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***Identifying Large Extra Dimensions in  
dilepton production at the Large Hadron  
Collider***


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# Introduction



It is generally expected that New Physics (NP) will manifest itself at colliders such as the LHC and the ILC (International  $e^+e^-$  Linear Collider).

The NP effects will be observed either **directly**, as in the case of new particle production, e.g.,  $Z'$  and vector  $W'$  bosons, SUSY or Kaluza-Klein (KK) resonances, or **indirectly** through deviations of observables (cross sections and asymmetries) from SM predictions.



In the case of **indirect** discovery many different NP Scenarios may lead to the **same** or **very similar** experimental signatures.

There are many different NP scenarios predicting new particle exchanges which can lead to Contact Interaction (**CI**) below direct production threshold.

Here we **develop a technique** based on the center-edge asymmetry which offers a way to identify tensor (graviton) exchange both in ADD scenario in  $pp \rightarrow l^+ l^- + X$  at the LHC.

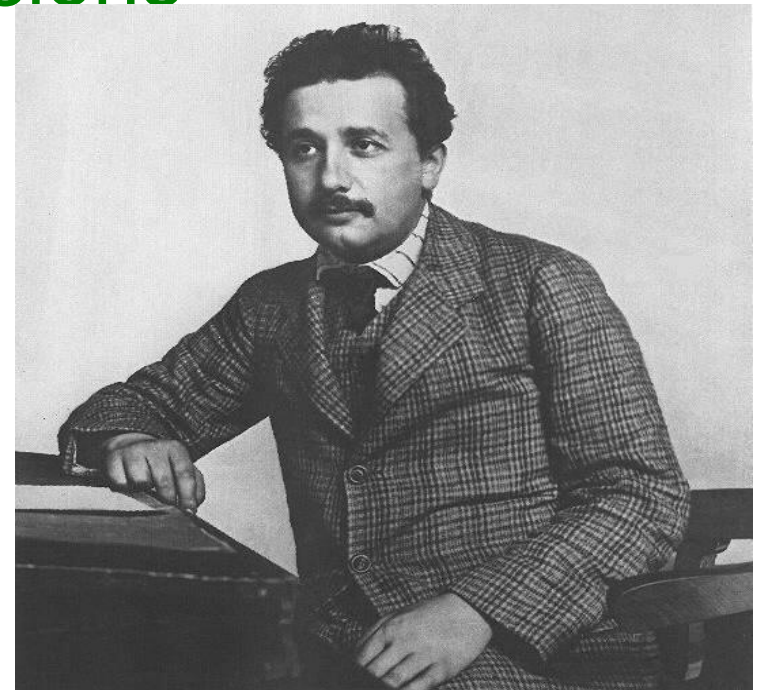
## A fifth dimension? Some History:



Gunnar Nordstrom  
1881–1923

- Finnish physicist Nordstrom showed in 1914 that gravity and electromagnetism could be unified in a single theory with 5 dimensions

- However, this theory incorporated Nordstrom's theory of gravity – in competition with Einstein's at the time – and was largely ignored



# A fifth dimension?



Theodor Kaluza  
1885–1954

- Polish mathematician Kaluza showed in 1919 that gravity and electromagnetism could be unified in a single theory with 5 dimensions – using Einstein’s theory of gravity

“The idea of achieving a unified theory by means of five-dimensional world would never have dawned on me...At first glance I like your idea tremendously”

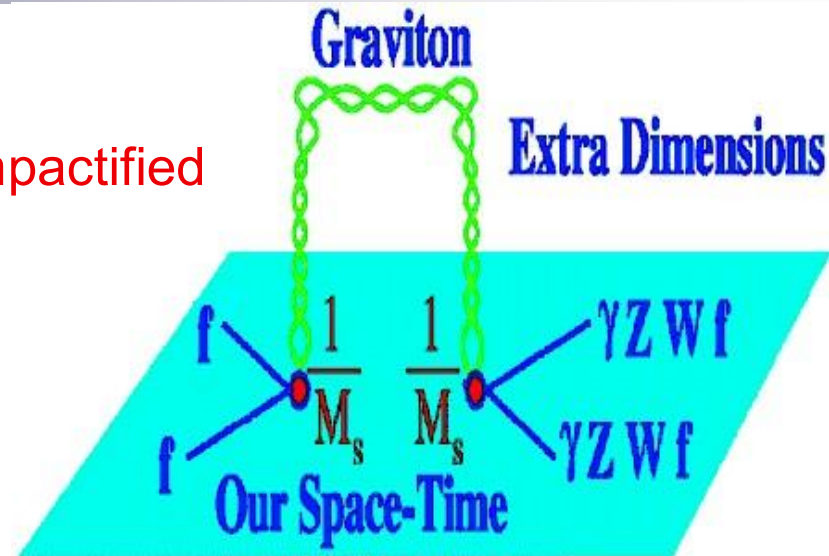




(Arkani-Hamed-Dimopoulos-Dvali:1998)

ADD scenario: Gravity in "large" compactified extra dimensions (gauge hierarchy)

- Gravity only can propagate in the full 4+N space



- Virtual exchange of the graviton KK excitation states is governed by the effective Lagrangian (similar to dim-8 CI):

$$L^{ADD} = i \frac{4\lambda}{M_H^4} T^{\mu\nu} T_{\mu\nu}$$

where  $M_H$  is the cut-off scale (convention of *Hewett*),  $\lambda = \pm 1$ .

