



Physics at the LHC

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Outline

- Introduction: LHC and (high- P_T) pp experiments
- Electroweak Symmetry Breaking
- Supersymmetry
- Other (possible) new physics (extra dims, etc.)
- LHC++
- Summary



Thoughts on the Standard Model

- **It's beautiful, logically consistent**
 - ◆ It's relatively low cost: it needs (with respect to today) only one new particle – the Higgs boson.
- **Of course, it doesn't tell us many things:**
 - ◆ why three generations
 - ◆ anything about gravity
 - ◆ why masses are what they are (it blames the couplings...)
 - ◆ and many, many other things (Cosmological Constant etc)
 - It is “only” an effective theory (but a very effective one indeed)
- **Nevertheless, it is, with the possible exception of adding supersymmetry, the most powerful theory we have today**
 - ◆ But we need to find the Higgs; and theory does NOT provide (precise) information on its mass
 - ◆ Alternatively, we still need to understand why $M_Z \gg M_\gamma$



Pending issues/questions (and LHC)

■ Too many parameters (19→26)

- ◆ 3 couplings (g_1, g_2, g_3 or $\alpha, \Theta_W, \Lambda_{\text{QCD}}$)
- ◆ 2 parameters from the Higgs potential (v, λ or M_Z, M_H)
- ◆ 9 (12) fermion masses: $e, \mu, \tau, u, c, t, d, s, b; \nu_e, \nu_\mu, \nu_\tau$
- ◆ 3 mixing angles + 1 phase in CKM matrix (+ 3+1 for leptons...)
- ◆ Vacuum parameter of QCD, Θ_{QCD} .

■ Naturalness of mass scale v .

- ◆ Or, why it is so much smaller than $(G_N)^{-1/2}$
 - Why does v have the specific value
 - Is this value a stable one?

$$\delta m^2 \sim g^2 \int_0^\Lambda \frac{d^4 k}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{1}{k^2} \sim O(\alpha^2) \Lambda^2$$

→ Ways out: no Higgs, e.g. dynamical symmetry breaking; and supersymmetry



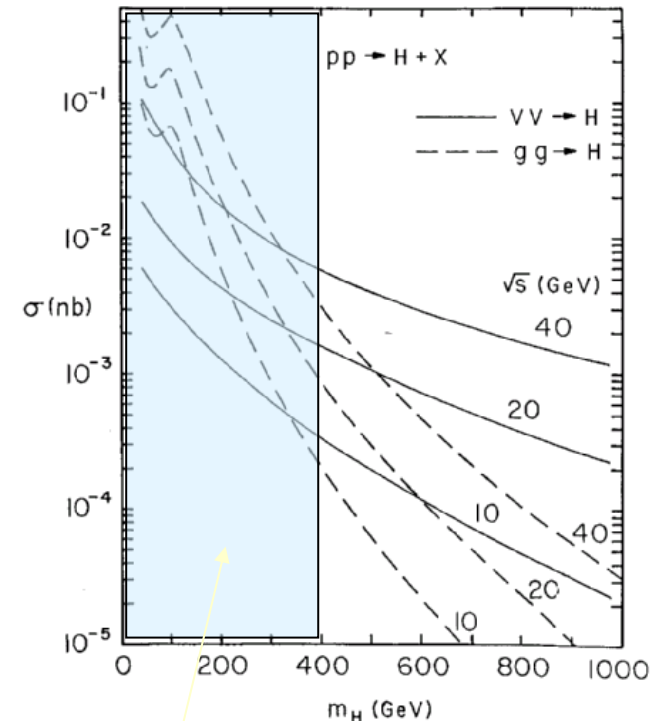
A machine for EWK Symmetry Breaking

- **Superconducting SuperCollider (SSC)**

- ◆ THE machine to do this job; history...

- **Large Hadron Collider**

- ◆ Use existing LEP tunnel



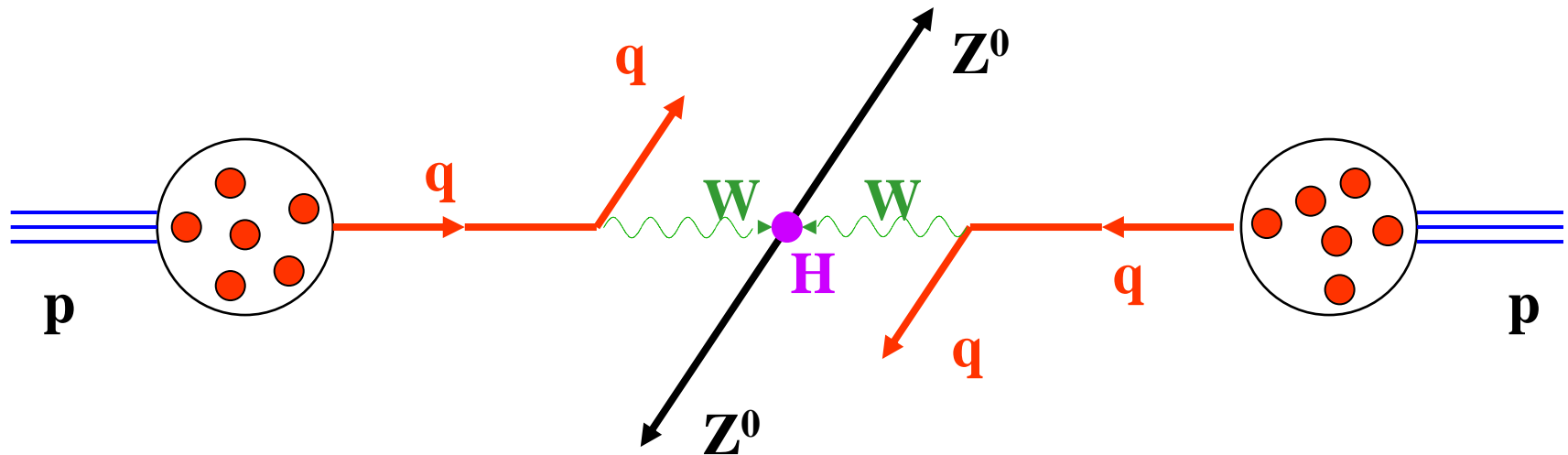
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Phys.Rev.D32:1642,1985

Need to probe the
physics of ~ 1 TeV



Higgs Production in pp Collisions



$$M_H \sim 1000 \text{ GeV}$$

$$E_W \geq 500 \text{ GeV}$$

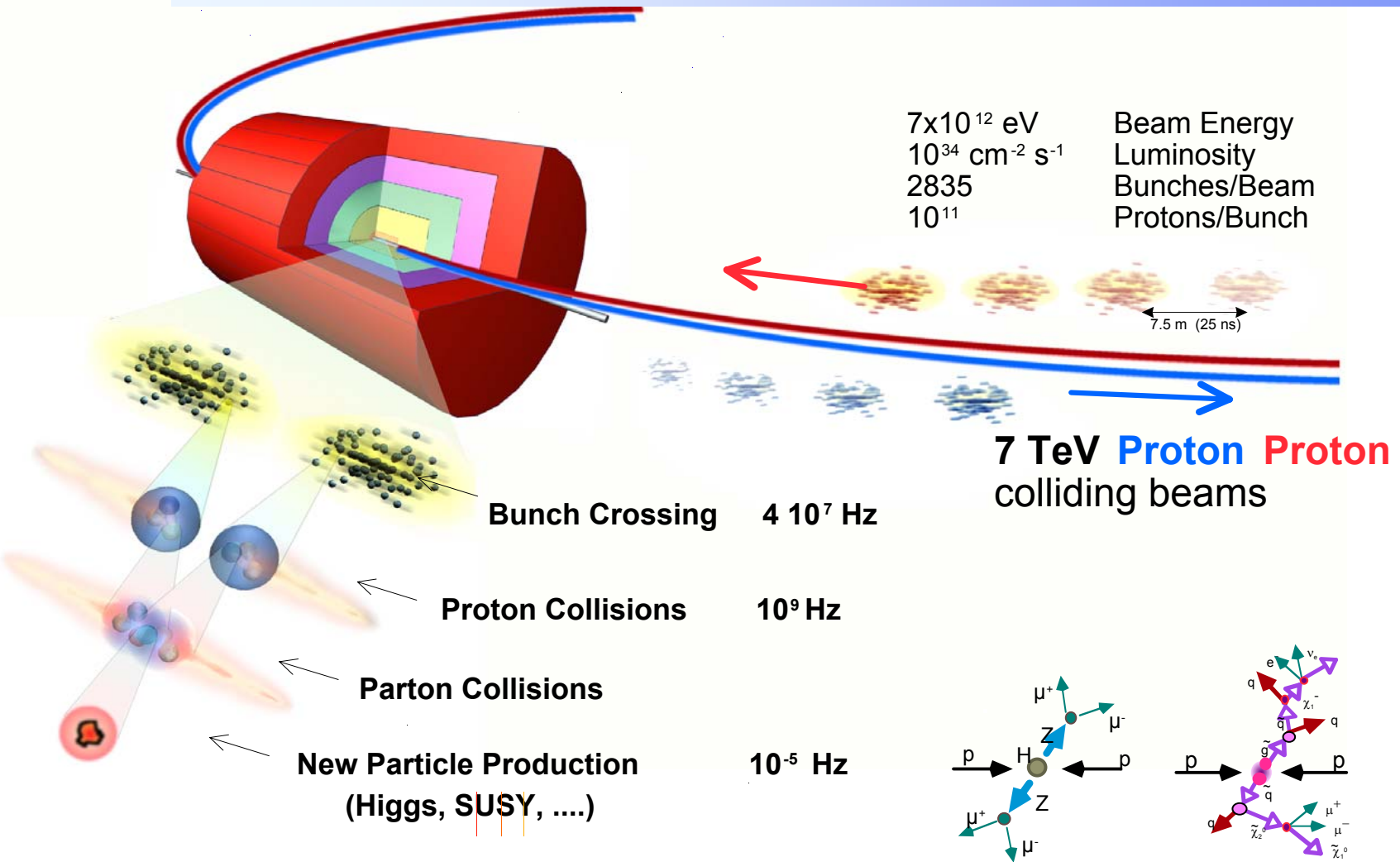
$$E_q \geq 1000 \text{ GeV (1 TeV)}$$

$$E_p \geq 6000 \text{ GeV (6 TeV)}$$

→ Proton Proton Collider with $E_p \geq 7 \text{ TeV}$



Collisions at the LHC: summary





Further conditions

■ LHC: make up for the lower production cross section

- ◆ Normally, $\sigma \sim 1/s$, so a factor x in c.m. energy needs a factor x^2 in luminosity (for the same number of events; $N = \sigma L$)

- Not true at a hadron-hadron collider:

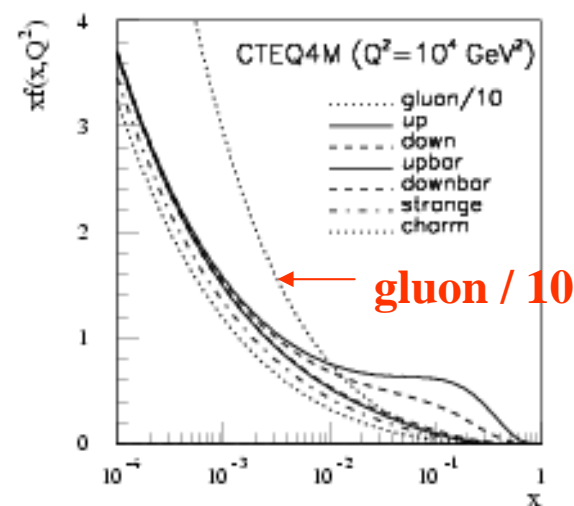
$$\sigma = \frac{1}{s} \sum_{a,b} \int_{x_a x_b = m^2/s}^1 \hat{\sigma}_{ab} dx_a dx_b F_a(x_a, Q^2) F_b(x_b, Q^2)$$

- Very rapid increase of structure functions at low x

→ Very significant increase in σ as s increases

- ◆ Rough rule of thumb: a factor 2 in s is equivalent to a factor ~ 10 in luminosity
- ◆ LHC must run at a higher luminosity (than the SSC would)

- Full “design” luminosity: $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
- “Low”, luminosity: $10^{33} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$





pp cross section and min. bias

■ # of interactions/crossing:

◆ Interactions/s:

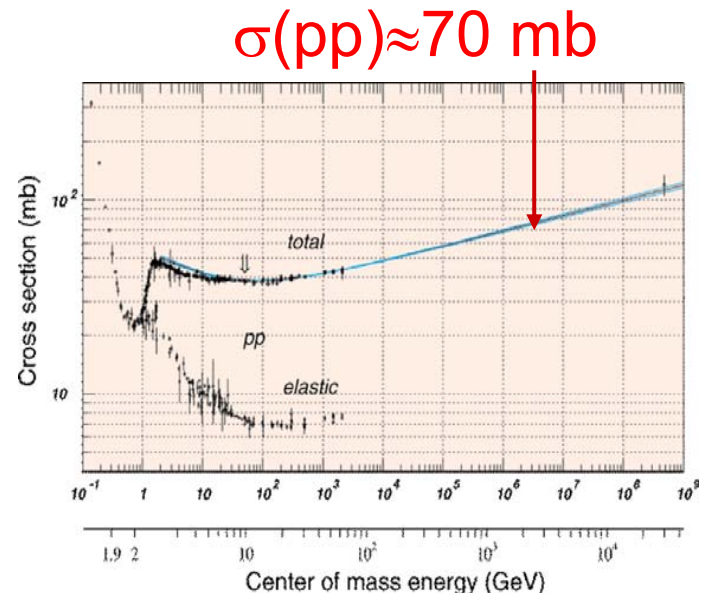
- $Lum = 10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1} = 10^7 \text{ mb}^{-1}\text{Hz}$
- $\sigma(pp) = 70 \text{ mb}$
- Interaction Rate, $R = 7 \times 10^8 \text{ Hz}$

◆ Events/beam crossing:

- $\Delta t = 25 \text{ ns} = 2.5 \times 10^{-8} \text{ s}$
- Interactions/crossing = 17.5

◆ Not all p bunches are full

- 2835 out of 3564 only
- Interactions/"active" crossing = $17.5 \times 3564 / 2835 = 23$



Operating conditions (summary):

- 1) A "good" event containing a Higgs decay +
- 2) ≈ 20 extra "bad" (minimum bias) interactions



pp collisions at 14 TeV at $10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

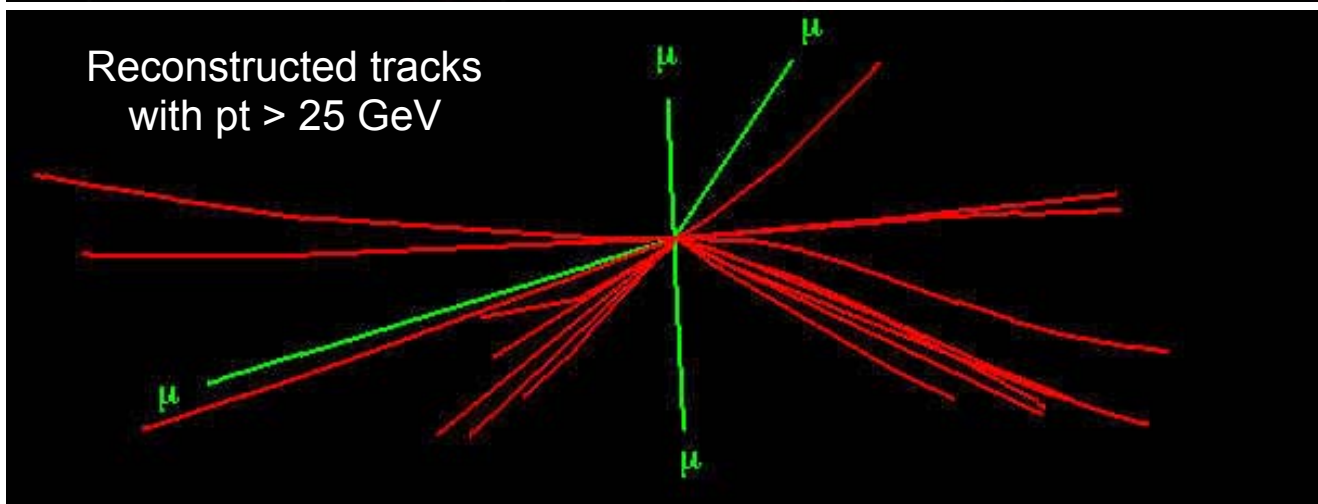
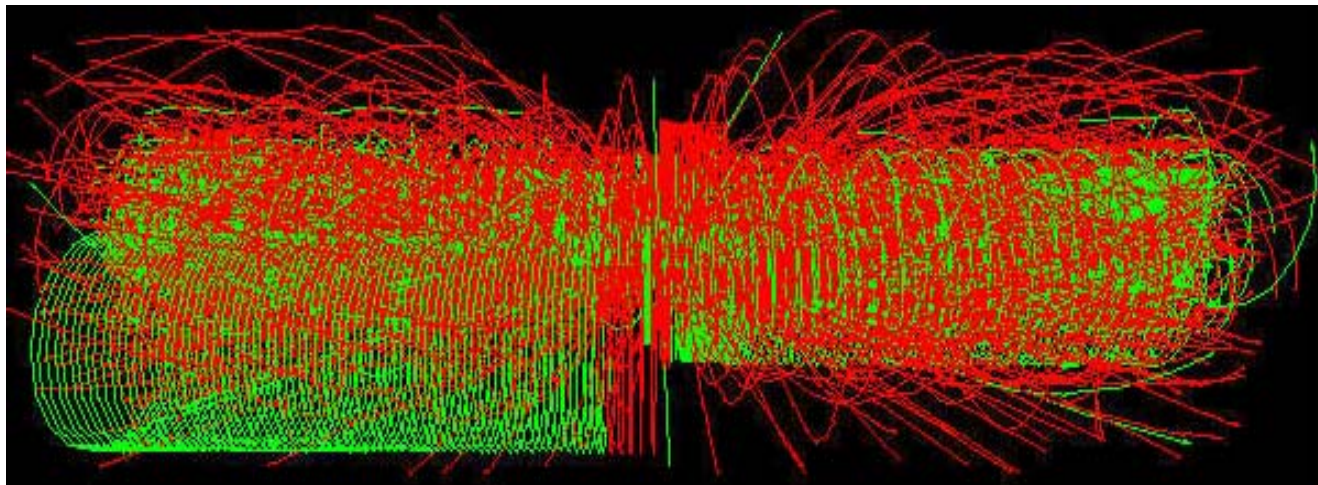
- 20 min bias events overlap

- $H \rightarrow ZZ$

$Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$

$H \rightarrow 4 \text{ muons}$:
the cleanest
("golden")
signature

And this (not the
H though...)
repeats every
25 ns...





Impact on detector design

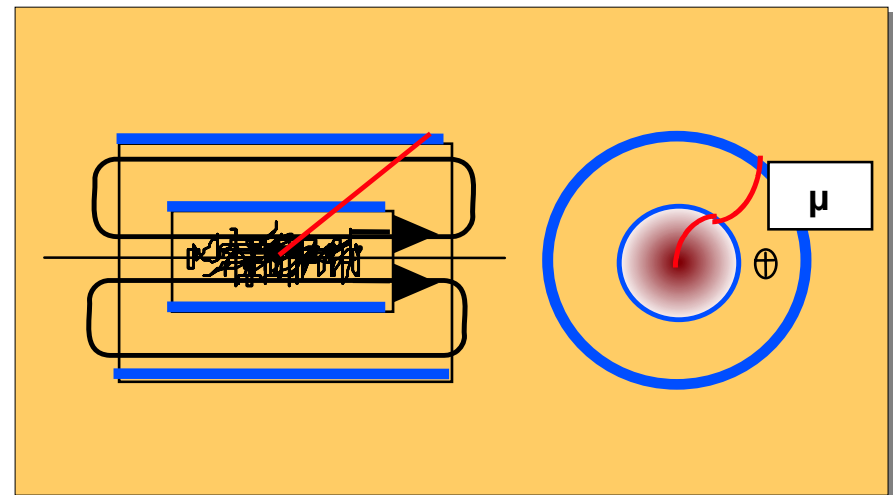
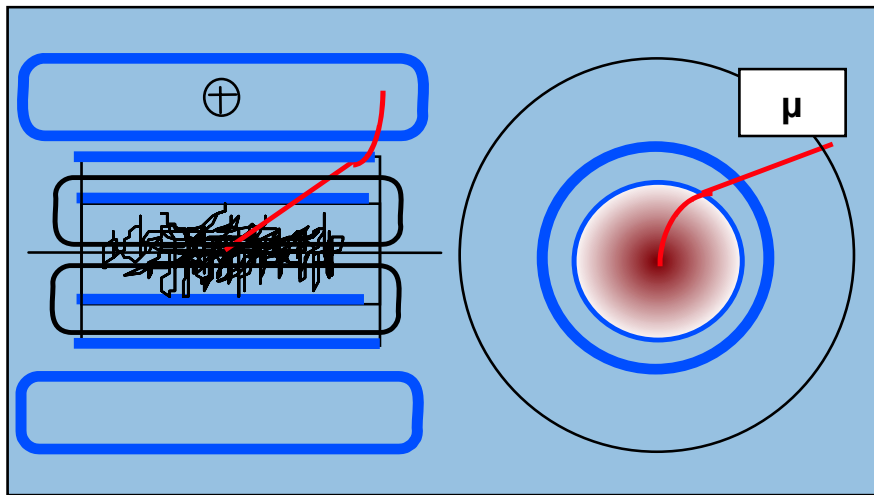
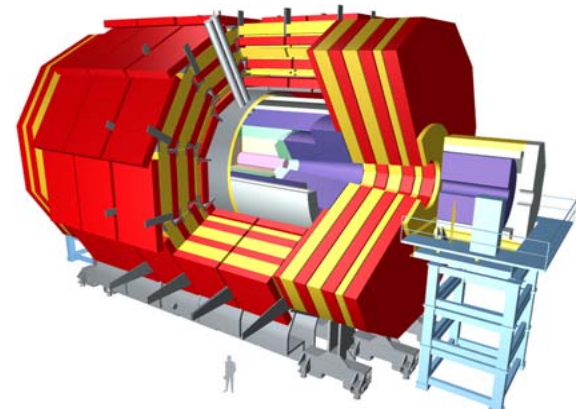
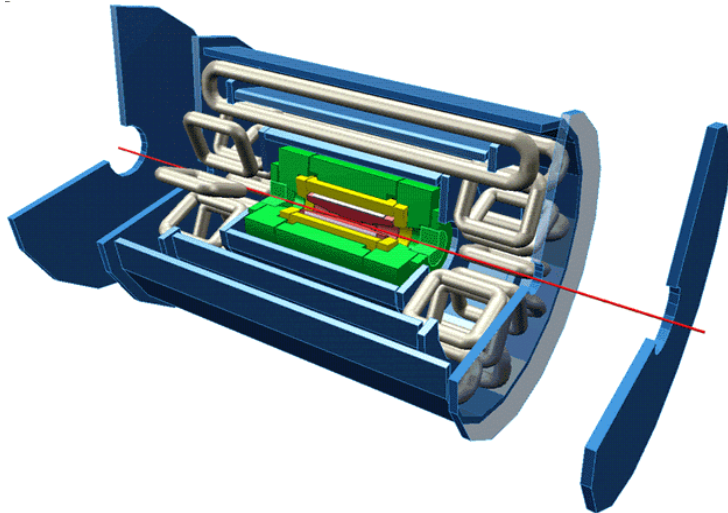
- **LHC detectors must have fast response**
 - ◆ Otherwise will integrate over many bunch crossings → large “pile-up”
 - ◆ Typical response time : 20-50 ns
 - integrate over 1-2 bunch crossings → pile-up of 25-50 min-bias
 - very challenging readout electronics
- **LHC detectors must be highly granular**
 - ◆ Minimize probability that pile-up particles be in the same detector element as interesting object (e.g. γ from $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ decays)
 - large number of electronic channels
 - high cost
- **LHC detectors must be radiation resistant:**
 - ◆ high flux of particles from pp collisions → high radiation environment e.g. in forward calorimeters:
 - up to 10^{17} n/cm² in 10 years of LHC operation
 - up to 10^7 Gy (1 Gy = unit of absorbed energy = 1 Joule/Kg)



