

# Right-Handed Majorana Neutrinos at $e^+ e^-$ collider

*Work in progress*

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# Motivation and introduction

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Experimental evidence indicates SM neutrinos have tiny masses.

Type 1 seesaw is the simplest idea to explain  
→ SM is extended with 3 SM gauge singlet RHN

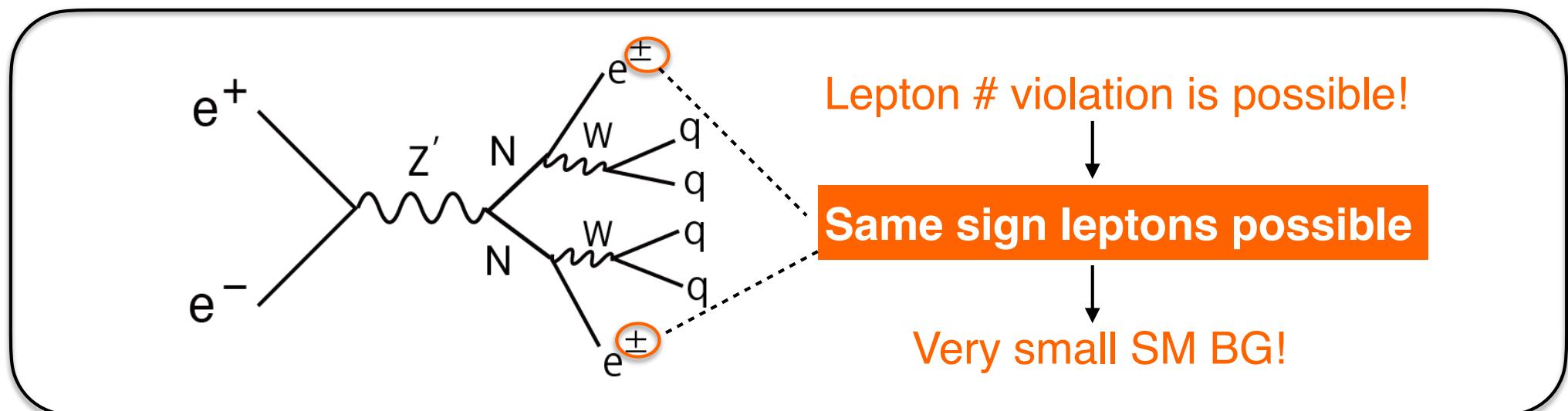
RHN is assumed to be

- minimal  $U(1)_{B-L}$  model

$$G_{B-L} \equiv SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \times U(1)_{B-L} \quad \rightarrow \text{RHN pair production}$$

gauge boson :  $Z'$

a Majorana particle ( $N = \bar{N}$ )



Benchmark points with  $M_N = 100, 150, 200, 225$  GeV

# Benchmark points

- $\text{Pol}(e^-, e^+) = (-0.8, +0.3), (+0.8, -0.3)$ :  $\mathcal{L} = 1600 \text{ [fb}^{-1}]$
- $\text{Pol}(e^-, e^+) = (-0.8, -0.3), (+0.8, +0.3)$ :  $\mathcal{L} = 400 \text{ [fb}^{-1}]$

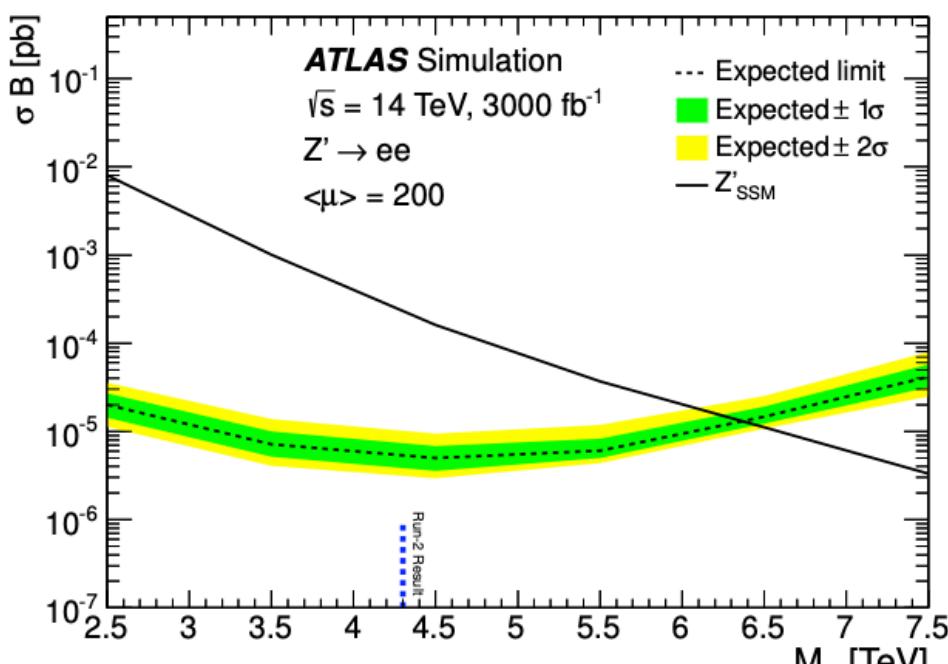
$M_N$ [GeV] RHN mass	$M_{Z'}$ [TeV] Z' mass	$g_1'$ $U(1)_{B-L}$ coupling	$ V_{eN} ^2$ mixing angle	$\sigma_0(e_L^- e_R^+ \rightarrow NN)$ 100% polarization [fb]	BR $(N \rightarrow e^+ W^-)$	Event # at ILC500 [4000fb $^{-1}$ ]
100	7	1	0.0009	0.55	0.44	1446
150	7	1	0.0009	0.36	0.33	925
200	7	1	0.0009	0.14	0.30	349
225	7	1	0.0009	0.046	0.29	112

► minimal  $U(1)_{B-L}$  model

► ILC 500 with initial state radiation (ISR) and beamstrahlung (BS)

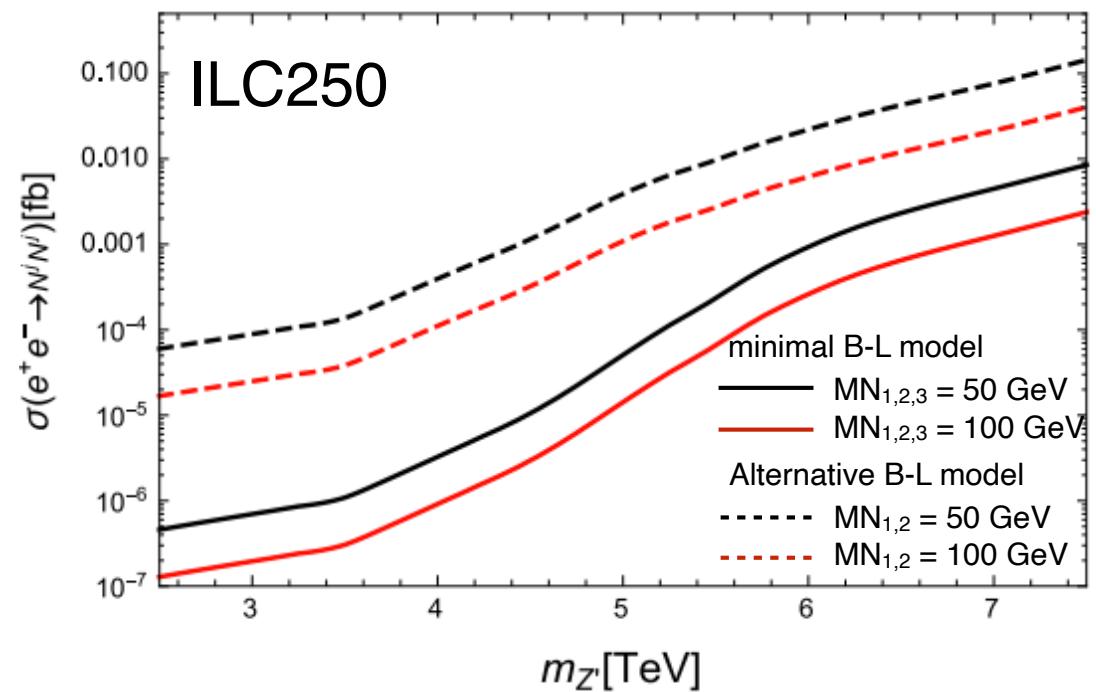
# Current limits - Z' mass

SM like Z' coupling



ATLAS-TDR-LHCC2017-2018

RHN pair production crosssection at ILC250  
for expected HL-LHC limits on  $M_{Z'}/g'$



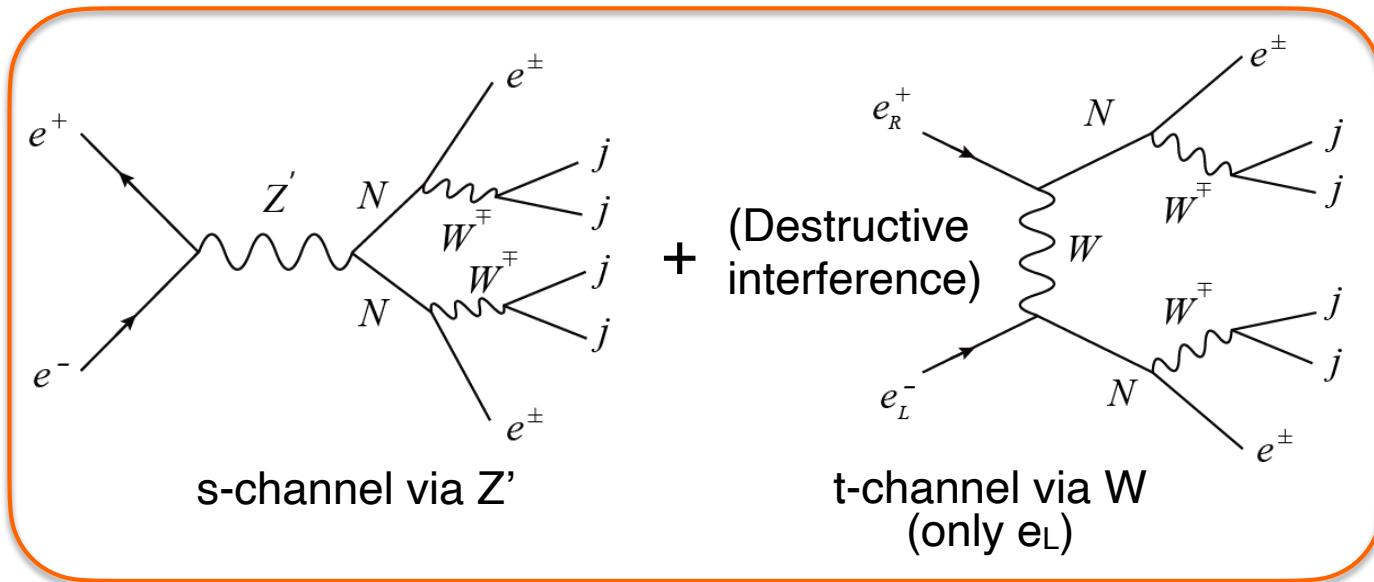
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The heavier Z' mass less constrained by LHC  
This is advantage for direct search at e+e- collider.

# Signal and backgrounds process & simulation setup

ILC500

Signal process:

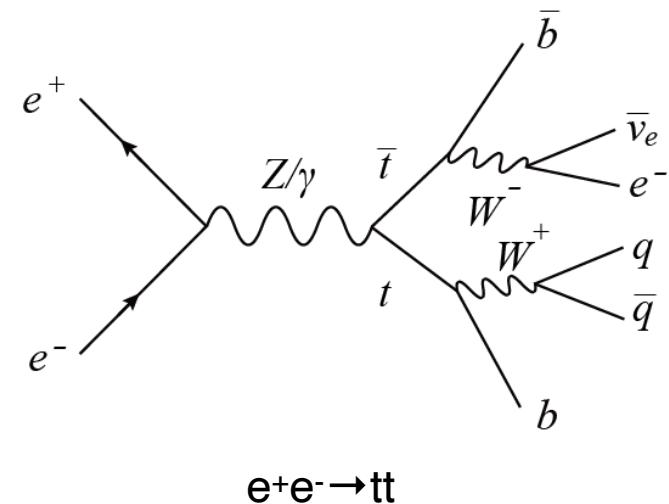
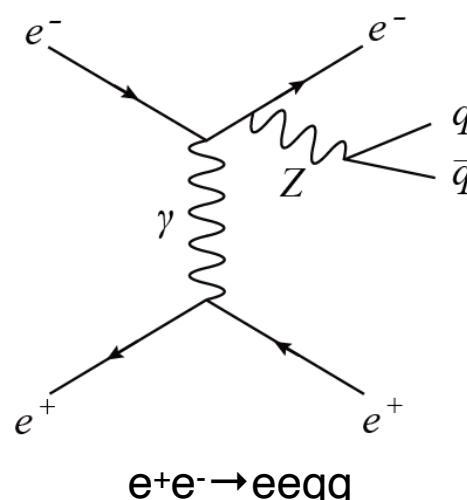
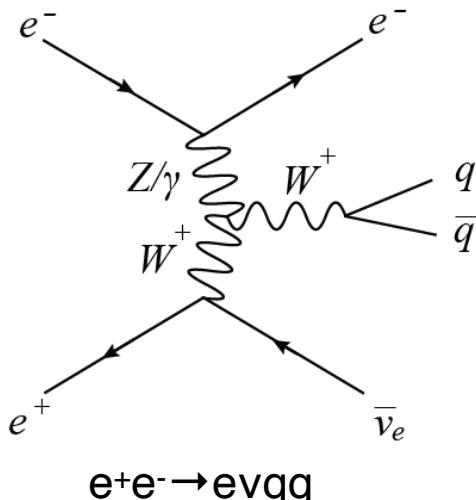