- Introduce UV cut-off when summing over KK states:

$$\mathcal{M} \sim \sum_{\vec{n}=1}^{\infty} \frac{G_N}{M^2 - m_{\vec{n}}^2} \rightarrow \frac{2}{d-2} \cdot \frac{1}{M_H^4 (\text{HLZ})},$$

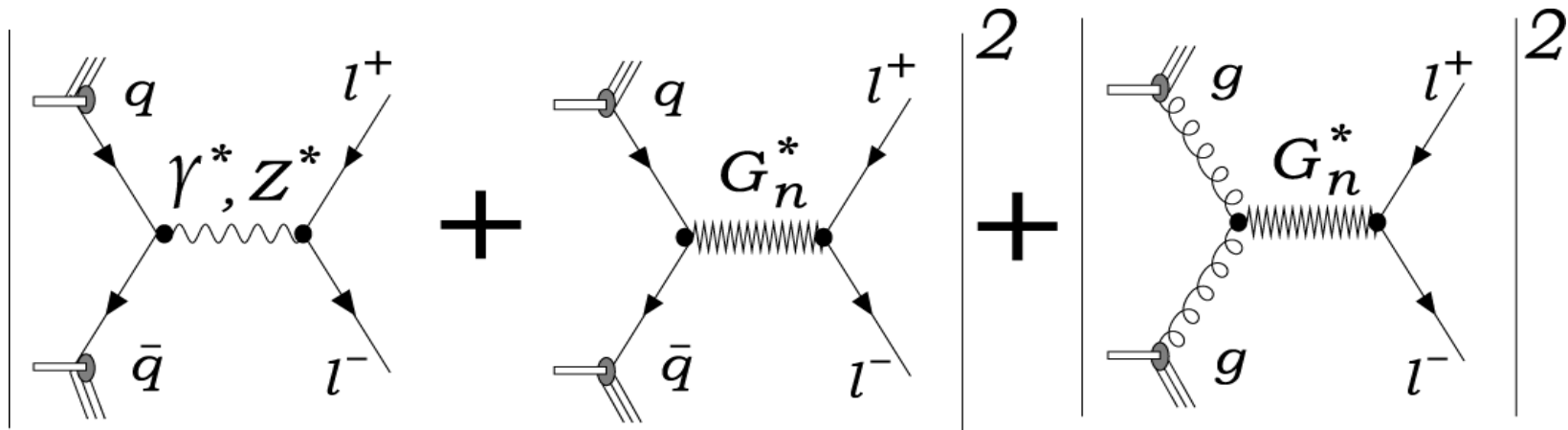
A different approach was given in ADD model which proposes the size of the extra dimensions could be roughly at millimeter and at the TeV scale that leads to possible observation at the LHC

$$pp \rightarrow l^+ l^- + X$$

**SM:**  $q\bar{q} \rightarrow \gamma, Z \rightarrow l^+ l^-$

**Graviton exchange** signatures in ADD scenario:

$$q\bar{q} \rightarrow G \rightarrow l^+ l^-, \quad gg \rightarrow G \rightarrow l^+ l^-$$



Feynman diagrams for dilepton production at leading order in the ADD model



# ATLAS search summary

## ATLAS Exotics Searches\* - 95% CL Exclusion

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ATLAS Preliminary

$\int \mathcal{L} dt = (1.0 - 20.3) \text{ fb}^{-1}$   $\sqrt{s} = 7, 8 \text{ TeV}$