LHC: pp experiments

ATLAS A Toroidal LHC ApparatuS

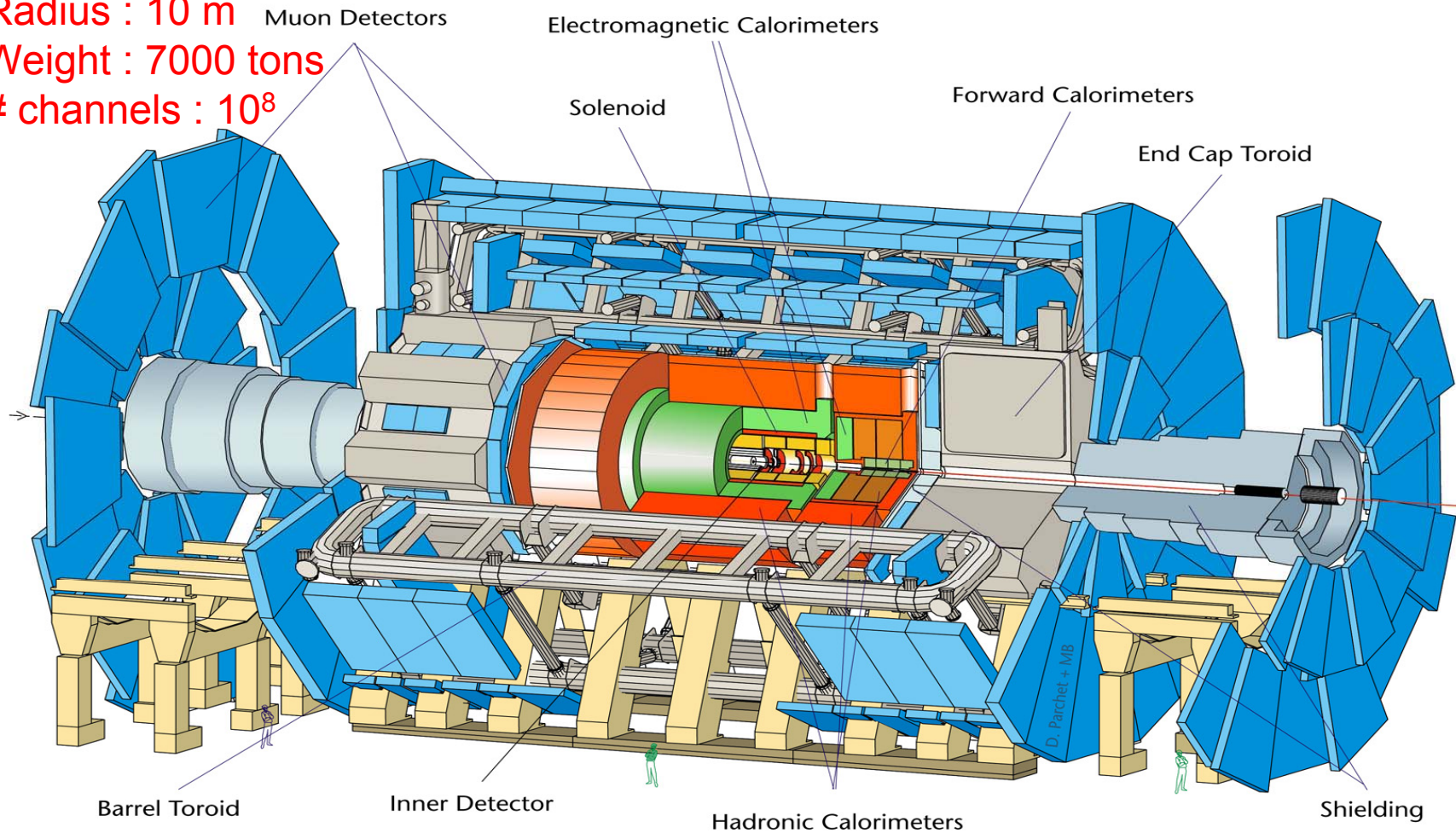
CMS Compact Muon Solenoid





ATLAS

Length : 40 m
Radius : 10 m
Weight : 7000 tons
channels : 10^8





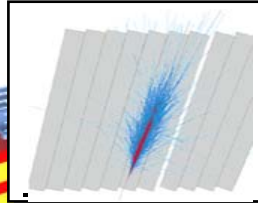
The Compact Muon Solenoid (CMS)

**SUPERCONDUCTING
COIL**

Total weight : 12,500 t
Overall diameter : 15 m
Overall length : 21.6 m
Magnetic field : 4 Tesla

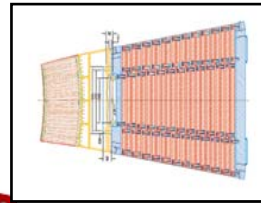
CALORIMETERS

ECAL Scintillating PbWO₄ Crystals



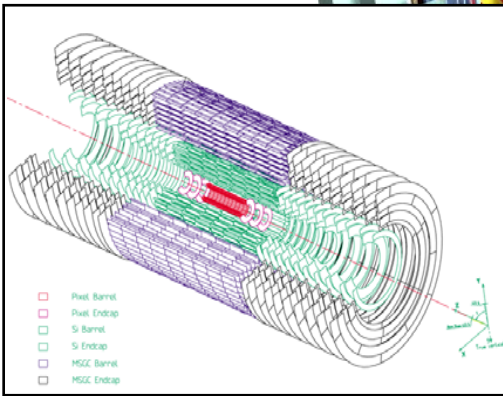
HCAL Plastic scintillator

copper
sandwich



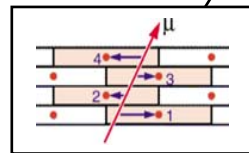
IRON YOKE

TRACKERS

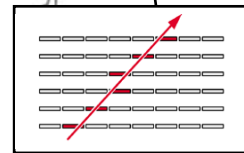


Silicon Microstrips
Pixels

MUON BARREL

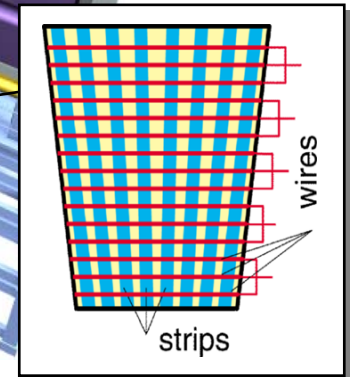


Drift Tube
Chambers (**DT**)



Resistive Plate
Chambers (**RPC**)

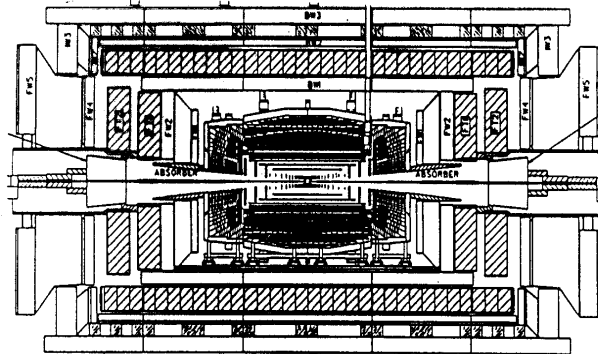
**MUON
ENDCAPS**



Cathode Strip Chambers (**CSC**)
Resistive Plate Chambers (**RPC**)

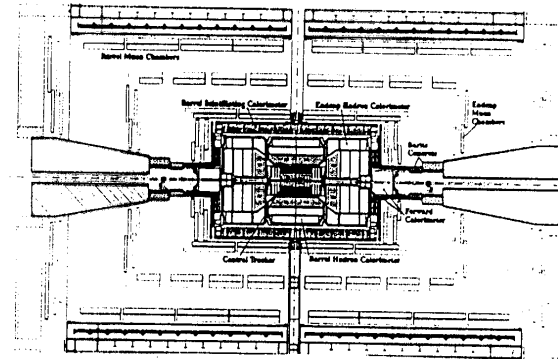
Designs of Various Detectors

SDC



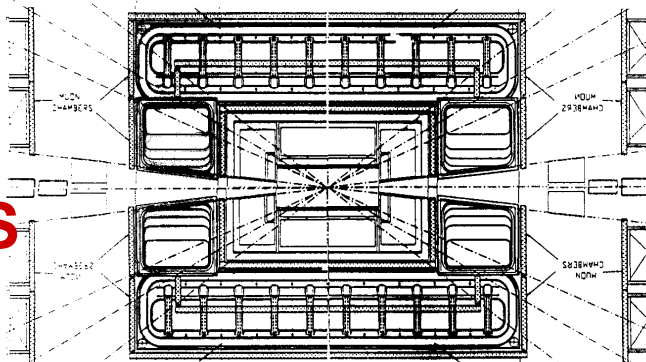
$L=40\text{m}$, $\phi=22\text{m}$, Solenoid $R=1.7\text{m}$, $B=2\text{T}$
Fe Toroid $6.75\text{m} < R < 8.25\text{m}$, $B=1.8\text{T}$

GEM



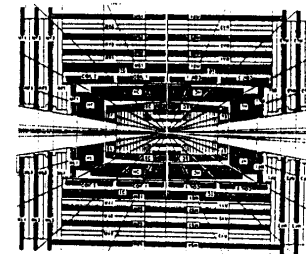
$L=38\text{m}$, $\phi=24\text{m}$, Solenoid $R=9\text{m}$, $B=0.8\text{T}$

ATLAS



$L=40\text{m}$, $\phi=20\text{m}$, Solenoid $R=1.15\text{m}$, $B=2\text{T}$
Air Toroid $5\text{m} < R < 10\text{m}$, $B=0.6\text{T}$

CMS

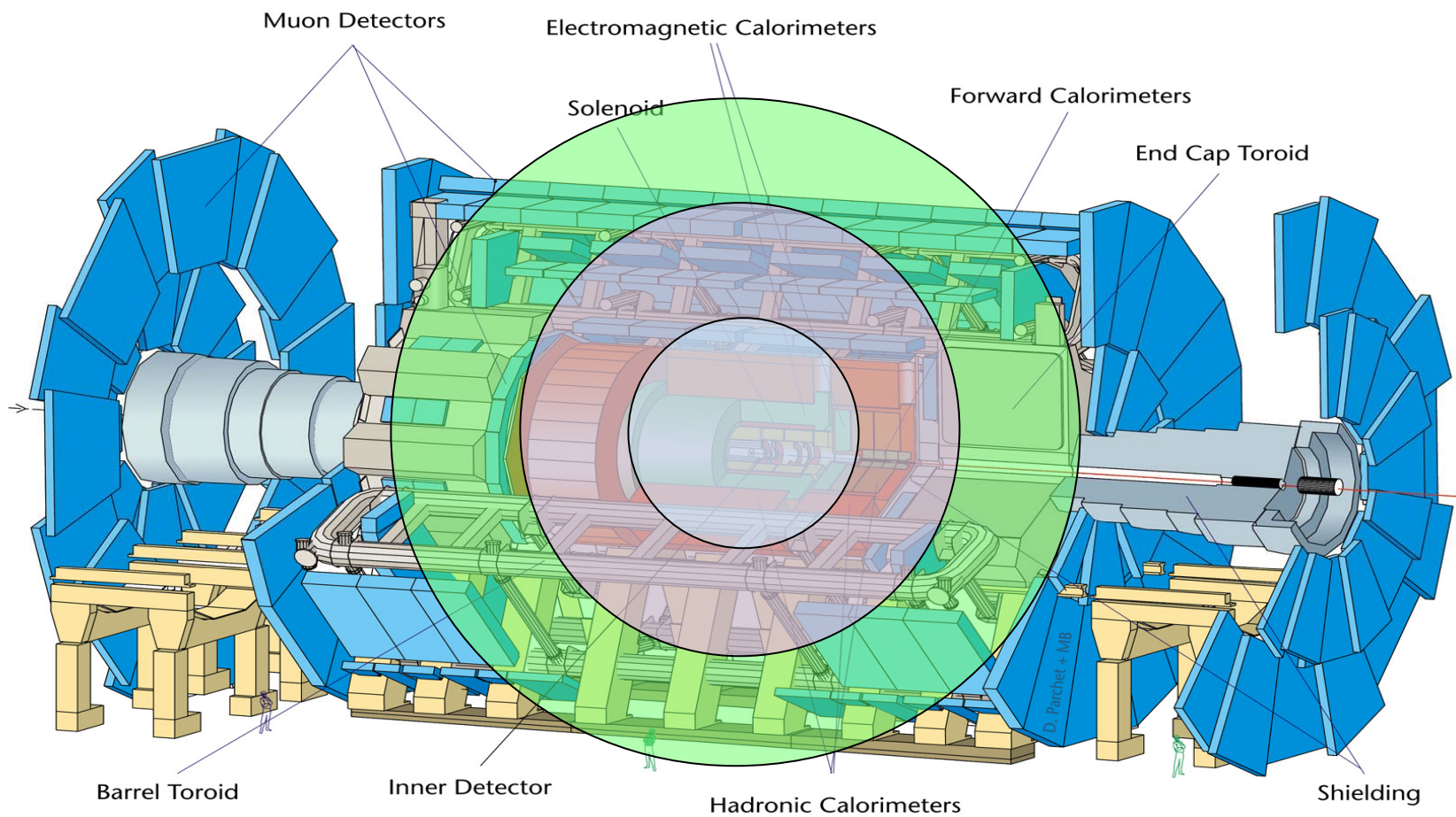


$L=20\text{m}$, $\phi=13\text{m}$, Solenoid $R=3$, $B=4\text{T}$

Time of Flight

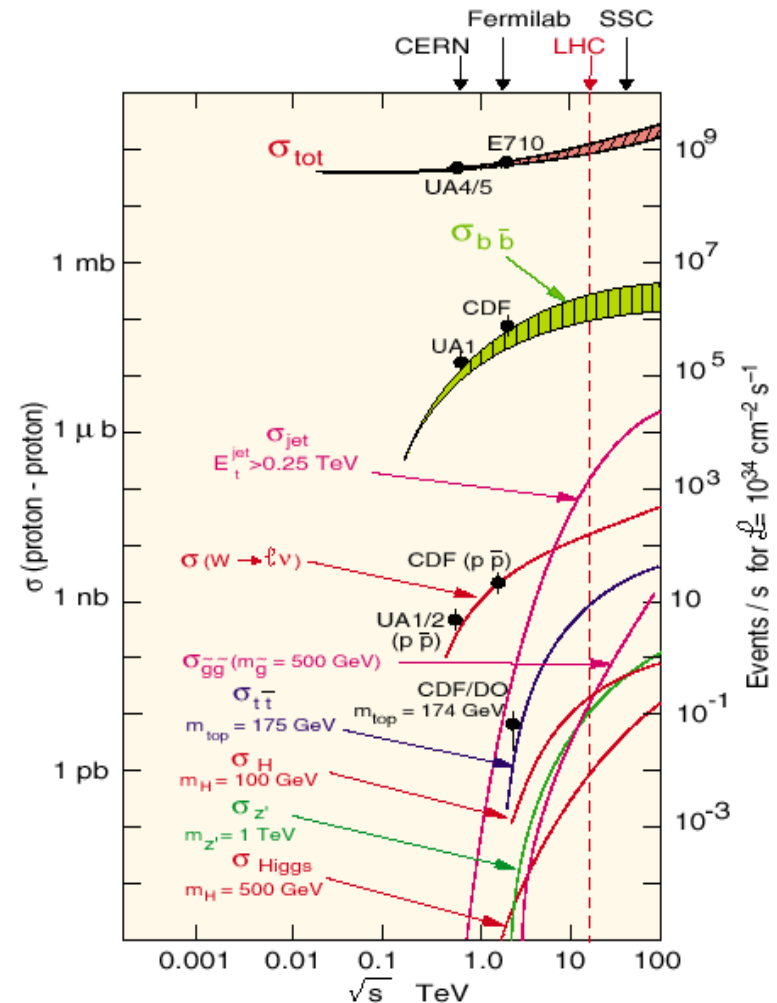
$c=30\text{cm/ns}$; in 25ns , $s=7.5\text{m}$

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Selectivity: the physics

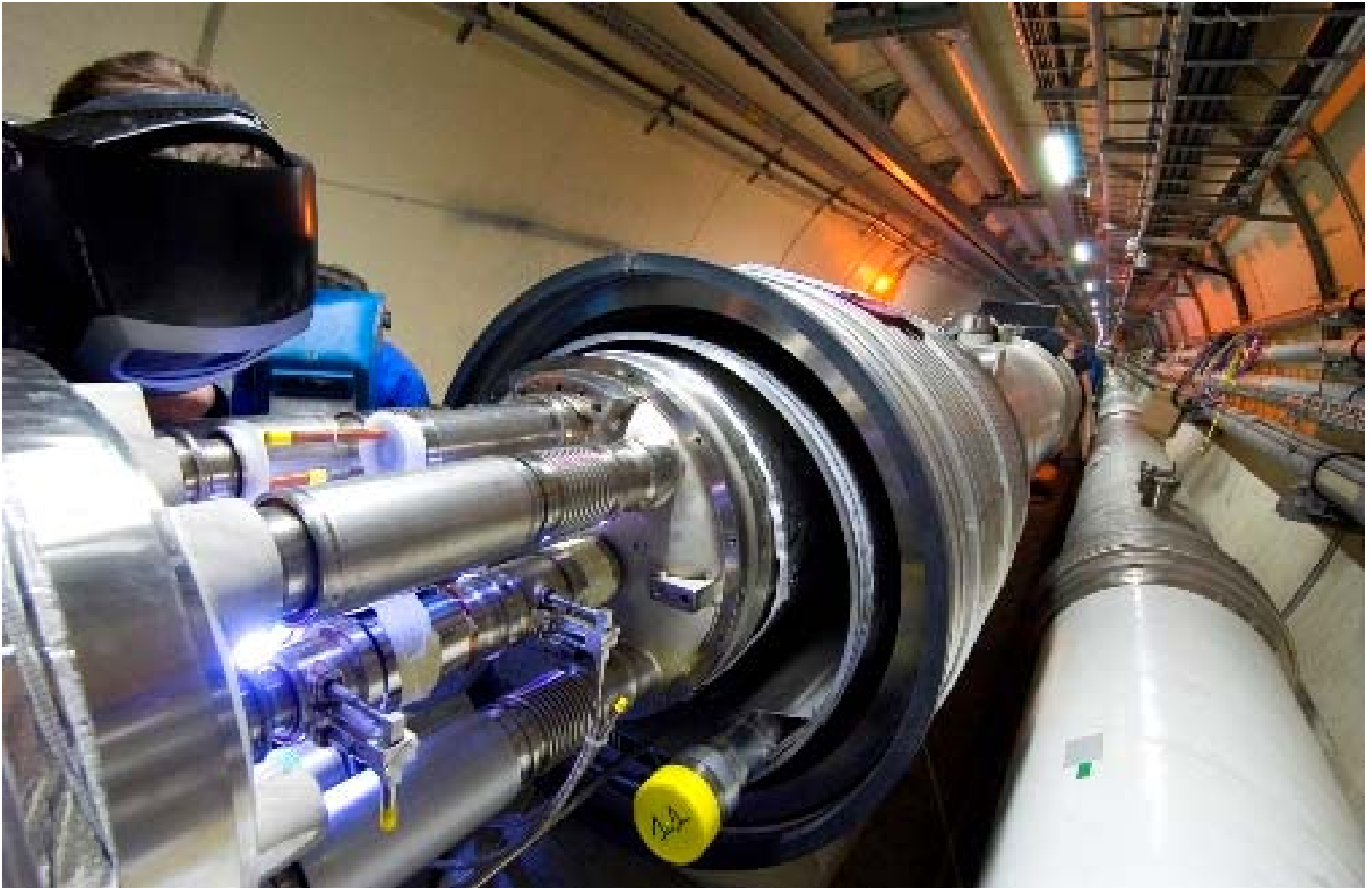
- **Cross sections for various physics processes vary over many orders of magnitude**
 - ◆ Inelastic: 10^9 Hz
 - ◆ $W \rightarrow \ell \nu$: 10^2 Hz
 - ◆ $t \bar{t}$ production: 10 Hz
 - ◆ Higgs ($100 \text{ GeV}/c^2$): 0.1 Hz
 - ◆ Higgs ($600 \text{ GeV}/c^2$): 10^{-2} Hz
- **Selection needed: $1:10^{10-11}$**
 - ◆ Before branching fractions...







The LHC is coming!



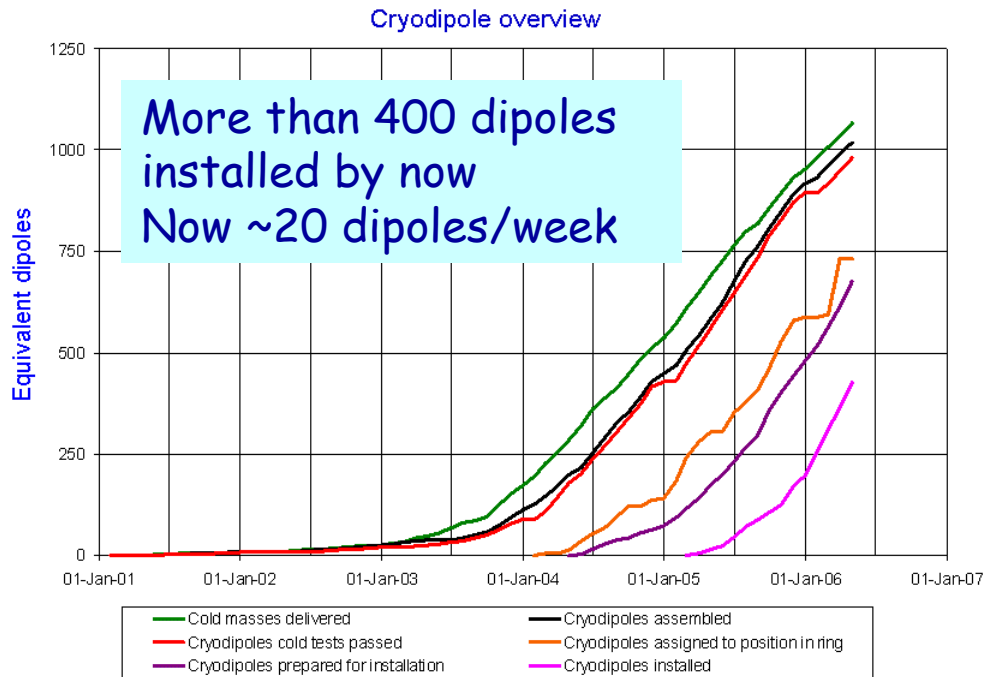


The LHC is coming!

Crucial part: 1232 superconducting dipoles
Can follow progress on the LHC dashboard
<http://lhc-new-homepage.web.cern.ch/lhc-new-homepage/>



LHC Progress
Dashboard



LHC Schedule^(*)

- Expts ready to for LHC closed and set up for beam: **Aug 31 07**
- +6 wks ~mid Oct: expts closed and ready for collisions
- First collisions ~ in **Nov 07**
New plan: 900 GeV
Short pilot run
 $O(10) \text{ pb}^{-1}$? 100?
Discussions on higher s...
- **First physics run in 2008**
one to a few fb^{-1} ?
- **Physics run in 2009 +...**
 $10\text{-}20 \text{ fb}^{-1}/\text{year} \Rightarrow 100 \text{ fb}^{-1}/\text{yr}$

(*) eg. M. Lamont et al, April 2005.
Achtung! Lumi estimates are mine, not from the machine
Update in ~July 2006

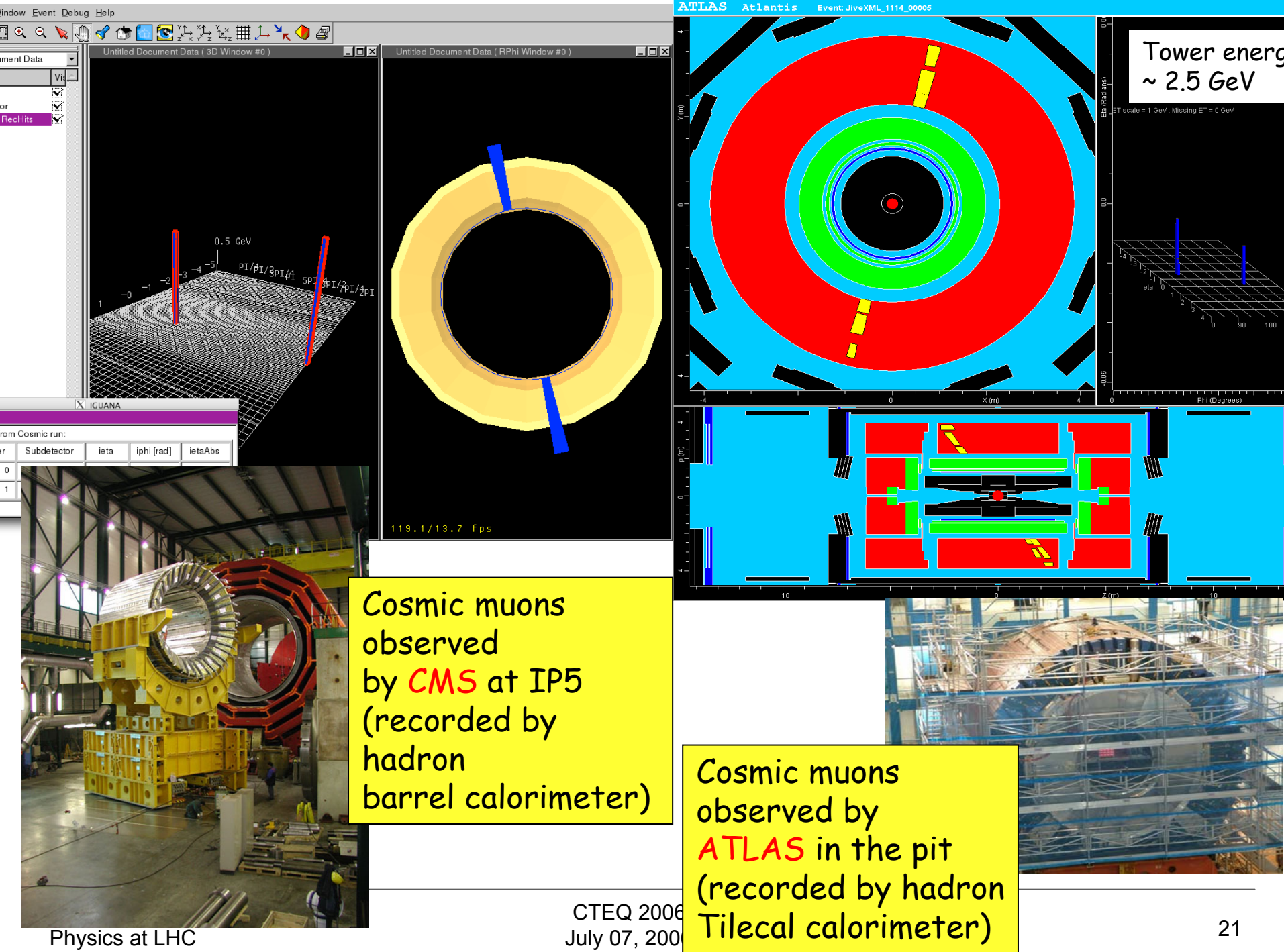
Updated 30 Apr 2006

Data provided by D. Tommasini AT-MAS, L. Bottura AT-MTM



The experiments are coming!