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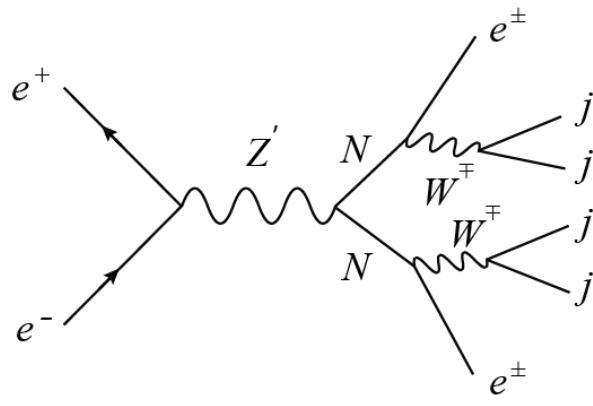
Make Events

**ILD Full Simulation**  
&  
(Geant4)  
**Reconstruction**

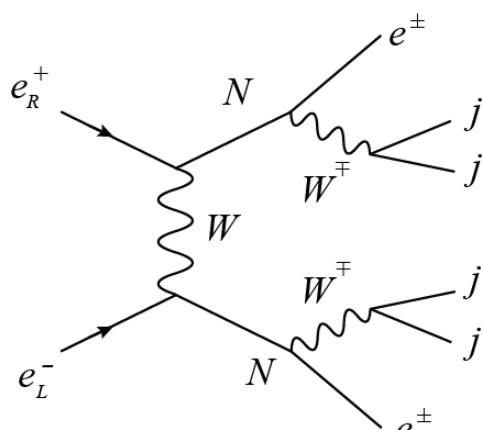
6f and 4f major background processes:



# Same sign cross-section vs $M_N$

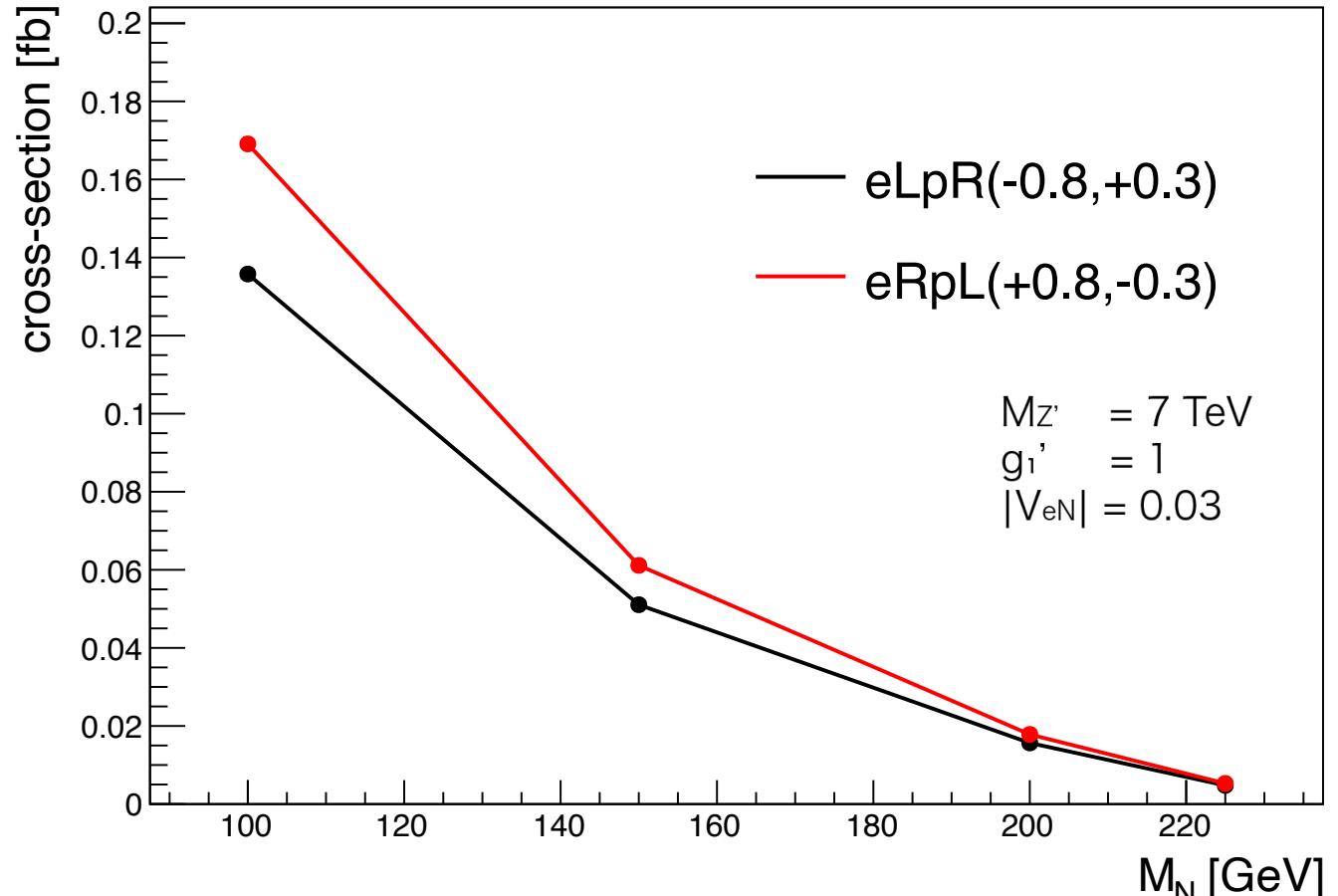


s-channel via  $Z'$



t-channel via  $W$   
(only  $e_L$ )

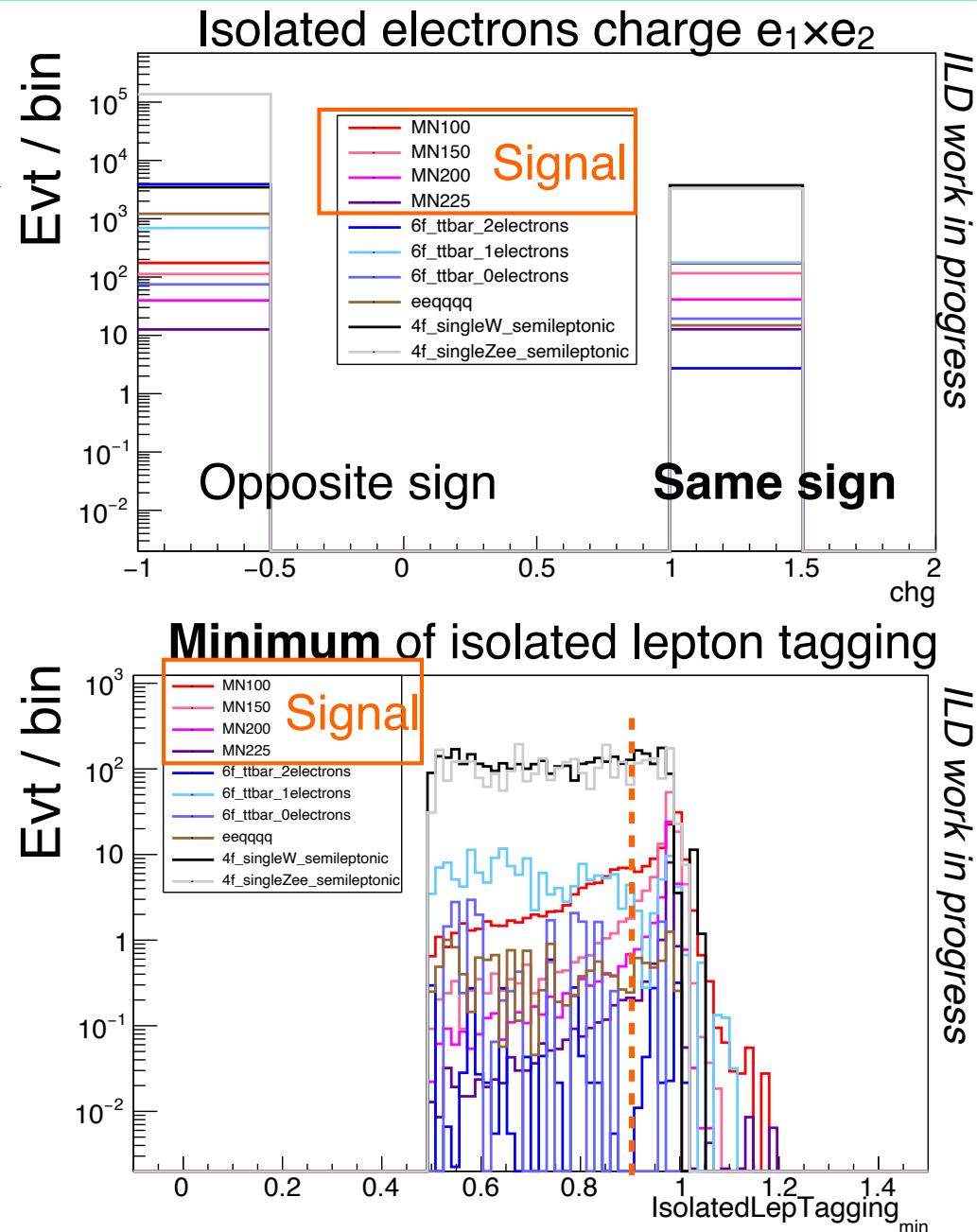
(Destructive  
interference)



$$\begin{aligned} \text{cross - section} &= \sigma(ee \rightarrow NN \rightarrow e^\pm e^\pm W^\mp W^\mp) \\ &= \sigma_0(ee \rightarrow NN) \times 2(BR(N \rightarrow e^- W^+)^2) \end{aligned}$$

# Cut conditions to select signal events

- ▶ 2 isolated electron && 0 isolated  $\gamma, \mu$
- ▶ **Same sign isolated electrons**
- ▶ Isolated electron energies  
 $E_{\text{iso}} < 200$  [GeV]
- ▶ Isolated electron polar angles  
 $|\cos\theta_{\text{isoel}}| < 0.95$
- ▶ **IsolatedLepTagging(min) > 0.9**
- ▶ Jet clustering with Durham  
 $\log_{10}(y_{12}) > -1$
- ▶  $P_{\text{miss}} < 100$  [GeV] &&  
( $P_{\text{miss}} < 40$  [GeV] ||  $|\cos\theta_{P_{\text{miss}}}| > 0.95$ )



# Cut flow (eRpL)

- ILC 500 with ISR / BS
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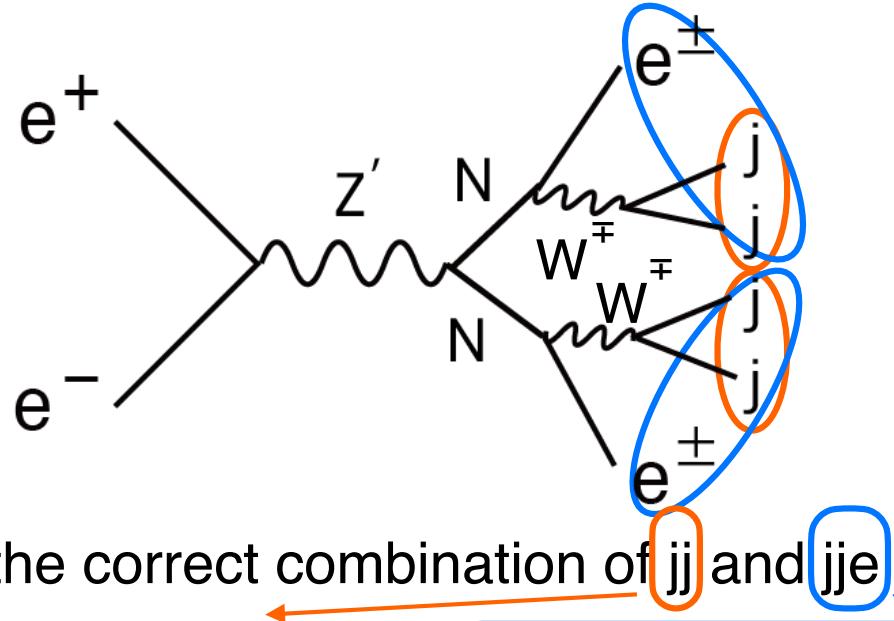
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$E_{\text{iso}} < 200$ [GeV]	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
$-0.95 <$ $\cos\theta_{\text{iso}e} < 0.95$	138	100	37	11	0	182	473	113	113	12
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Signal efficiency  $\sim 20\%$

Remaining backgrounds events  $\sim 150$  (eLpR),  $20$  (eRpL)

# Reconstruction methods

After removing isolated electrons force into 4 jets (Durham)



Search for the correct combination of  $jj$  and  $jje$

Jet pair 1  $\rightarrow M_{jj1}$ , Jet pair 2  $\rightarrow M_{jj2}$

$$F_1 = (M_{jj1} - M_w)^2 + (M_{jj2} - M_w)^2$$

Choose best jet pair with minimum  $F_1$

Best jet pair 1 + iso  $e \rightarrow M_{jje1}$   
Best jet pair 2 + iso  $e \rightarrow M_{jje2}$   
We expect for " $M_{jje1} = M_{jje2}$ "