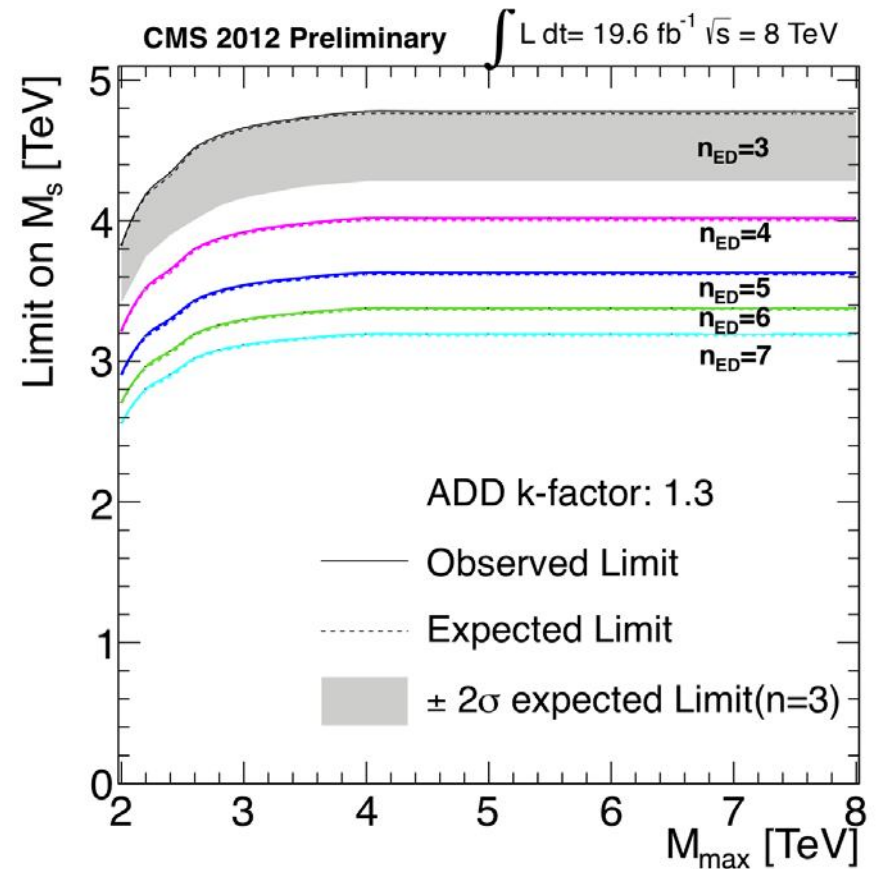
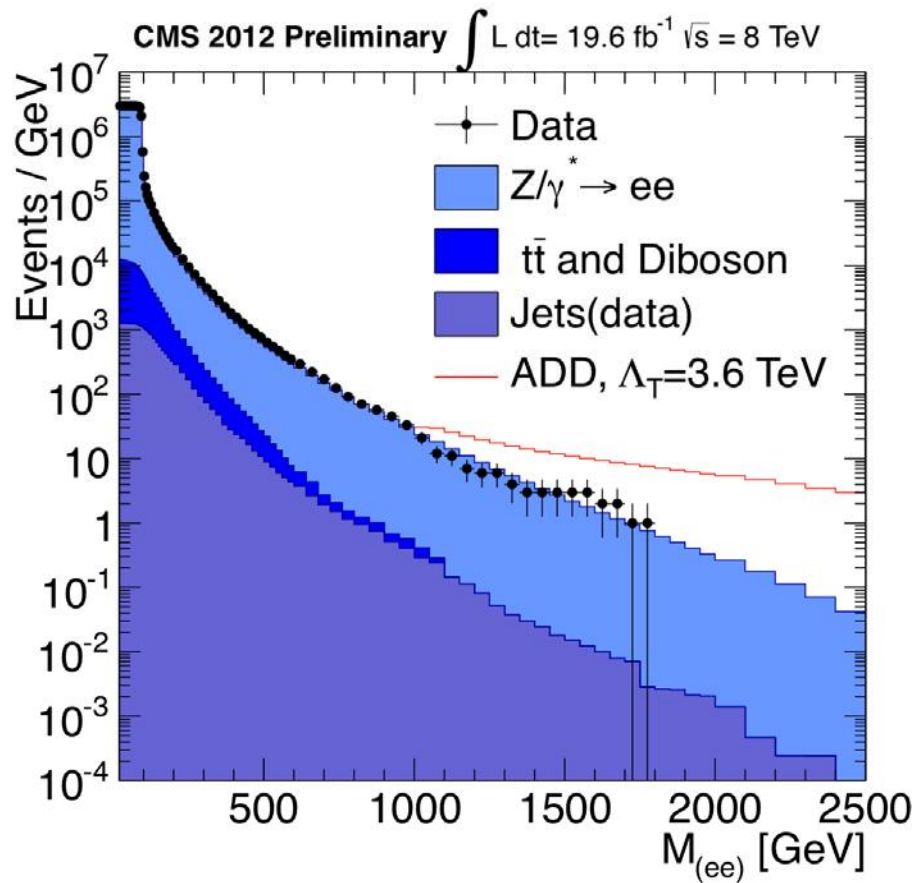
Model	$\ell, \gamma$	Jets	$E_T^{\text{miss}}$	$\int \mathcal{L} dt [\text{fb}^{-1}]$	Mass limit	Reference	
Extra dimensions	ADD $G_{KK} + g/q$	-	1-2 j	Yes	4.7	$M_D$ 4.37 TeV	$n = 2$ 1210.4491
	ADD non-resonant $\ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$	-	-	20.3	$M_S$ 5.2 TeV	$n = 3 \text{ HLZ}$ ATLAS-CONF-2014-030
	ADD QBH $\rightarrow \ell q$	$1e, \mu$	1 j	-	20.3	$M_{\text{th}}$ 5.2 TeV	$n = 6$ 1311.2006
	ADD QBH	-	2 j	-	20.3	$M_{\text{th}}$ 5.82 TeV	$n = 6$ to be submitted to PRD
	ADD BH high $N_{\text{trk}}$	$2\mu \text{ (SS)}$	-	-	20.3	$M_{\text{th}}$ 5.7 TeV	$n = 6, M_D = 1.5 \text{ TeV, non-rot BH}$ 1308.4075
	ADD BH high $\Sigma p_T$	$> 1e, \mu$	$\geq 2j$	-	20.3	$M_{\text{th}}$ 6.2 TeV	$n = 6, M_D = 1.5 \text{ TeV, non-rot BH}$ 1405.4254
	RS1 $G_{KK} \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$	-	-	20.3	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 2.68 TeV	$k/\overline{M}_{Pl} = 0.1$ 1405.4123
	RS1 $G_{KK} \rightarrow WW \rightarrow \ell\nu\ell\nu$	$2e, \mu$	-	Yes	4.7	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 1.23 TeV	$k/\overline{M}_{Pl} = 0.1$ 1208.2880
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow \ell\ell q\bar{q}$	$2e, \mu$	$2j / 1J$	-	20.3	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 730 GeV	$k/\overline{M}_{Pl} = 1.0$ ATLAS-CONF-2014-039
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow HH \rightarrow b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$	-	4 b	-	19.5	$G_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 590-710 GeV	$k/\overline{M}_{Pl} = 1.0$ ATLAS-CONF-2014-005
	Bulk RS $G_{KK} \rightarrow t\bar{t}$	$1e, \mu$	$\geq 1b, \geq 1J/2j$	Yes	14.3	$B_{KK} \text{ mass}$ 2.0 TeV	ATLAS-CONF-2013-052
	$S^1/Z_2$ ED	$2e, \mu$	-	-	5.0	$M_{KK} \approx R^{-1}$ 4.71 TeV	1209.2535
UED	$2\gamma$	-	Yes	4.8	Compact. scale $R^{-1}$ 1.41 TeV	ATLAS-CONF-2012-072	
Gauge bosons	SSM $Z' \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$	-	-	20.3	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 2.9 TeV	1405.4123
	SSM $Z' \rightarrow \tau\tau$	$2\tau$	-	-	19.5	$Z' \text{ mass}$ 1.9 TeV	ATLAS-CONF-2013-066
	SSM $W' \rightarrow \ell\nu$	$1e, \mu$	-	Yes	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 3.28 TeV	ATLAS-CONF-2014-017
	EGM $W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow \ell\nu\ell'\ell'$	$3e, \mu$	-	Yes	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.52 TeV	1406.4456
	EGM $W' \rightarrow WZ \rightarrow qq\ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$	$2j / 1J$	-	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.59 TeV	ATLAS-CONF-2014-039
	LRSM $W'_R \rightarrow t\bar{b}$	$1e, \mu$	2 b, 0-1 j	Yes	14.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.84 TeV	ATLAS-CONF-2013-050
LRSM $W'_R \rightarrow t\bar{b}$	$0e, \mu$	$\geq 1b, 1J$	-	20.3	$W' \text{ mass}$ 1.77 TeV	to be submitted to EPJC	