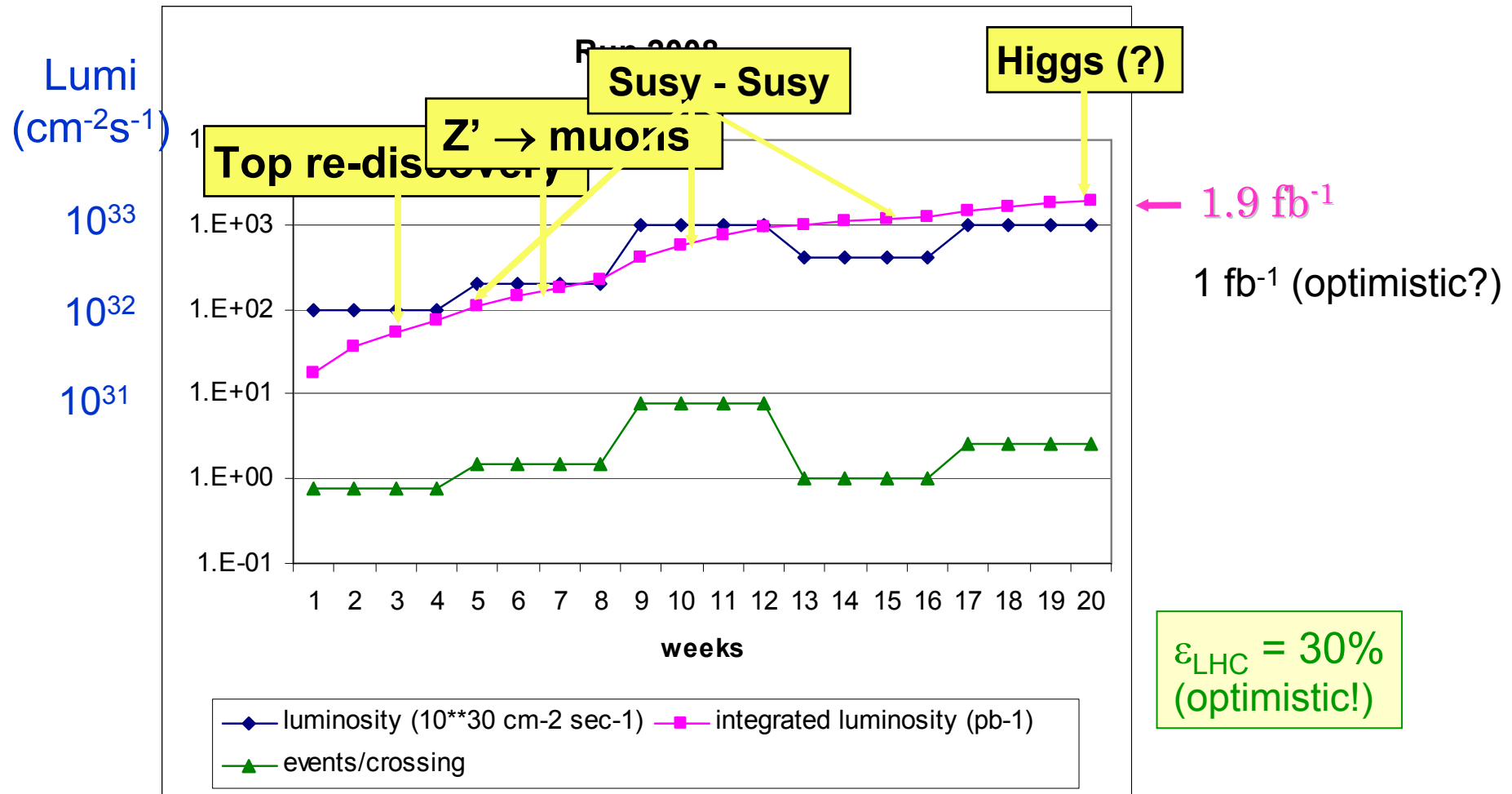
- **Construction finishing for many sub-detectors**
- **ATLAS has been installing for over two years now**
 - ◆ Big parts of CMS installation on surface
- **Toroids, solenoid tests**
 - ◆ Big CMS magnet test scheduled in mid-July 2006
- **Turning to commissioning**
 - ◆ Taking cosmics, debugging readout, etc





LHC startup: CMS/ATLAS

Integrated luminosity with the current LHC plans



EWK Symmetry Breaking

Standard Model Higgs search

Strong EWK interaction

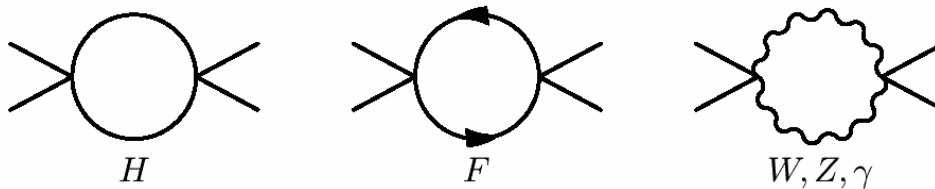
Higgs mechanism in SUSY – the MSSM Higgs bosons

SUSY Higgs search

Limits on M_H (I): EWK vacuum stability

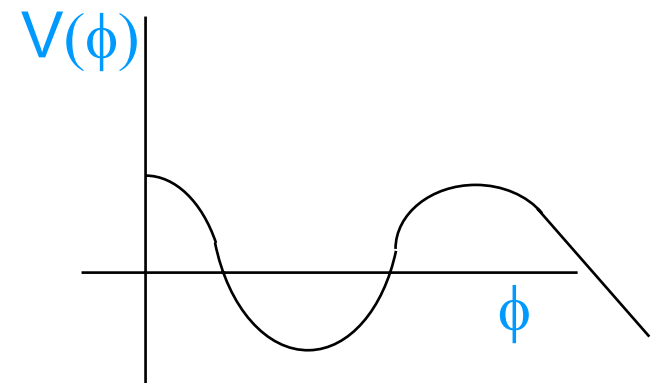
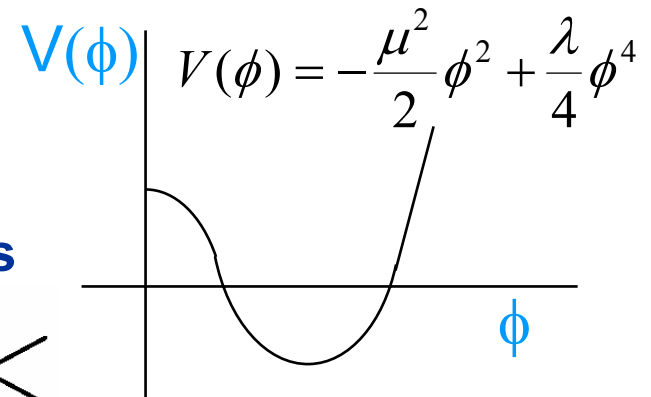
- **Central to the Higgs mechanism: that point with $v \neq 0$ is stable (genuine minimum)**

- ◆ Radiative corrections can change this



$$\Delta V \sim \frac{1}{v^4} (M_H^4 + 6M_W^4 + 3M_Z^4 - 12m_t^4) H^4 \log(H^2 / v^2)$$

- ◆ For large top masses, potential can curve back down; two terms fighting:
- ◆ $\lambda \phi^4$ vs $\sim - (m_t/v)^4$
- ◆ And since $M_H^2 \sim \lambda v^2$, get a lower bound on M_H (~ 130 GeV)





Limits on M_H (II): triviality bound

- **From previous discussion: need a high value of λ (i.e. self-coupling) to protect the vacuum**
 - ◆ However, the running of the coupling results in an increase with Q^2 :
$$\lambda(Q^2) = \frac{\lambda(Q_0^2)}{1 - \lambda(Q_0^2)/16\pi^2 \log(Q^2/Q_0^2)}$$
 - ◆ So, as $Q^2 \rightarrow \infty$, $\lambda \rightarrow \infty$
 - ◆ Alternative: if λ is normalized to a finite value at the pole then it must vanish at low Q^2 . Theory is non-interacting \rightarrow “trivial”
 - ◆ Way out: assume that analysis breaks down at some scale Λ (clearly, when gravity gets added, things will change)

$$\Lambda \leq M_H \exp\left(\frac{4\pi^2 v^2}{3M_H^2}\right)$$



Information (limits) on M_H : summary

■ Triviality bound

■ $\langle \phi_0 \rangle \neq 0$

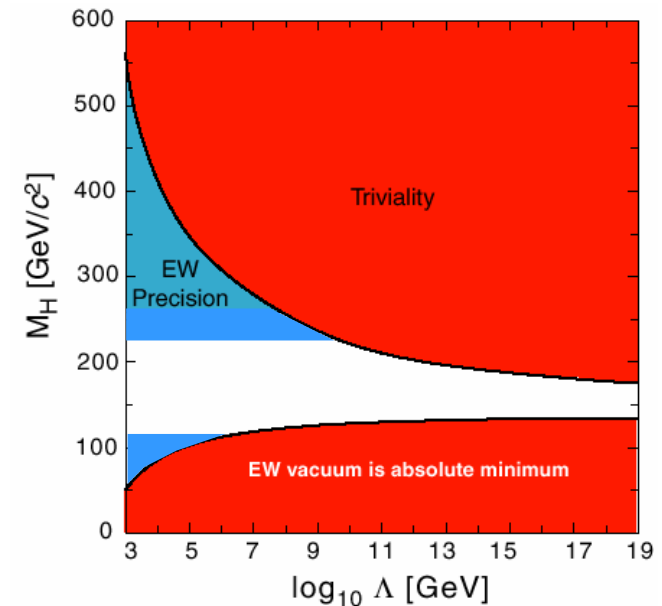
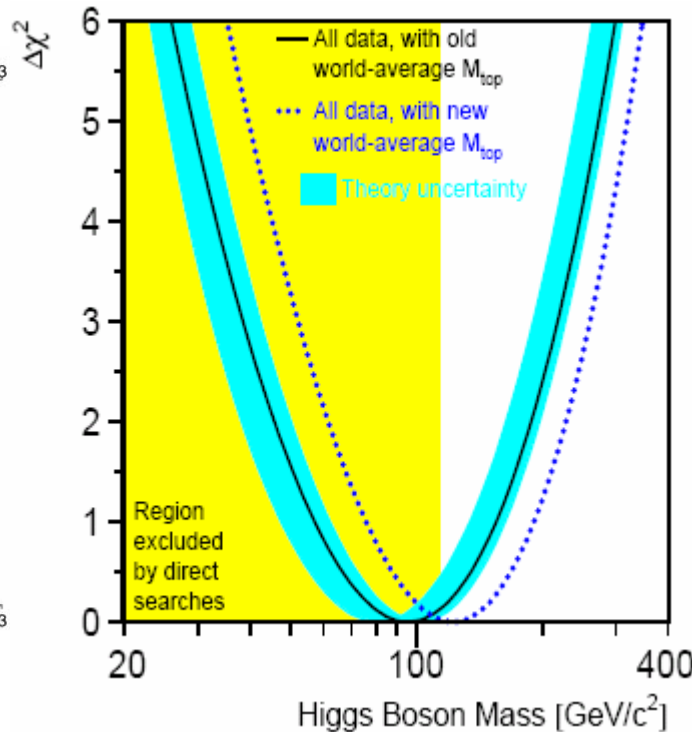
$$\Lambda \leq M_H \exp\left(\frac{4\pi^2 v^2}{3M_H^2}\right)$$

■ Vacuum stability

$$M_H^2 > \frac{3G_F \sqrt{2}}{8\pi^2} F \log(\Lambda^2 / v^2)$$

■ Precision EWK measurements

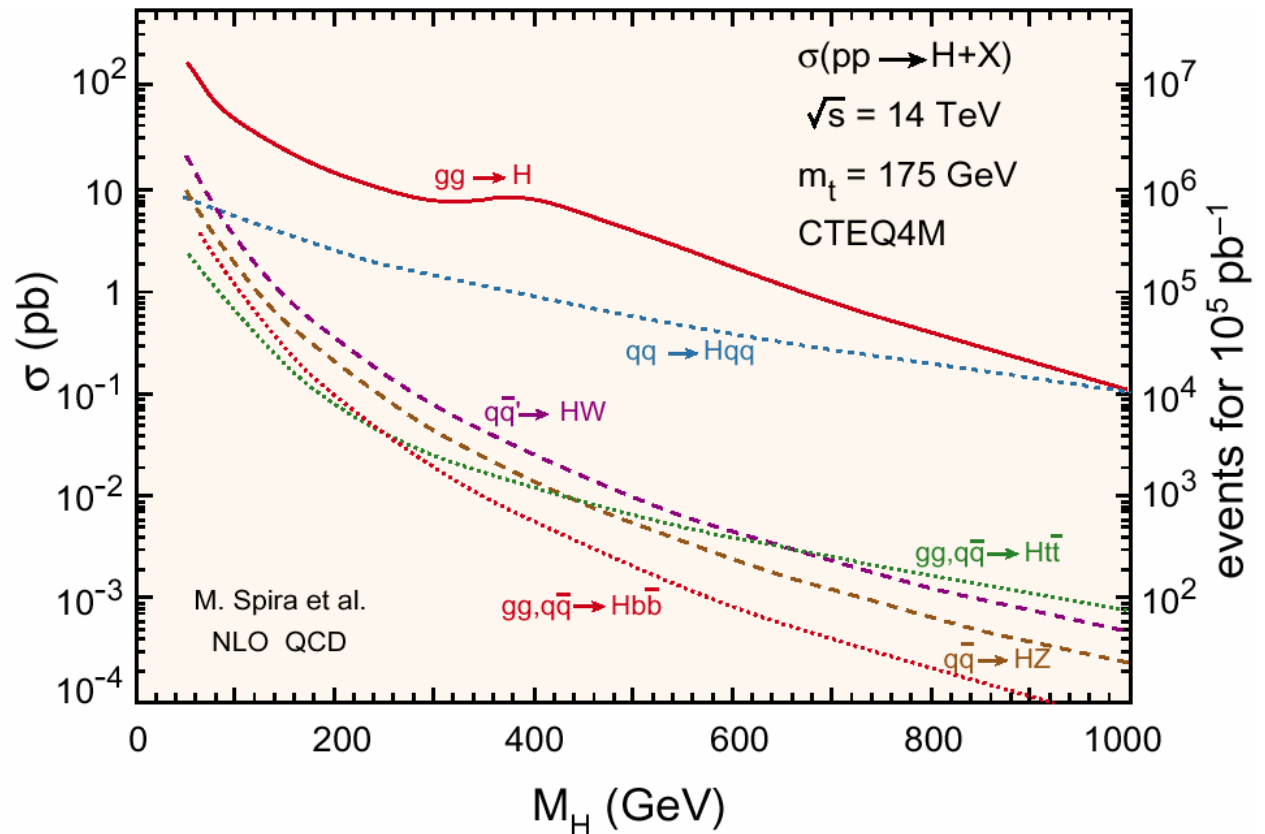
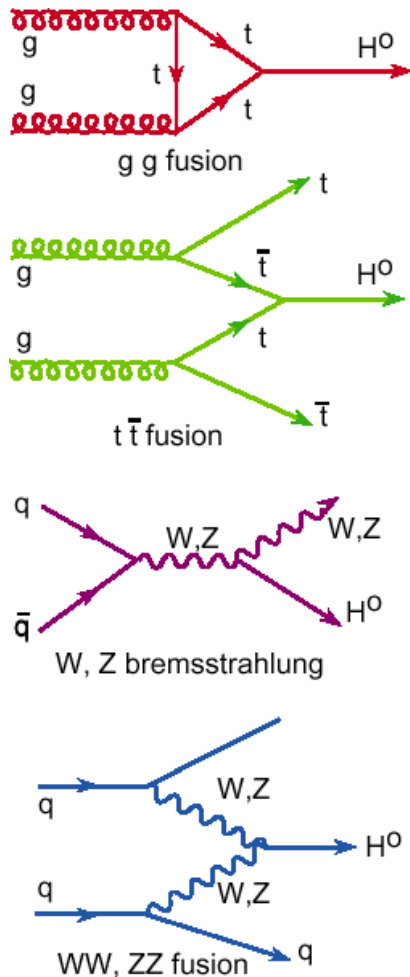
	Measurement	Pull	Pull
			-3 -2 -1 0 1 2 3
m_Z [GeV]	91.1871 ± 0.0021	.08	
Γ_Z [GeV]	2.4944 ± 0.0024	-.56	
σ_{had}^0 [nb]	41.544 ± 0.037	1.75	
R_e	20.768 ± 0.024	1.16	
$A_{\text{fb}}^{0,e}$	0.01701 ± 0.00095	.80	
A_e	0.1483 ± 0.0051	.21	
A_τ	0.1425 ± 0.0044	-1.07	
$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{lept}}$	0.2321 ± 0.0010	.60	
m_W [GeV]	80.350 ± 0.056	-.62	
R_b	0.21642 ± 0.00073	.81	
R_c	0.1674 ± 0.0038	-1.27	
$A_{\text{fb}}^{0,b}$	0.0988 ± 0.0020	-2.20	
$A_{\text{fb}}^{0,c}$	0.0692 ± 0.0037	-1.23	
A_b	0.911 ± 0.025	-.95	
A_c	0.630 ± 0.026	-1.46	
$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^{\text{lept}}$	0.23099 ± 0.00026	-1.95	
$\sin^2 \theta_W$	0.2255 ± 0.0021	1.13	
m_W [GeV]	80.448 ± 0.062	1.02	
m_t [GeV]	174.3 ± 5.1	.22	
$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(m_Z)$	0.02804 ± 0.00065	-.05	



LEP direct search:
 $M_H > 114 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

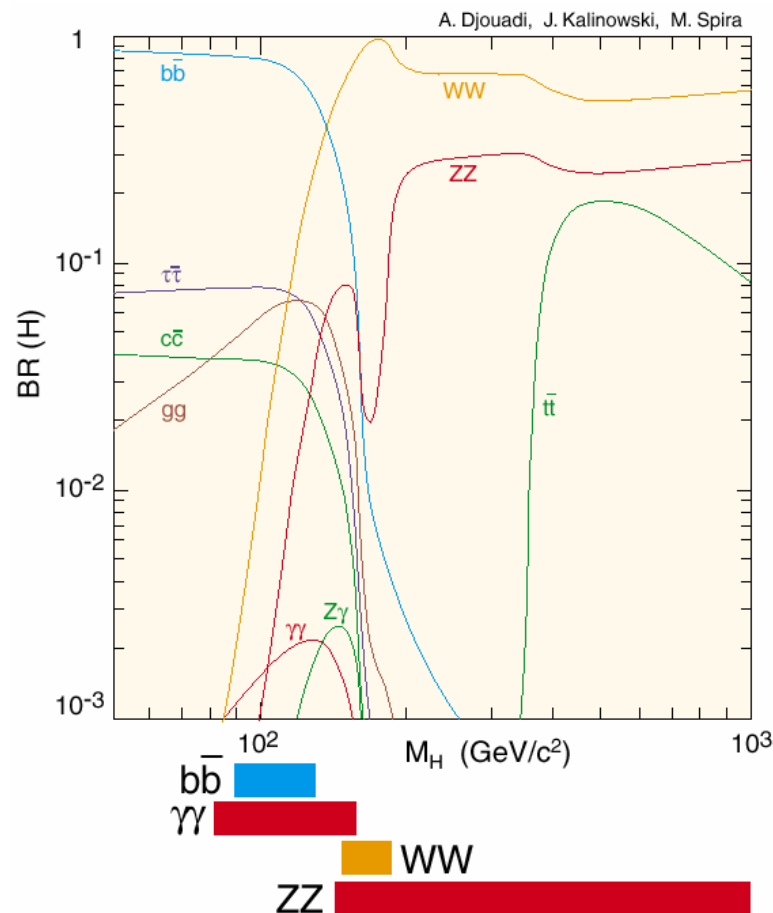
SM Higgs (I)

Production mechanisms & cross section



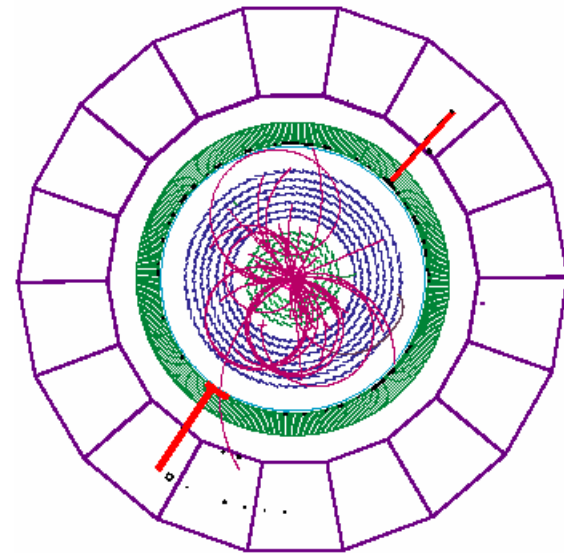
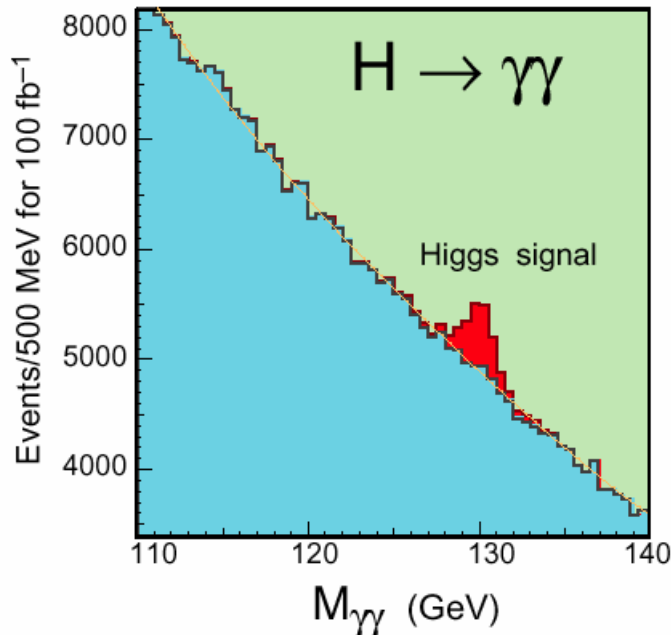
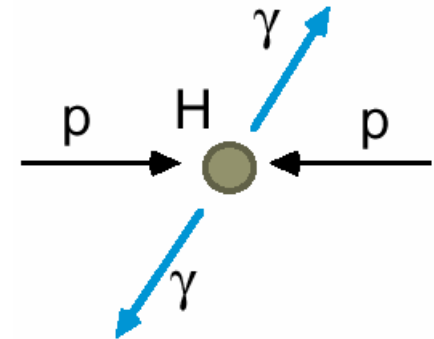
■ Decays & discovery channels

- ◆ Higgs couples to m_f^2
 - Heaviest available fermion (b quark) always dominates
 - Until WW, ZZ thresholds open
- ◆ Low mass: b quarks → jets; resolution ~ 15%
 - Only chance is EM energy (use $\gamma\gamma$ decay mode)
- ◆ Once $M_H > 2M_Z$, use this
 - W decays to jets or lepton+neutrino (E_T^{miss})



