# Search for high-mass ZZ resonances

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- Higgs?
- RS graviton?
- RS graviton in models with SM fields in bulk? eg Fitzpatrick, Kaplan, Randall, Wang, JHEP 0709 (2007) 013











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Most kinematic properties are as expected from SM prediction



For the high-mass events  $p_{T}(ZZ)$  is not like SM prediction

 $ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell$ 

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## $ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell$



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For mean expected events prob. to observe  $\geq$ 4 events with  $M_{ZZ}$ >300GeV/ $c^2$ where  $M_{ZZ}$  of at least 4 within any 20GeV/ $c^2$  window:  $O(10^{-4})$  (a range, depends Pythia/MC@NLO+Herwig)

Additionally include  $p_{\tau}(ZZ)$  in likelihood: O(10<sup>-5</sup>)

Prob. of likelihood of  $p_{\tau}$ (ZZ) distribution alone being less than that of the data for high-mass events: O(10<sup>-4</sup>)

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### Expected yield: $10 \times ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell$



Select Z→ee & Z→µµ as for  $\ell\ell\ell$  channel Signal region defined as  $E_T$ >100GeV Here normalising Z+jets using:  $50 < E_T < 100$  GeV and  $|\Delta \phi_{min}| < 0.5$  Here cross-checking W+jets jet $\rightarrow$ lepton misidentification method using same-charge events with  $50 < E_T < 100 \text{ GeV}$ 





		electron channel	muon channel	
	standard model	13.6±1.8	12.4±1.8	
	data	18	9	
	expected M(G*)=325GeV/c <sup>2</sup> , 1pb sig	nal 17±1	18±1	
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### Expected yield: $20 \times ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell$



Select Z $\rightarrow$ ee & Z $\rightarrow$ µµ as for  $\ell\ell\ell$  channel Additionally, ≥2 jets  $E_T$ >25GeV 70< $M_{ii}$ <110 accepted as a Z candidate Here, *M*(lljj)<300GeV/*c*<sup>2</sup> defines control region for Alpgen Z+jets normalisation



	electron channel	muon channel	
standard model	424±40	266±24	1
data	392	253	
expected $M(G^*)=325 \text{GeV}/c^2$ , 1pb	signal 41±1	32±1	5



and  $p_{\tau}(II)$  or  $p_{\tau}(jj) > 40 \text{GeV}/c$ 



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Searched for heavy resonances decaying to Z pairs

- *M*<sub>zz</sub> and *p*<sub>T</sub>(ZZ) distributions in 4 lepton channel are different from those expected from standard model
- Four events have  $M_{ZZ}$  consistent with 327GeV/ $c^2$
- $\ell \ell + E_T$  and  $\ell \ell j j$  channels do not confirm a new resonance
- limits set at level of 0.3pb in RS graviton models













RS1 graviton,  $k/M_p=0.1$   $M=600 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ ,  $\sigma(\text{pp}\rightarrow\text{G}\rightarrow\text{ZZ}) \approx 1\text{pb}$  $M=700 \text{ GeV}/c^2$ ,  $\sigma(\text{pp}\rightarrow\text{G}\rightarrow\text{ZZ}) \approx 0.1\text{pb}$ 

Previous CDF limit 491 GeV/ $c^2$ .







leptons	$M_{Z_1}, p_T(Z_1)$	$M_{Z_2}, p_T(Z_2)$	$M_{ZZ}$	$p_T(ZZ)$	$E_T$	Njets	Jet $E_T$
	$(\operatorname{GeV}/c^2), (\operatorname{GeV}/c)$	$(\operatorname{GeV}/c^2), (\operatorname{GeV}/c)$	$(\operatorname{GeV}/c^2)$	$(\operatorname{GeV}/c)$	$(\mathrm{GeV})$		$(\mathrm{GeV})$
eeee	93.3, 18.2	92.9,17.4	196.6	35	14	0	
$\mu\mu\mu\mu$	85.9,101.9	92.1,  54.8	321.1	47.4	8.4	1	36.7
$ee\mu\mu$	92.0,156.0	89.9,139.7	324.7	126.8	31	2	97.4,  40.0
eeee	101.3, 57.8	91.6, 13.2	334.4	44.7	9.9	1	22.7
$ee\mu\mu$	87.9,17.7	91.8, 29.8	191.8	31	10.5	0	
$\mu\mu\mu\mu$	95.9, 197.9	92.0, 87.2	329.0	110.9	23.3	2	97.2, 24.7
$ee\mu\mu$	95.2,  36.7	89.7,  38.8	237.5	10.2	1.2	0	
μμμμ	88.4, 51.0	89.8, 26.6	194.1	25.9	3.3	0	