CI	CI $qqqq$	-	2 j	-	4.8	$\Lambda$ 7.6 TeV	$\eta = +1$ 1210.1718
	CI $qq\ell\ell$	$2e, \mu$	-	-	20.3	$\Lambda$ 21.6 TeV	$\eta_{LL} = -1$ ATLAS-CONF-2014-030
	CI $uu\tau\tau$	$2e, \mu \text{ (SS)}$	$\geq 1b, \geq 1j$	Yes	14.3	$\Lambda$ 3.3 TeV	$ C  = 1$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-051
DM	EFT D5 operator (Dirac)	$0e, \mu$	1-2 j	Yes	10.5	$M_*$ 731 GeV	at 90% CL for $m(\chi) < 80 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2012-147
	EFT D9 operator (Dirac)	$0e, \mu$	$1J, \leq 1j$	Yes	20.3	$M_*$ 2.4 TeV	at 90% CL for $m(\chi) < 100 \text{ GeV}$ 1309.4017
LQ	Scalar LQ 1 <sup>st</sup> gen	$2e$	$\geq 2j$	-	1.0	LQ mass 660 GeV	$\beta = 1$ 1112.4828
	Scalar LQ 2 <sup>nd</sup> gen	$2\mu$	$\geq 2j$	-	1.0	LQ mass 685 GeV	$\beta = 1$ 1203.3172
	Scalar LQ 3 <sup>rd</sup> gen	$1e, \mu, 1\tau$	1 b, 1 j	-	4.7	LQ mass 534 GeV	$\beta = 1$ 1303.0526
Heavy quarks	Vector-like quark $TT \rightarrow Ht + X$	$1e, \mu$	$\geq 2b, \geq 4j$	Yes	14.3	T mass 790 GeV	T in (T,B) doublet ATLAS-CONF-2013-018
	Vector-like quark $TT \rightarrow Wb + X$	$1e, \mu$	$\geq 1b, \geq 3j$	Yes	14.3	T mass 670 GeV	isospin singlet ATLAS-CONF-2013-060
	Vector-like quark $TT \rightarrow Zt + X$	$2/\geq 3e, \mu$	$\geq 2/\geq 1b$	-	20.3	T mass 735 GeV	T in (T,B) doublet ATLAS-CONF-2014-036
	Vector-like quark $BB \rightarrow Zb + X$	$2/\geq 3e, \mu$	$\geq 2/\geq 1b$	-	20.3	B mass 755 GeV	B in (B,Y) doublet ATLAS-CONF-2014-036
	Vector-like quark $BB \rightarrow Wt + X$	$2e, \mu \text{ (SS)}$	$\geq 1b, \geq 1j$	Yes	14.3	B mass 720 GeV	B in (T,B) doublet ATLAS-CONF-2013-051
Excited fermions	Excited quark $q^* \rightarrow q\gamma$	$1\gamma$	1 j	-	20.3	$q^* \text{ mass}$ 3.5 TeV	only $u^*$ and $d^*$ , $\Lambda = m(q^*)$ 1309.3230
	Excited quark $q^* \rightarrow qg$	-	2 j	-	20.3	$q^* \text{ mass}$ 4.09 TeV	only $u^*$ and $d^*$ , $\Lambda = m(q^*)$ to be submitted to PRD
	Excited quark $b^* \rightarrow Wt$	$1 \text{ or } 2e, \mu$	1 b, 2 j or 1 j	Yes	4.7	$b^* \text{ mass}$ 870 GeV	left-handed coupling 1301.1583
	Excited lepton $\ell^* \rightarrow \ell\gamma$	$2e, \mu, 1\gamma$	-	-	13.0	$\ell^* \text{ mass}$ 2.2 TeV	$\Lambda = 2.2 \text{ TeV}$ 1308.1364
Other	LSTC $a_T \rightarrow W\gamma$	$1e, \mu, 1\gamma$	-	Yes	20.3	$a_T \text{ mass}$ 960 GeV	to be submitted to PLB
	LRSM Majorana $\nu$	$2e, \mu$	2 j	-	2.1	$N^0 \text{ mass}$ 1.5 TeV	1203.5420
	Type III Seesaw	$2e, \mu$	-	-	5.8	$N^{\pm} \text{ mass}$ 245 GeV	$ V_e  = 0.055,  V_{\mu}  = 0.063,  V_{\tau}  = 0$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-019
	Higgs triplet $H^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \ell\ell$	$2e, \mu \text{ (SS)}$	-	-	4.7	$H^{\pm\pm} \text{ mass}$ 409 GeV	DY production, $\text{BR}(H^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \ell\ell) = 1$ 1210.5070
	Multi-charged particles	-	-	-	4.4	multi-charged particle mass 490 GeV	DY production, $ q  = 4e$ 1301.5272
	Magnetic monopoles	-	-	-	2.0	monopole mass 862 GeV	DY production, $ g  = 1g_D$ 1207.6411