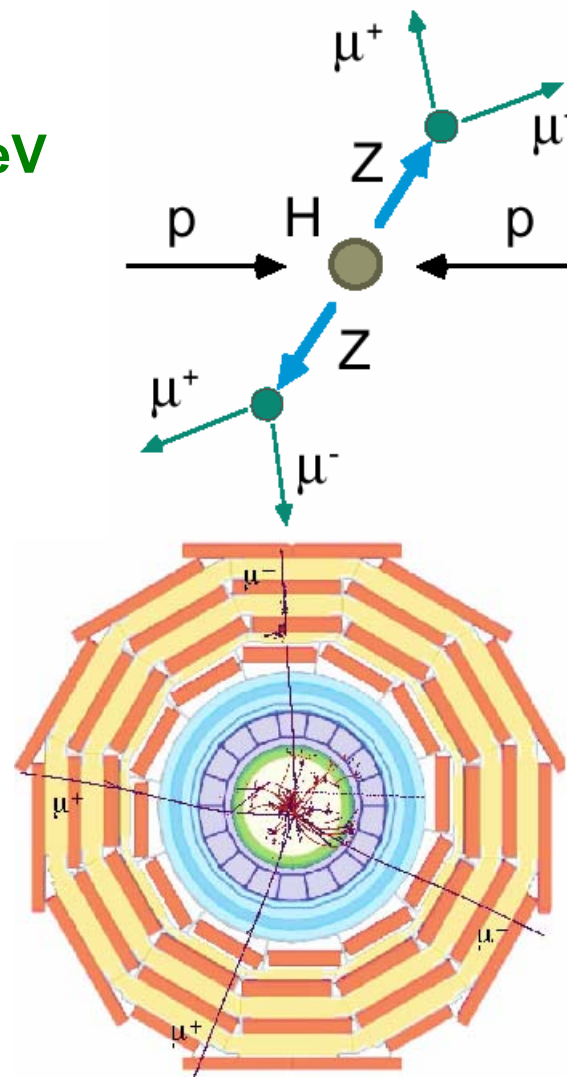
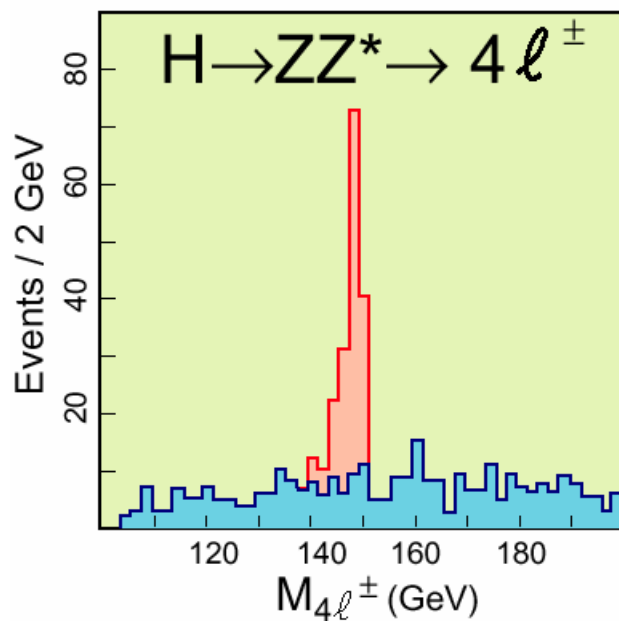
Low mass Higgs ($M_H < 140 \text{ GeV}/c^2$)

- **$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$: decay is rare ($B \sim 10^{-3}$)**
 - ◆ But with good resolution, one gets a mass peak
 - ◆ Motivation for LAr/PbWO₄ calorimeters
 - ◆ CMS: at 100 GeV, $\sigma \approx 1 \text{ GeV}$
 - **$S/B \approx 1:20$**



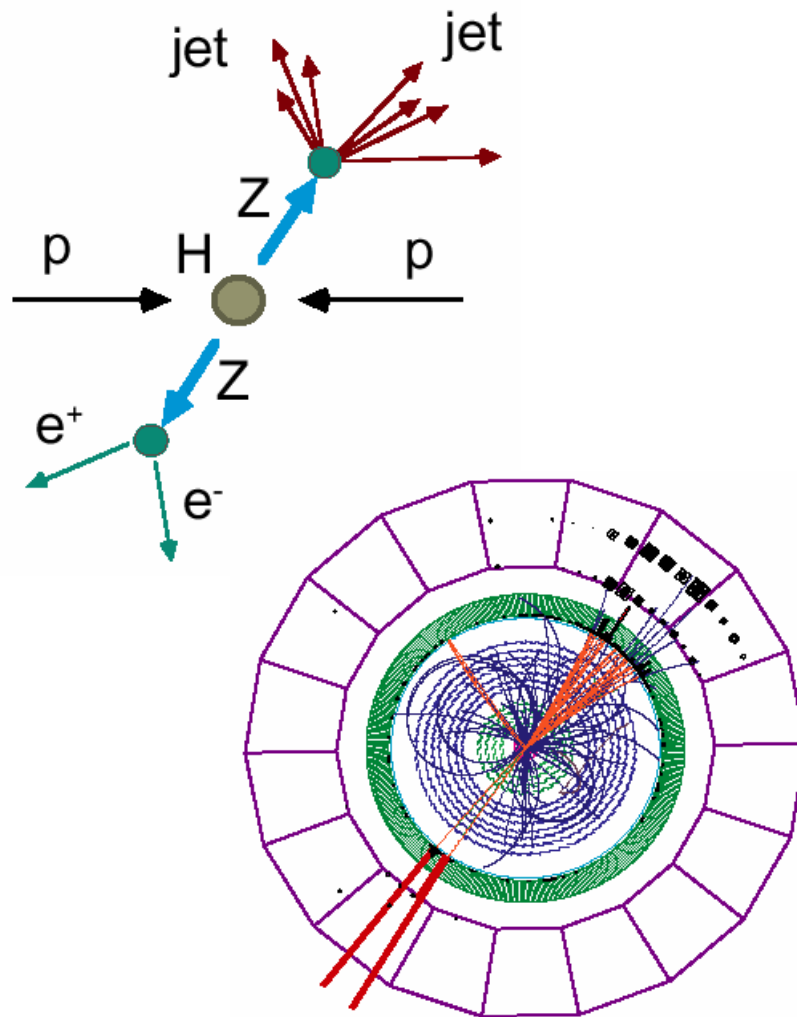
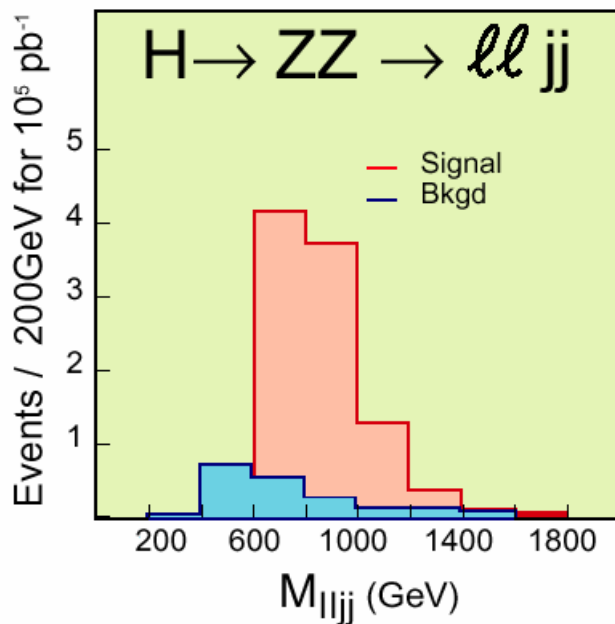
Intermediate mass Higgs

- $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- \ell^+ \ell^-$ ($\ell = e, \mu$)
 - ◆ Very clean
 - Resolution: better than 1 GeV (around 100 GeV mass)
 - ◆ Valid for the mass range $130 < M_H < 500 \text{ GeV}/c^2$



High mass Higgs

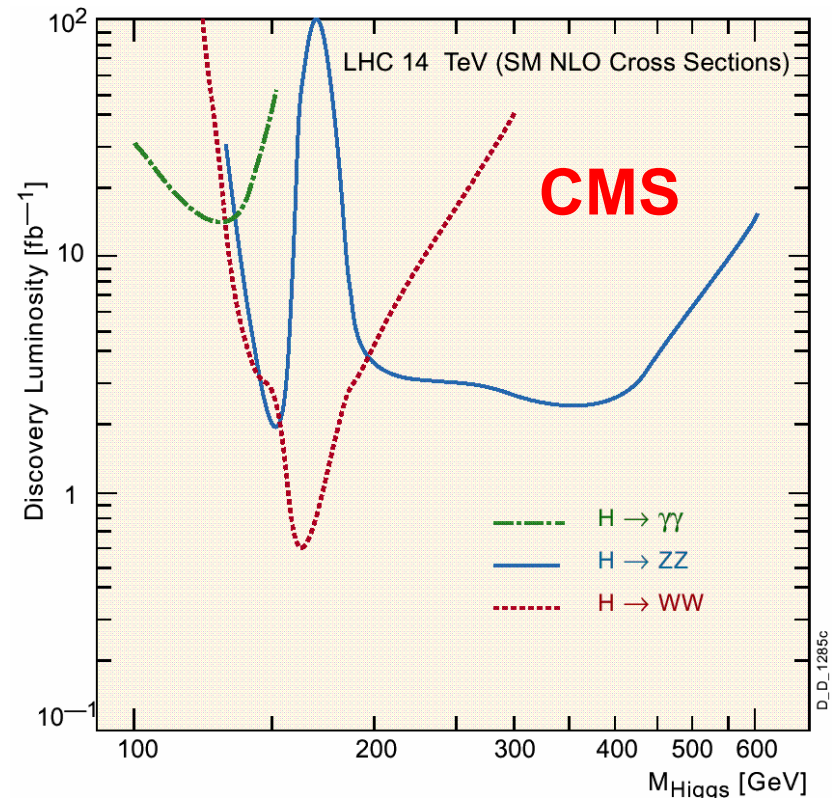
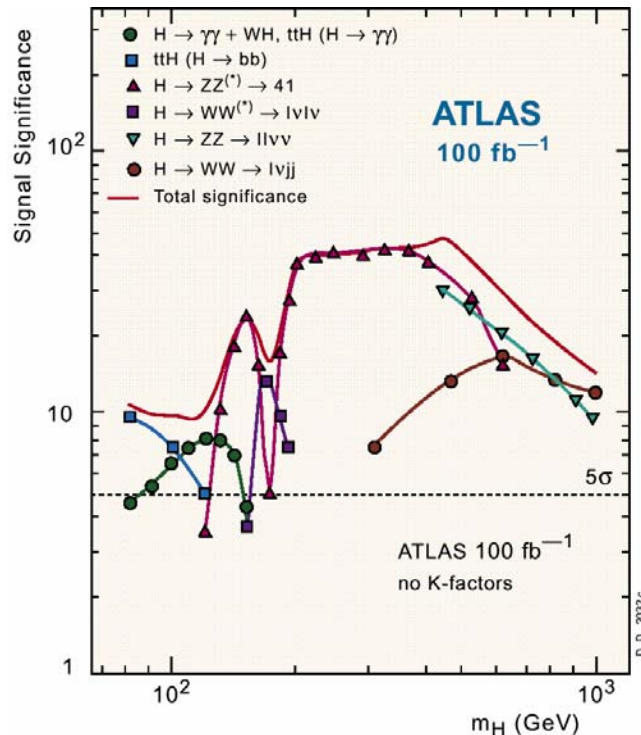
- **$H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- \text{ jet jet}$**
 - ◆ Need higher Branching fraction (also $\nu\nu$ for the highest masses $\sim 800 \text{ GeV}/c^2$)
 - ◆ At the limit of statistics





Higgs discovery prospects @ LHC

- The LHC can probe the entire set of “allowed” Higgs mass values;
 - ◆ in most cases a few months at low luminosity are adequate for a 5σ observation

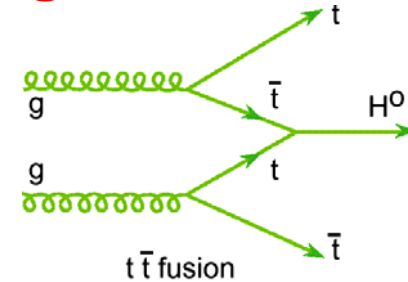


Other channels: $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ (I)

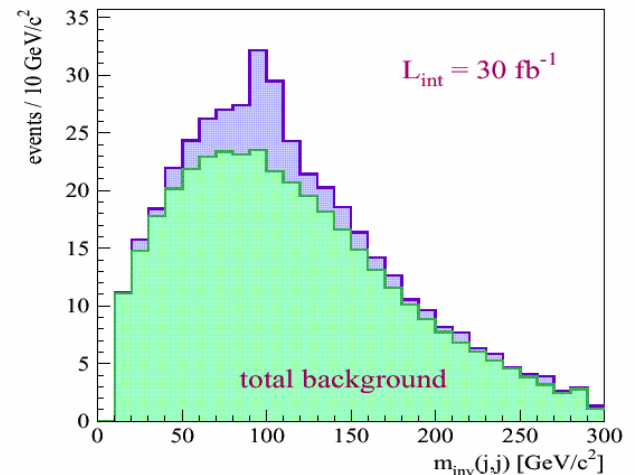
■ Low mass Higgs; useful for coupling measurement

◆ $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ in $t\bar{t}H$ production

- $\sigma \cdot \text{Br} = 300 \text{ fb}$
- Backgrounds:
 - $Wjjjj$, $Wjjb\bar{b}$
 - $t\bar{t}jj$
 - Signal (combinatorics)
- Tagging the t quarks helps a lot
 - Trigger: $t \rightarrow b(e/\mu)\nu$
 - Reconstruct both t quarks
- In mass region
 $90 \text{ GeV} < M(b\bar{b}) < 130 \text{ GeV}$, $S/B = 0.3$



$$t\bar{t}H^0: S + B (100 \text{ GeV})$$



Recent from CMS: systematics make this very difficult



Other channels: $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ (II)

■ $H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ in WH production

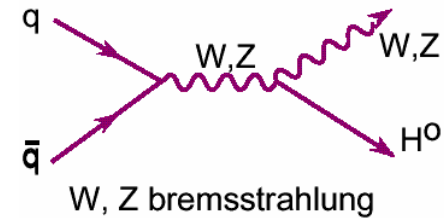
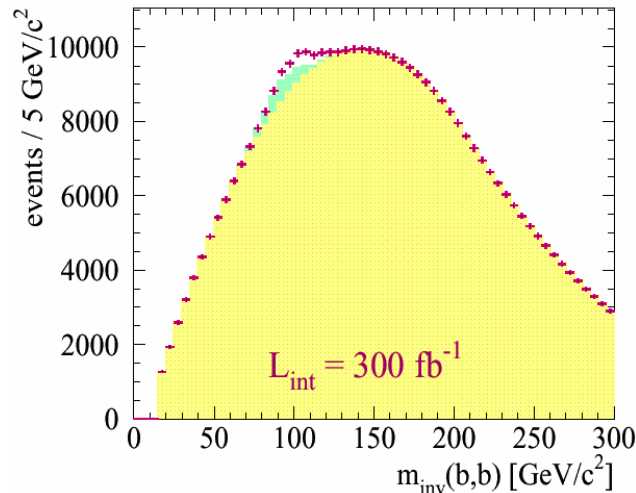
◆ Big background subtraction

- Mainly: Wjj , $t\bar{t}$ (smaller: tX, WZ)
- Example (below) at 105:

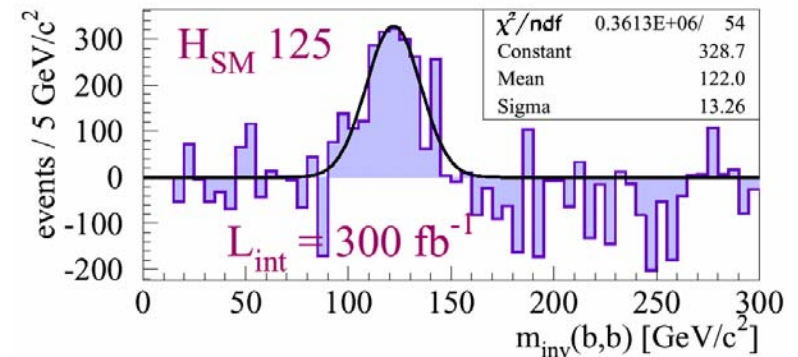
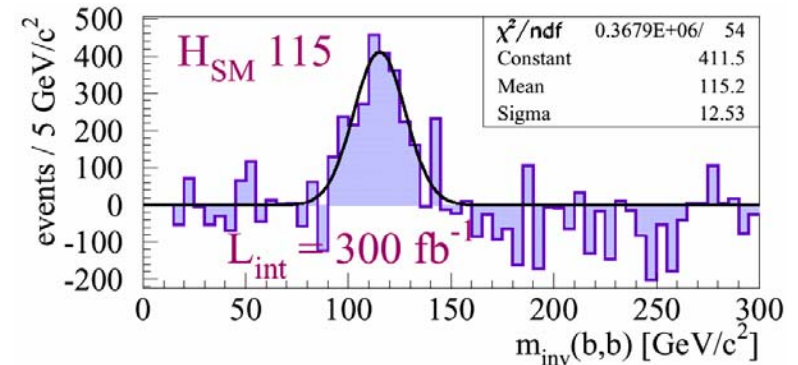
→ in mass region

$88\text{GeV} < M(b\bar{b}) < 121\text{GeV}$,

$S/B = 0.03$



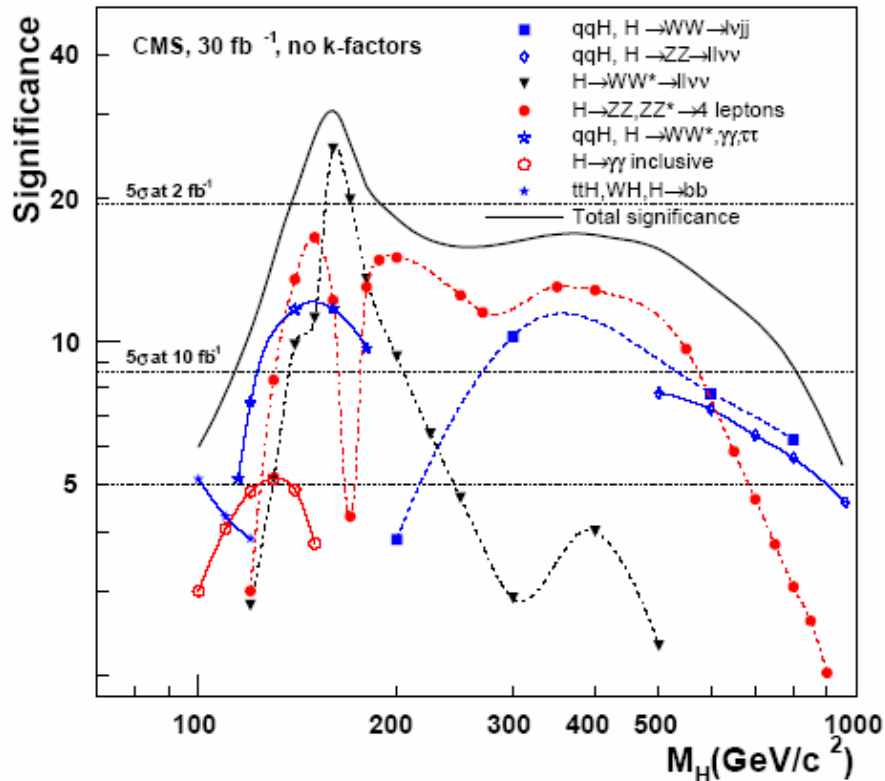
After bkg subtraction



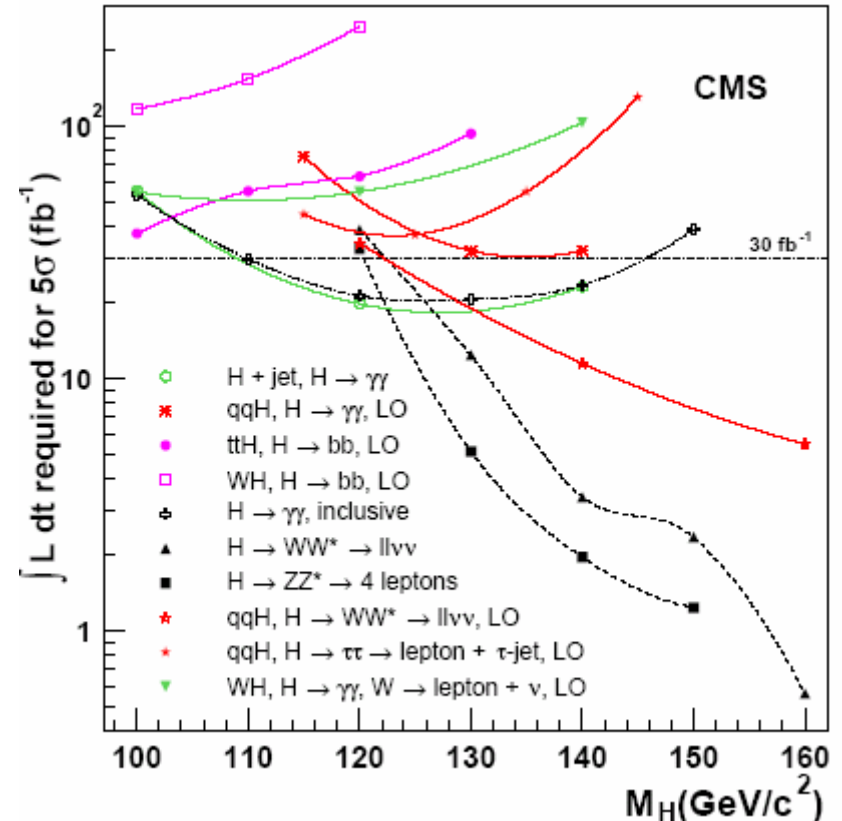


Other Higgs channels

■ Significance

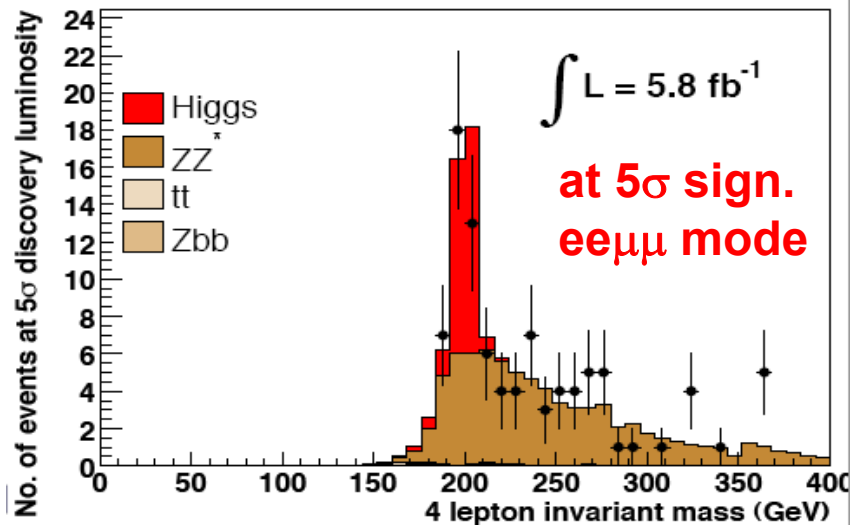
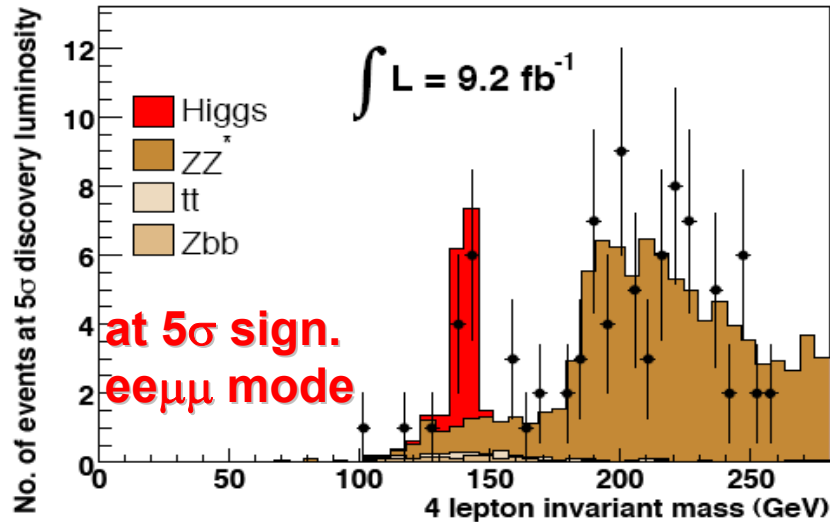


■ Luminosity required (low mass)

