



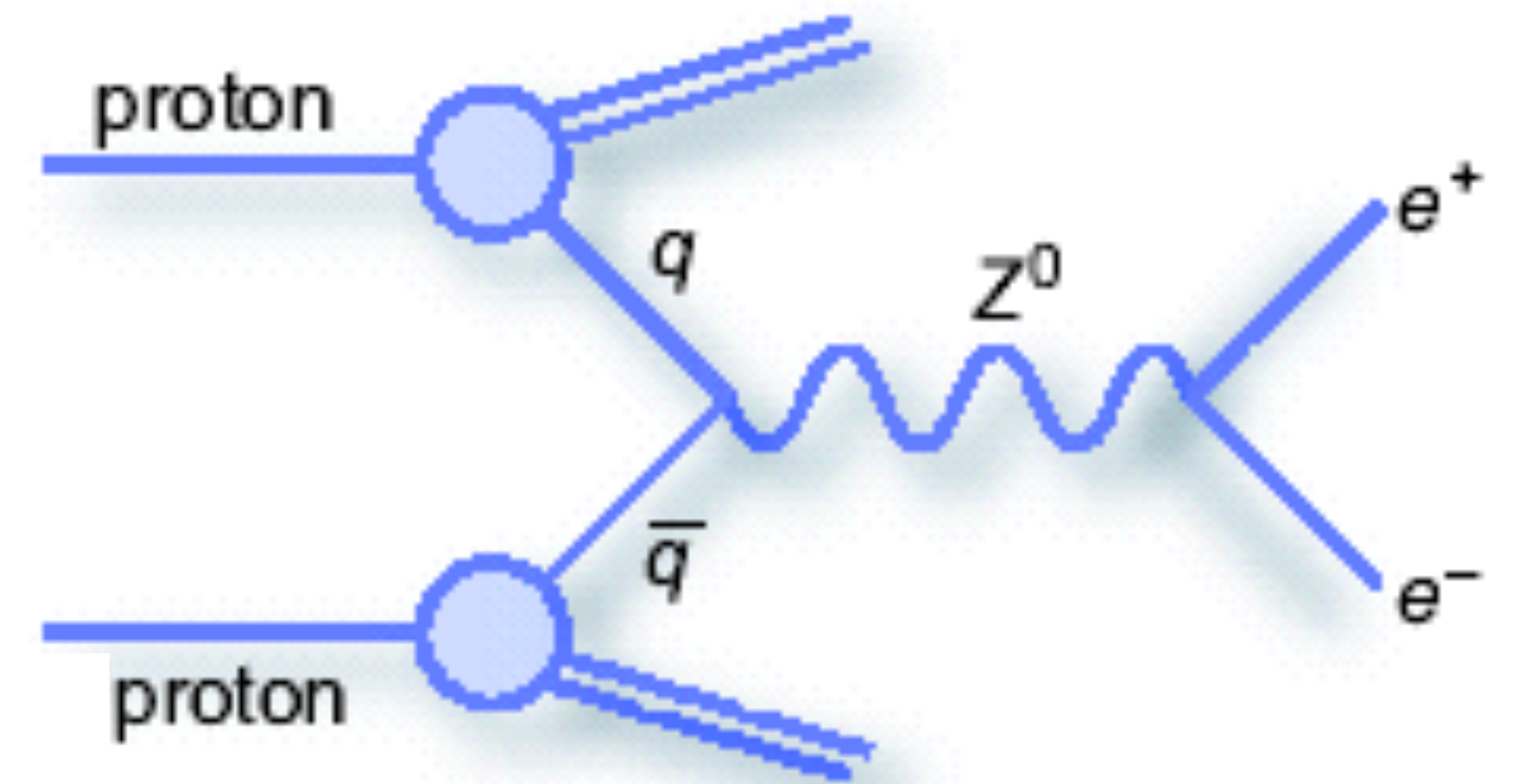
PHYSICS AT COLLIDERS

TRISEP Summer School, July 2022

Tutorial I and II

DATA ANALYSIS

- ▶ You will be analyzing 1 fb^{-1} of LHC data at $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$ from the ATLAS experiment
- ▶ Goals
 - ▶ Measure Z boson production cross-section
 - ▶ Learn some collider / detector physics along the way
- ▶ First, break into groups



