## Pushing the Precision frontier at the LHC with V+jets

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## 1 Motivation

- [1] Ratios of W and Z cross sections at large boson  $p_T$  as a constraint on PDFs and background to new physics, Sarah Alam Malik and Graeme Watt, JHEP 1402 (2014) 025.
- [2] Interplay and Characterization of Dark Matter Searches at Colliders and in Direct Detection Experiments, S. Malik et. al.,arXiv:1409.4075 (2014). Published in Physics of the Dark Universe.