

Separation of different top quark production processes in a phase space using Neural Networks

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Outline

- Single and double resonant top quark production with the same final signature tWb
 - *schemes of single resonant top quark highlighting*
 - *Preference of using the full tWb scheme*
 - *Separation between SR and DR top quark production in phase space with DNN*
- Anomalous Wtb couplings searches in tWb final state
 - *preliminary results of separation between anomalous contributions in (LV, RV) scenario*
- Triple and Quadruple resonant top quark production with the same final signature $tttWb$

Top quark and BSM physics

$$L_{Wtb} = -\frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} V_{tb} \bar{b} \gamma^\mu \frac{1}{2} (1 - \gamma_5) t W_\mu$$

SM

BSM

Deviations from the SM:

New particles in the single top production

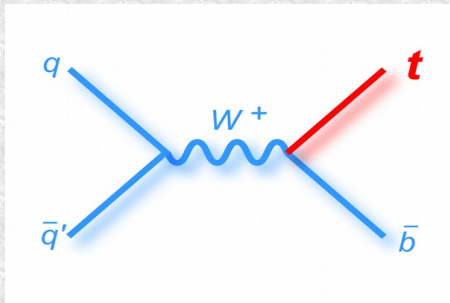
Modification of predicted by the SM values of top couplings to another particles

W'

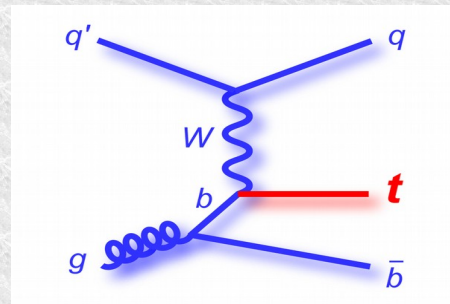
Anomalous Wtb couplings

FCNC

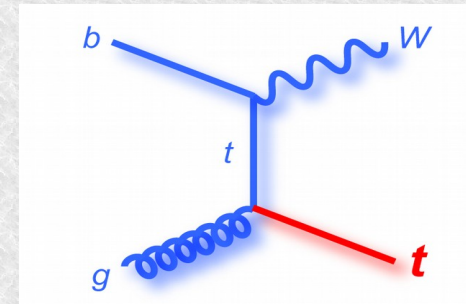
Single top quark production processes



s-channel



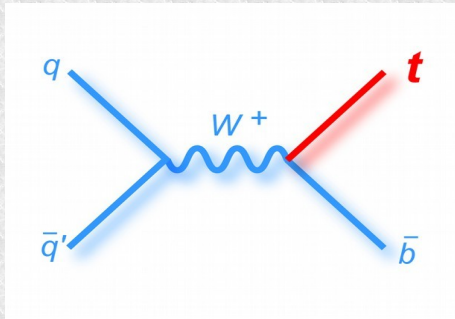
t-channel



tW-channel

Single Top quark production CSs

s-channel

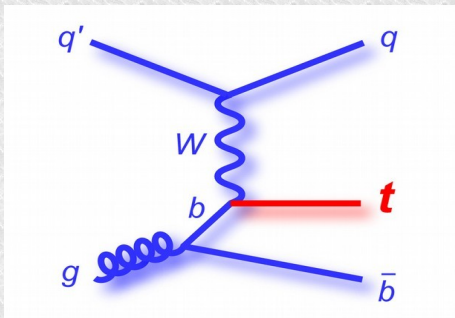


<i>Tevatron</i>	<i>LHC</i> 8 TeV	<i>LHC</i> 13 TeV	<i>LHC</i> 14 TeV	<i>Current status</i>
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[Tevatron s-channel observation](#)

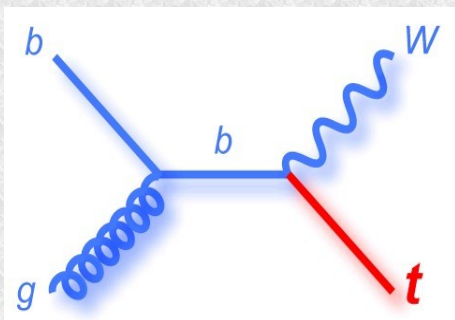
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2.08	84.69	217	248	TEVATRON observation CMS CS measurement ATLAS CS Measurement
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[TEVATRON observation](#)
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[ATLAS CS Measurement](#)