DATA ANALYSIS: GETTING SETUP

- We will be using data and MC provided by the ATLAS experiment
- Datasets are provided in ntuple format
- Analysis will be done in pyROOT
- Navigate to:
 - <https://jupyter.trisep.triumf.ca/>
 - Choose: Notebook Python 3.6 (with ROOT)
 - in /trisep/collider/, find:
 - Data and MC files
 - Notebooks to get you started
 - Information on ntuple format

DATA ANALYSIS: PART 1

- We will start with data
 - Lepton-triggered data set
- First choice
 - team electron, `lep_type == 11`
 - data file: `/trisep/collider/DataEgamma.root`
 - Permanently stored at: <http://opendata.atlas.cern/release/samples/Data/DataEgamma.root>
 - team muon, `lep_type == 13`
 - data file: `/trisep/collider/DataMuons.root`
 - Permanently stored at: <http://opendata.atlas.cern/release/samples/Data/DataMuons.root>
- First question
 - What do you expect the inclusive lepton p_T spectrum to look like? Discuss with your group. Be as specific as you can
- First task
 - Plot inclusive lepton p_T spectrum. Compare to your prediction.
 - Use “ATLAS_data_example_lepton_pT.ipynb” for example (copy to your local area)

DATA ANALYSIS: PART 2

- Now, your turn to do a mini analysis
- Discuss how to select Z candidates with your group
- Implement event selection (start simple)
- What do you expect the invariant mass of the Z candidates to look like? Discuss first. Make a prediction for peak position, width of the peak, what happens outside the peak?
- Plot invariant mass of your Z candidates. Compare to your prediction.

$$m = \sqrt{(E_1 + E_2)^2 - (\vec{p}_1 + \vec{p}_2)^2} \quad (\text{or use } TLorentzVector! \text{ shown in example NB})$$

- If you were going to fit the Z peak, what function would you use to fit it?

DATA ANALYSIS: PART 3

- Make the following plots. Before each one, make a prediction about what you expect the distribution to look like and discuss with your group. After plotting, compare to your prediction:
 - Leptons from Z boson decay:
 - p_T
 - ϕ
 - η
 - Z boson candidate:
 - p_T
 - rapidity y
 - pseudo-rapidity η

DATA ANALYSIS: PART 4

➤ You will be analyzing 1 fb^{-1} of LHC data at $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$ from the ATLAS experiment

➤ Measure the $Z \rightarrow ll$ boson cross section

➤ Assume no background

➤ How could/would convince yourself that the background contribution is small?

➤ Do you need to run over all events in the data sample? What do you gain?

➤ Do you need any Monte Carlo?

➤ Make any reasonable assumptions that simplify your life

➤ Which Z cross-section? Feel free to make a choice...

$$N_{\text{signal}} = \int L dt \times \sigma \times \epsilon$$

➤ fiducial cross-section (no A)