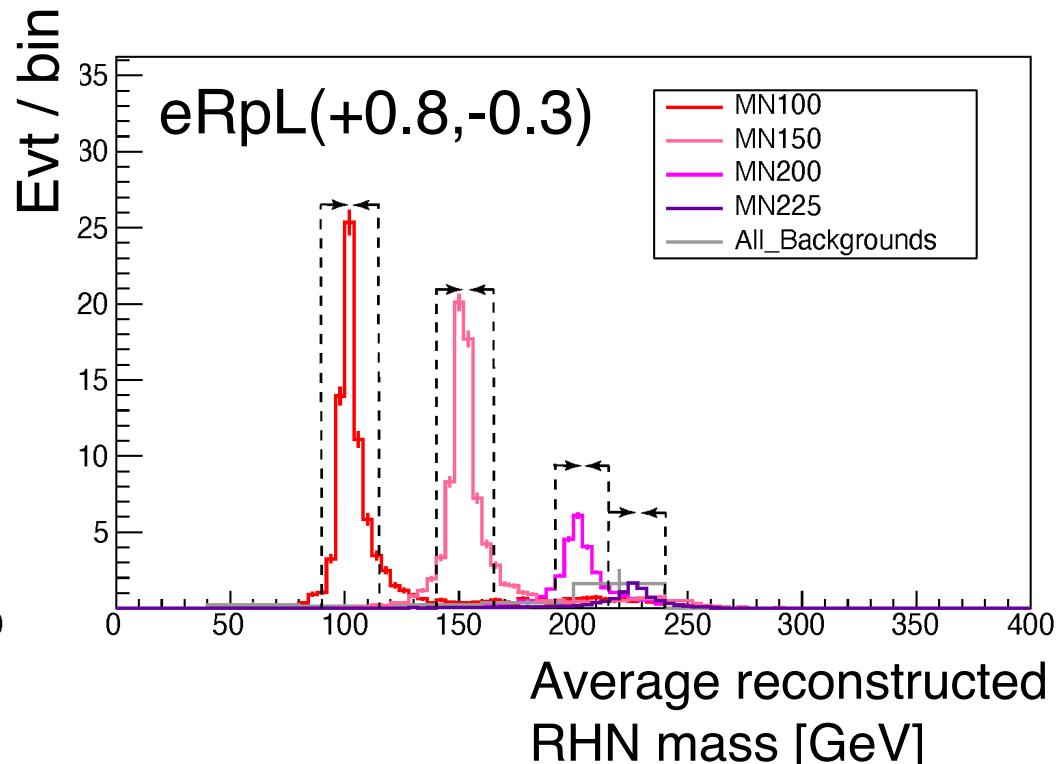
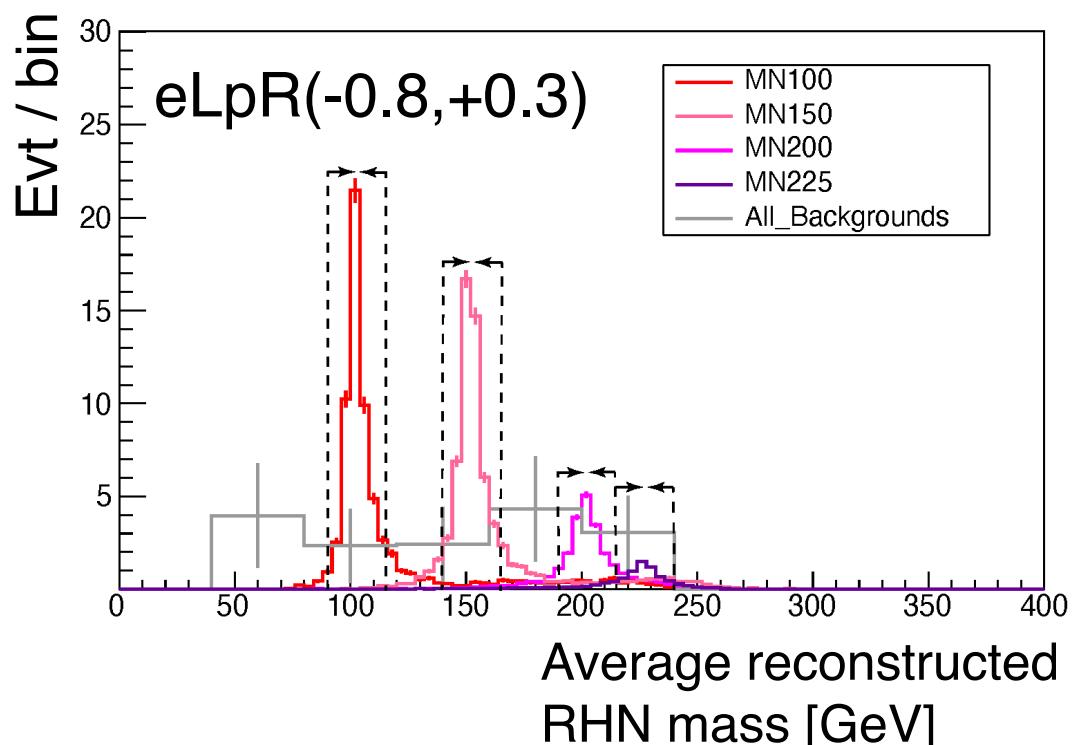
$$F_2 = (M_{jje1} - M_{jje2})^2$$

Choose the electron-jet pair combination with minimizes  $F_2$

# Signal mass cut

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- $\mathcal{L} = 1600 [\text{fb}^{-1}]$

For each  $M_N$ , mass window  $M_N-10, M_N+15$  [GeV]



The background is consistent with a flat distribution in relevant range  
**20 (eLpR) and 3 (eRpL) background events remain in mass window**

In eRpL case, thanks to beam polarization W contribution is reduced and background events are less than eLpR case

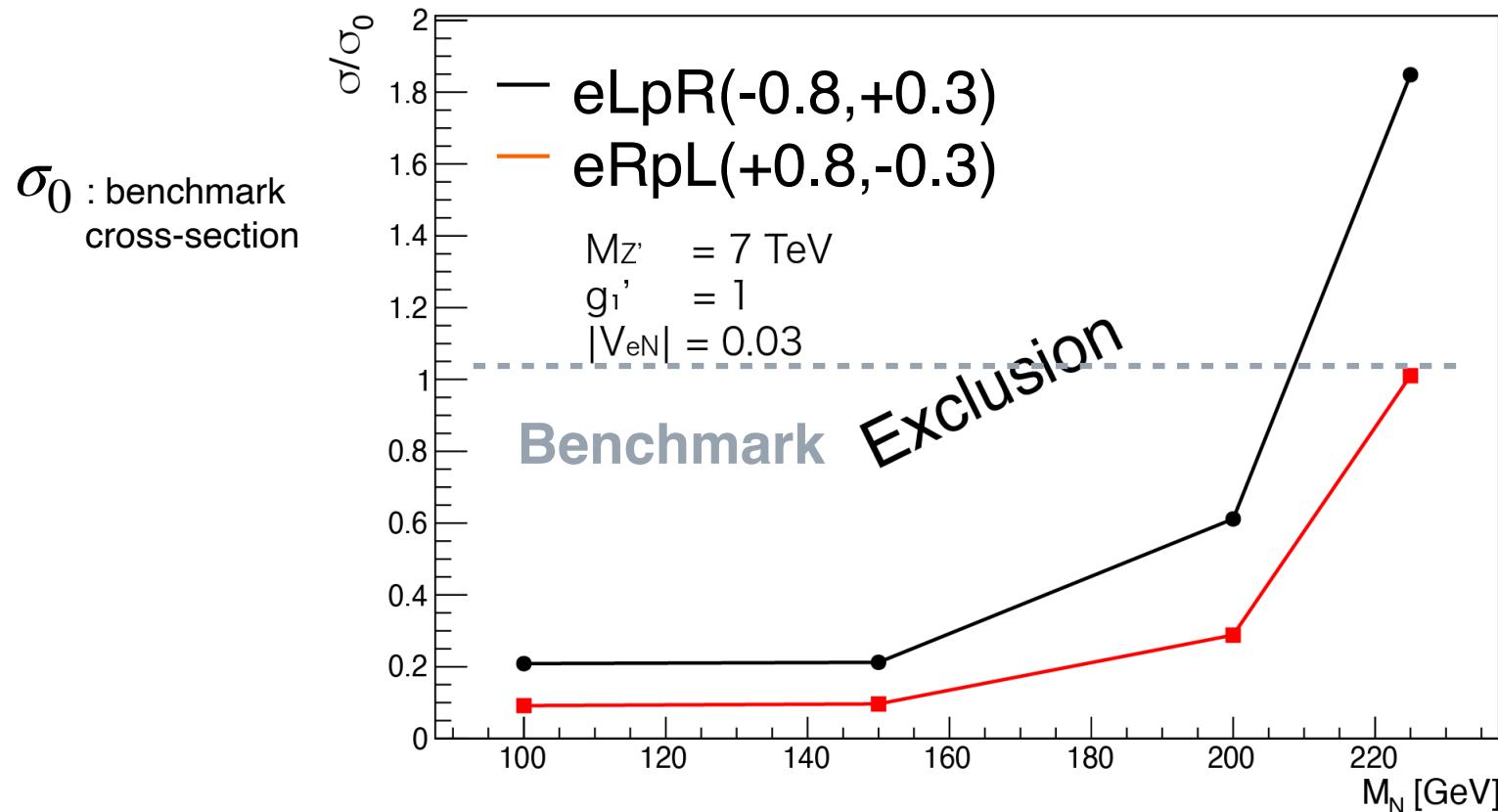
# Results after mass cut

	$M_N$ [GeV]	$N_s$ # of Signal	$N_B$ # of BG	$N_s/\sqrt{(N_s+N_B)}$ Signal significance	$\frac{\sigma^{95}}{\sigma_0}$
LR 80,30	100	53.64	20.12	6.25	0.21
	150	52.73		6.18	0.21
	200	18.30		2.95	0.61
	225	5.51		1.18	1.8
RL 80,30	100	66.75	3.24	7.98	0.092
	150	63.41		7.77	0.097
	200	21.23		4.29	0.29
	225	6.08		1.99	1.0

# Exclusion plot on $\sigma/\sigma_0$

Normalised to benchmark cross-section

**Calculate 95% UL on  $\sigma/\sigma_0$**



Strongly limited by eRpL case and lighter RHN masses

**Exclude benchmark points and cross-sections up to 10x smaller**

# Summary

Conclusion:

**Can use same sign lepton signature to set powerful limits on RHN at ILC!**

Current activity & future plan:

- ILC250 case (on going)
  - Try to improve signal efficiency
  - Think about new cut condition to remove BG
  
- Same sign muons
  - Expect smaller backgrounds

# Part1: RHN

# Model : minimal U(1)<sub>B-L</sub>

Gauged B-L extension of Standard Model (SM)

The unique anomaly free global symmetry in the SM

$$G_{B-L} \equiv SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \times U(1)_{B-L}$$

- ▶ Anomaly free requirement → **RHNs**
- ▶ **Seesaw mechanism** ← automatically included

Gauge boson : Z'

If B-L symmetry breaks spontaneously  $\rightarrow$  Z' becomes **massive**

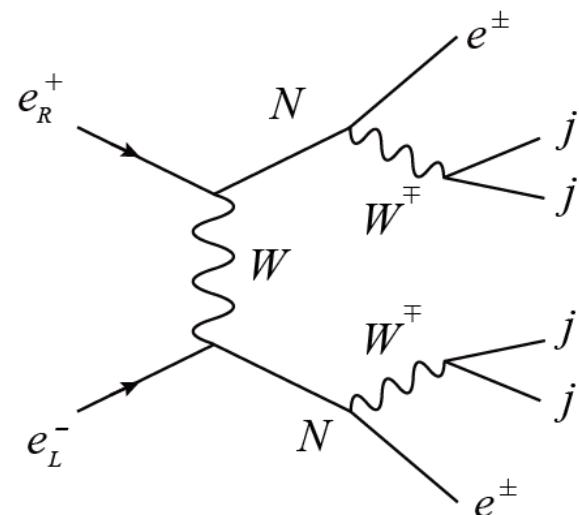
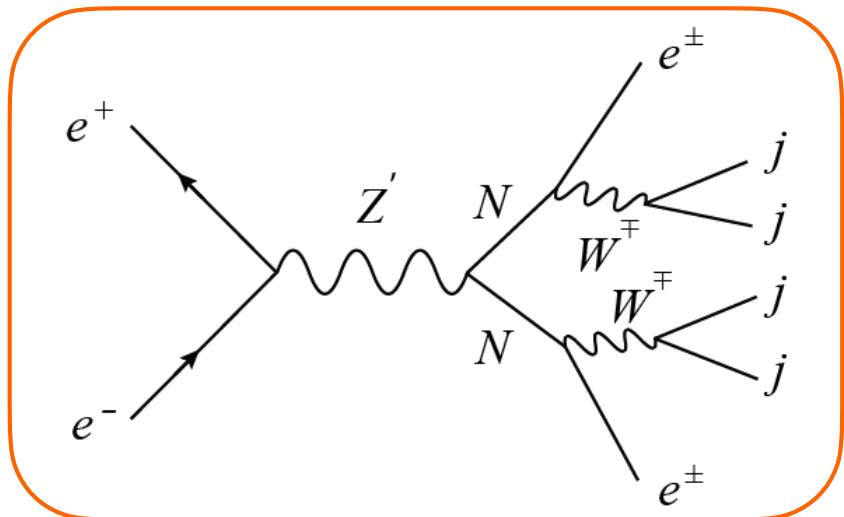
minimal U(1) <sub>B-L</sub> model : charge					
	SU(3) <sub>C</sub>	SU(2) <sub>L</sub>	U(1) <sub>Y</sub>	U(1) <sub>B-L</sub>	
RHN	$N_R^i$	1	1	0	-1
New Higgs field	$\Phi$	1	1	0	2

i=1,2,3

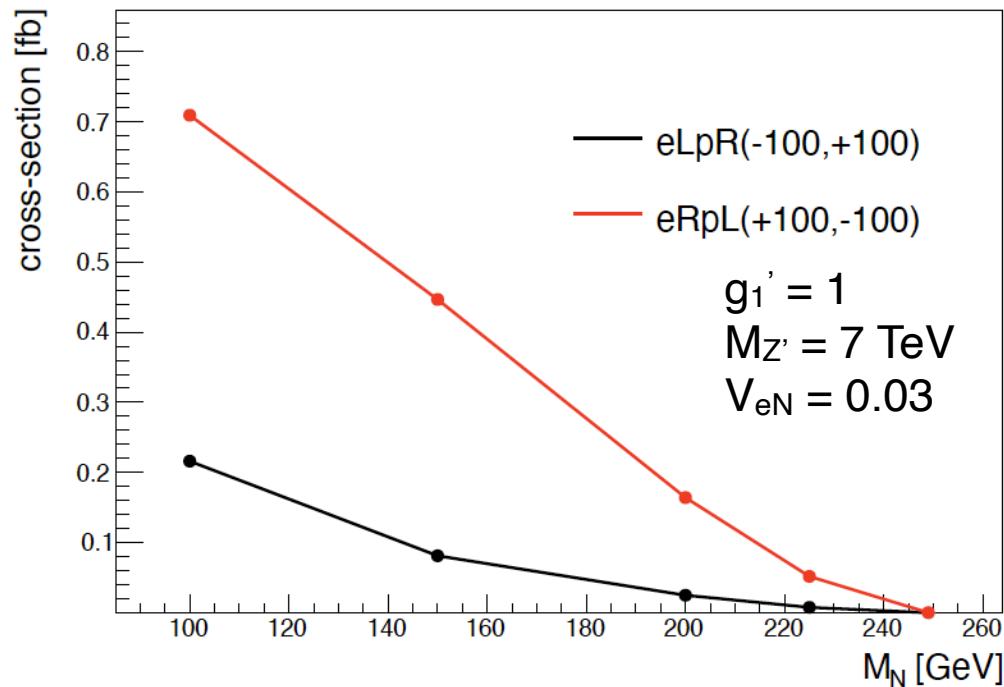
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# Signal