tW production

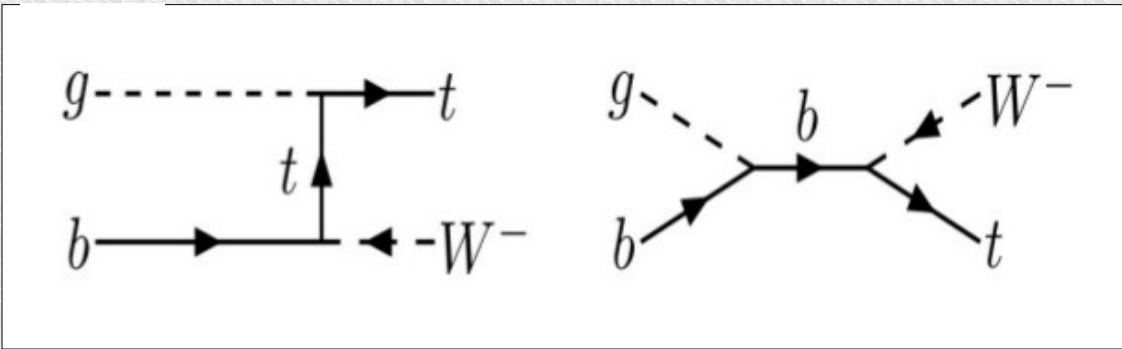


0.28	22.37	71.7	84.4	CMS Observation @8TeV ATLAS and CMS combination
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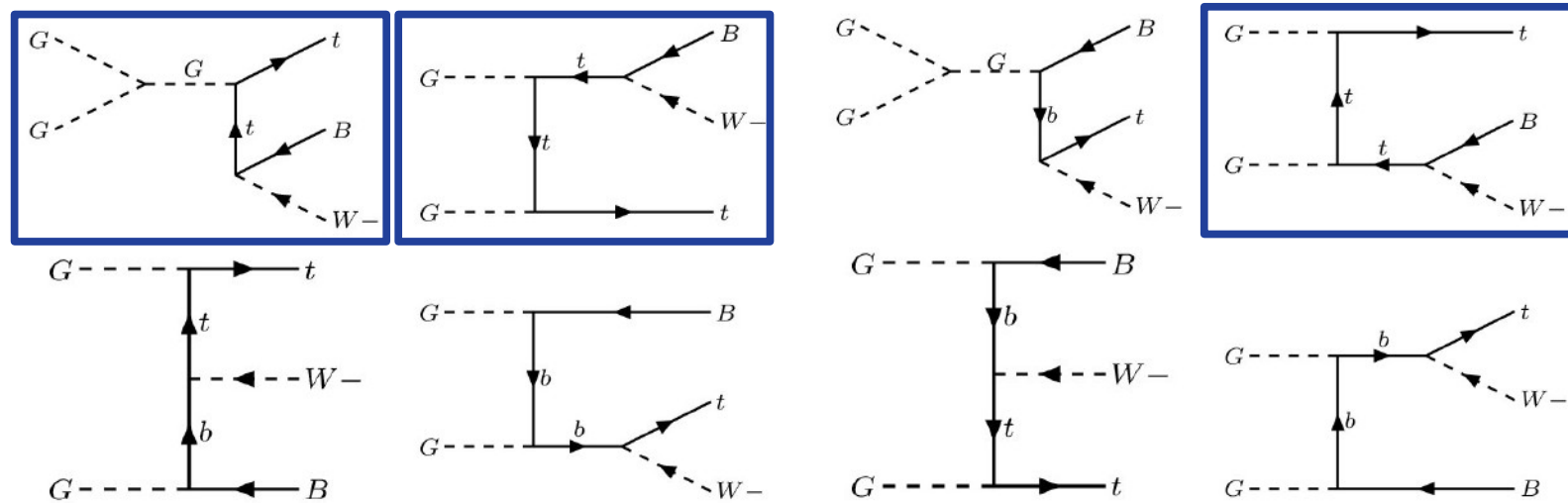
[CMS Observation @8TeV](#)
[ATLAS and CMS combination](#)

Top pair and Single Top production

- Leading order (LO) process $2 \rightarrow 2$: $t\bar{t}W$ -production



- Next to leading order (NLO), $O(1/\log(mt/m_b))$, $2 \rightarrow 3$: tWb -production



Top pair (tT) production

Figure 1: Diagrams for the process $gg \rightarrow t\bar{b}W^-$.

- Squared matrix element structure

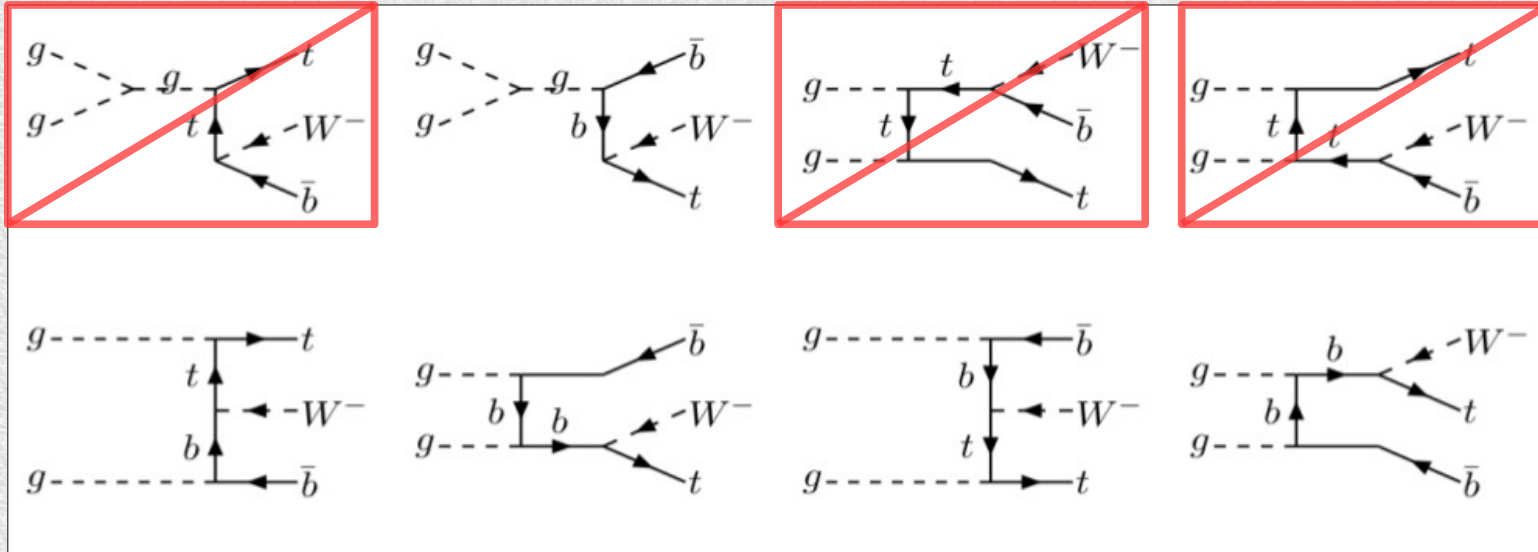
$$|ME|^2 \sim tT^2 + \dots + tWb^2$$



Different schemes for tWb processes highlighting

DR1 (Diagram removal scheme)

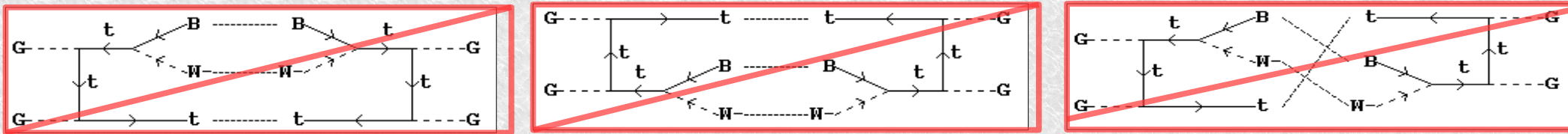
[JHEP0807:029,2008](https://arxiv.org/abs/0807.29)



~~t t-bar production~~

DR2 (Diagram subtraction Scheme)

[Phys. Rev. D 61, 034001](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-th/0303091)



DS1, DS2 schemes [EPJC 77, 34 \(2017\)](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-th/0608040)

- introduction of the local subtraction term:

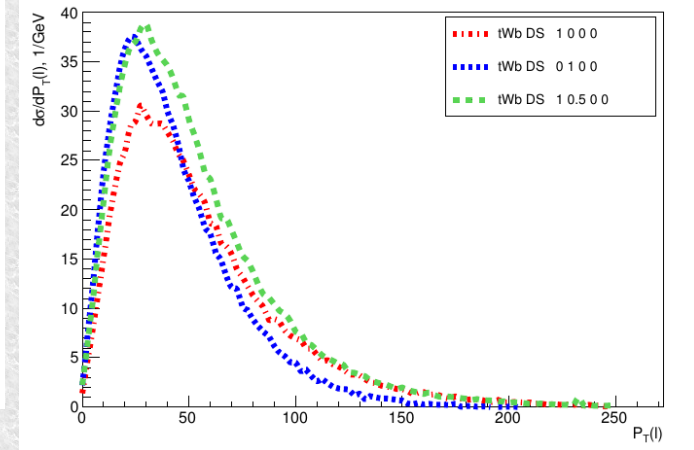
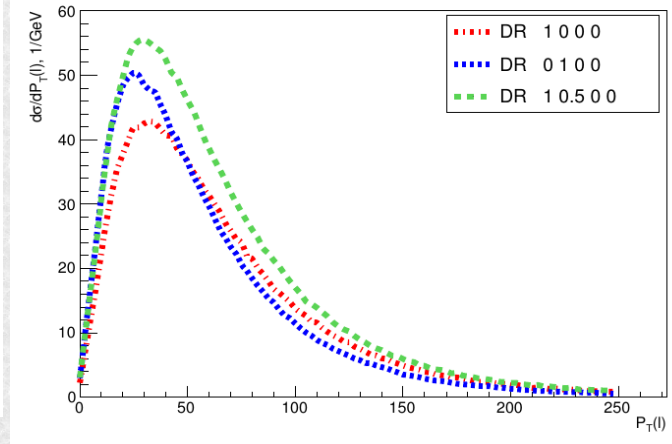
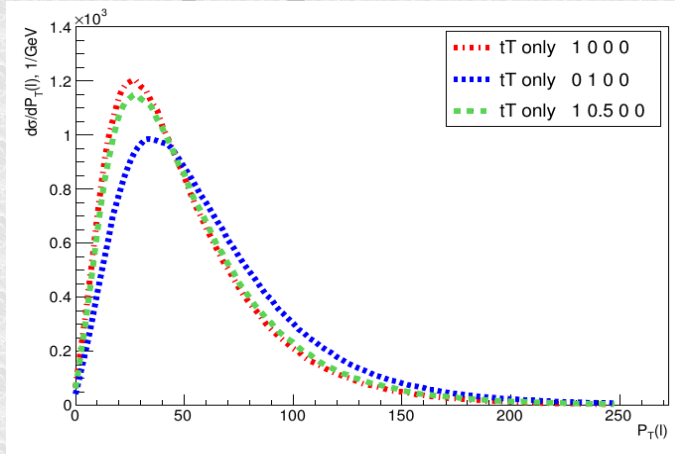
- cancel the ME from double top production
- gauge invariant
- decreases quickly away from the resonant region

$$|\mathcal{A}_{tWb}|_{DS}^2 = |\mathcal{A}_{1t} + \mathcal{A}_{2t}|^2 - \mathcal{C}_{2t}$$

Schemes for tW processes highlighting – the main idea

- What is the most preferable scheme of tW highlighting for the AnomWtb couplings searches?

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{b} \gamma^\mu V_{tb} (f_V^L P_L + f_V^R P_R) t W_\mu^- - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{b} \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu V_{tb}}{M_W} (f_T^L P_L + f_T^R P_R) t W_\mu^- + h.c.$$

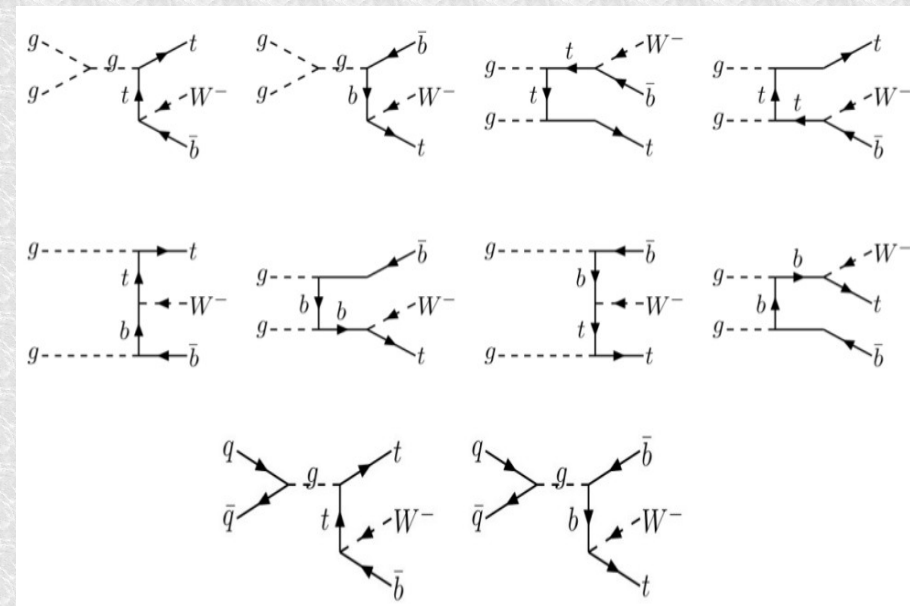


[EPJ Web Conf., 158 \(2017\) 04004](https://arxiv.org/abs/1703.04004)

- different schemes of tW highlighting have different sensitivity to the anomalous coupling
- top pair production is also sensitive to the anomalous Wtb couplings
- It's more preferable to use **full gauge-invariant set of diagrams** (without any diagrams removal)

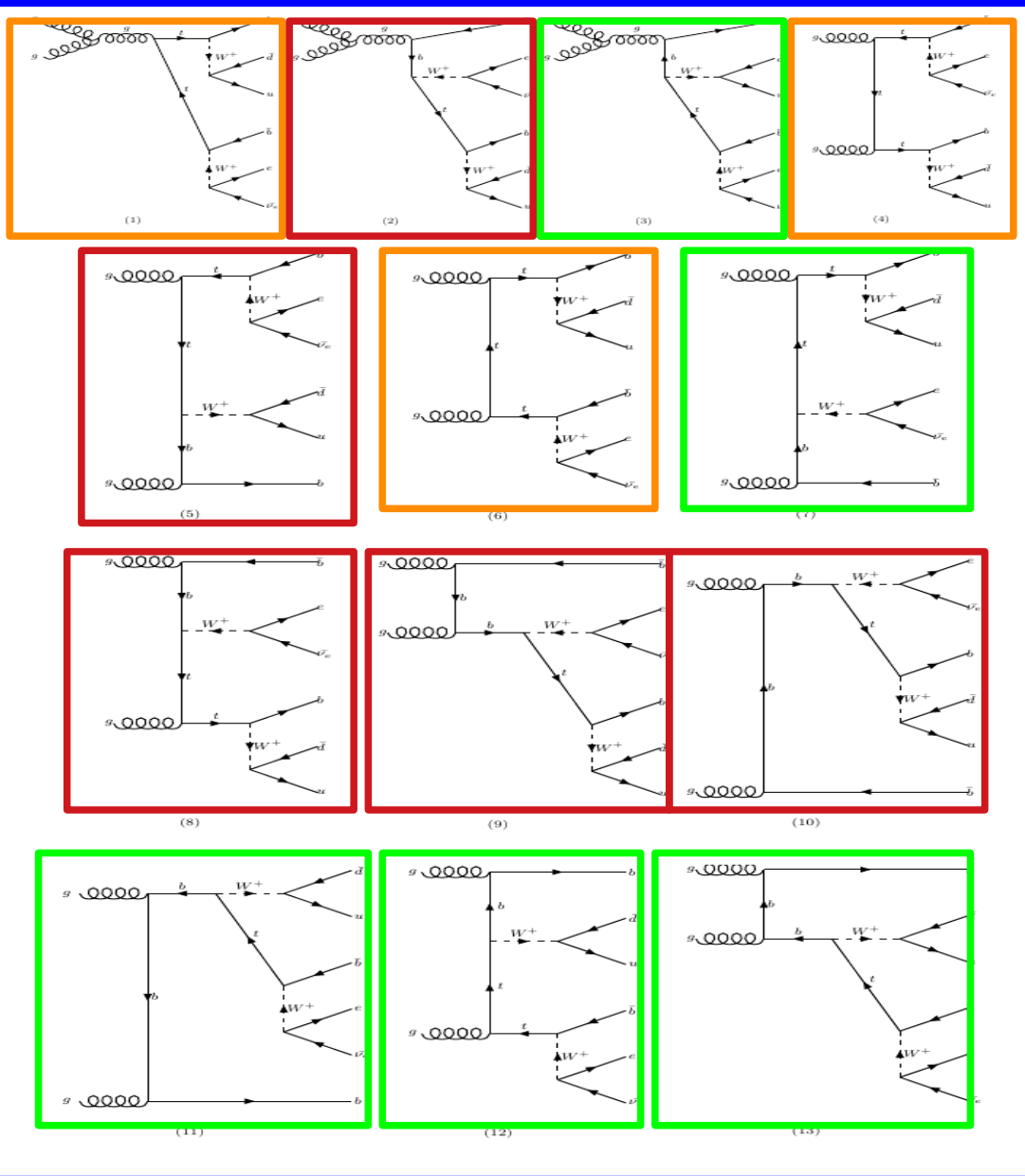
- The IDEA is to separate double and single top resonant contributions to tWb final state using