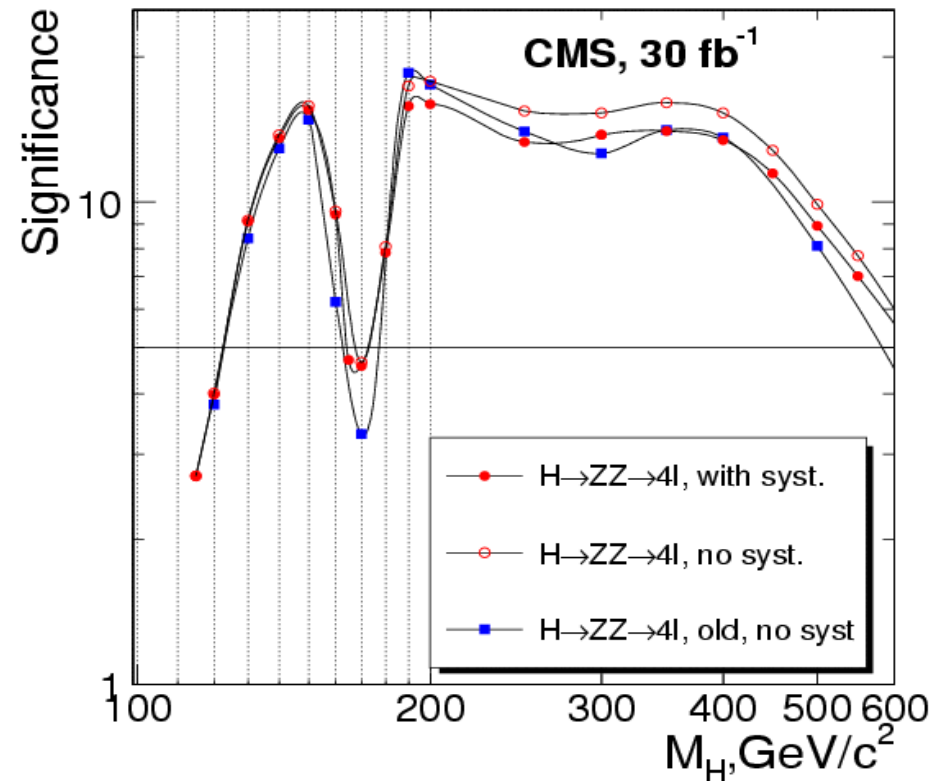




More recent work (I)

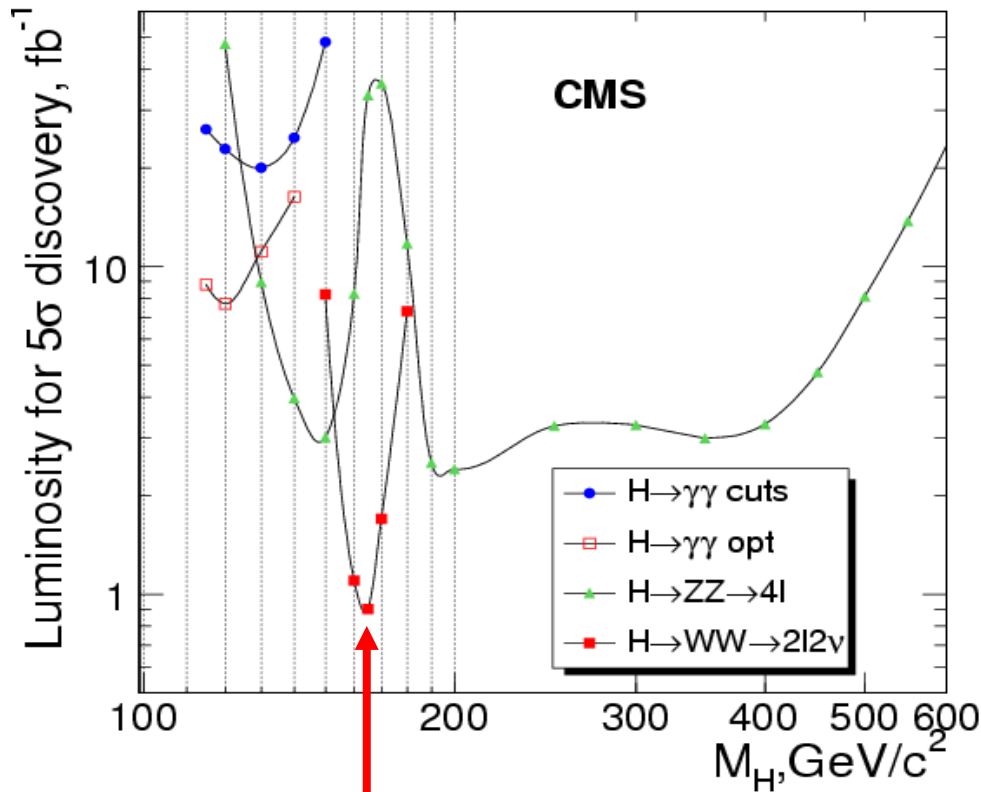


Combined 4μ , $4e$, $ee\mu\mu$ signal significance



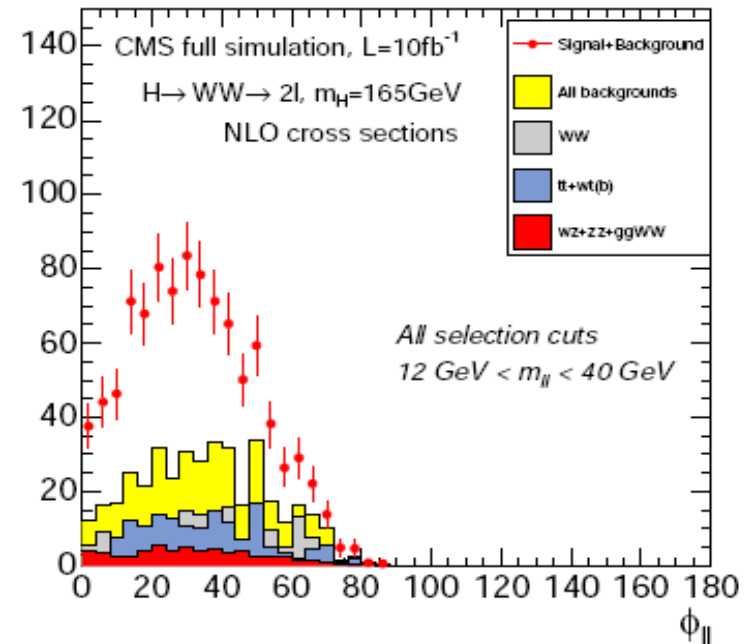


More recent work (II)



Discovery with $\sim 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

Very detailed studies on SM backgrounds and related systematics

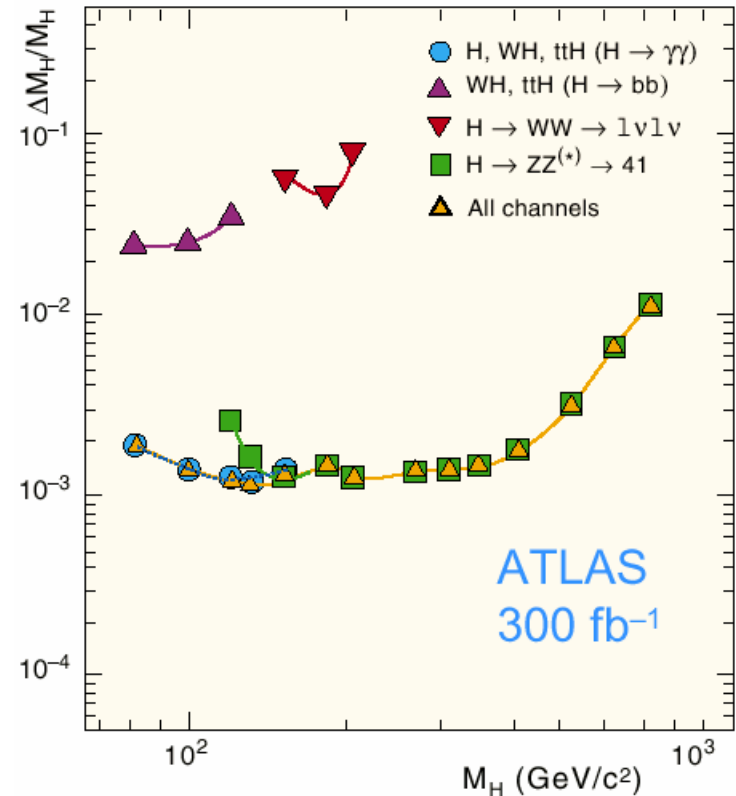




SM Higgs properties (I): mass

■ Mass measurement

- ◆ Limited by absolute energy scale
 - leptons & photons: 0.1% (with Z calibration)
 - Jets: 1%
- ◆ Resolutions:
 - For $\gamma\gamma$ & $4\ell \approx 1.5 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
 - For $bb \approx 15 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- ◆ At large masses: decreasing precision due to large Γ_H
- ◆ CMS \approx ATLAS





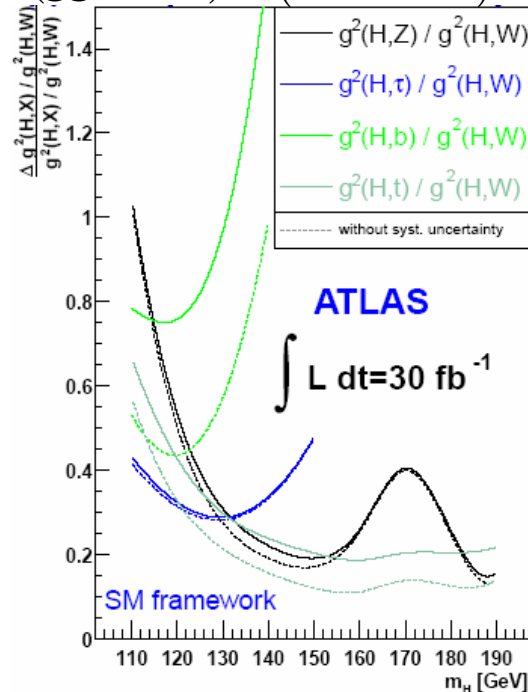
Higgs properties (II): couplings

$$\frac{\sigma(gg \rightarrow H) \cdot B(H \rightarrow WW)}{\sigma(gg \rightarrow H) \cdot B(H \rightarrow ZZ)} = \frac{\Gamma_W}{\Gamma_Z}$$

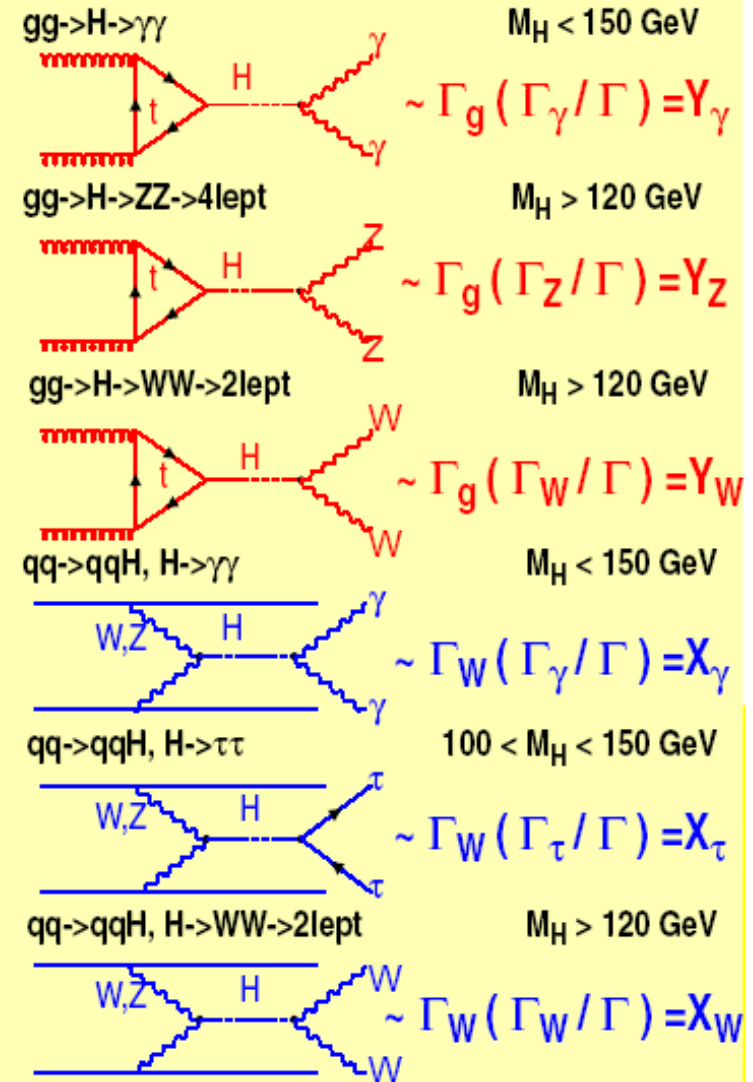
Th-err:
~4%

$$\frac{\sigma(gg \rightarrow H) \cdot B(H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)}{\sigma(gg \rightarrow H) \cdot B(H \rightarrow ZZ)} = \frac{\Gamma_\gamma}{\Gamma_Z} \propto \frac{\Gamma_W}{\Gamma_Z}$$

$$\frac{\sigma(qq \rightarrow qqH) \cdot B(H \rightarrow WW^*)}{\sigma(gg \rightarrow H) \cdot B(H \rightarrow ZZ^*)} = F_{\text{QCD}} \frac{\Gamma_W}{\Gamma_Z}$$



Th-err:
~20%

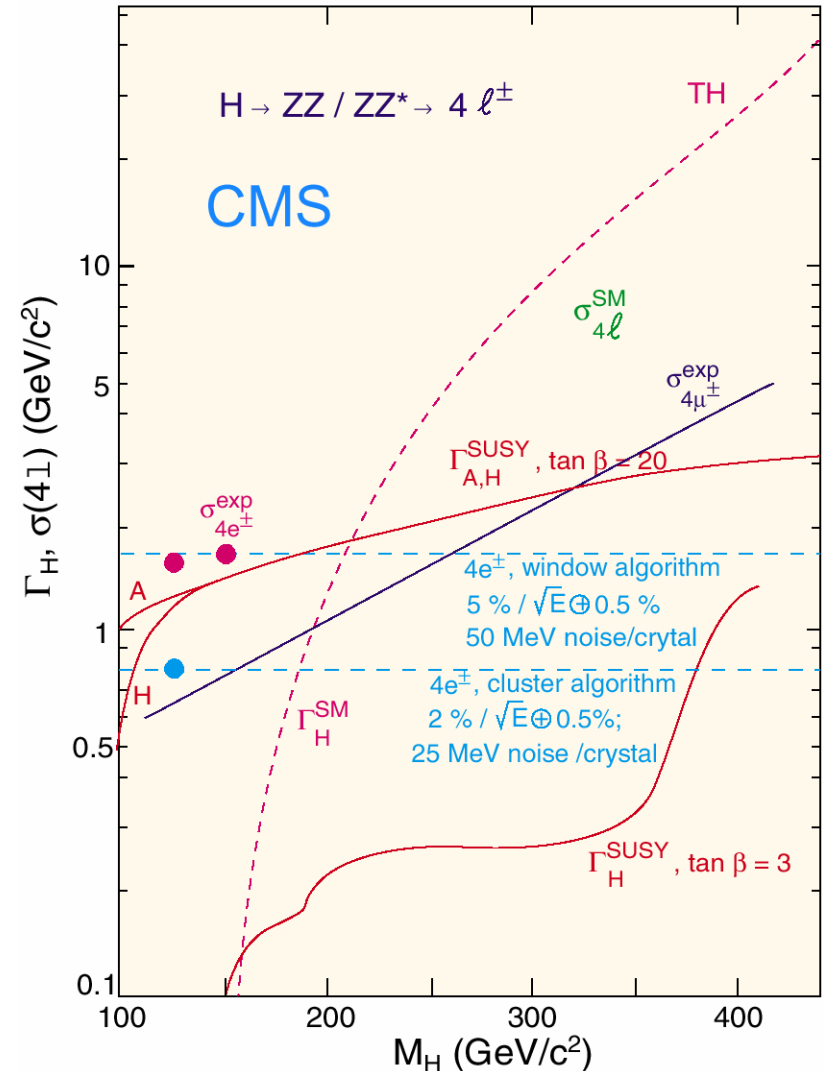
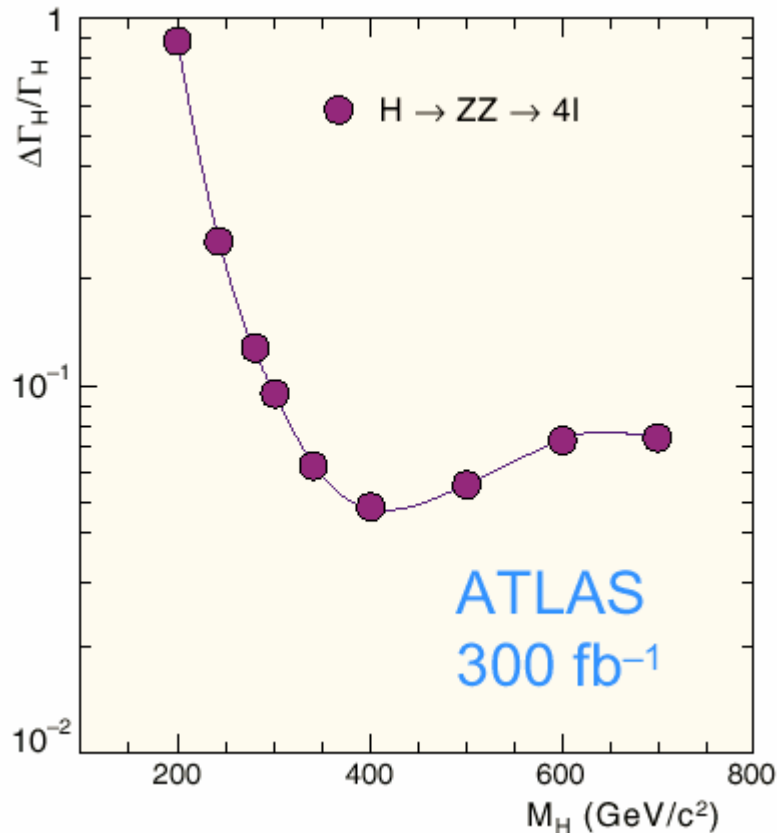


SM Higgs properties (II): width

■ Width; limitation:

◆ Possible for $M_H > 200$

● Using golden mode (4ℓ)

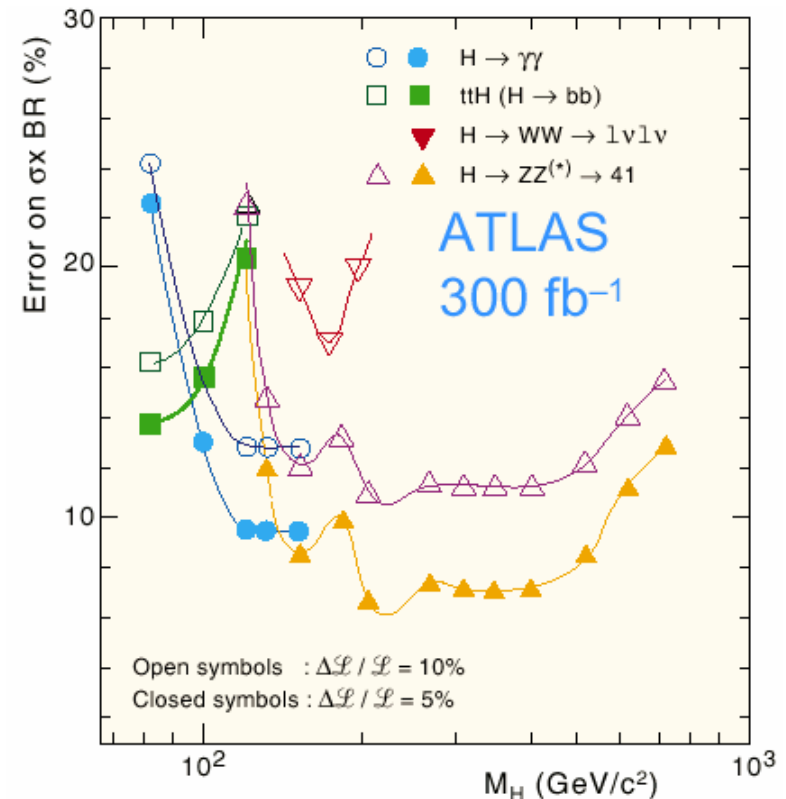




SM Higgs properties (III)

- **Biggest uncertainty (5-10%): Luminosity**
 - ◆ **Relative couplings statistically limited**
 - **Small overlap regions**

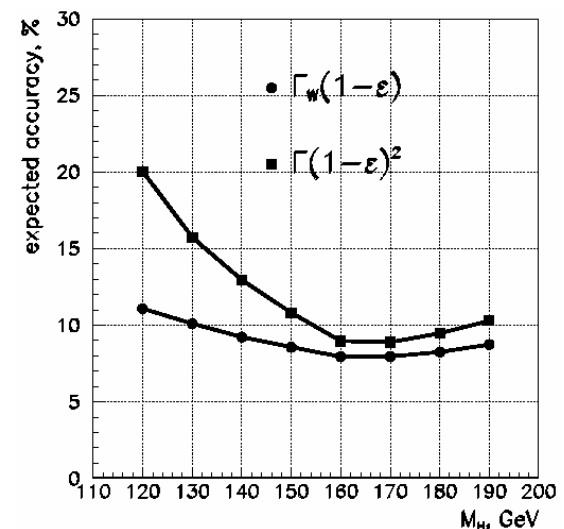
Measure	Error	M_H range
$\frac{B(H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)}{B(H \rightarrow b\bar{b})}$	30%	80–120
$\frac{B(H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)}{B(H \rightarrow ZZ^*)}$	15%	125–155
$\frac{\sigma(t\bar{t}H)}{\sigma(WH)}$	25%	80–130
$\frac{B(H \rightarrow WW^{(*)})}{B(H \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)})}$	30%	160–180





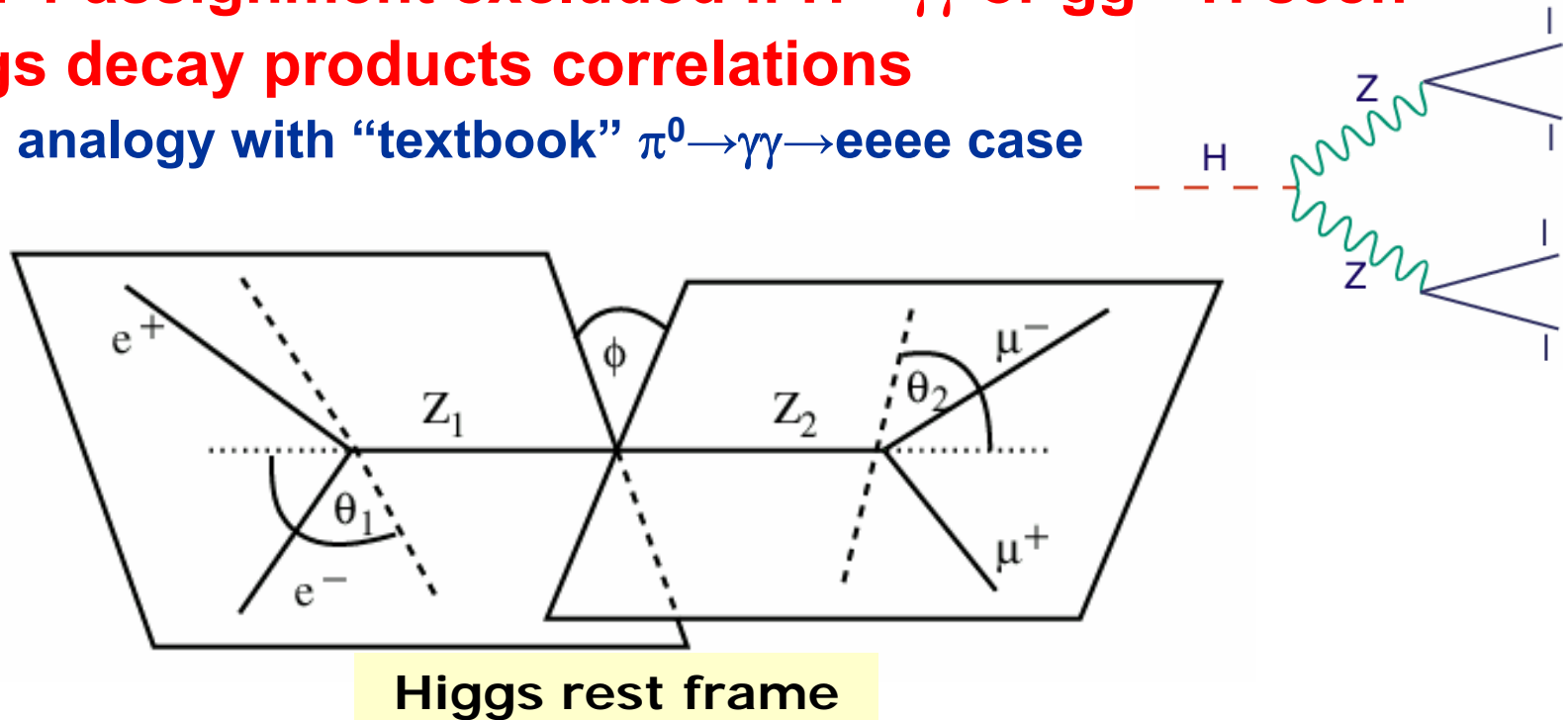
SM Higgs properties (III); width for $M_H < 2M_Z$

- **Basic idea: use $qq \rightarrow qqH$ production (two forward jets+veto on central jets)**
 - ◆ Can measure the following: $X_j = \Gamma_W \Gamma_j / \Gamma$ from $qq \rightarrow qqH \rightarrow qqjj$
 - Here: $j = \gamma, \tau, W(W^*)$; precision $\sim 10\text{-}30\%$
 - ◆ One can also measure $Y_j = \Gamma_g \Gamma_j / \Gamma$ from $gg \rightarrow H \rightarrow jj$
 - Here: $j = \gamma, W(W^*), Z(Z^*)$; precision $\sim 10\text{-}30\%$
 - ◆ Clearly, ratios of X_j and Y_j ($\sim 10\text{-}20\%$) \rightarrow couplings
 - ◆ But also interesting, if Γ_W is known:
 - $\Gamma = (\Gamma_W)^2 / X_W$
 - Need to measure $H \rightarrow WW^*$
 - $\varepsilon = 1 - (B_b + B_\tau + B_W + B_Z + B_g + B_\gamma) \ll 1$
 - $(1 - \varepsilon)\Gamma_W = X_\tau(1 + y) + X_W(1 + z) + X_\gamma + X_g$
 - $z = \Gamma_W / \Gamma_Z$; $y = \Gamma_b / \Gamma_\tau = 3\eta_{\text{QCD}}(m_b/m_\tau)^2$



SM Higgs properties (IV): J^{CP}

- Spin-1 assignment excluded if $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ or $gg \rightarrow H$ seen
- Higgs decay products correlations
 - ◆ In analogy with “textbook” $\pi^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma \rightarrow eeee$ case



- Two observables:
 - ◆ Angle between decay planes in Higgs rest-frame
 - ◆ Angle between leptons and Z-momentum the Z rest-frame (Gottfried-Jackson angle).