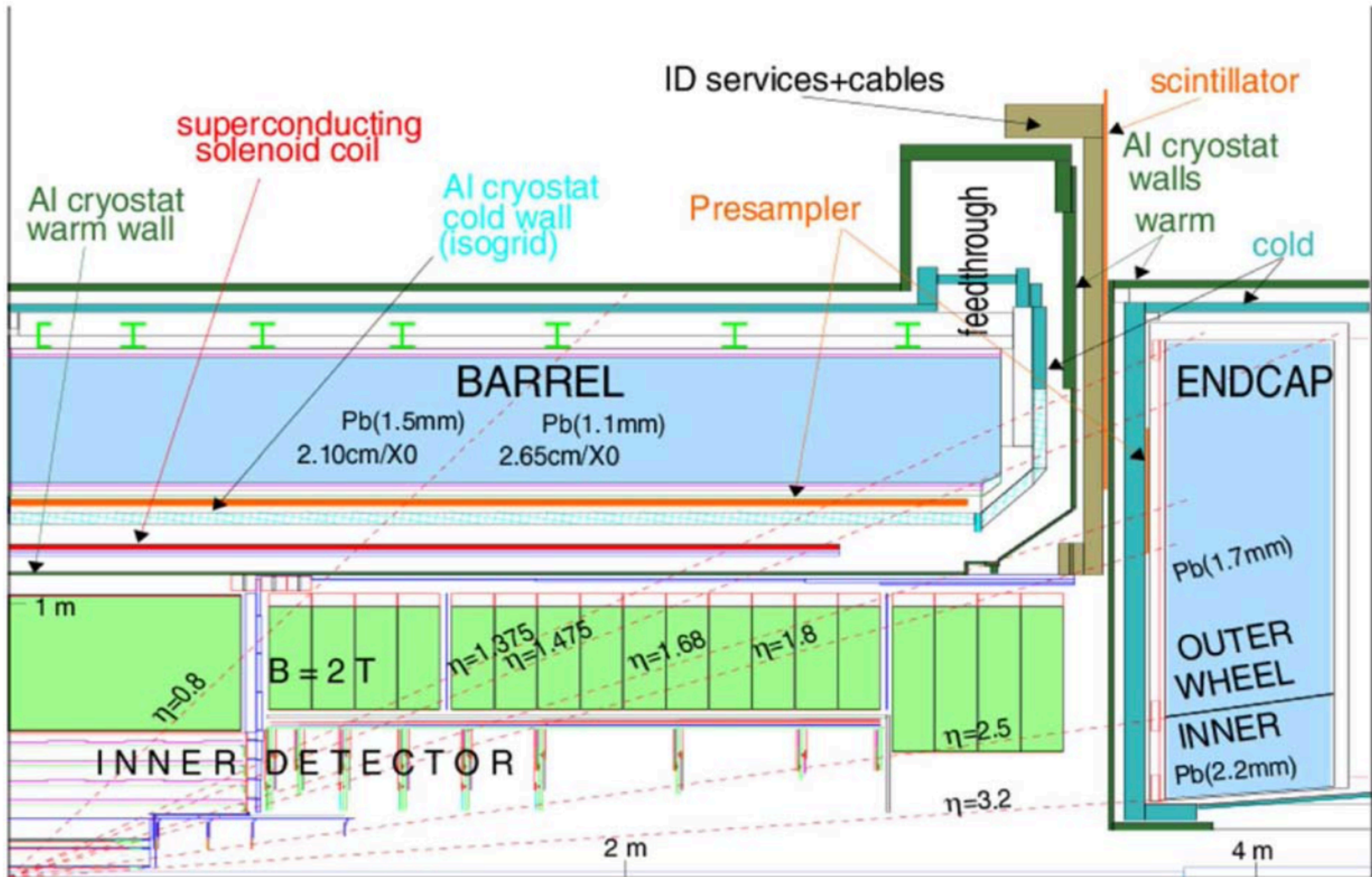
➤ total cross-section (extrapolate to full phase space)