Neural Networks



tWb final state: Monte-Carlo simulation

- **For DNN training:** split sets of events
- Hereafter: a) leading subprocess $gg \rightarrow \dots$ b) all decays included
- 13 diagrams in total, 4 sets of events:



Sets of events:

“tT_tW”

“tT”

“tW-B”

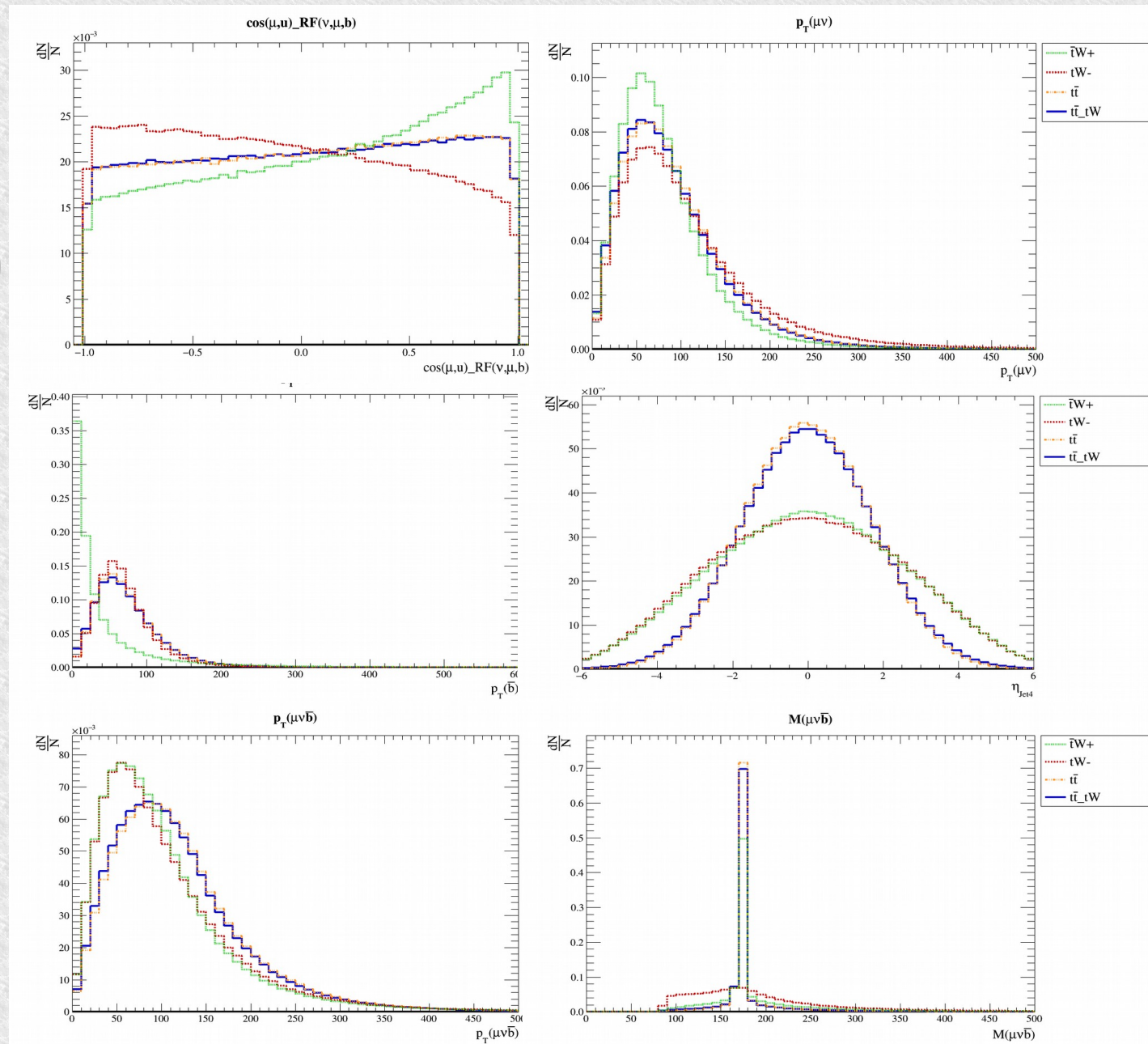
“TW+b”

NN training: kinematic variables

- **For DNN training:** different kinematic variables with different behaviour for different processes.

- set of main low level variables (for NN to reveal processes regularity)

- set of optimal variables (based on Feynman diagrams analysis)