EWK Symmetry Breaking

Standard Model Higgs

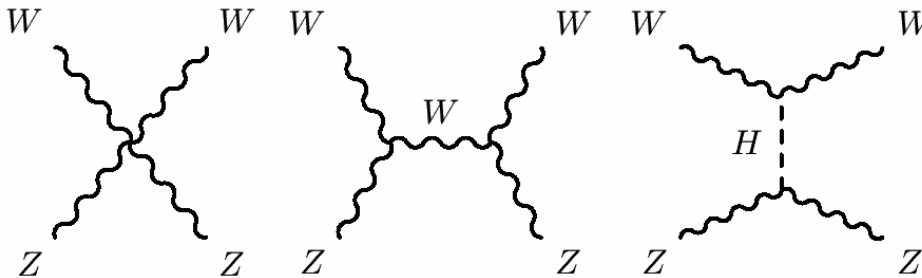
Strong EWK interaction

SUSY Higgs search

Strong boson-boson scattering

■ Example: $W_L Z_L$ scattering

- ◆ W, Z polarization vector ε^μ satisfies: $\varepsilon^\mu p_\mu = 0$;
 - for $p_\mu = (E, 0, 0, p)$, $\varepsilon^\mu = 1/M_V(p, 0, 0, E) \approx P^\mu/M_V + O(M_V/E)$
- ◆ Scattering amplitude $\sim (p_1/M_W) (p_2/M_Z) (p_3/M_W) (p_4/M_Z)$, i.e. $\sigma \sim s^2/M_W^2 M_Z^2$



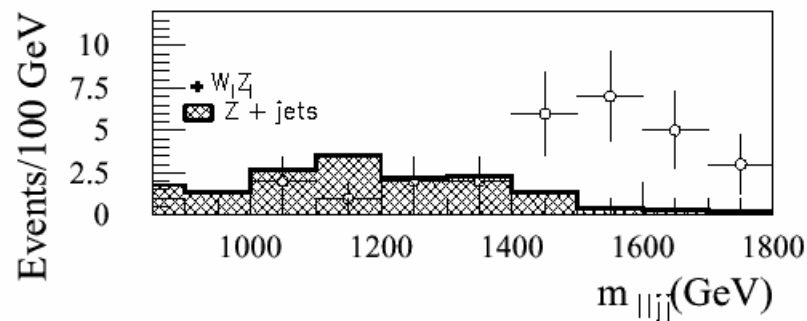
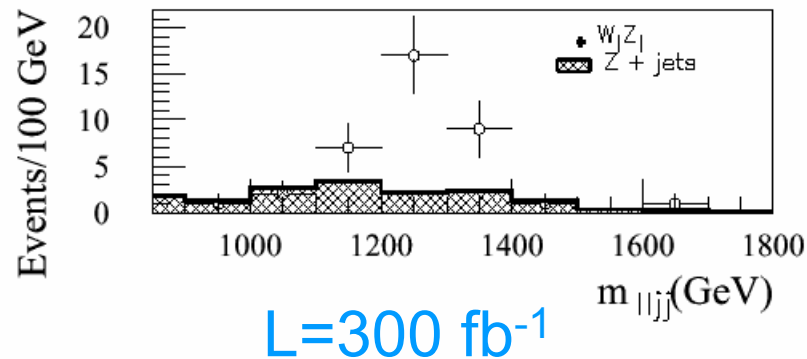
- ◆ Taking $M_H \rightarrow \infty$ the H diagram goes to zero ($\sim 1/M_H^2$)
- ◆ Technicalities: diagrams are gauge invariant, can take out one factor of s
 - but the second always remains (non-abelian group)
- ◆ Conclusion: to preserve unitarity, one must switch on the H at some mass
 - Currently: $M_H \leq 800 \text{ GeV}$



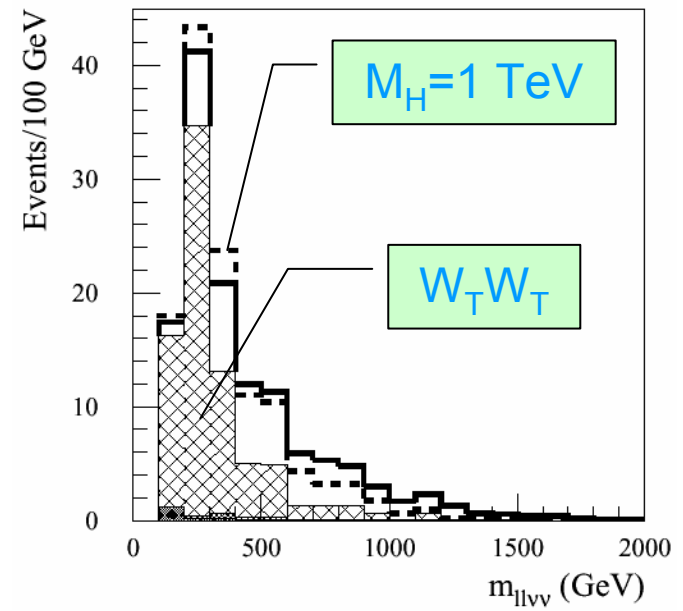
The no Higgs case: $V_L V_L$ scattering

- **Biggest background is Standard Model VV scattering**
 - ◆ Analyses are difficult and limited by statistics

Resonant WZ scattering
at 1.2 & 1.5 TeV



Non-resonant W^+W^+ scattering





Technicolor basics (I)

- **Basic idea: there exists a new strong interaction, whose charge is called “technicolor”. And is felt by “technifermions”.**
 - ◆ the Higgs is a condensate of two techni-fermions (techni-pion), just like the pion is a bound state of two quarks.
- **The decay constant is, then, the vacuum energy of the technifermion pair.**
 - ◆ In analogy with QCD, then, if Λ_{TC} is the Λ technicolor parameter
$$\langle \bar{f}f \rangle \sim \Lambda_{TC}^3 \qquad \langle \bar{q}q \rangle \sim \Lambda_{QCD}^3$$
 - ◆ Vacuum expectation value:
$$v \rightarrow f_\pi \Rightarrow M_W = g f_{\pi_T} / 2 \Rightarrow f_{\pi_T} \sim 500 \text{ GeV}$$
- **Questions: how do fermions get mass?**
 - ◆ Via four-fermion coupling (the condensate and the fermion)



Technicolor basics (II)

- **Fermions: four-fermion coupling**

$$L_{\text{int}} = \lambda Q \bar{Q} f \bar{f} \Rightarrow [\lambda] = -2 \Rightarrow \lambda \sim (1/M_{\text{ETC}})^2 \Rightarrow m_f \sim \frac{\Lambda_{\text{TC}}^3}{M_{\text{ETC}}^2}$$

- **In other words, bosons that transmit (extended) technicolor (ETC)**

- **And ETC must be broken (since boson has M_{ETC})**

- ◆ **Moreover, this mass must be high**

- **To avoid FCNC limits from experiment: $M > 500$ GeV**
- **Which implies very small fermion masses**

→ Walking ETC, large N_{TC} , ... topcolor...

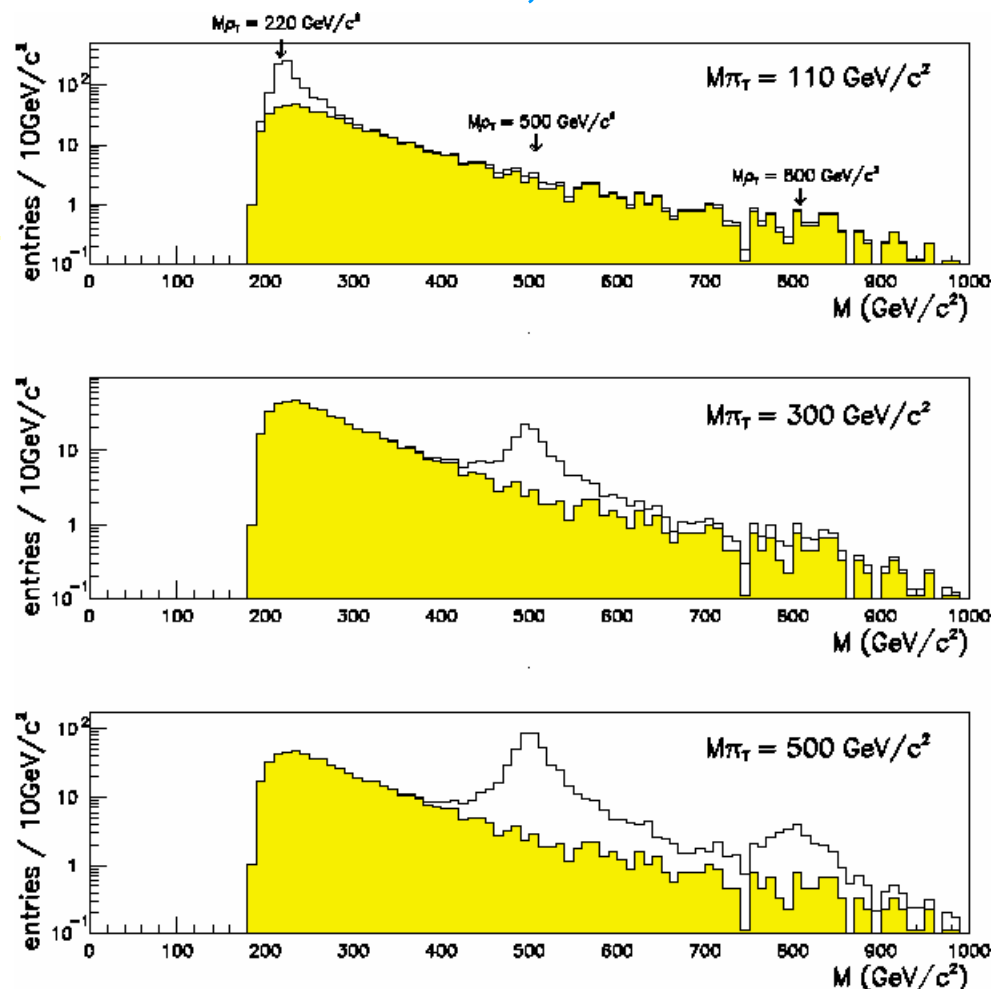
- **Phenomenology: techni-pion and techni-rho resonances decaying to (among others) W, Z.**

- ◆ **Direct decays to jets more difficult due to jet-energy resolution**
- ◆ **W, Z to leptons: clean, striking, directly attacks VB “scattering”**

■ Technicolor; many possibilities

- ◆ Example: $\rho_T^\pm \rightarrow W^\pm Z^0 \rightarrow \ell^\pm \nu \ell^+ \ell^-$ (cleanest channel...)
- ◆ Many other signals (bb , tt resonances, etc...)
- ◆ Wide range of observability

ATLAS; 30 fb⁻¹



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MSSM Higgs(es)

- **Complex analysis; 5 Higgses ($\Phi \equiv H^\pm; H^0, h^0, A^0$)**
 - ◆ At tree level, all masses & couplings depend on only two parameters; tradition says take M_A & $\tan\beta$
 - ◆ Modifications to tree-level mainly from top loops
 - Important ones; e.g. at tree-level, $M_h < M_Z \cos\beta$, $M_A < M_H$; $M_W < M_{H^\pm}$; radiative corrections push this to 135 GeV.
 - ◆ Important branch 1: SUSY particle masses
 - (a) $M > 1$ TeV (i.e. no Φ decays to them); well-studied
 - (b) $M < 1$ TeV (i.e. allows Φ decays); “on-going”
 - ◆ Important branch 2: stop mixing; value of $\tan\beta$
 - (a) Maximal–No mixing
 - (b) Low (1.5) and high (≈ 30) values of $\tan\beta$



Higgs mechanism in SUSY (I)

■ Higgs physics (MSSM)

- ◆ Two independent Higgs doublets (H_u, H_d) required.
 - Technicalities: cannot put complex conjugate of Φ in superpotential (analytic function), so cannot use the same trick as in SM ($\ell\tau_2\Phi^*$) to give masses to up-like quarks. Also, anomaly cancellation (Φ has isospin).
- ◆ Symmetry-breaking: both roll to minima, with different isospin – to give mass to corresponding fermion

$$\left. \begin{aligned} H_u &= \begin{pmatrix} H_u^+ \\ H_u^0 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{V \text{ min}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v_u \end{pmatrix} \\ H_d &= \begin{pmatrix} H_d^0 \\ H_d^- \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{V \text{ min}} \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} v_d \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned} \right\} \text{with} \quad \begin{aligned} \tan \beta &= \frac{v_u}{v_d} = \text{free parameter} \\ v_d^2 + v_u^2 &= v^2 = (246 \text{ GeV})^2 \end{aligned}$$



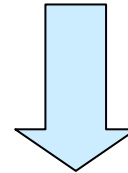
Higgs mechanism in SUSY (II)

- **2 Complex doublets = $2 \times 2 \times 2 = 8$ dofs**
 - ◆ Symmetry-breaking, lose three dofs to additional (longitudinal) polarizations of W^\pm, Z
 - 5 physical states h^0, H^0 (CP-even), A^0 (CP-odd), H^\pm
- **Next: obtain mass matrices, find eigenvectors and eigenvalues (to obtain these physical states)**
 - ◆ 6 parameters - 4 masses, $\tan\beta, \alpha$ (mixing parameter in CP-even mass matrix). Only two independent ones; “tradition”: $m_A, \tan\beta$

$$M_{H,h}^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left\{ (M_A^2 + M_Z^2) \pm \sqrt{(M_A^2 + M_Z^2)^2 - 4M_A^2 M_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta} \right\}$$

$$M_{H^\pm}^2 = M_A^2 + M_W^2$$

$$\cos^2(\beta - \alpha) = \frac{M_h^2 (M_Z^2 - M_h^2)}{M_A^2 (M_H^2 - M_h^2)}$$



$$M_h^2 \leq M_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta$$

MSSM Higgses: masses

■ Mass spectra for $M_{\text{SUSY}} > 1 \text{ TeV}$

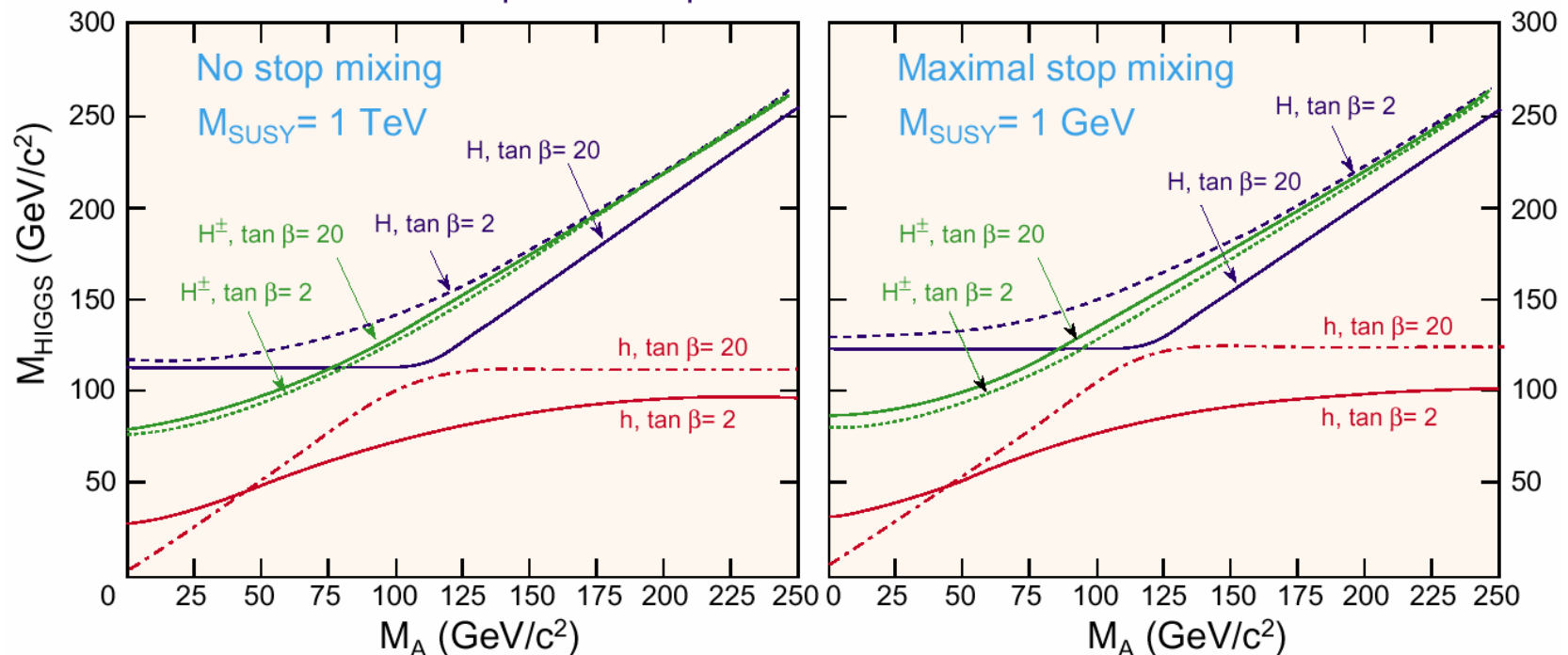
◆ Radiative corrections introduce more parameters

● Incomplete top-stop loop cancellation most important

→ $\sim M_{\text{top}}^4 \log(M_{\text{stop}}/M_{\text{top}})$, stop mixing

● The good news: $M_h < 135 \text{ GeV}/c^2$

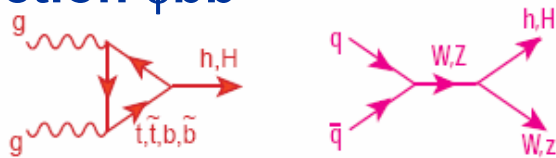
Two-loop / RGE-improved radiative corrections included



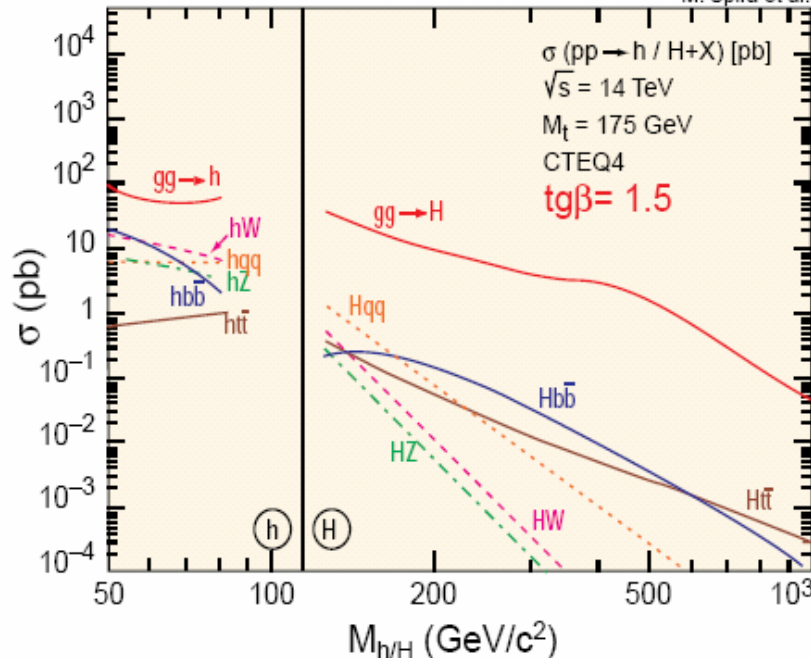
Production of MSSM Higgses: h, H

■ Largest branch: $\tan\beta$

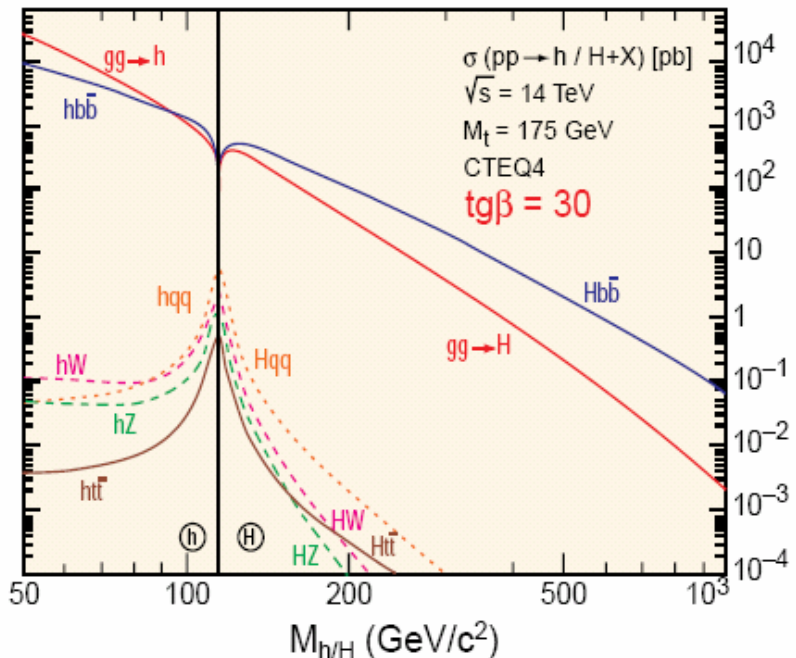
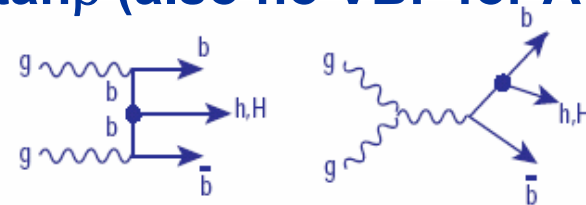
Large $\tan\beta$: $\phi b\bar{b}$ coupling
important $\Rightarrow gg \rightarrow \phi$, associated
production $\phi b\bar{b}$



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$H^0 VV$ couplings $\propto \cos(\beta-\alpha) \Rightarrow$
suppressed for large $\tan\beta$. VBF
production low for H^0 at large
 $\tan\beta$ (also no VBF for A^0)

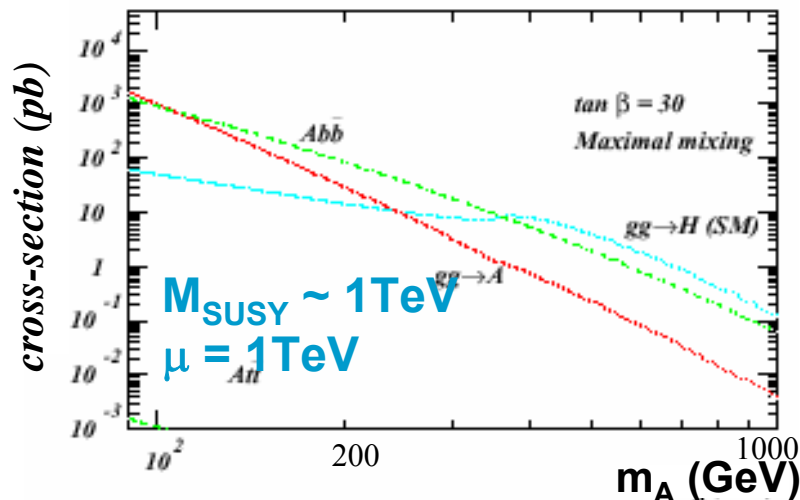




Production of MSSM Higgses : A^0, H^\pm

■ A^0 production:

- ◆ A^0 does not couple to W/Z (tree level) no VBF prodn
- ◆ Large $\tan\beta$: $A^0 b\bar{b}$ coupling very important.
 - Affects both $gg \rightarrow A^0$, and associated production $A^0 b\bar{b}$

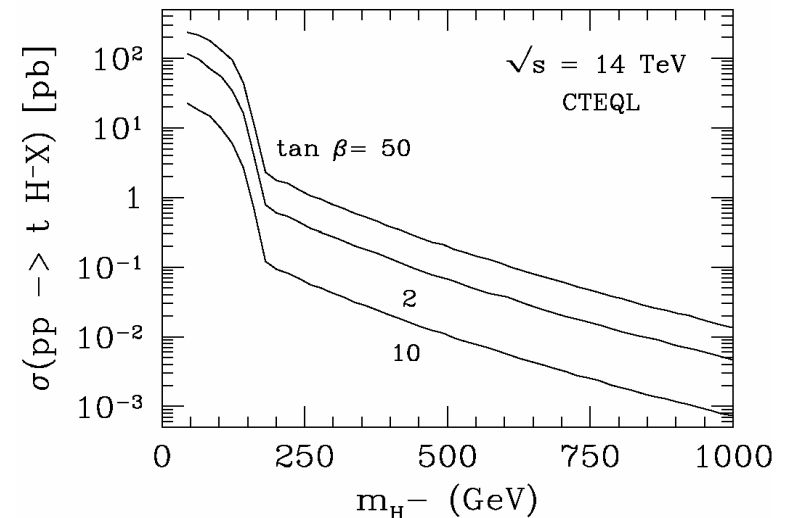


■ Case 1: $M_{H^\pm} < M_t - M_b$

- ◆ $t \rightarrow bH^\pm$ competes with SM
- ◆ $t \rightarrow Wb$ produced in $t\bar{t}$ production followed by t decay

■ Case 2: $M_{H^\pm} > M_t$

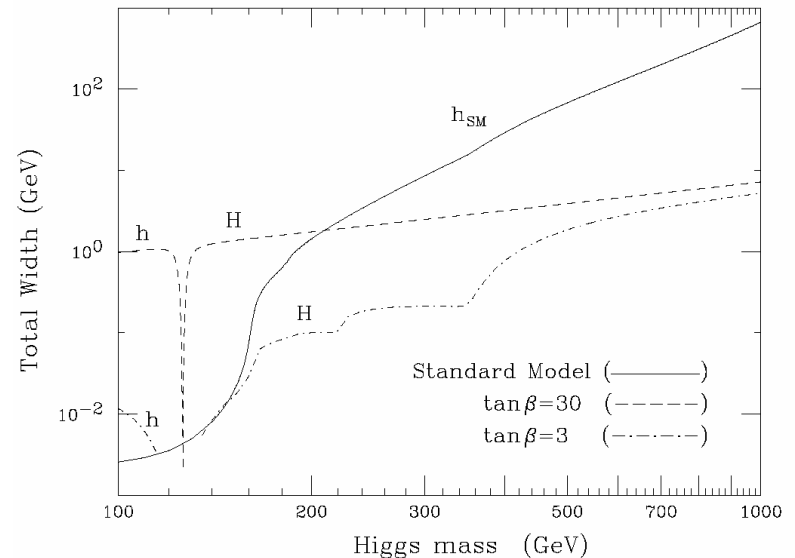
- ◆ $gg, qq \rightarrow tbH^\pm, gb \rightarrow tH^\pm$
- ◆ Radiation off 3rd-generation quark





MSSM Higgs: decays (I)

- **Decay pattern depends on region of parameter space and SUSY parameters**
 - ◆ $M_A \gg M_Z$ (decoupling limit)
 - MSUSY large ($\sim 1\text{TeV}$); $h \rightarrow h_{\text{SM}}$
 - MSUSY light (e.g. 200GeV) modified. Direct to SUSY + contributions to 1-loop decay rate $h^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$, gg possible.
 - In both cases H^0 , A^0 , $H^\pm \sim$ mass degenerate BR $\sim \tan \beta$.
 - ◆ $M_A < 150\text{ GeV}$, $\tan\beta > 10\text{-}30$ (Intense coupling regime.)
 - All higgs masses $100\text{-}150\text{ GeV}$. All H produced in many channels. Signal for one bkg for another

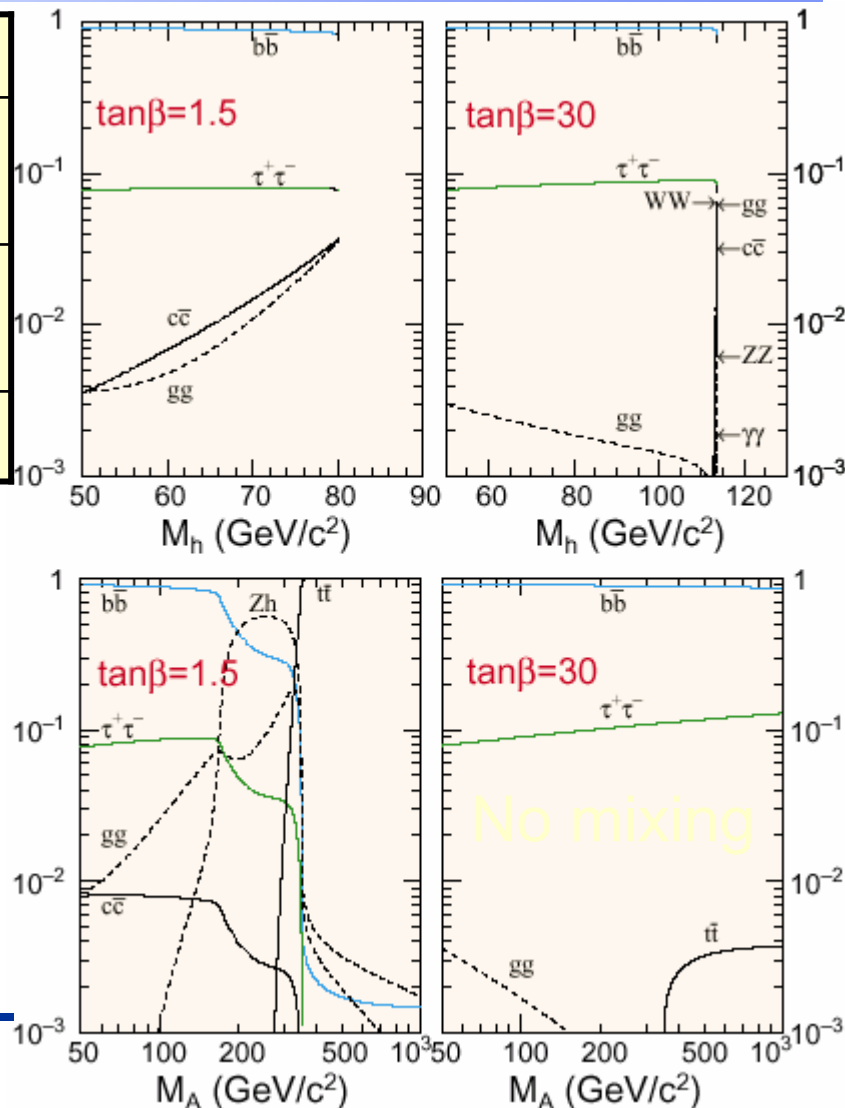


Suppression of HVV coupling results in smaller widths than SM.

MSSM Higgs: decays (II)

Φ	$g(\Phi uu)$	$g(\Phi dd)$	$g(\Phi VV)$
h	$\cos\alpha/\sin\beta$ $\rightarrow 1$	$-\sin\alpha/\cos\beta$ $\rightarrow 1$	$\sin(\beta-\alpha)$ $\rightarrow 1$
H	$\sin\alpha/\sin\beta$ $\rightarrow 1/\tan\beta$	$\cos\alpha/\cos\beta$ $\rightarrow \tan\beta$	$\cos(\beta-\alpha)$ $\rightarrow 0$
A	$1/\tan\beta$	$\tan\beta$	0

- **h is light**
 - ◆ Decays to $b\bar{b}$ (90%) & $\tau\tau$ (8%)
 - $c\bar{c}$, gg decays suppressed
- **H/A “heavy”**
 - ◆ Decays to top open (low $\tan\beta$)
 - ◆ Otherwise still to $b\bar{b}$ & $\tau\tau$
 - ◆ But: WW/ZZ channels suppressed; lose golden modes for H





Higgs channels considered (examples)

Channels currently being investigated:

- ◆ $H, h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma, b\bar{b}$ ($H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ in $WH, t\bar{t}H$) (very) important and hopeful
- ◆ $h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ in $WH, t\bar{t}h \rightarrow \ell\gamma\gamma$
- ◆ $h, H \rightarrow ZZ^*, ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell$
- ◆ $h, H, A \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^- \rightarrow (e/\mu)^+ + h^- + E_T^{\text{miss}}$
 $\rightarrow e^+ + \mu^- + E_T^{\text{miss}}$
 $\rightarrow h^+ + h^- + E_T^{\text{miss}}$ } inclusively and in $b\bar{b}H_{\text{SUSY}}$
- ◆ $H^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu$ from $t\bar{t}$
- ◆ $H^+ \rightarrow \tau^+ \nu$ and $H^+ \rightarrow t\bar{b}$ for $M_H > M_{\text{top}}$
- ◆ $A \rightarrow Zh$ with $h \rightarrow b\bar{b}$; $A \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$
- ◆ $H, A \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0, \tilde{\chi}_i^0 \tilde{\chi}_j^0, \tilde{\chi}_i^+ \tilde{\chi}_j^-$ } promising
- ◆ $H^+ \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^+ \tilde{\chi}_2^0$
- ◆ $qq \rightarrow qqH$ with $H \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$
- ◆ $H \rightarrow \tau\tau$, in $WH, t\bar{t}H$



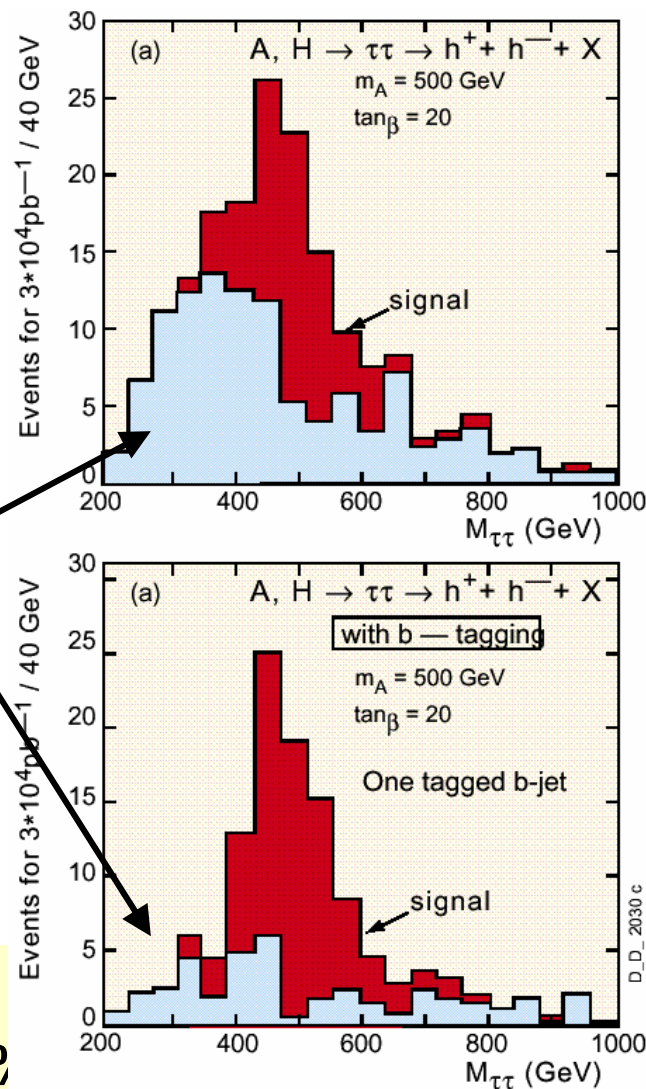
H,A $\rightarrow\tau\tau$; the gen-3 lepton at the LHC

■ Best reach for large $\tan\beta$

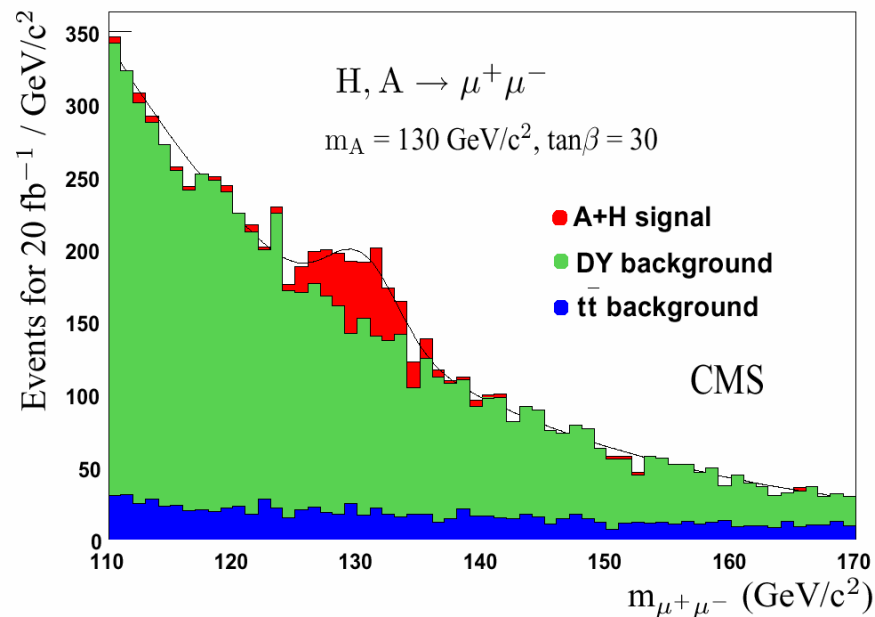
- ◆ All channels: $\tau\tau\rightarrow\ell+\ell$, ℓ +jet, jet+jet
- ◆ All-hadronic channel: main reason for hadronic tau-trigger
 - Backgrounds: QCD (fake τ); $Z/\gamma^*\rightarrow\tau\tau$; $t\bar{t}$; W +jet, $W\rightarrow\tau\nu$
 - tau-id: a tau-jet (1- and 3-prong) plus lifetime info
 - b-tagging: essential to reduce bkg
 - potential bkg from SUSY decays (τ,χ^2_0,χ_1^\pm) negligible

■ Decay offers measurement of $\tan\beta$, albeit with external input needed

- QCD rejection $\sim 10^6$
- Mass resolution $\sim 15\%$



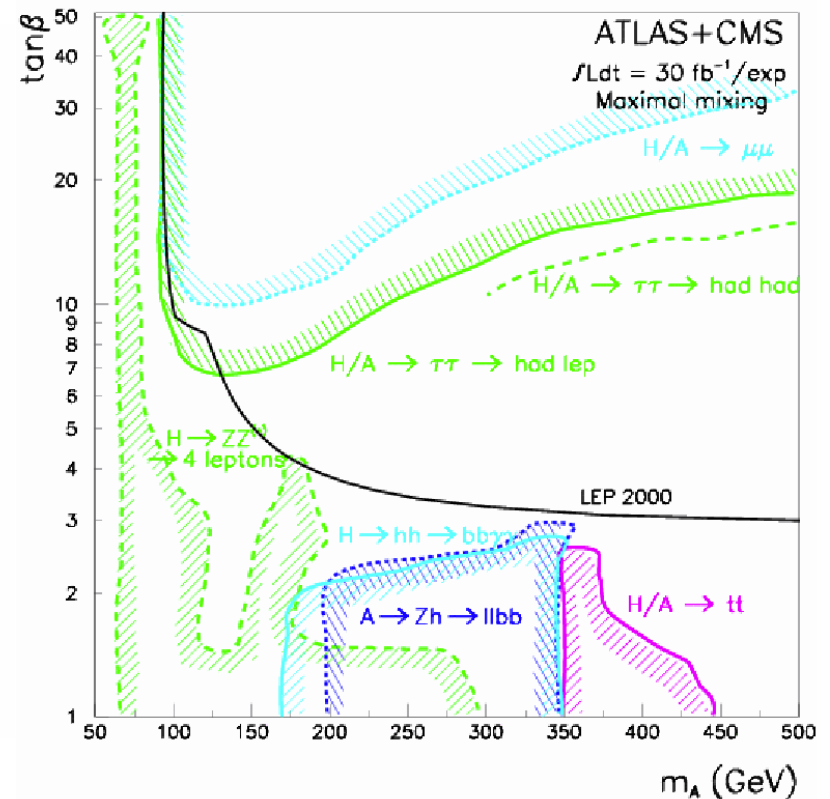
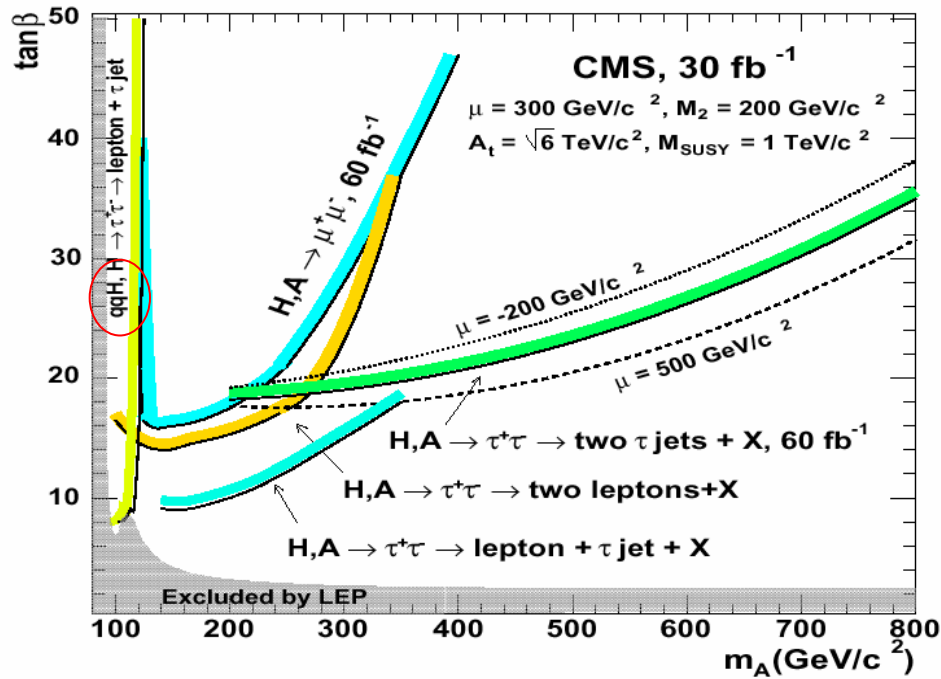
- **Enhanced $bb(H/A)$ production at high $\tan\beta$: also this channel possible**
 - ◆ **Smaller rate (than tau channel) but far better resolution**
 - ◆ **Backgrounds:**
 - $Z, \gamma^* \rightarrow \mu\mu$; reject using b-tagging
 - $t\bar{t} \rightarrow Wb, W \rightarrow \mu\nu$ reject using central jet veto



Cannot resolve
 A and H peaks.
 $\Delta m \sim 1\%$
 Example shown:
 $|m_H - m_A| \sim 2 \text{ GeV}$

H, A reach via μ, τ decays

5σ reach

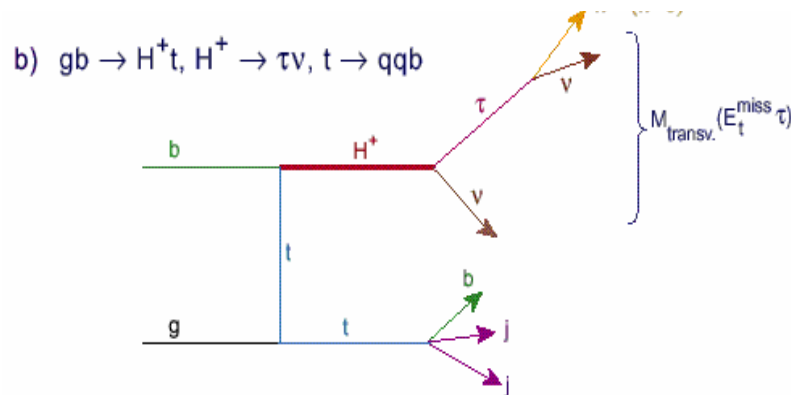




H⁺ detection

Associated top-H⁺ production:

- ◆ Use all-hadronic decays of the top (leave one “neutrino”)
- ◆ H decay looks like W decay → Jacobian peak for τ -E_T^{miss}

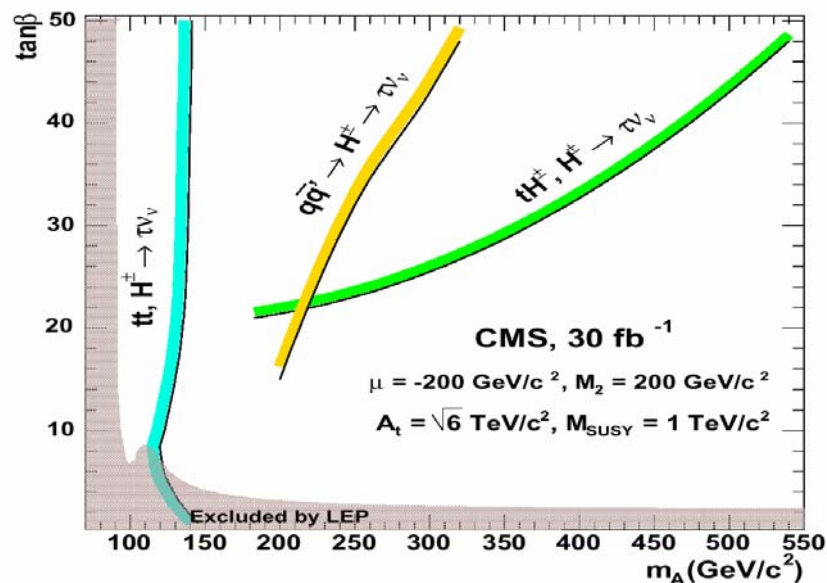
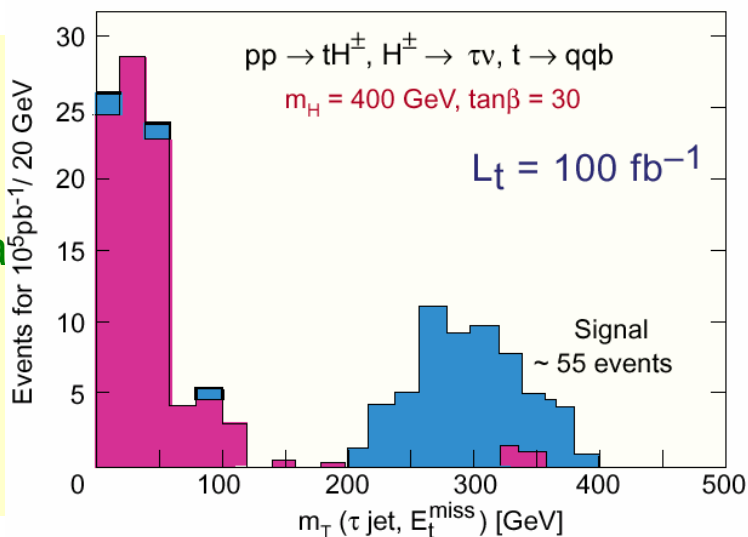