$\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$   $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$

10<sup>-1</sup> 1 10 Mass scale [TeV]

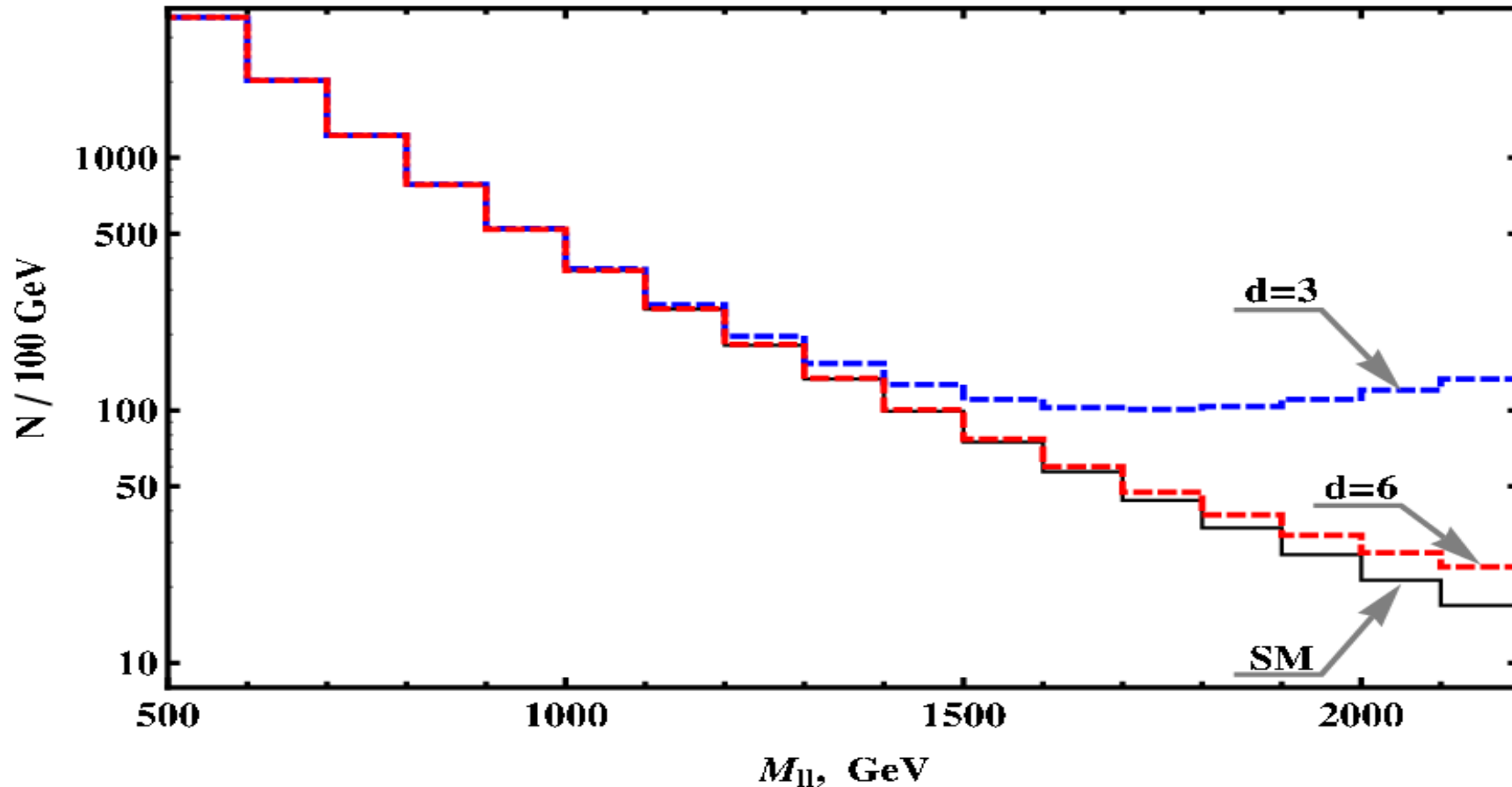
\*Only a selection of the available mass limits on new states or phenomena is shown.

## Limits on the ADD model



To estimate the **discovery reach** of graviton towers in the ADD model one can use the invariant mass distributions of lepton pairs that have significantly different behavior in the SM and the ADD model

$pp \rightarrow l^+l^- + X$  @ LHC (14 TeV),  $M_S = 6$  TeV

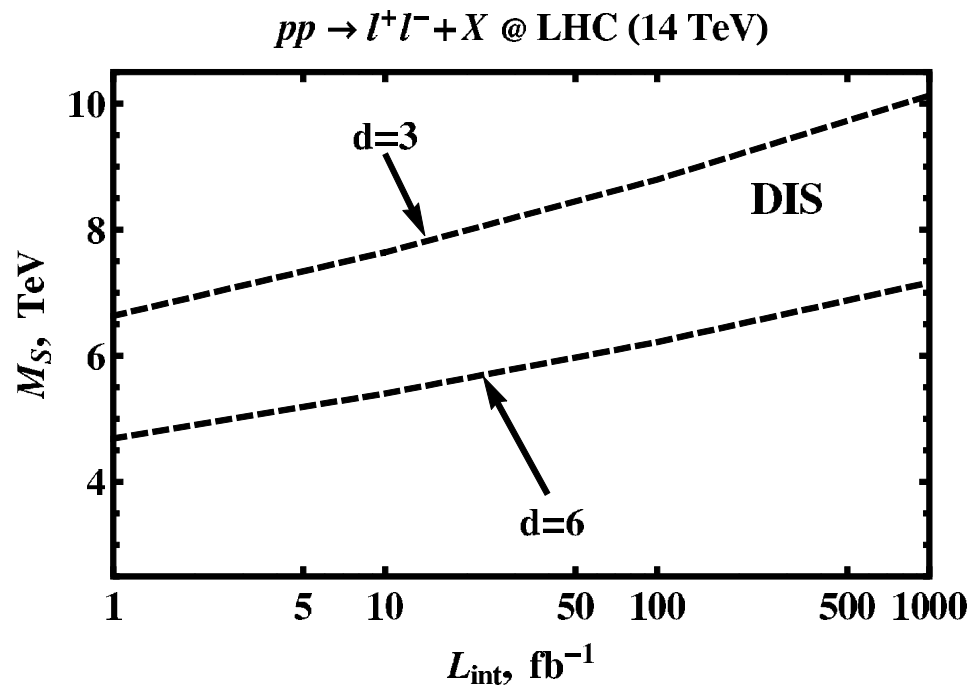


Effects of extra dimensions on the dilepton mass spectrum at the LHC. Histograms shows the spectrum in the SM model as well as in the ADD scenario with cutoff  $M_S=6$  TeV and different number of extra dimensions (d=3,6) at the LHC.