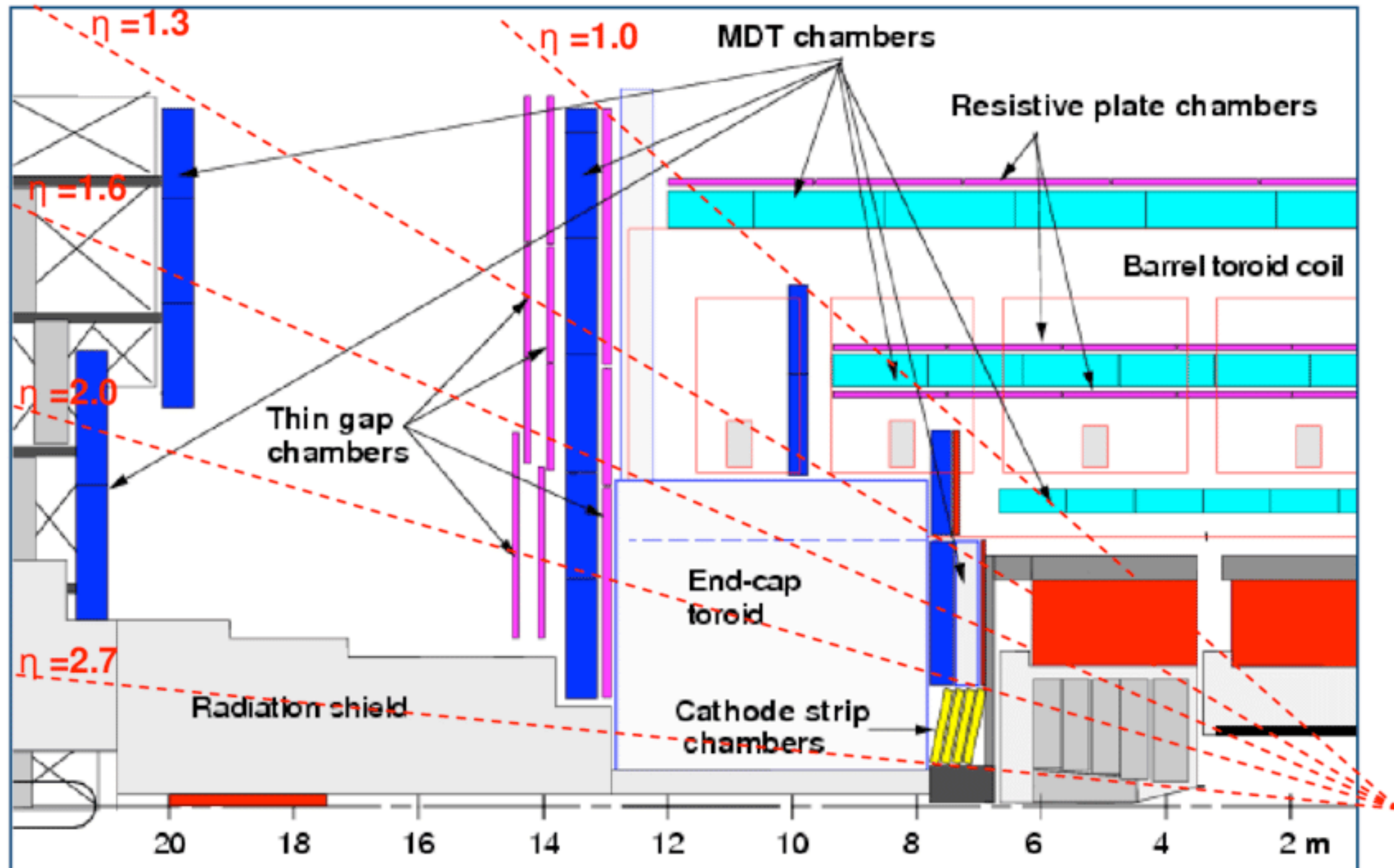
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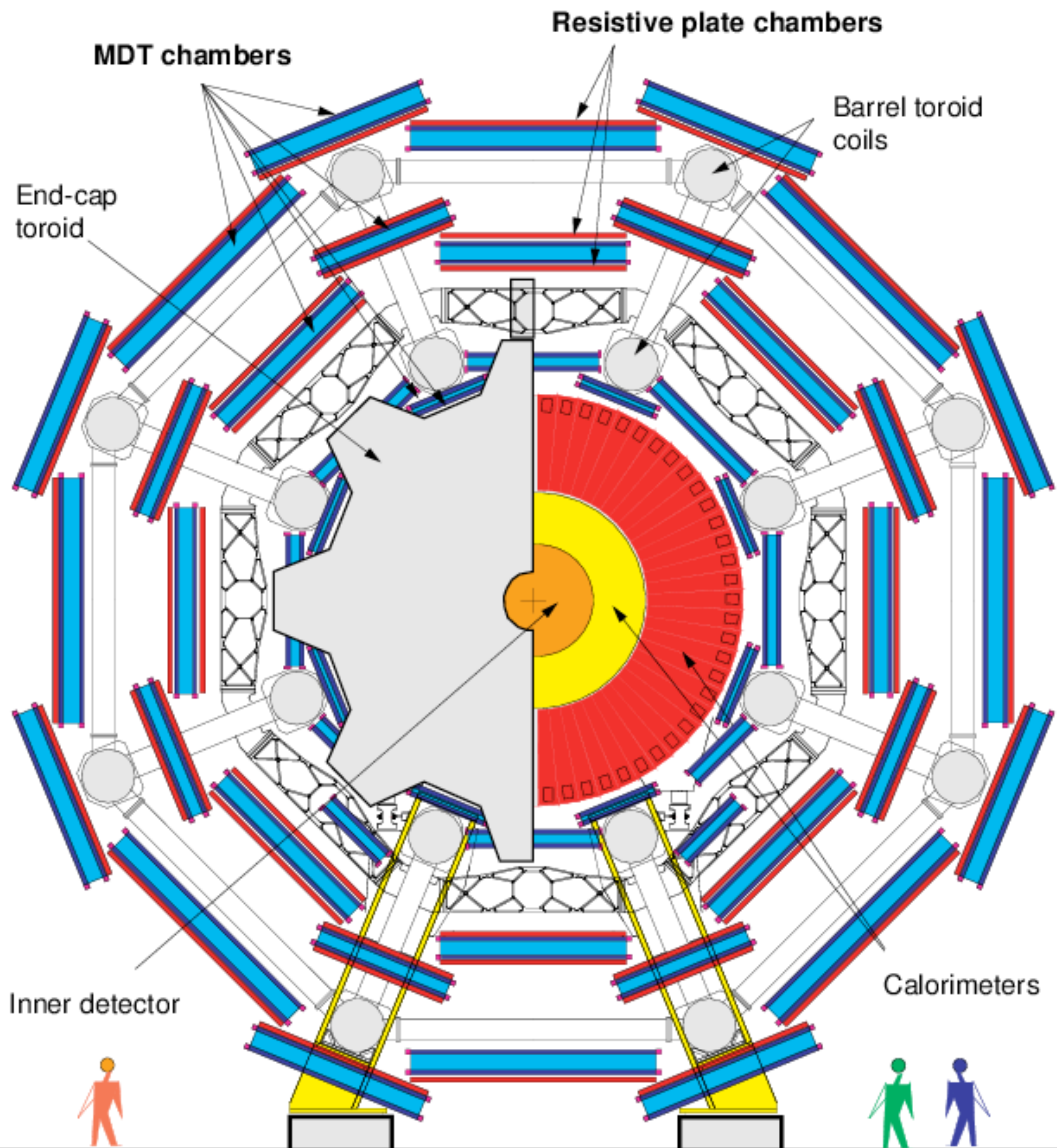
(note, no BR since we are measuring $Z \rightarrow ll$ cross-section, not total Z cross-section)