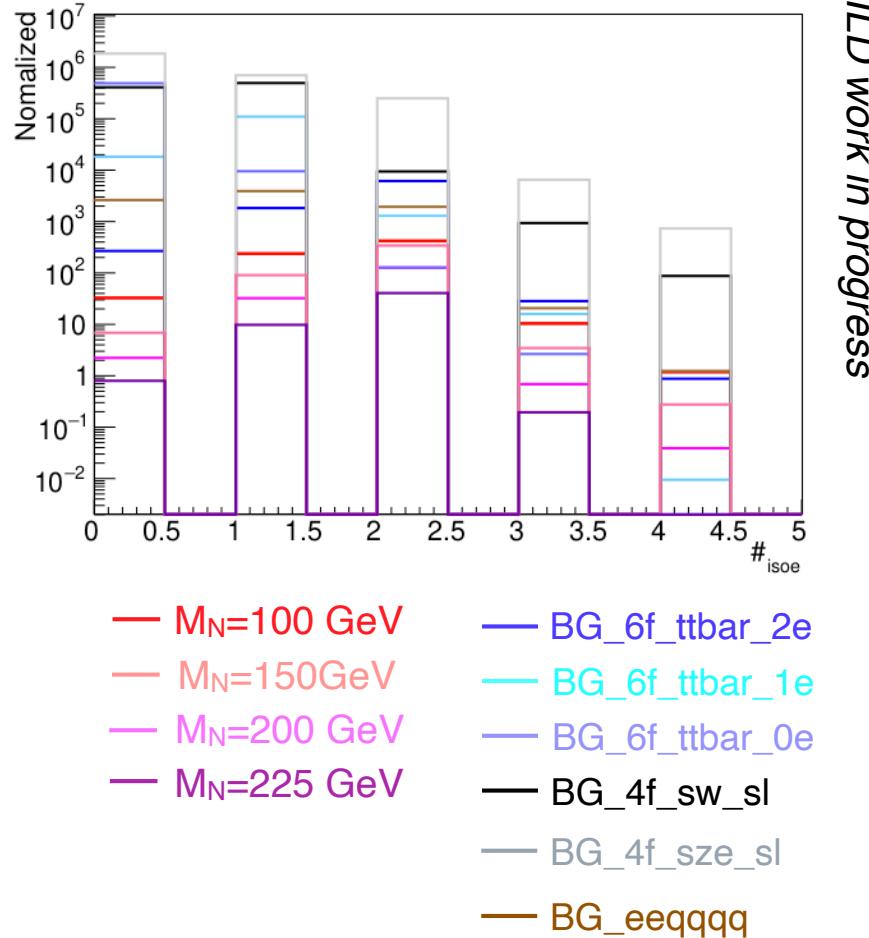
Destructive interference



# Isolated e,γ,μ

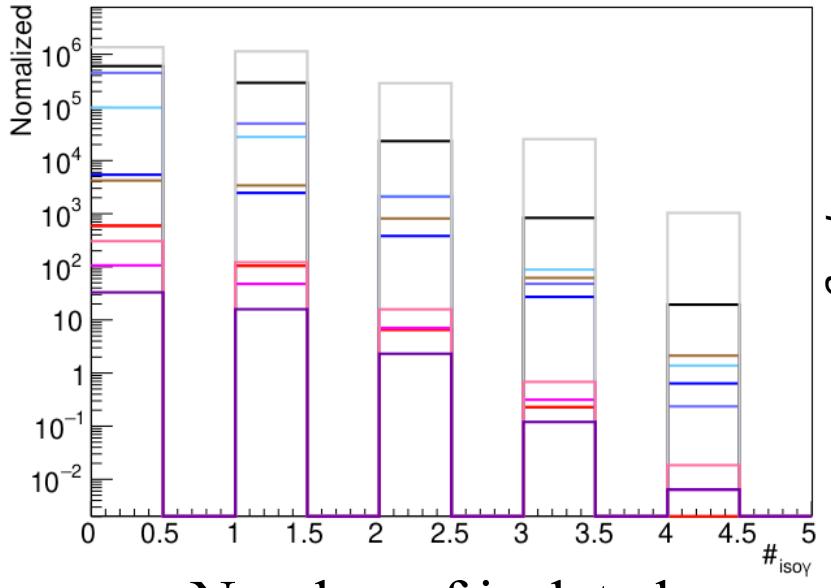
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Number of isolated e

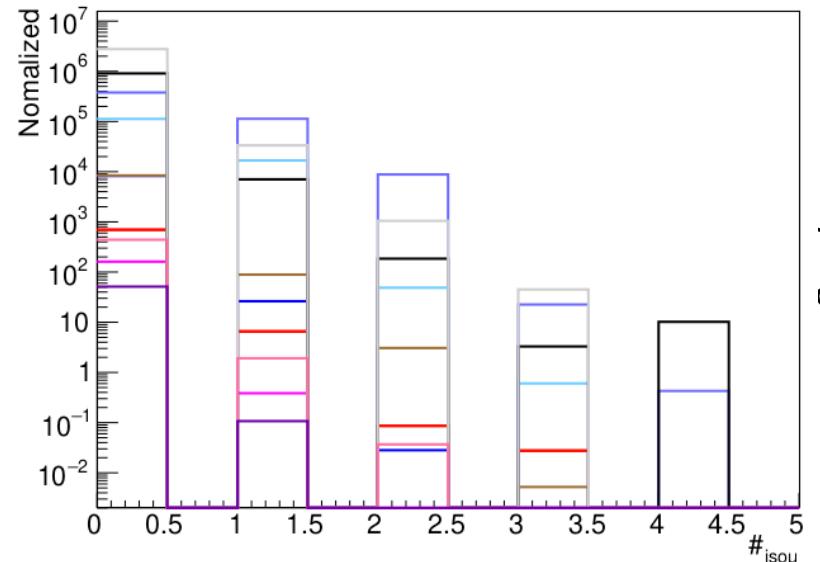


- Isolated e # = 2 && Isolated γ, μ = 0

Number of isolated γ

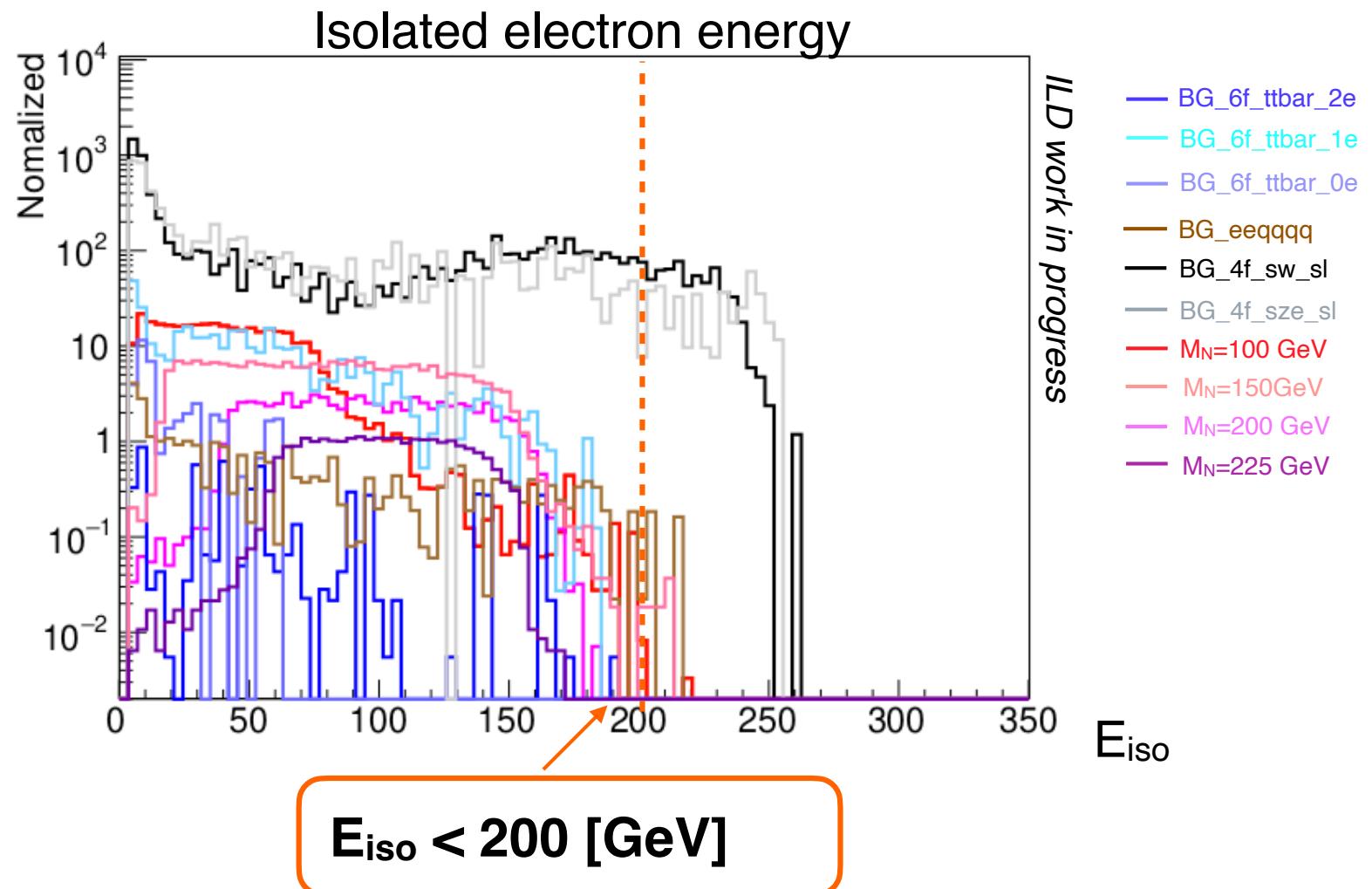


Number of isolated μ



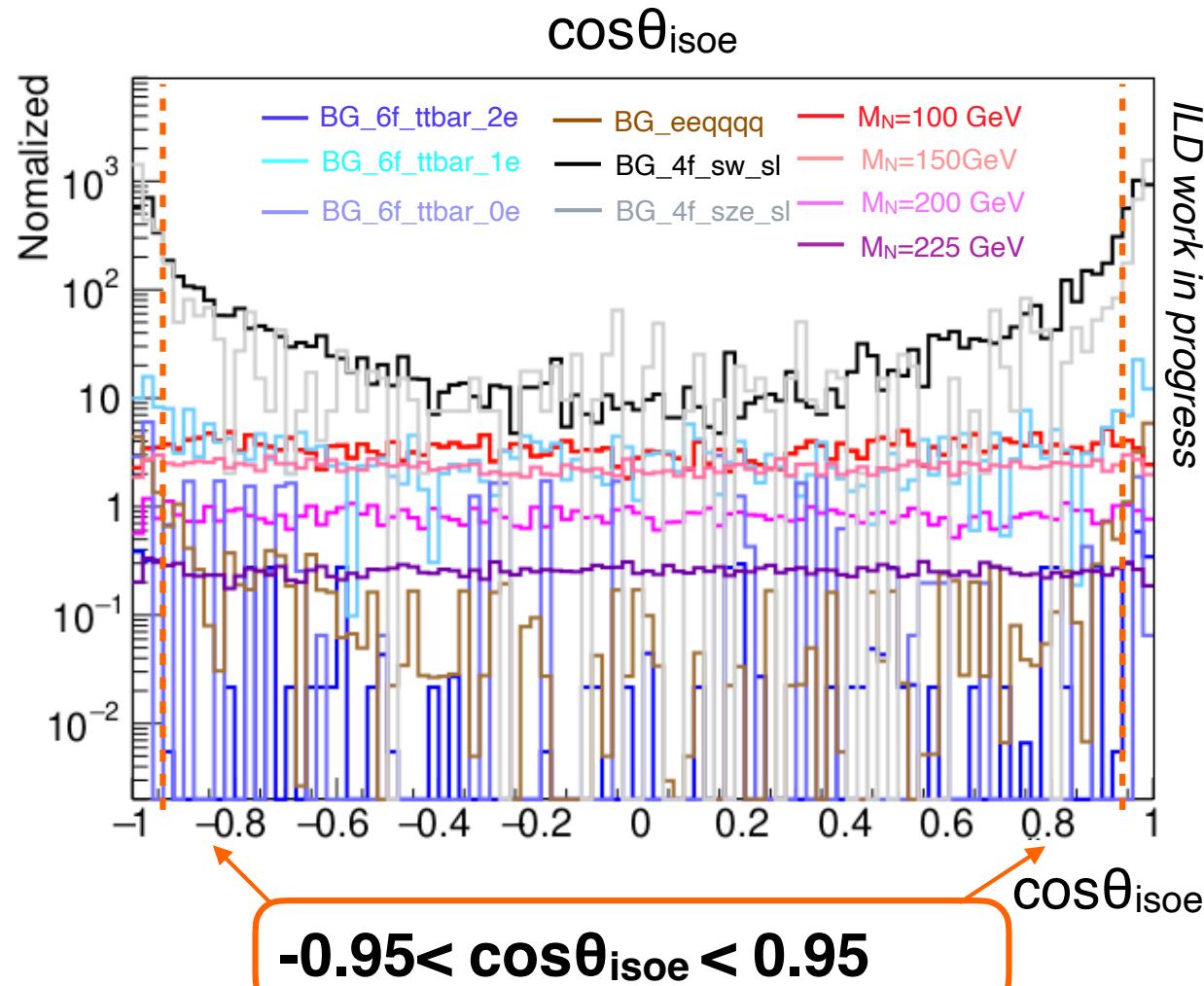
# Distribution of Isolated electron energy