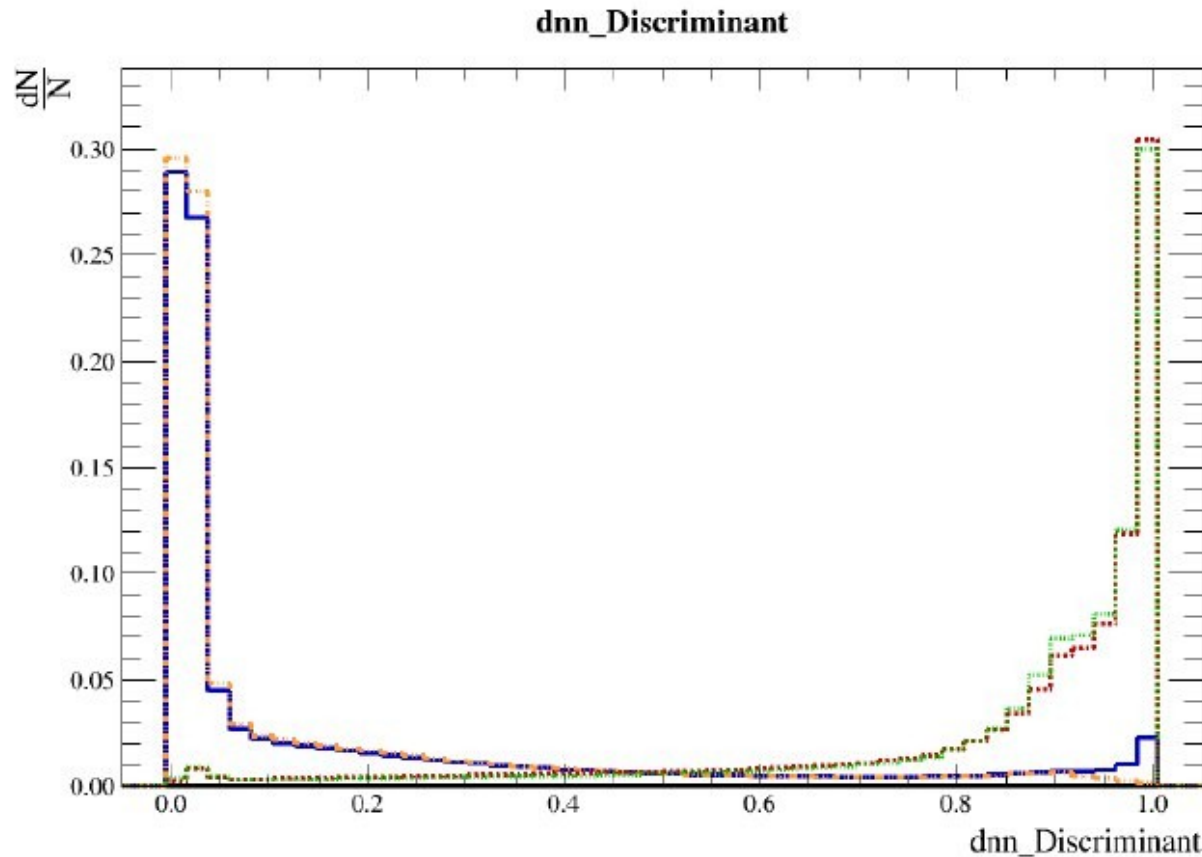
[Physics of Atomic Nuclei 71, 388–393 \(2008\)](#)

[International Journal of Modern Physics A V ol. 35, No. 21 \(2020\) 2050119](#)

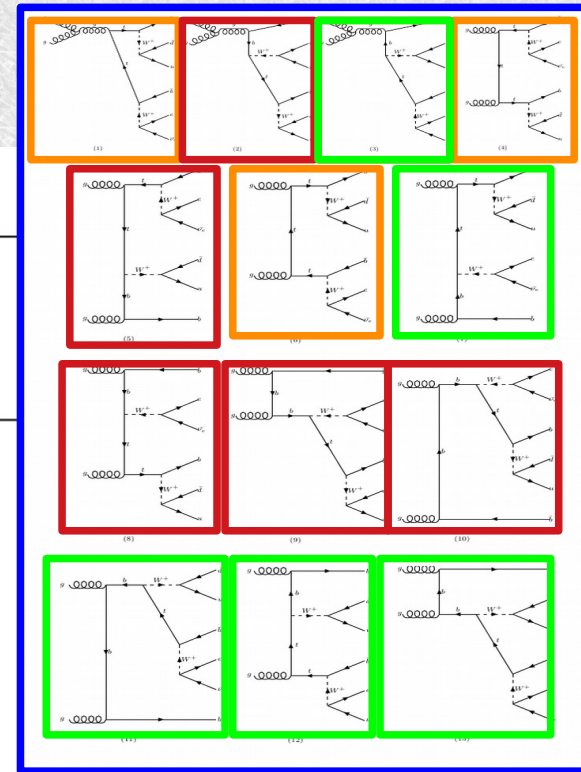
[Phys.Lett.B 534 \(2002\) 97-105](#)

DNN results: single and double top resonant separation (1)

- **DNN classification:**
0: double top resonant processes
1: single top resonant processes



NN separation power



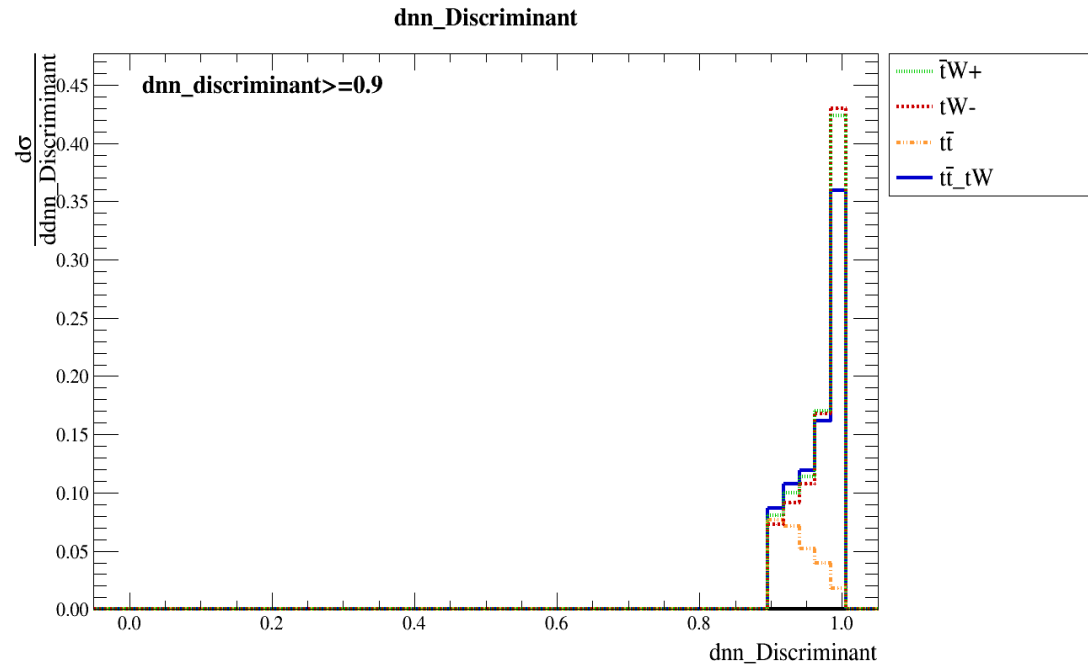
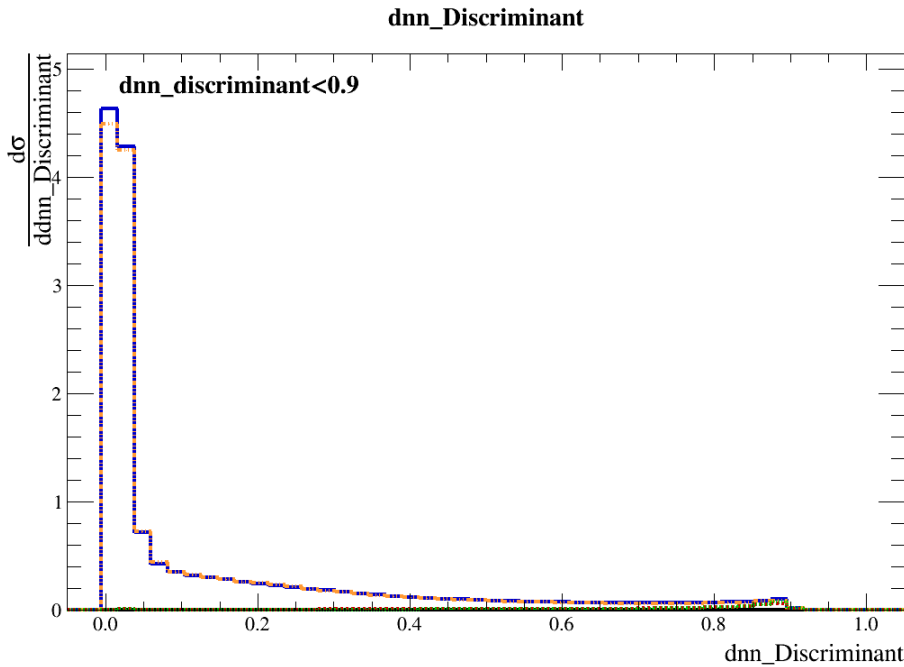
- **DNN successfully separates** double and single resonant contributions to tWb final state
- $t\bar{t}$ and tW interference “smears” between classified events