## Discovery reach

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{bin} \left( \frac{\Delta N_{bin}}{\delta N_{bin}} \right)^2 \quad \boxed{\chi^2 = 3,84,}$$

$$N_{bin} = \varepsilon_e \mathcal{L}_{int} \sigma_{bin}, \quad \varepsilon_e = 90\%, \quad \Delta N_{bin} = N_{bin}^{ADD} - N_{bin}^{CM}, \quad \delta N_{bin} = \sqrt{N_{bin}}.$$



The results of the analysis are demonstrated in Fig. 2. In particular, Fig. 2 shows discovery reach on cutoff scale  $M_S$  at 95 % C.L. for  $d=3$  and  $d=6$  as a function of integrated luminosity at the LHC.



## Various New Physics possibilities

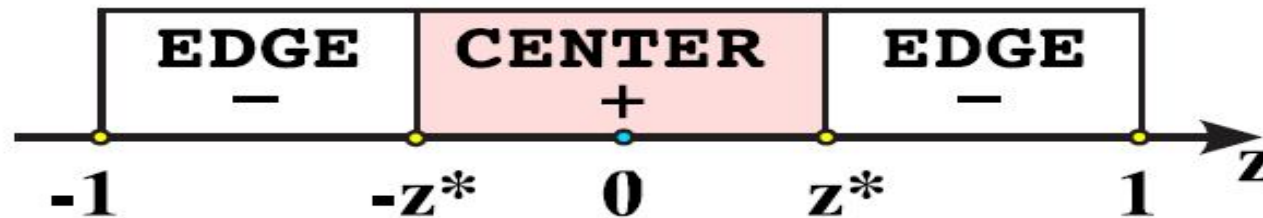
- Composite models
- Heavy  $Z'$  exchanges
- Scalar and vector leptoquarks
- Sneutrino exchange
- Anomalous Gauge Couplings (AGC)
- Exchange of gauge boson KK towers
- Virtual KK graviton exchange (ADD)
- etc.

Of course, there may be many other sources of CI from NP models as yet undiscovered, as was the low-scale gravity scenario only several years ago.

# Centre-Edge Asymmetry $A_{CE}$ (parton level)

$$A_{CE} = \frac{\hat{\sigma}_{CE}}{\hat{\sigma}},$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_{CE} = \left[ \int_{-z^*}^{z^*} - \left( \int_{-1}^{-z^*} + \int_{z^*}^1 \right) \right] \frac{d\hat{\sigma}}{dz} dz,$$



$$z \equiv z_{CM} = \cos \theta_{CM}; \quad \theta_{CM} = \angle(q, e^-)$$

## ACE in CI and Ext. Dim. scenarios

$$\frac{d\sigma_{q\bar{q}}^{\text{CM}}}{dz} = \frac{3}{8}(1+z^2) \cdot \sigma_{q\bar{q}}^{\text{CM}}$$

NP=CI

$$\frac{d\sigma_{q\bar{q}}^{\text{NP}}}{dz} = \frac{3}{8}(1+z^2) \cdot \sigma_{q\bar{q}}^{\text{NP}}$$

$$A_{\text{CE}}^{\text{CM}} = \frac{\sigma_{q\bar{q}}^{\text{CM}} [\frac{1}{2}z^*(z^{*2}+3) - 1]}{\sigma_{q\bar{q}}^{\text{CM}}} = \frac{1}{2}z^*(z^{*2}+3) - 1$$

$$A_{\text{CE}}^{\text{NP}} = \frac{\sigma_{q\bar{q}}^{\text{NP}} [\frac{1}{2}z^*(z^{*2}+3) - 1]}{\sigma_{q\bar{q}}^{\text{NP}}} = \frac{1}{2}z^*(z^{*2}+3) - 1$$

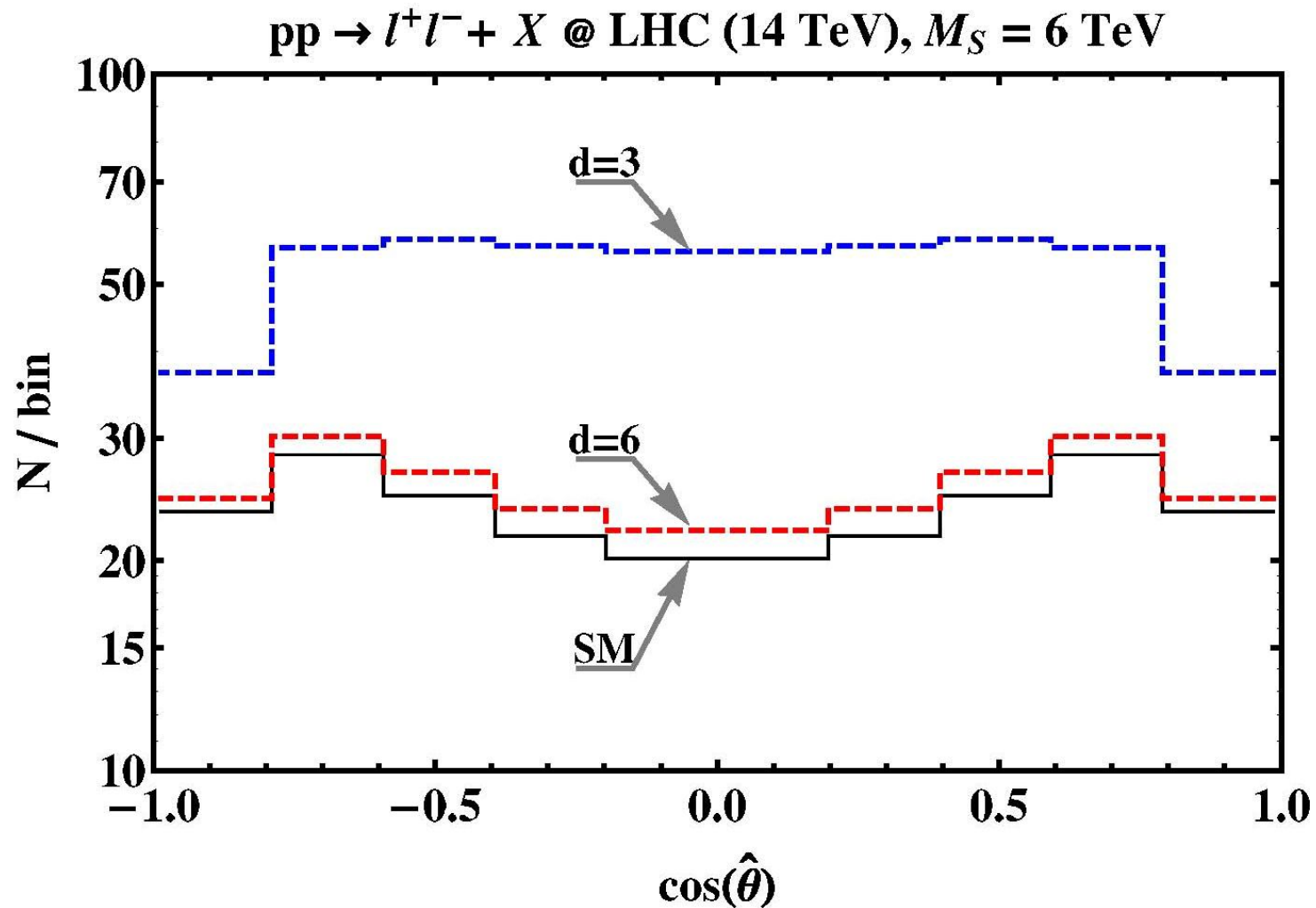
$$A_{\text{CE}}^{\text{CM}} = A_{\text{CE}}^{\text{NP}} = \frac{1}{2}z^*(z^{*2}+3) - 1$$