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- Isolated e # = 2 && Isolated  $\gamma$  # = 0 && Isolated  $\mu$  # = 0
- Isolated e is same sign ( $e_1 \times e_2 = 1$ )



# Distribution of $\cos\theta_{\text{iso}e}$

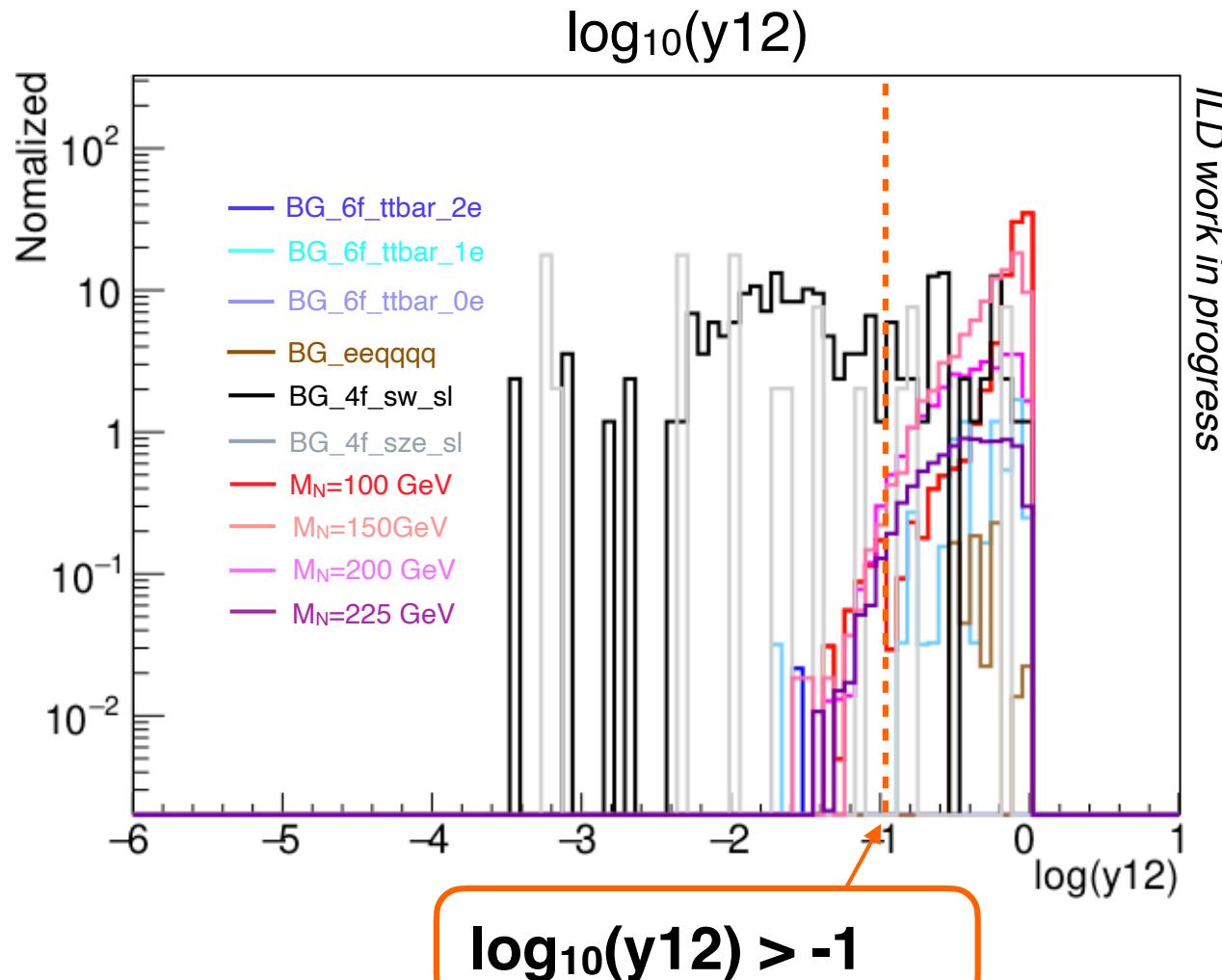
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4 fermions semi leptonic processes in t-channel  $\rightarrow$  distributed in  $|\cos\theta_{\text{iso}e}| \sim 1$

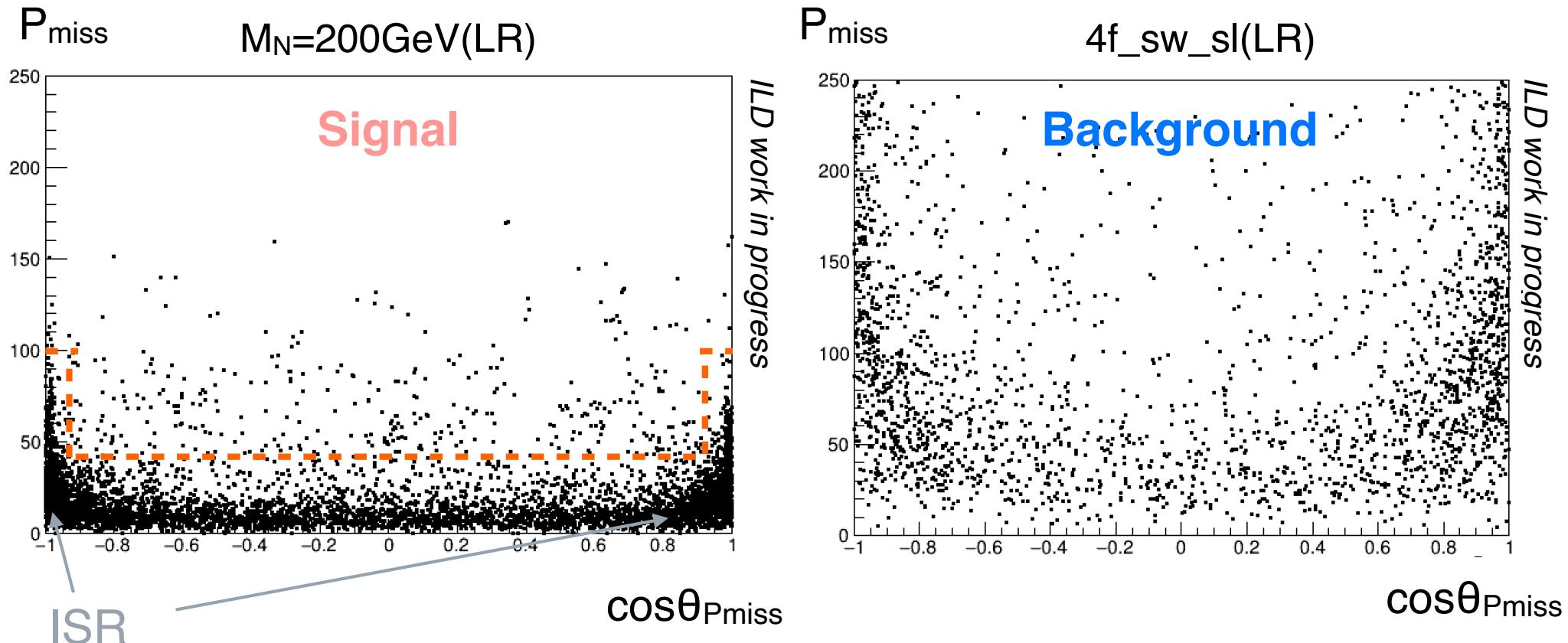
# Distribution of $y_{12}$ (Durham)

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- Isolated  $e$  is same sign ( $e_1 \times e_2 = 1$ )



# $\text{Cos}\theta_{\text{Pmiss}}$ vs Magnitude of missing momentum $\text{P}_{\text{miss}}$

- ILC 500 with ISR / BS



$P_{\text{miss}} < 100 \ \&\& ( P_{\text{miss}} < 40 \ \text{II} \ |\text{cos}\theta_{\text{Pmiss}}| > 0.95 )$

# Cut flow (eRpL)

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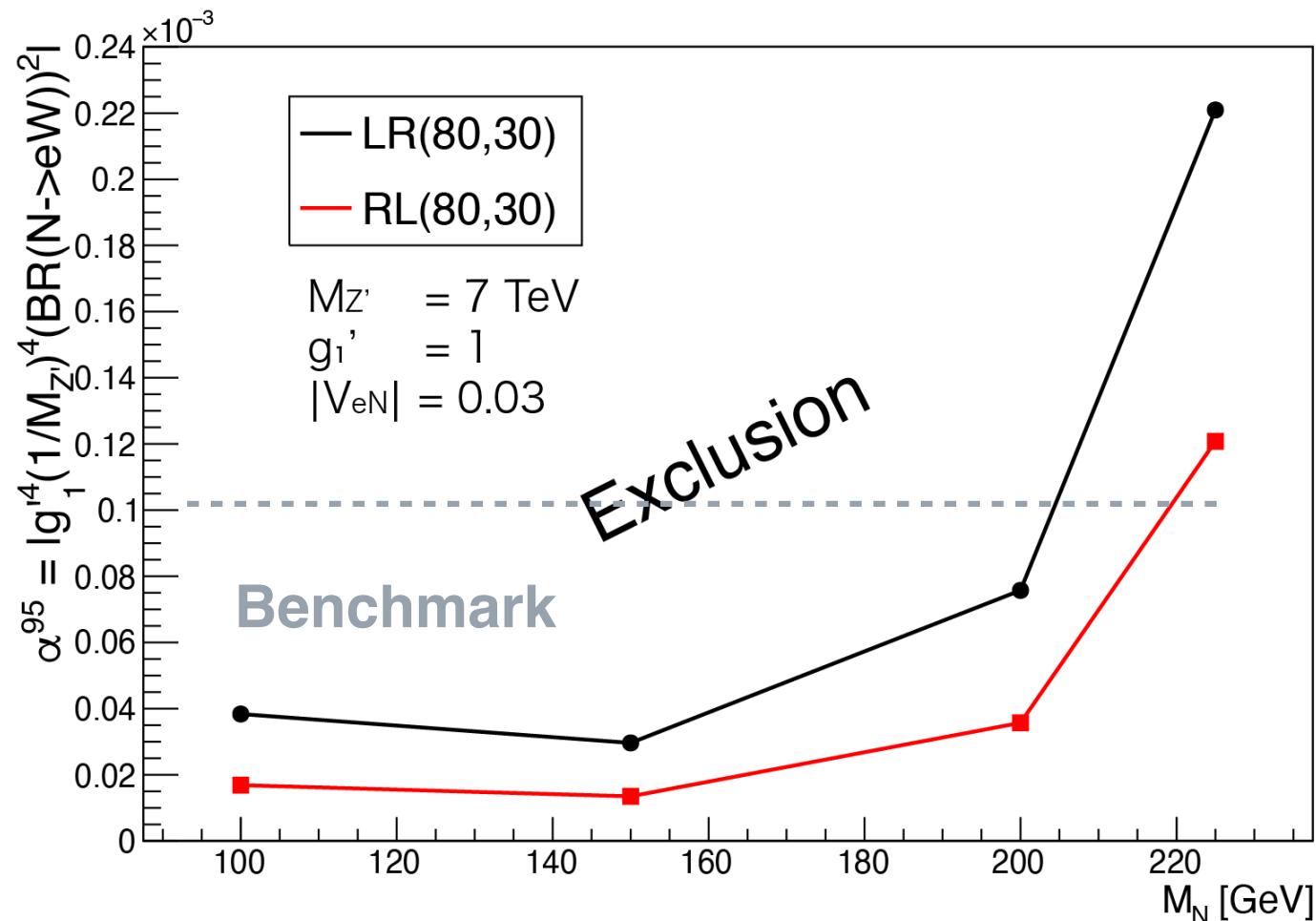
	Expected signal				Expected background					
	$M_N=100$	$M_N=150$	$M_N=200$	$M_N=225$	$eeqqqq$	$4f_{\text{singleW}}_{\text{semileptonic}}$	$4f_{\text{singleZee}}_{\text{semileptonic}}$	$6f_{\text{ttbar}}_{2\text{electrons}}$	$6f_{\text{ttbar}}_{1\text{electron}}$	$6f_{\text{ttbar}}_{0\text{electron}}$
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# Results

	M_N [GeV]	# of Signal After cut	# of BG After cut	Signal Significance	$\sigma_0$ [fb] Initial benchmark	$\sigma^{95}$ [fb] 95% exclusion limit	$\frac{\sigma^{95}}{\sigma_0}$	$\alpha^{95}$ [TeV <sup>-4</sup> ]
LR 80,30	100	53.64	20.12	6.25	0.55	0.12	0.21	3.83E-05
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	200	21.23		4.29	0.16	0.047	0.29	3.57E-05
	225	6.077		1.99	0.052	0.052	1	1.21E-04