- DNN results: single and double top resonant separation (2)

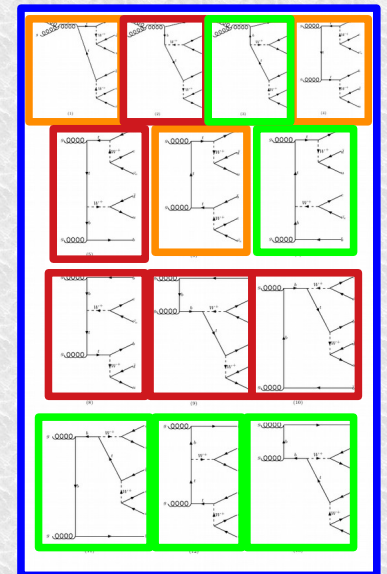
- DNN discriminant cut:**

< 0.9: double resonant contribution

>= 0.9: single resonant contribution



Модель	Сечение, [пб]		Сумма, [пб]
	DNN < 0.9	DNN ≥ 0.9	
“ $t\bar{t}$ ”	14.94	0.26	15.20
“ $\bar{t}W+$ ” DR1	0.26	0.44	0.7
“ $tW-$ ” DR1	0.26	0.44	0.7
“ $t\bar{t}_tW$ ”	15.18	0.84	16.02
интерференция	-0.28 (1.8%)	-0.30 (36%)	-0.6 (3.7%)



EFT and Anomalous Couplings approach

- **Effective Field Theory** approach:

$$\mathcal{L}_{eff} = \mathcal{L}_{SM} + \sum_i \frac{c_i}{\Lambda^2} O_i$$

[Nucl.Phys.B 268 \(1986\) 621-653](#)

[Z. Phys. C31 \(1986\) 433-437](#)

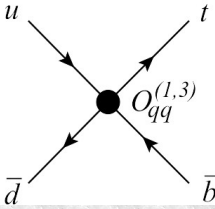
- operators that contribute to the Wtb vertex:

$$O_{\phi q}^{(3,3+3)} = \frac{i}{2} \left[\phi^\dagger (\tau^I D_\mu - \overleftarrow{D}_\mu \tau^I) \phi \right] (\bar{q}_{L3} \gamma^\mu \tau^I q_{L3}), \quad O_{\phi\phi}^{33} = i(\tilde{\phi}^\dagger D_\mu \phi)(\bar{t}_R \gamma^\mu b_R),$$

$$O_{dW}^{33} = (\bar{q}_{L3} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \tau^I b_R) \phi W_{\mu\nu}^I, \quad O_{uW}^{33} = (\bar{q}_{L3} \sigma^{\mu\nu} \tau^I t_R) \tilde{\phi} W_{\mu\nu}^I,$$

$$O_{qq}^{(1,3)} = (\bar{q}^i \gamma_\mu \tau^I q^j)(\bar{q} \gamma^\mu \tau^I q)$$

contact four-fermion interactions
(not a part of the Wtb vertex):



- **Anomalous Couplings** approach:

[Phys.Rev.D83:034006,2011](#)

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{b} \gamma^\mu V_{tb} (f_V^L P_L + f_V^R P_R) t W_\mu^-$$

$$- \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{b} \frac{i\sigma^{\mu\nu} q_\nu V_{tb}}{M_W} (f_T^L P_L + f_T^R P_R) t W_\mu^- + h.c.$$

order:

$$1/\Lambda^2 \quad 1/\Lambda^4$$

$$f_V^L \quad (f_V^L)^2$$

$$\dots \quad (f_V^R)^2$$

$$\dots \quad (f_T^L)^2$$

$$f_T^R \quad (f_T^R)^2$$

- Translation:

$$|f_V^L| = 1 + |C_{\phi q}| \frac{v^2}{V_{tb} \Lambda^2}$$

$$|f_V^R| = \frac{1}{2} |C_{\phi\phi}| \frac{v^2}{V_{tb} \Lambda^2}$$

$$|f_T^L| = \sqrt{2} |C_{bW}| \frac{v^2}{V_{tb} \Lambda^2}$$

$$|f_T^R| = \sqrt{2} |C_{tW}| \frac{v^2}{V_{tb} \Lambda^2}$$

[Nucl.Phys.B 812 \(2009\) 181-204](#)

[PoS ICHEP2010:378,2010](#)

AnomWtb: CMS analysis

- «Search for new physics in top quark production in dilepton final states in proton-proton collisions at $\sqrt{s}=13$ TeV»

- dilepton final state

- EFT effects in the top quark production, not in the decay

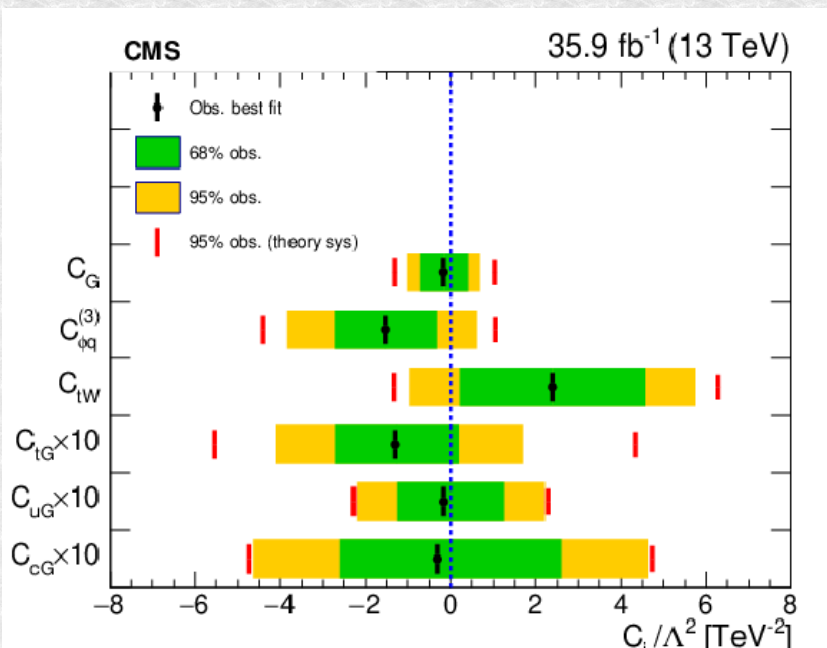
- the rates of tW and tT production are used to probe the

