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Search for a Standard Model-like Higgs boson decaying into WW to lnu qqbar in pp collisions at sqrt s=8 TeV BIBHUTI PARIDA, Tata Institute of Fundamental Research, Mumbai — A search for a Standard Model-like Higgs boson decaying into the W+W- final state is performed with an integrated luminosity of 19.3 inverse femtobarn of pp collisions data recorded with the CMS detector at sqrt s=8 TeV. The search is performed in the semileptonic channel in the high mass region $600 < m_H < 1000$ GeV, where the hadronically decaying W boson is highly boosted and its decay products are contained in one jet. Advanced jet substructure techniques are used in identifying the hadronically decaying W. No evidence for an SM-like Higgs boson has been found in the investigated mass region.

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