# Exclusion plot on U(1)<sub>B-L</sub> parameters

Translate to the U(1)<sub>B-L</sub> model parameters



The benchmark points isn't excluded only at  $M_N = 225$  GeV

eLpR case

# Cut flow (eLpR)

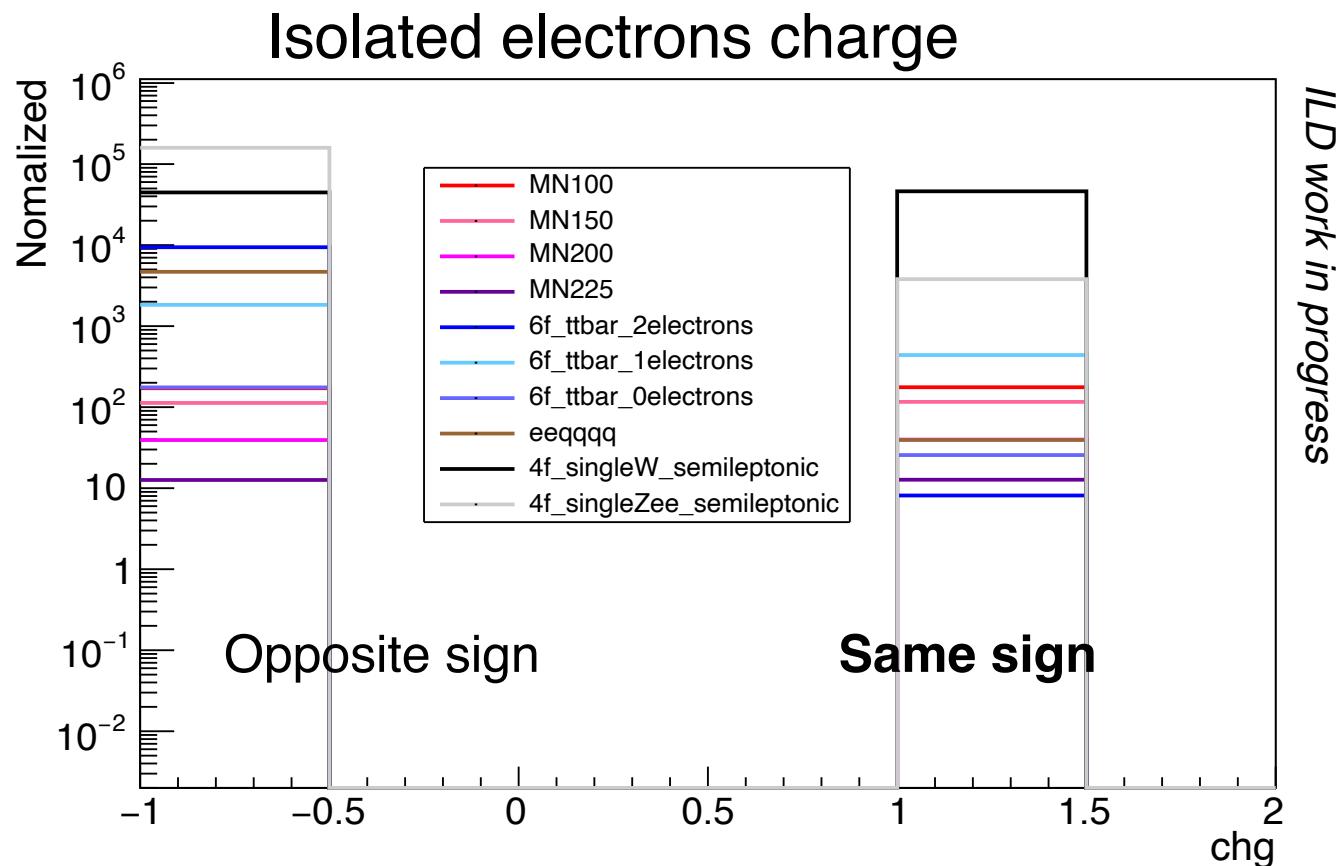
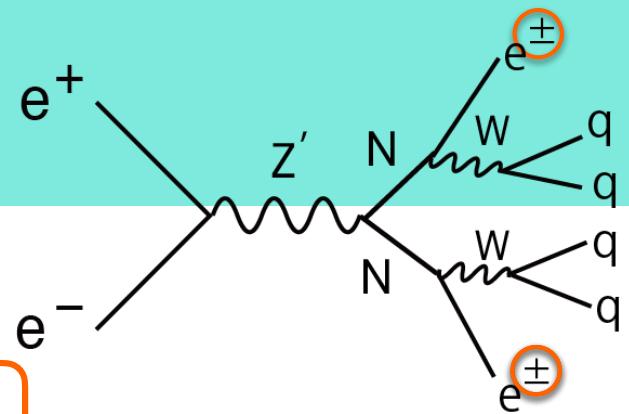
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$-0.95 < \cos\theta_{\text{isoe}} < 0.95$	156	103	36	11	13	17506	623	4	266	15
IsolatedLepTagging <sub>min</sub> > 0.9	94	91	31	10	2	2632	128	1	50	0
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# Electron Charge

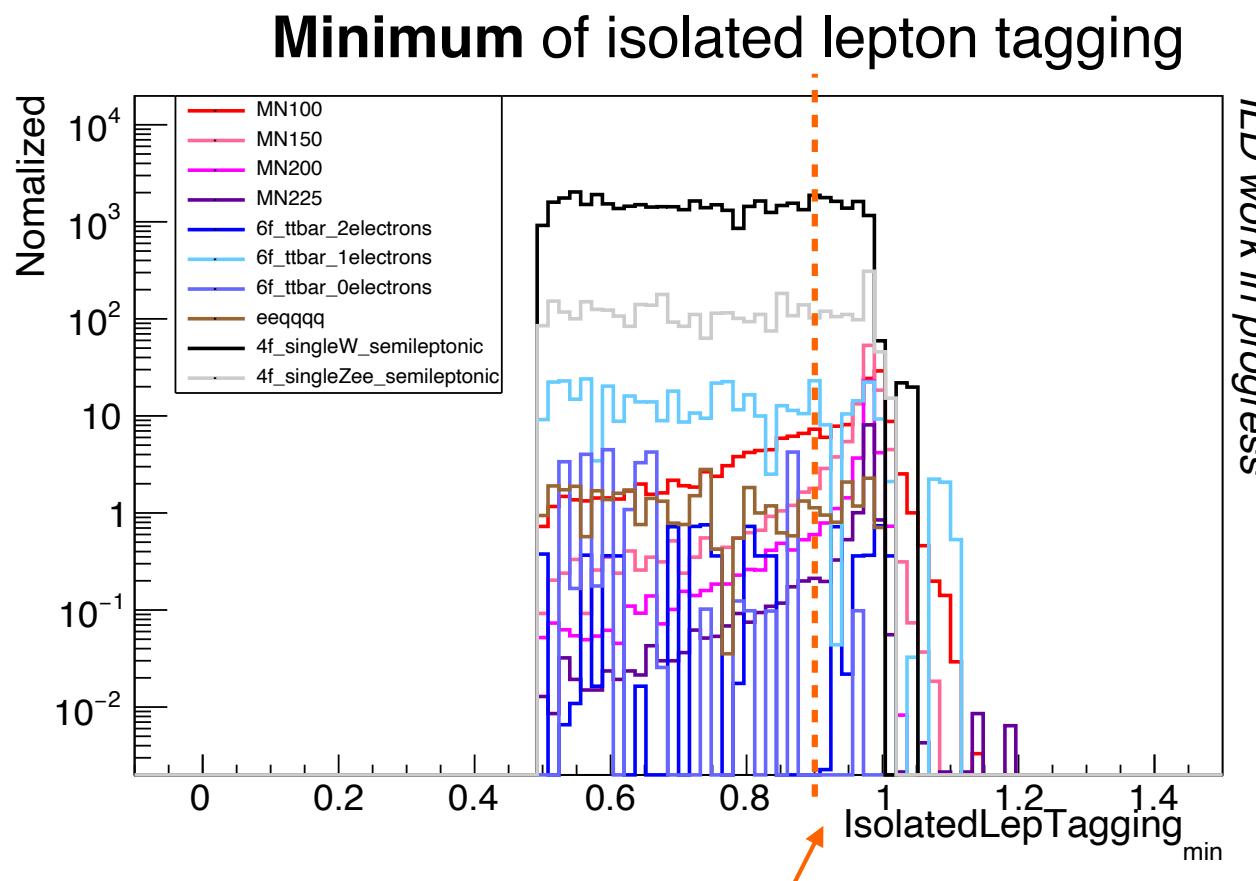
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- Isolated  $e^- \# = 2$  && Isolated  $\gamma \# = 0$  && Isolated  $\mu \# = 0$



We use only same sign samples  $e_1 \times e_2 = 1$

# Distribution of IsolatedLepTagging

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- Isolated  $e$  is same sign ( $e_1 \times e_2 = 1$ )



ILD work in progress  
Isolated lepton tagging  
... “output” parameter of MVA  
to identify isolated lepton

→ Output for  $e$  is near 1

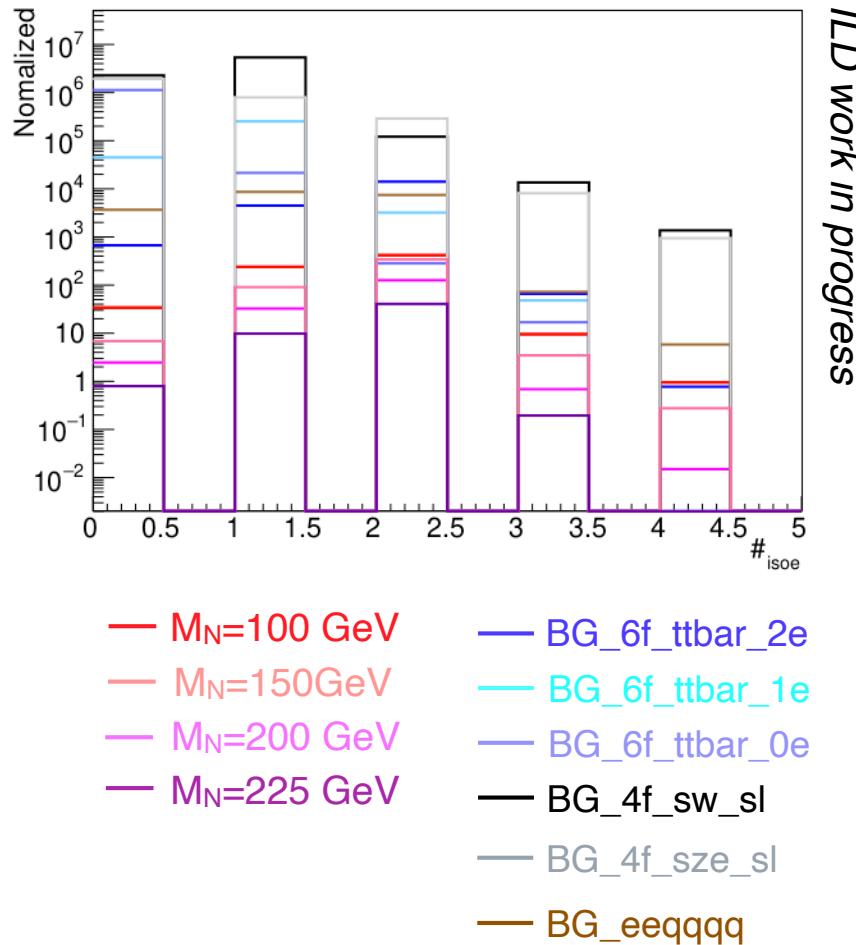
**Usually second background electron is fake**

**IsolatedLepTagging<sub>min</sub> > 0.9**

# Isolated e,γ,μ

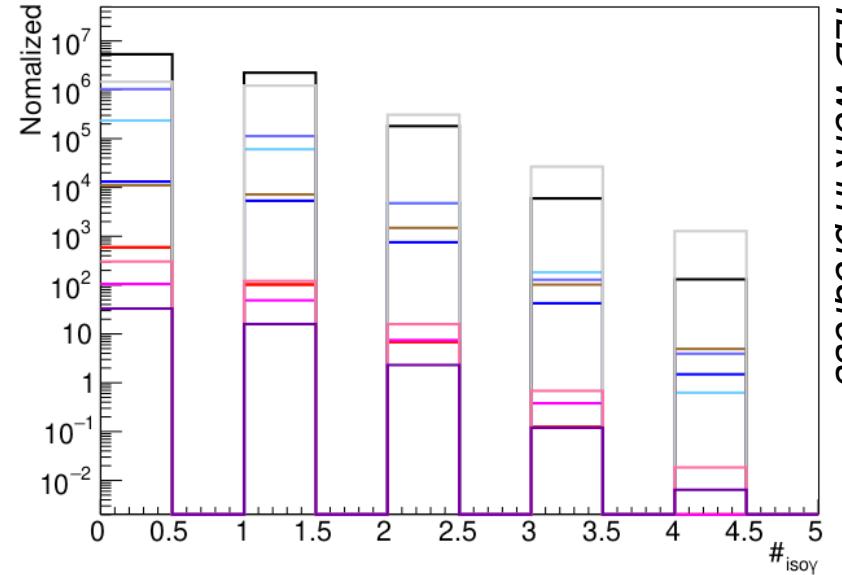
- ILC 500 with ISR / BS
- $\text{Pol}(e^-, e^+) = (-0.8, +0.3)$