- variations in both rate and kinematic distributions:

$$C_{\phi q}^{(3)}, C_{tW}, C_{tG}, C_G$$

$$C_{uG}, C_{cG}$$

[Eur. Phys. J. C 79 \(2019\) 886](#)



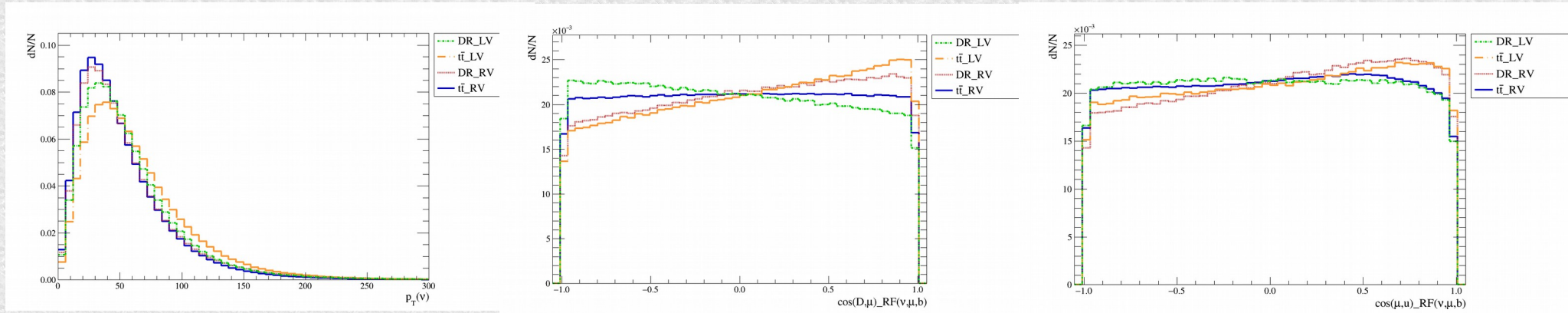
Effective coupling	Channel	Best fit	Observed [TeV ⁻²]		Best fit	Expected [TeV ⁻²]	
			[68% CI]	[95% CI]		[68% CI]	[95% CI]
C_G/Λ^2	ee	-0.14	[-0.82, 0.51]	[-1.14, 0.83]	0.00	[-0.90, 0.59]	[-1.20, 0.88]
	$e\mu$	-0.18	[-0.73, 0.42]	[-1.01, 0.70]	0.00	[-0.82, 0.51]	[-1.08, 0.77]
	$\mu\mu$	-0.14	[-0.75, 0.44]	[-1.06, 0.75]	0.00	[-0.88, 0.57]	[-1.16, 0.85]
	Combined	-0.18	[-0.73, 0.42]	[-1.01, 0.70]	0.00	[-0.82, 0.51]	[-1.07, 0.76]
$C_{\phi q}^{(3)}/\Lambda^2$	ee	1.12	[-1.18, 2.89]	[-4.03, 4.37]	0.00	[-2.53, 1.74]	[-6.40, 3.27]
	$e\mu$	-0.70	[-2.16, 0.59]	[-3.74, 1.61]	0.00	[-1.34, 1.12]	[-2.57, 2.15]
	$\mu\mu$	1.13	[-0.87, 2.86]	[-3.58, 4.46]	0.00	[-2.20, 1.92]	[-4.68, 3.66]
	Combined	-1.52	[-2.71, -0.33]	[-3.82, 0.63]	0.00	[-1.05, 0.88]	[-2.04, 1.63]
C_{tW}/Λ^2	ee	6.18	[-3.02, 7.81]	[-4.16, 8.95]	0.00	[-2.02, 6.81]	[-3.33, 8.12]
	$e\mu$	1.64	[-0.80, 5.59]	[-1.89, 6.68]	0.00	[-1.40, 6.19]	[-2.39, 7.18]
	$\mu\mu$	-1.40	[-3.00, 7.79]	[-4.23, 9.01]	0.00	[-2.18, 6.97]	[-3.63, 8.42]
	Combined	2.38	[0.22, 4.57]	[-0.96, 5.74]	0.00	[-1.14, 5.93]	[-1.91, 6.70]
C_{tG}/Λ^2	ee	-0.19	[-0.40, 0.02]	[-0.65, 0.22]	0.00	[-0.22, 0.21]	[-0.44, 0.41]
	$e\mu$	-0.03	[-0.19, 0.11]	[-0.34, 0.27]	0.00	[-0.17, 0.15]	[-0.34, 0.29]
	$\mu\mu$	-0.15	[-0.34, 0.02]	[-0.53, 0.19]	0.00	[-0.19, 0.18]	[-0.40, 0.35]
	Combined	-0.13	[-0.27, 0.02]	[-0.41, 0.17]	0.00	[-0.15, 0.14]	[-0.30, 0.28]
C_{uG}/Λ^2	ee	-0.017	[-0.22, 0.22]	[-0.37, 0.37]	0.00	[-0.29, 0.29]	[-0.42, 0.42]
	$e\mu$	-0.017	[-0.17, 0.17]	[-0.29, 0.29]	0.00	[-0.26, 0.26]	[-0.38, 0.38]
	$\mu\mu$	-0.017	[-0.17, 0.17]	[-0.29, 0.29]	0.00	[-0.27, 0.27]	[-0.38, 0.38]
	Combined	-0.017	[-0.13, 0.13]	[-0.22, 0.22]	0.00	[-0.21, 0.21]	[-0.30, 0.30]
C_{cG}/Λ^2	ee	-0.032	[-0.47, 0.47]	[-0.78, 0.78]	0.00	[-0.63, 0.63]	[-0.92, 0.92]
	$e\mu$	-0.032	[-0.34, 0.34]	[-0.60, 0.60]	0.00	[-0.56, 0.56]	[-0.81, 0.81]
	$\mu\mu$	-0.032	[-0.36, 0.36]	[-0.63, 0.63]	0.00	[-0.58, 0.58]	[-0.84, 0.84]
	Combined	-0.032	[-0.26, 0.26]	[-0.46, 0.46]	0.00	[-0.46, 0.46]	[-0.65, 0.65]

