeV /Pt (lepton)) is <u>the cone size</u>.

Pt (lepton)

Selection criteria

- List of additional studied variables:
 - \circ Pt of 1st and 2nd lepton.
 - Pt of sum of the two leptons.
 - \circ $\Delta \phi$ between the two leptons.
 - Mass of sum of the two leptons.
 - \circ Pt of 1st, 2nd and 3rd jet.
 - \circ Ht = Sum of Pt of the jets.

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Selection criteria

Cut 0

Cut 1

Cut 2

Cut 3

Cut 4

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