Number of isolated e

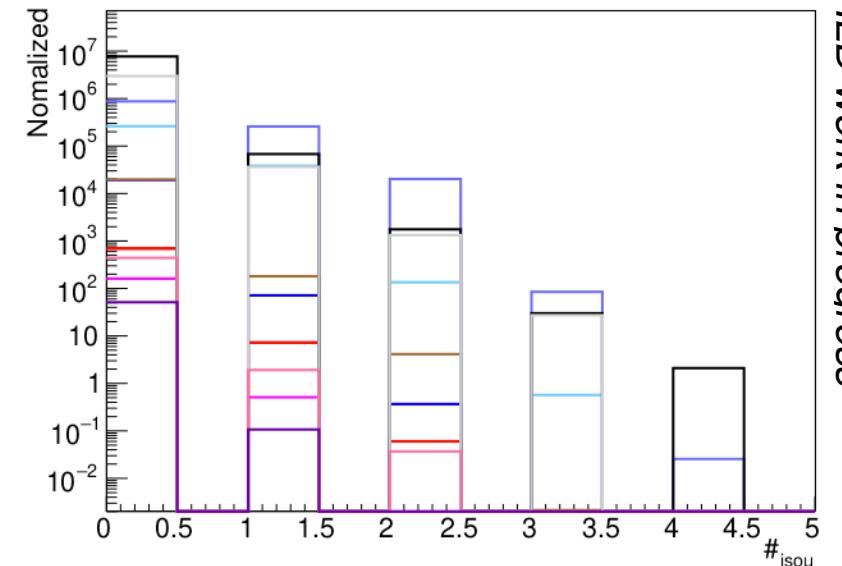


- Isolated e # = 2 && Isolated γ, μ = 0

Number of isolated γ

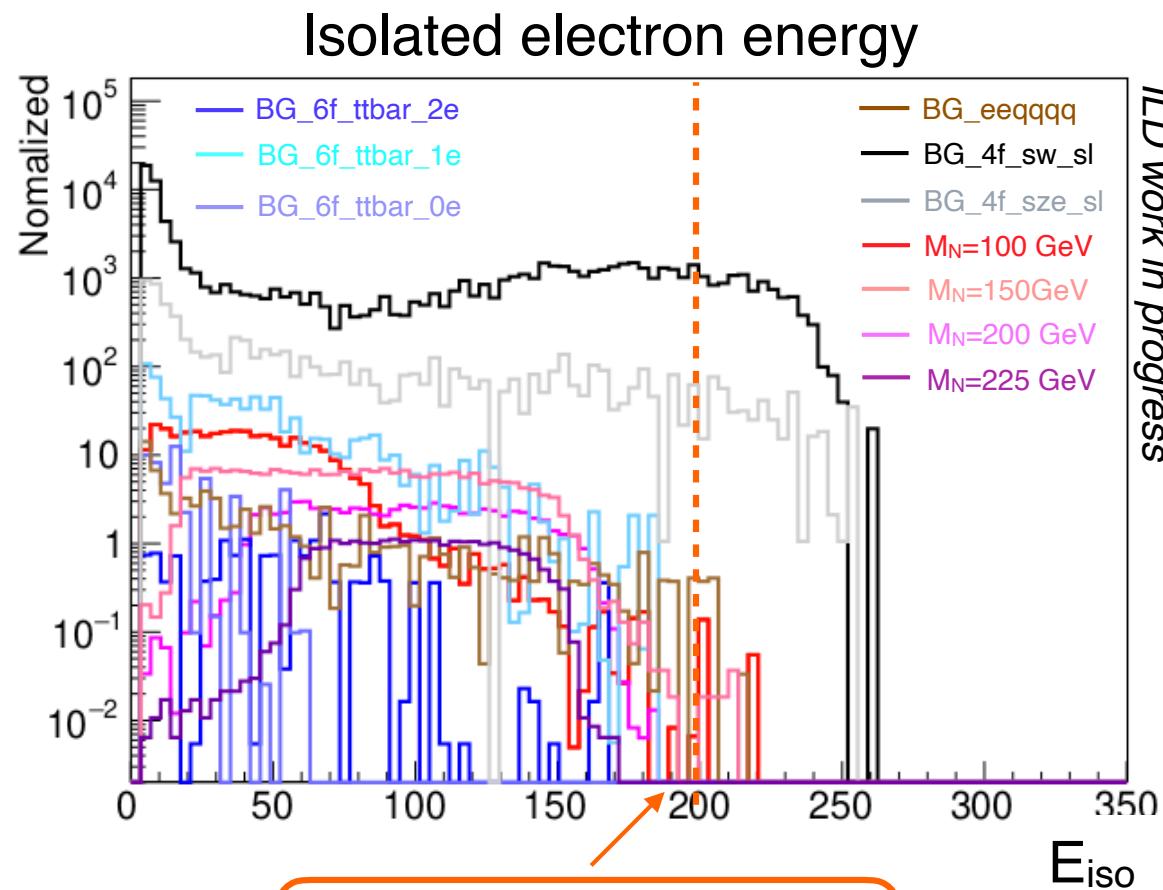


Number of isolated μ



# Distribution of Isolated electron energy

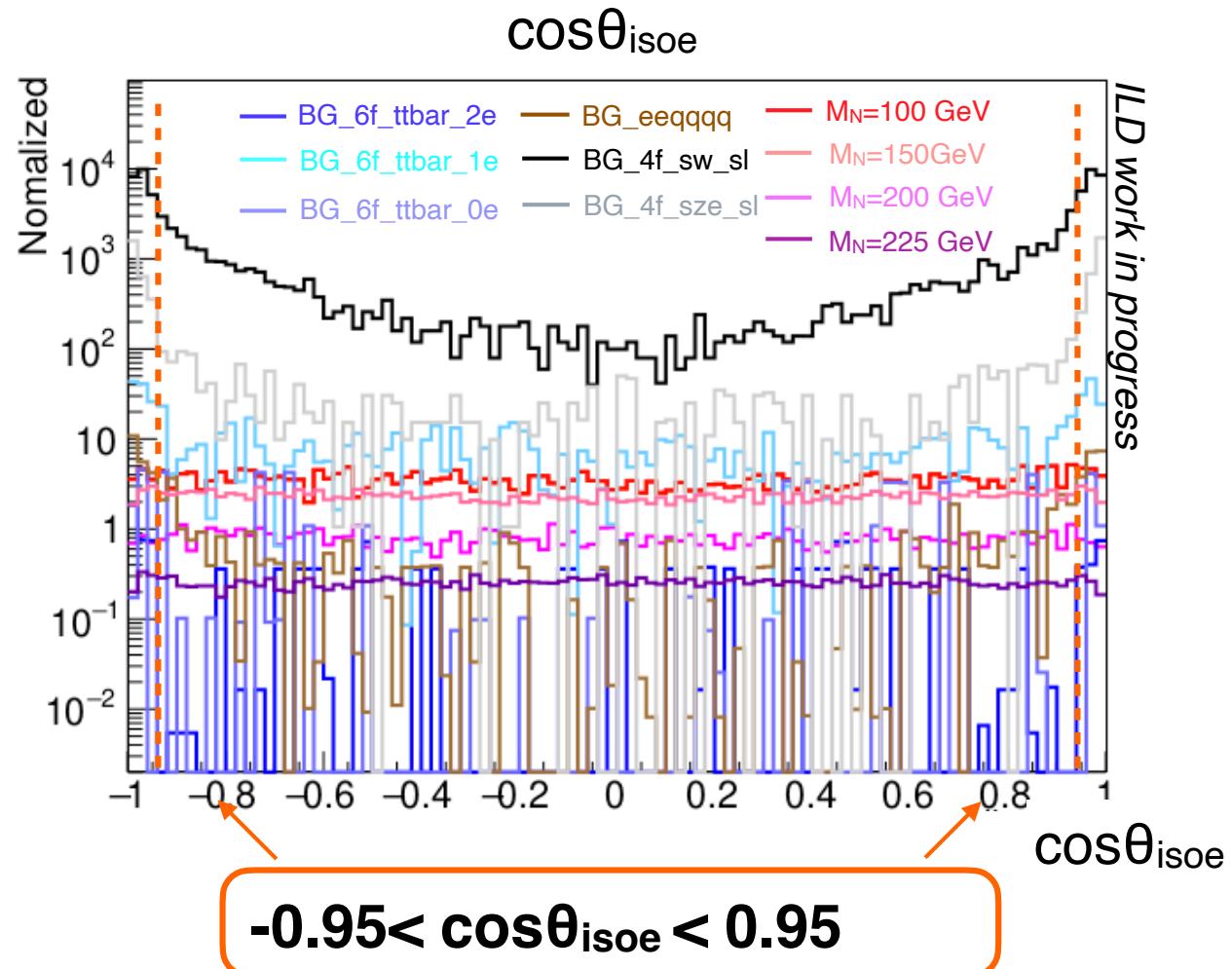
- ILC 500 with ISR / BS
- $\text{Pol}(e^-, e^+) = (-0.8, +0.3)$
- Isolated e # = 2 && Isolated  $\gamma$  # = 0 && Isolated  $\mu$  # = 0
- Isolated e is same sign ( $e_1 \times e_2 = 1$ )



$E_{\text{iso}} < 200 \text{ [GeV]}$

# Distribution of $\cos\theta_{\text{iso}e}$

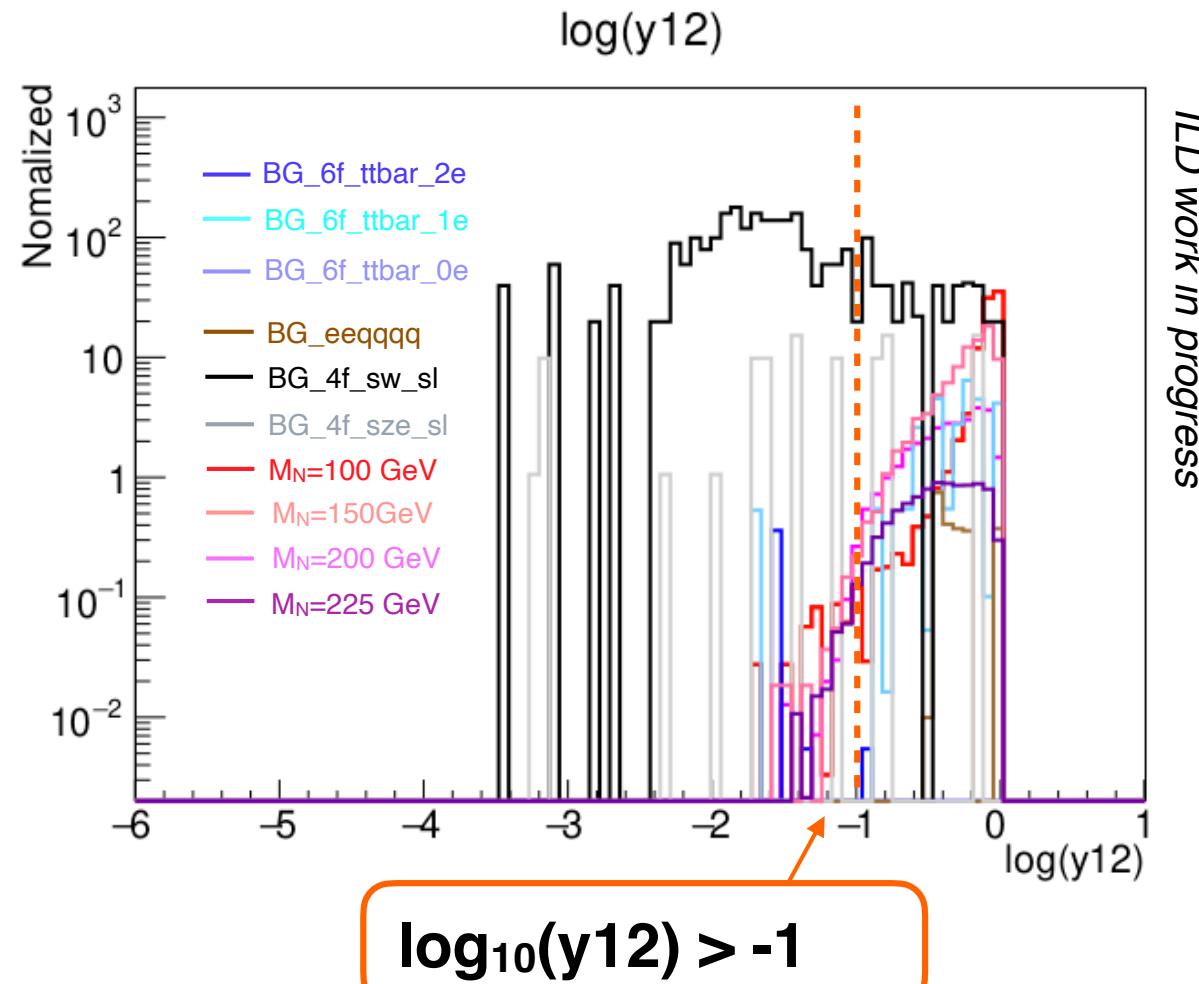
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4 fermions semi leptonic processes in t-channel  $\rightarrow$  distributed in  $|\cos\theta_{\text{iso}e}| \sim 1$

# Distribution of $y_{12}$ (Durham)

- ILC 500 with ISR / BS
- $\text{Pol}(e^-, e^+) = (-0.8, +0.3)$
- Isolated  $e \# = 2 \&\& \text{Isolated } \gamma \# = 0 \&\& \text{Isolated } \mu \# = 0$
- Isolated  $e$  is same sign ( $e_1 \times e_2 = 1$ )