DATA ANALYSIS: PART 5 (IF TIME PERMITS)

- Other fun things to look at:
 - What happens if you select same-charge leptons (but all other selections) and plot invariant mass distribution? Is this different for electrons and muons?
 - How well does the simulation reproduce the data?
 - What happens if you select 4 lepton events and plot invariant mass of all same-flavor, opposite-charge pairs?
 - What does the jet p_T distribution look like? What does it tell you?







COMPARE TO: [HTTPS://ARXIV.ORG/PDF/1612.03016.PDF](https://arxiv.org/pdf/1612.03016.pdf)

$\sigma_{W \rightarrow \ell \nu}^{\text{tot}}$ [pb]	
$W^+ \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu$	6350 ± 2 (stat) ± 30 (syst) ± 110 (lumi) ± 100 (acc)
$W^- \rightarrow \ell^- \bar{\nu}$	4376 ± 2 (stat) ± 25 (syst) ± 79 (lumi) ± 90 (acc)
$W \rightarrow \ell \nu$	10720 ± 3 (stat) ± 60 (syst) ± 190 (lumi) ± 130 (acc)
$\sigma_{Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow \ell \ell}^{\text{tot}}$ [pb]	
$Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow \ell \ell$	990 ± 1 (stat) ± 3 (syst) ± 18 (lumi) ± 15 (acc)

Table 9: Total cross sections times leptonic branching ratios obtained from the combination of electron and muon channels with statistical and systematic uncertainties, for W^+ , W^- , their sum and the Z/γ^* process measured at $\sqrt{s} = 7$ TeV. The Z/γ^* cross section is defined for the dilepton mass window $66 < m_{\ell\ell} < 116$ GeV. The uncertainties denote the statistical (stat), the experimental systematic (syst), the luminosity (lumi), and acceptance extrapolation (acc) contributions.

	$\sigma_{Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow \ell\ell}^{\text{fid}}$ [pb]
$Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow e^+e^-$	502.7 ± 0.5 (stat) ± 2.0 (syst) ± 9.0 (lumi)
$Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$	501.4 ± 0.4 (stat) ± 2.3 (syst) ± 9.0 (lumi)
$Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow \ell\ell$	502.2 ± 0.3 (stat) ± 1.7 (syst) ± 9.0 (lumi)

Central $Z/\gamma^* \rightarrow \ell\ell$: $p_{T,\ell} > 20$ GeV, $|\eta_\ell| < 2.5$, $46 < m_{\ell\ell} < 150$ GeV