$$\frac{d\sigma^{\text{ADD}}}{dz} = \frac{3}{8}(1+z^2)\sigma_{q\bar{q}}^{\text{CM}} + \frac{5}{8}(1-3z^2+4z^4)\sigma_{q\bar{q}}^{\text{G}} + \frac{5}{8}(1-z^4)\sigma_{gg}^{\text{G}} + \frac{1}{4}(1-3z^2)\sigma_{Z/\gamma}^{\text{G}}$$

$$A_{\text{CE}}^{\text{ADD}} = \frac{\sigma_{\text{CE}}^{\text{ADD}}}{\sigma^{\text{ADD}}}$$

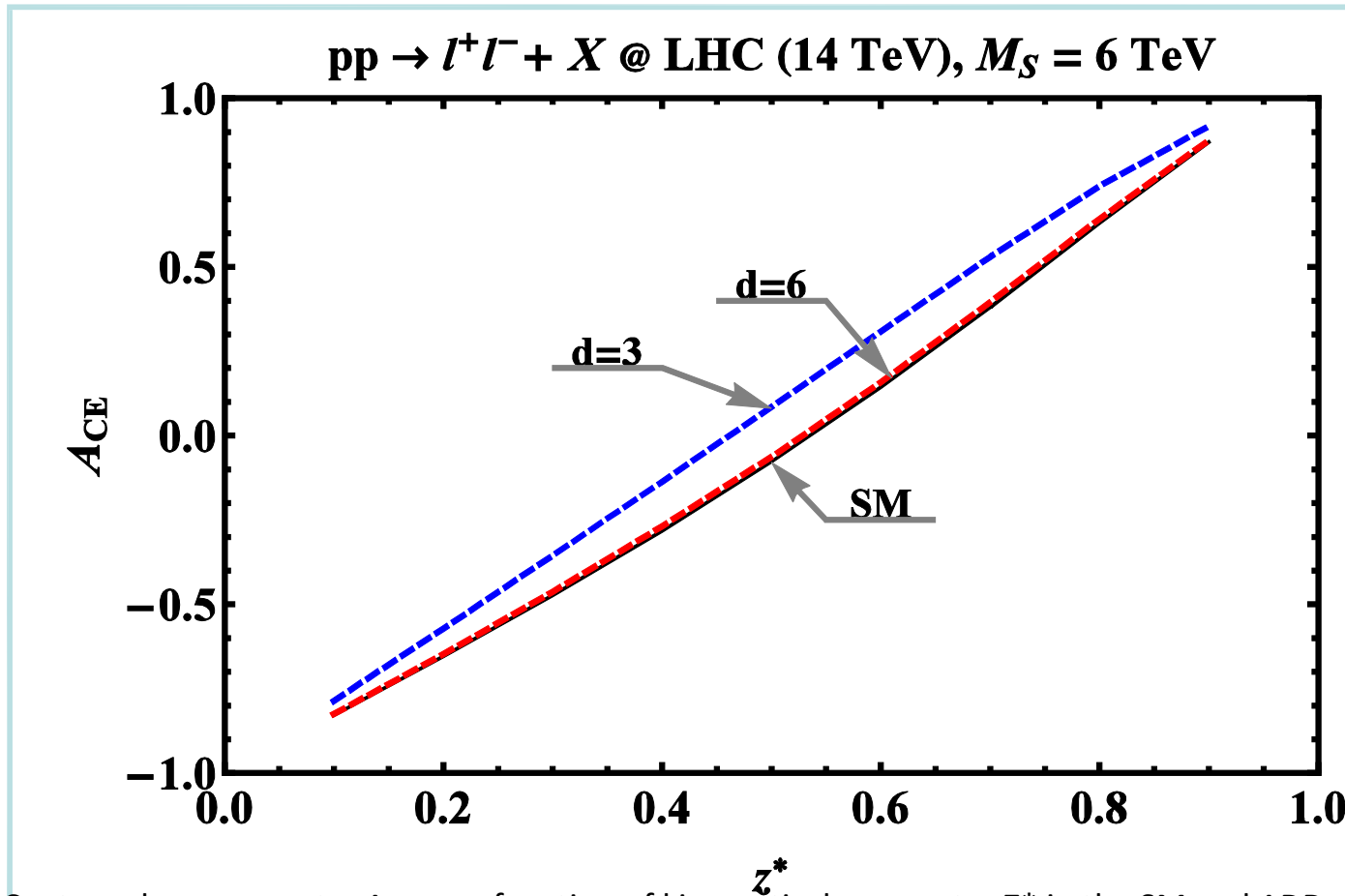
$$\text{ADD} : A_{\text{CE}}^{\text{ADD}} \neq A_{\text{CE}}^{\text{NP}}$$