AnomWtb couplings in tWb process

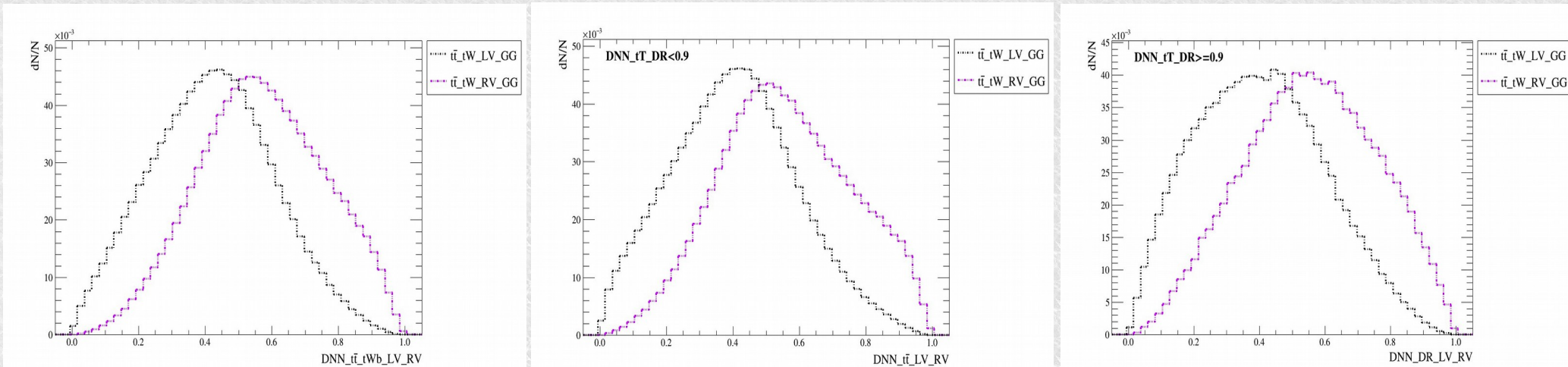
- As a start: **(LV, RV)** scenario:

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{b} \gamma^\mu V_{tb} (f_V^L P_L + f_V^R P_R) t W_\mu^-$$

- Different sets of MC events for one and double resonant top production
 $LV (f_V^L = 1, f_V^R = 0)$ $RV (f_V^L = 0, f_V^R = 1)$
- Kinematic variables as the ones for DNN training:

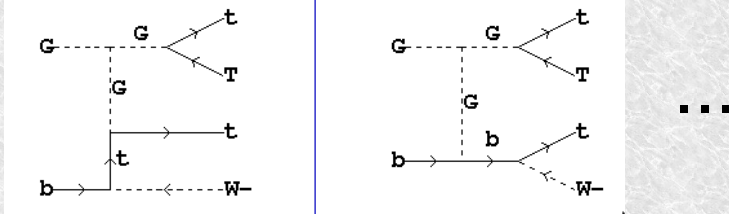


- Preliminary results for LV/RV scenario separation by DNN

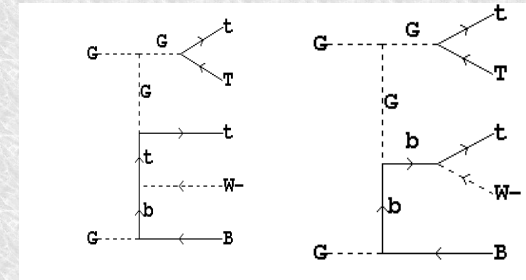


Triple and Quadrupole top quark production

- Processes of three top quarks production in association with W-boson ($CS = 1.9 \text{ fb}$):

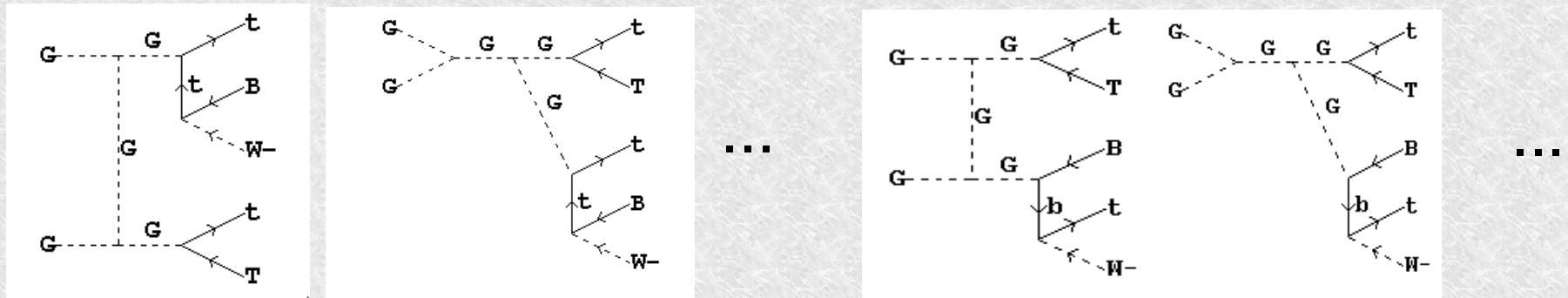


- NLO process:



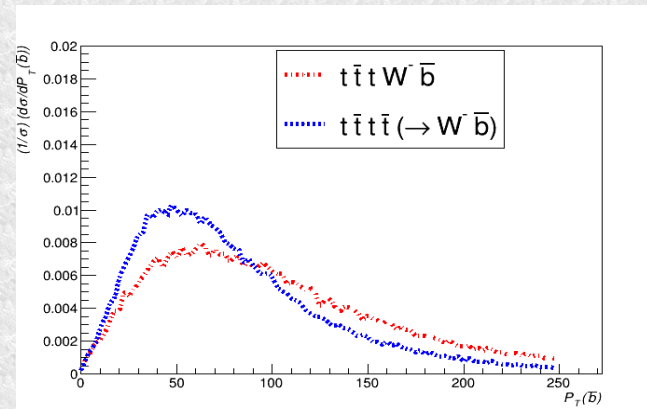
[Triple top quark production in Standard Model](#)

- Overlapping with four top quark production process ($CS = 17 \text{ fb}$) with the same final signature:



- LHC searches for 4 top quarks production: [Eur. Phys. J. C 80 \(2020\) 75](#)

- Set of variables that can be used for DNN training for separation between triple and quadrupole top quark



Conclusion

- Neural Network method to separate double and single resonant top production contributions to tWb final state is presented
- DNN successfully separates double and single top quark contributions to tWb final state
- Different regions of phase space with double and single resonant contribution separated by NN can be further used for Anomalous Wtb operators contribution to Wtb vertex searches analysis
- Preliminary results for LV and RV separation by DNN are presented
- The same strategy is applying to separate triple and quadrupole resonant top production contribution to $tttWb$ final state

- Published results:

[Moscow University Physics Bulletin, Allerton Press \(New York, N.Y., US\), 78, № 6, 707-715](#)

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