4f and 6f background information

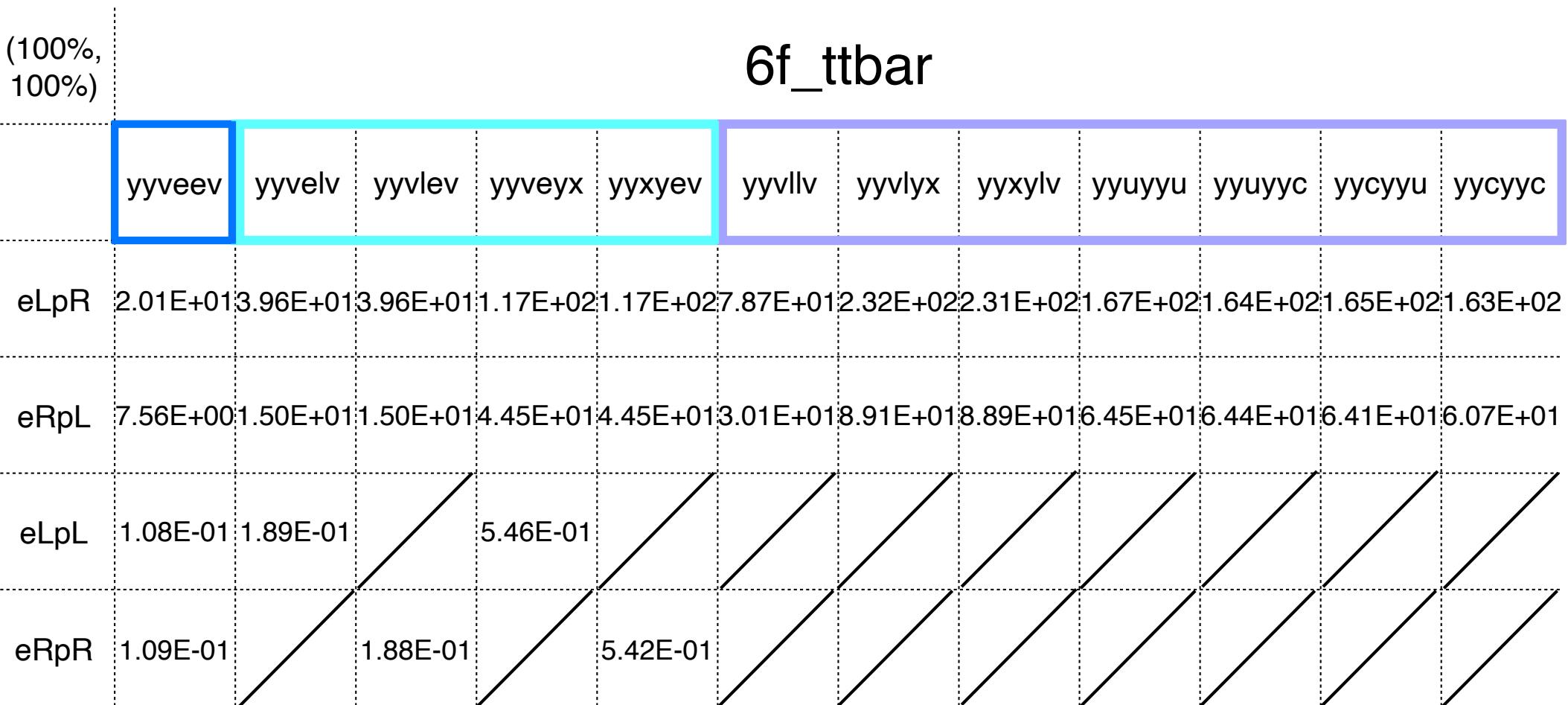
# Cross section — BG

- ILC 500 with ISR / BS

(100%,100%)	eeqqqq			4f_singleW _semileptonic	4f_singleZee _semileptonic
eLpR	eexyyx	xxxxee	yyyyee	4f_sw_sl	4f_sze_sl
1.64E+01	8.71E-02	1.45E-01	7.81E+03	1.96E+03	
3.64	4.62E-02	5.31E-02	2.28E+01	1.73E+03	
6.63	3.38E-02	2.20E-02	7.53E+02	1.78E+03	
6.61	3.30E-02	1.97E-02	7.50E+02	1.78E+03	

# Cross section – BG

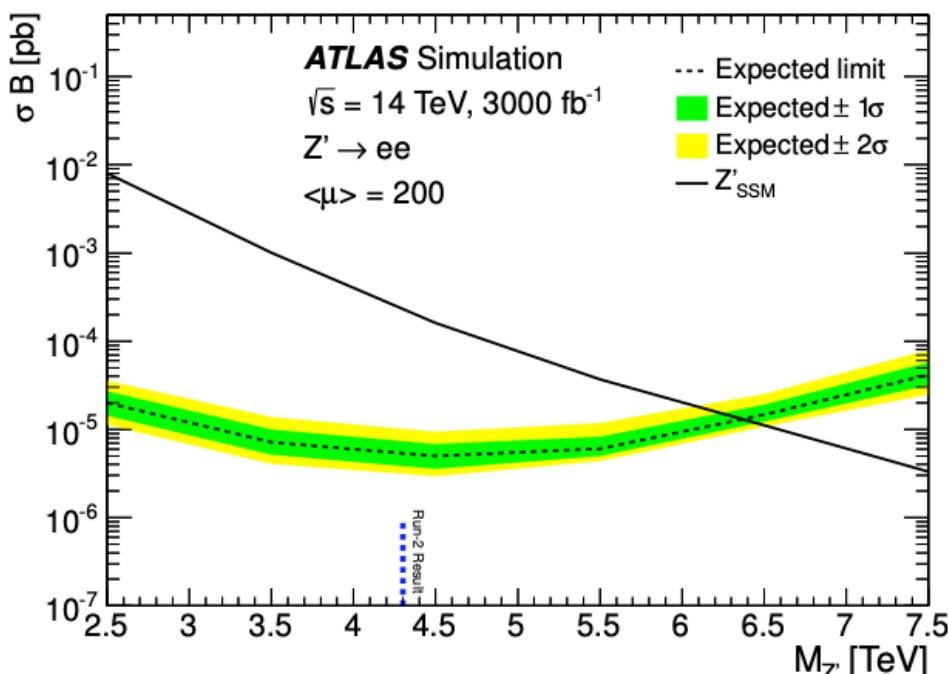
- ILC 500 with ISR / BS



Information associated  
with  $U(1)_{B-L}$  model

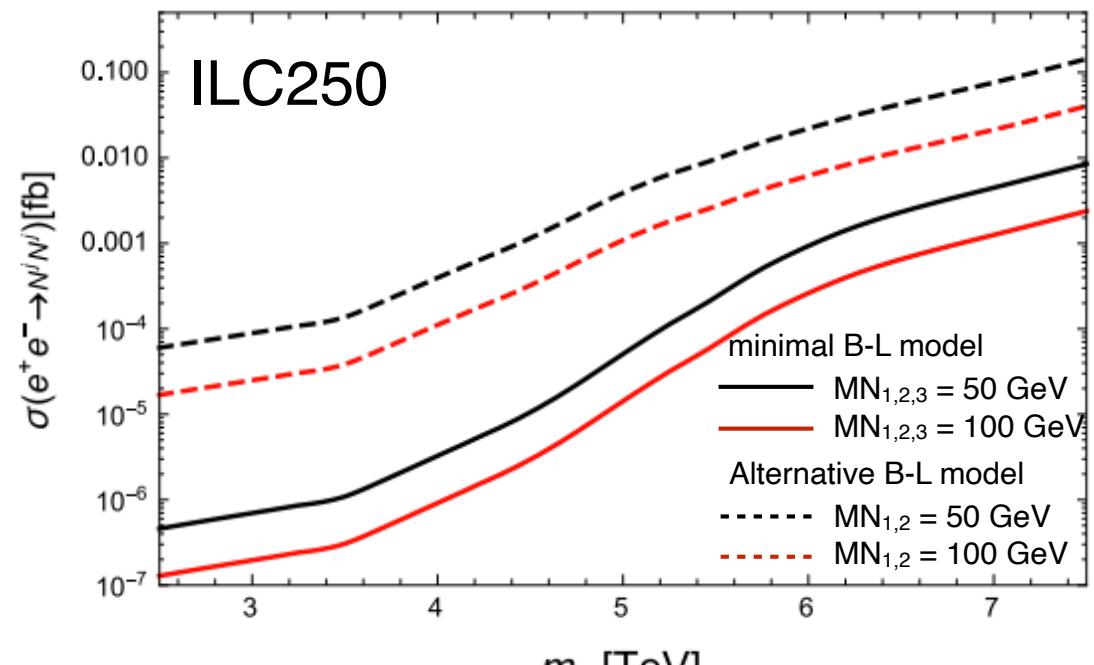
# Current limits - Z' mass

SM like Z' coupling



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HL-LHC prospects limit for  $U(1)_{B-L}$  model

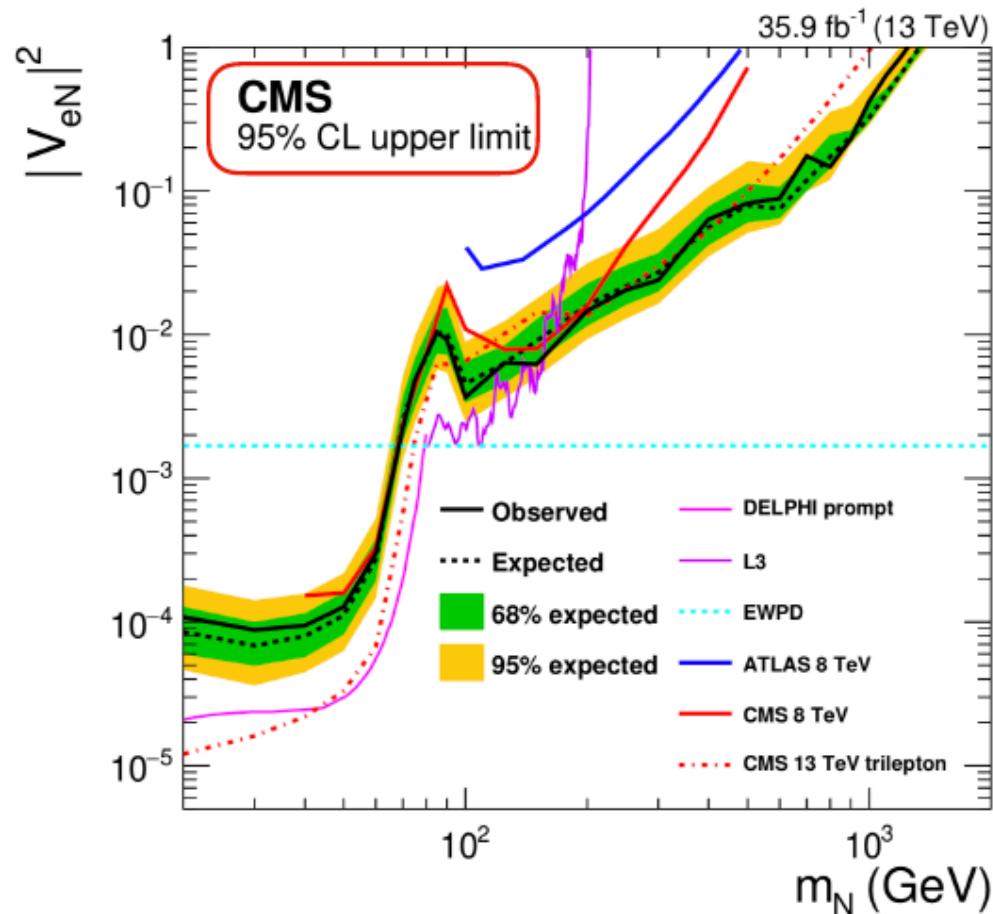


arXiv[1812.11931]

The heavier Z' mass less constrained by LHC

# Current limits $|V_{eN}|^2$

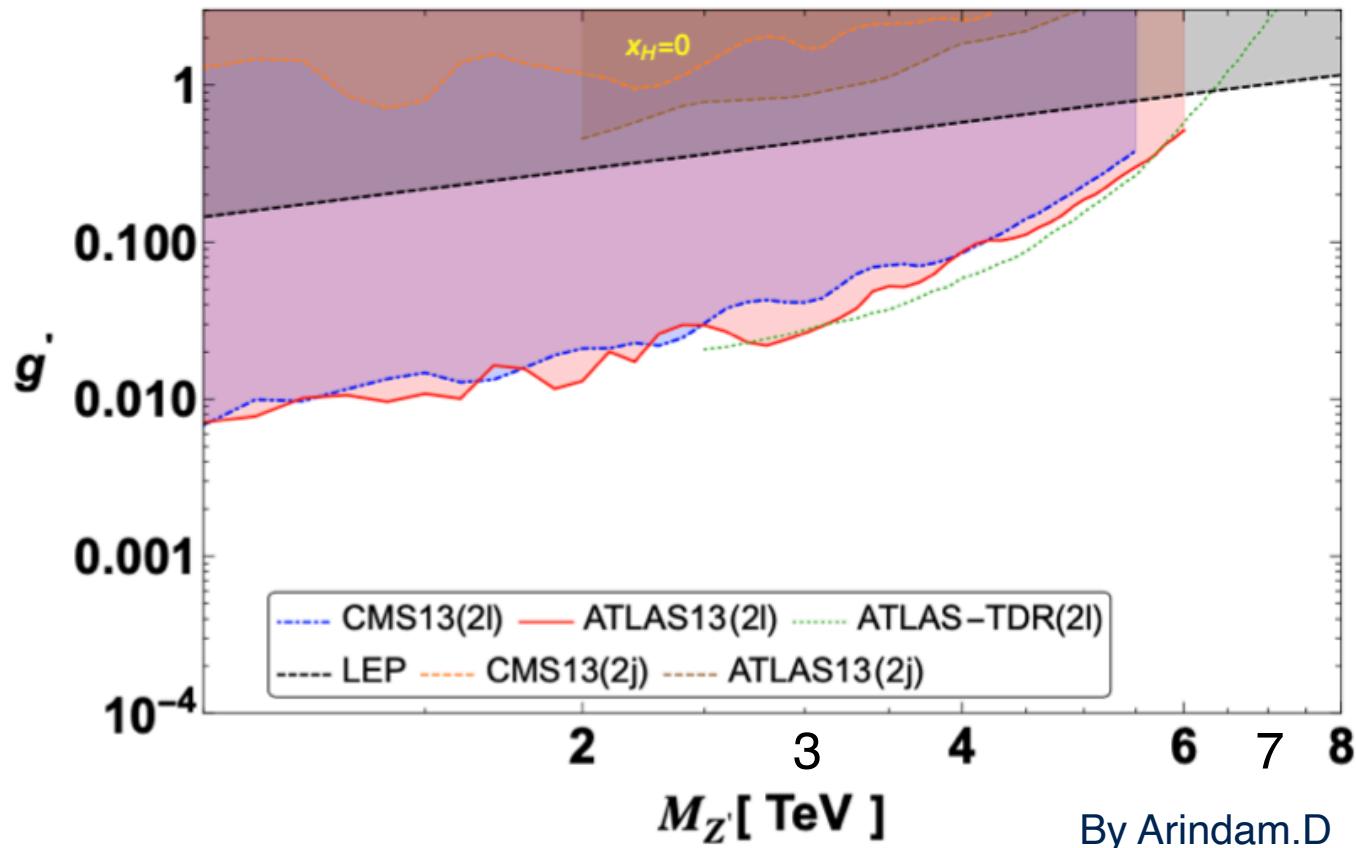
$|V_{eN}|^2$  : the “light-heavy” neutrino mixing matrix



<https://arxiv.org/pdf/1802.02965.pdf>

# Current Limits and prospects - Z' mass,g1'

G1' :U(1)<sub>B-L</sub> gauge coupling constant



$M_N$ [GeV]	$M_{Z'}$ [TeV]	$g1'$
100	7	1
200	7	1

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