# Angular distributions





## Center-edge asymmetry ACE



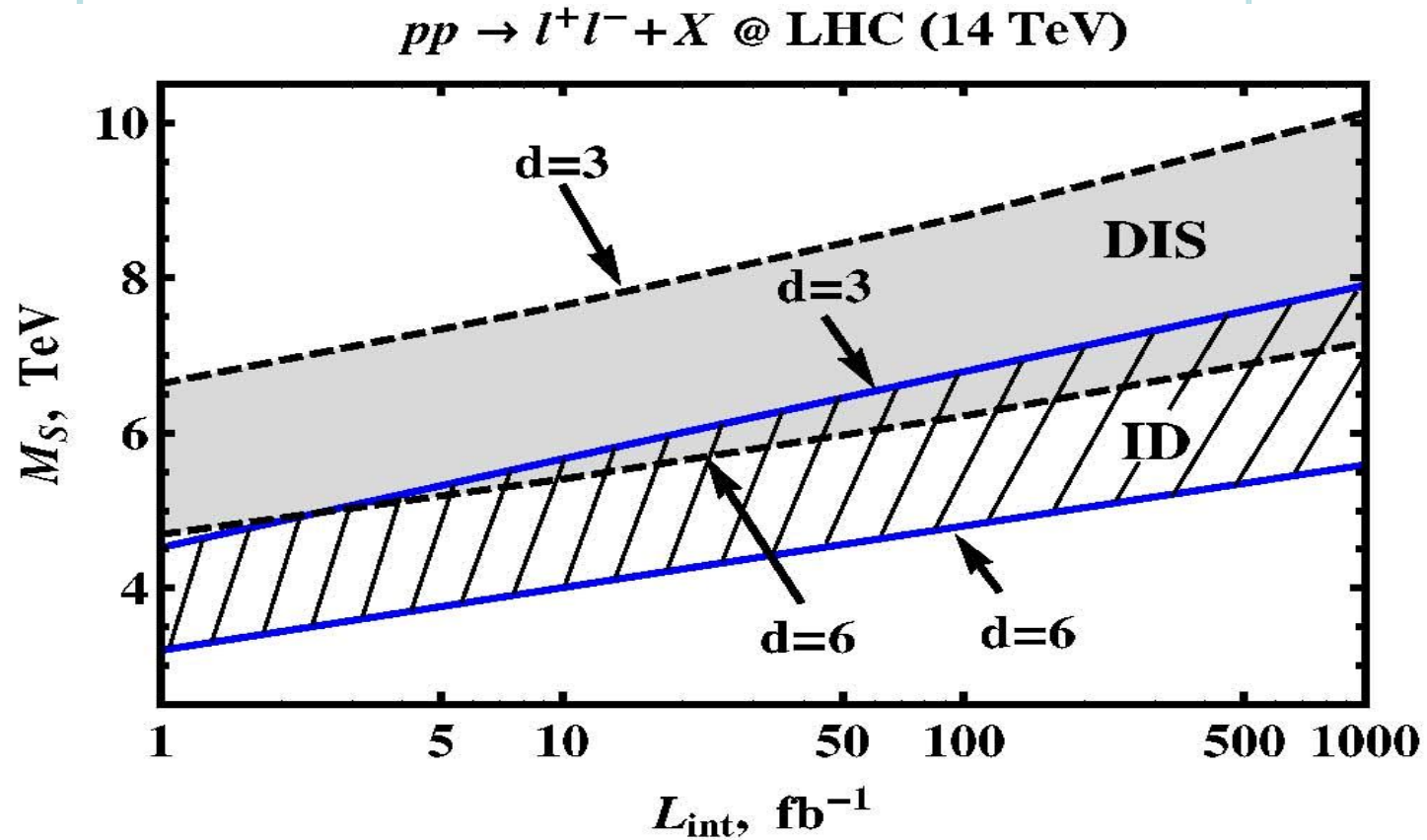
**CI:**

$$\Delta A_{CE} = A_{CE}^{CI} - A_{CE}^{SM} = 0$$

**ADD:**

$$\Delta A_{CE} = A_{CE}^{ADD} - A_{CE}^{SM} \neq 0$$

# Identification reach



Discovery (gray band) and identification (hatched) reaches on  $M_S$  (in TeV) at 95% as a function of integrated luminosity for different number of extra dimensions ( $d=3-6$ ) at the LHC with 14 TeV



# Conclusions

- By considering the present and future LHC energy regimes, we reanalyse the potential of the LHC to discover the effects of large extra dimensions and to discriminate between various theoretical models.
- Specifically, in latter case we explore the capability of the LHC to distinguish spin-2 Kaluza-Klein towers of gravitons exchange from other new physics effects which might be conveniently parametrized by the four-fermion contact interactions. Centre-edge asymmetry provides unique graviton exchange signature in lepton pair production at the LHC energies
- We find that the LHC with planned energy 14 TeV and luminosity  $100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  will be capable of discovering (and identifying) graviton exchange effects in the large extra dimensions with the cutoff parameter of order  $M_s = 6.2 \text{ TeV}$  (4.8 TeV) for  $d = 6$  and  $M_s = 8.8 \text{ TeV}$  (6.8 TeV) for  $d = 3$ .

An aerial photograph of a valley with a patchwork of green and brown fields. In the background, there are blue mountains with snow-capped peaks under a clear sky. A glowing yellow oval graphic is superimposed over the valley, with eight small yellow circles at its perimeter. The text "Thanks for your attention!" is centered within the oval.

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