$E_T(\text{jet}) > 40$

$|\eta| < 2.4$

Veto on extra jet, and on second top

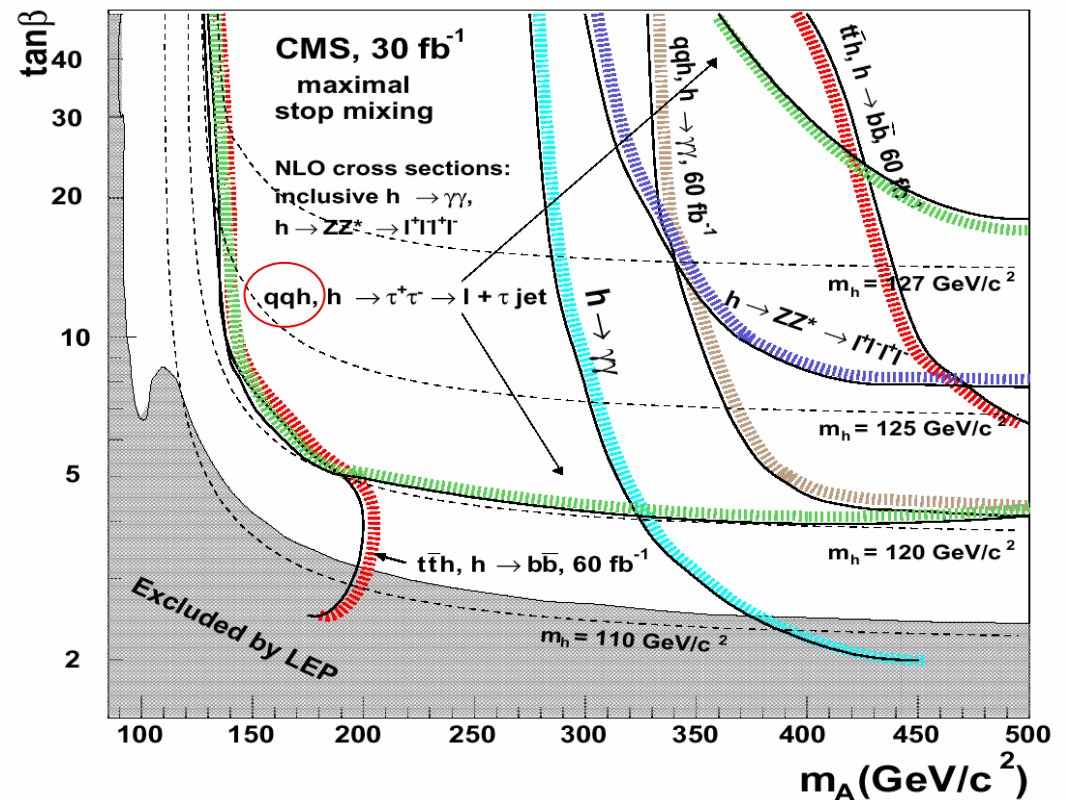
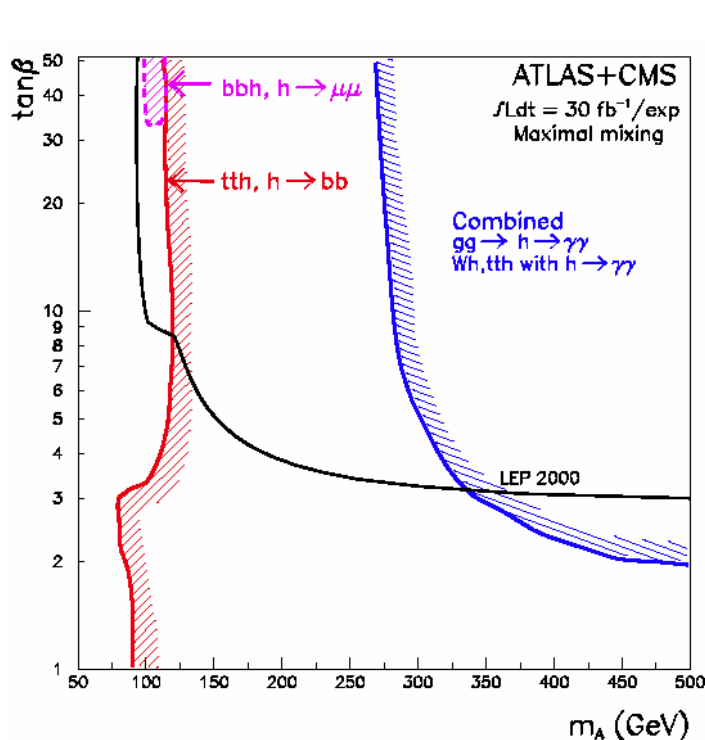
Bkg: $t\bar{t}H$





h^0 reach

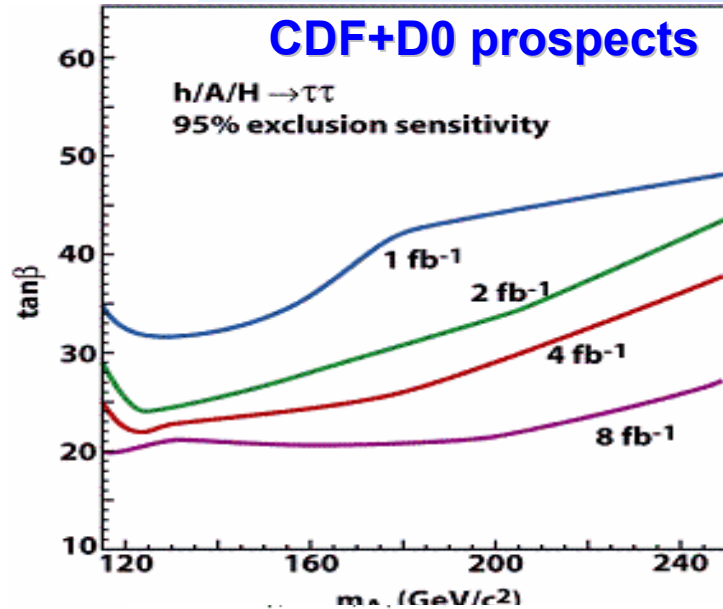
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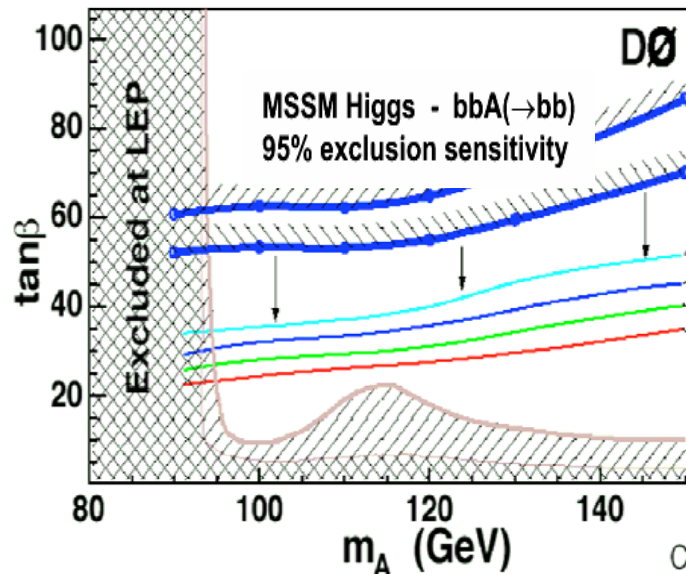
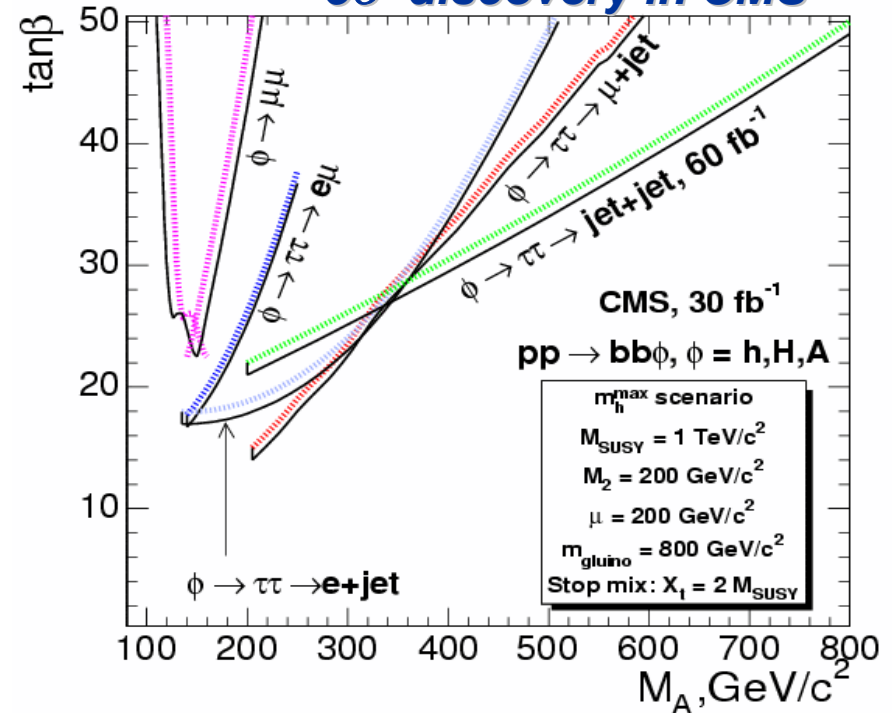


MSSM Higgs: Tevatron vs LHC

CDF+D0 prospects



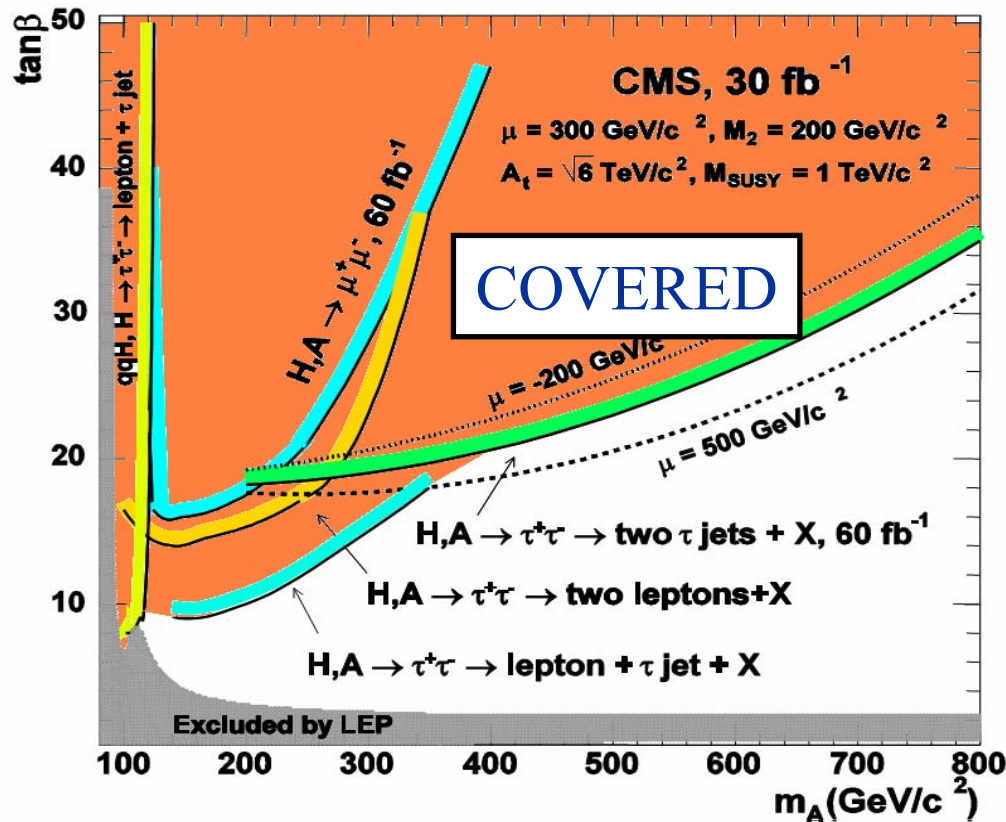
5 σ discovery in CMS



CDF+D0 prospects
for exclusion

1 fb $^{-1}$
2 fb $^{-1}$
4 fb $^{-1}$
8 fb $^{-1}$

Discovery search: summary



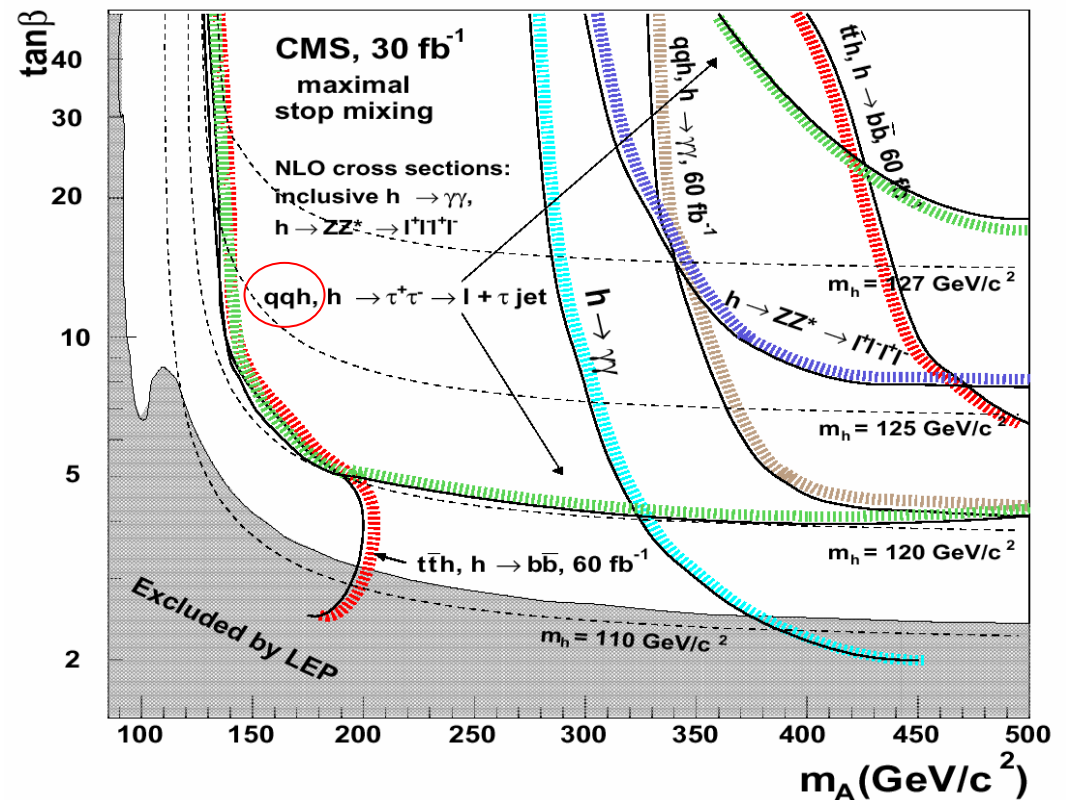
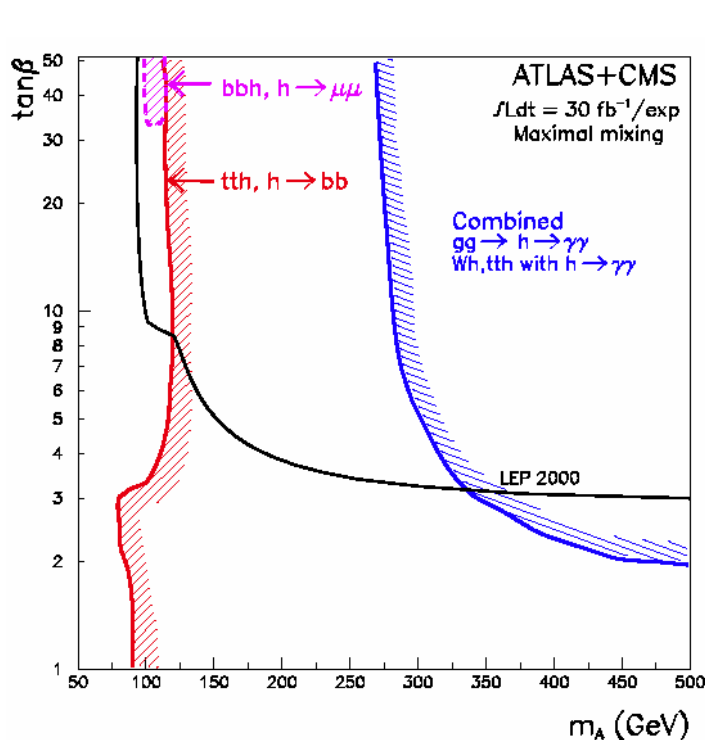
- The light Higgs, h^0 , is always visible (a no-lose “theorem” for the LHC)
- Reach for heavy MSSM Higgses limited to upper-left part of $M_A - \tan\beta$ plot
 - reason: production mechanism (e.g. bbA^0, H^0) significant only with $\tan\beta$ enhancement

Need new channels to cover SUSY plane in the low-to-intermediate $\tan\beta$ - and high M_A region ...



h^0 reach

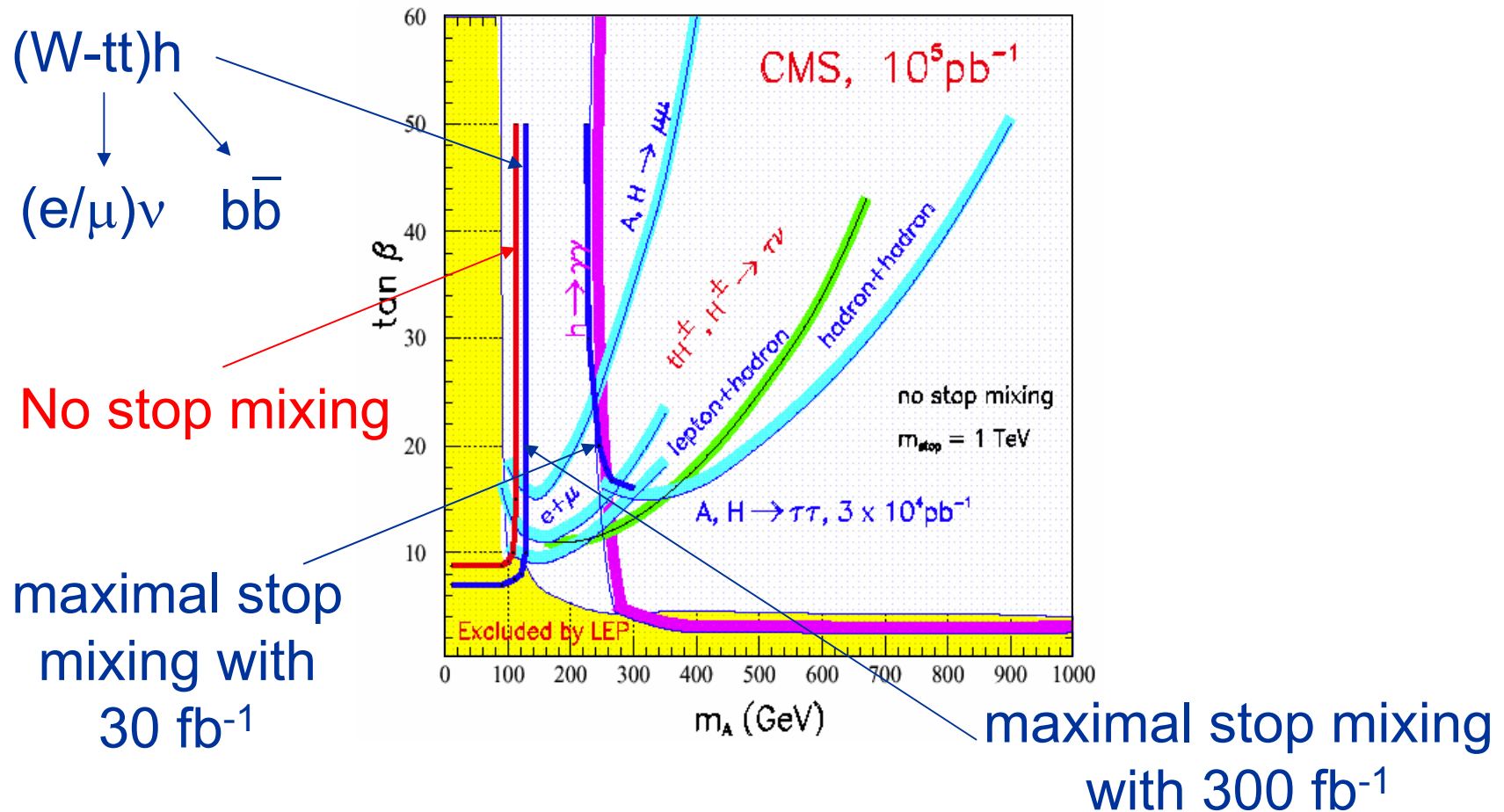
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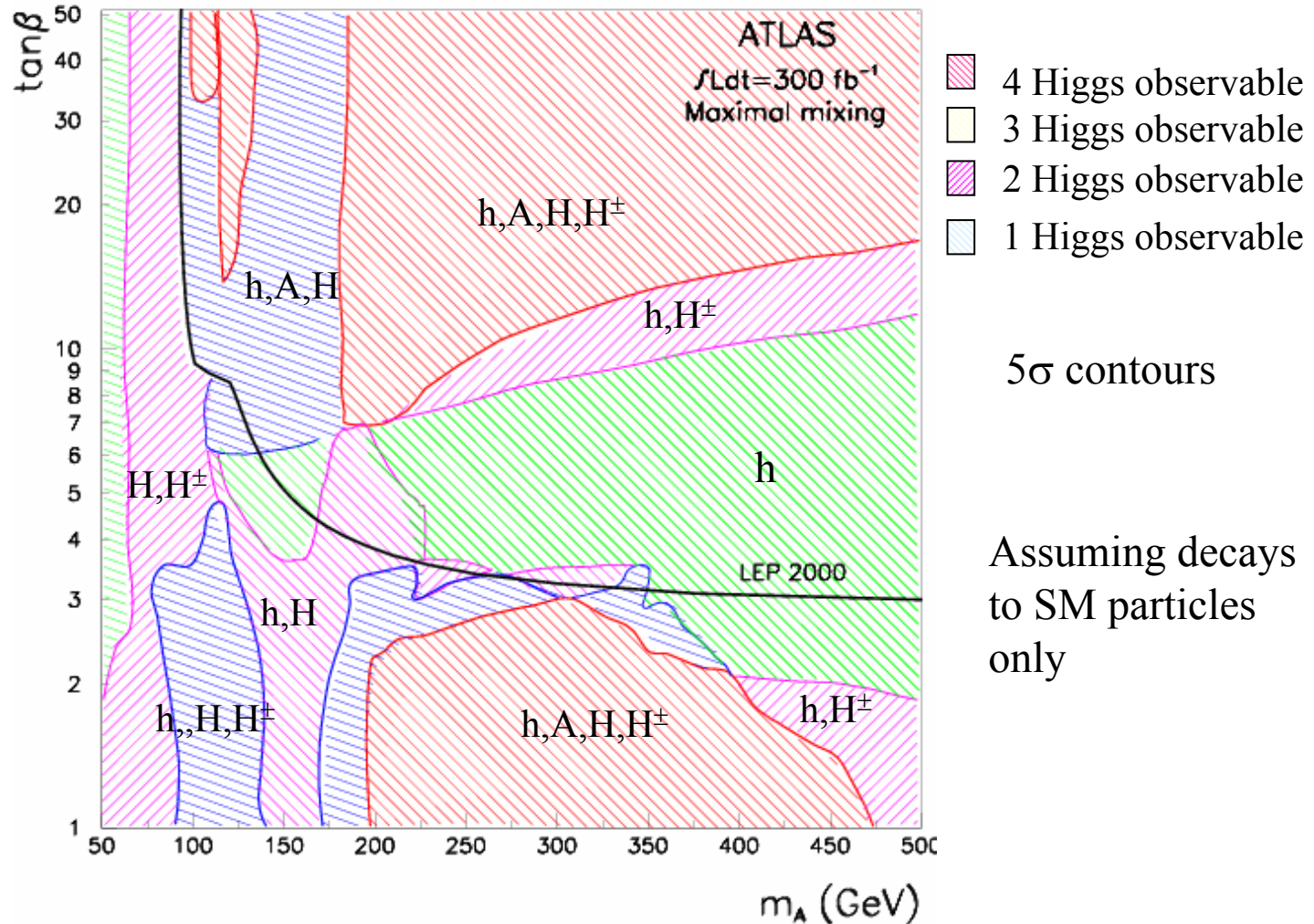
SUSY reach on $\tan\beta$ - M_A plane

- Adding $b\bar{b}$ on the τ modes can “close” the plane



Observability of MSSM Higgses

MSSM Higgs bosons



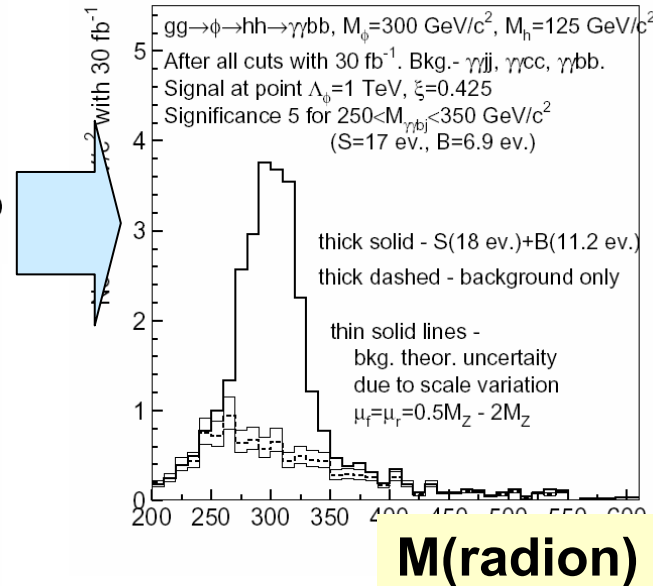
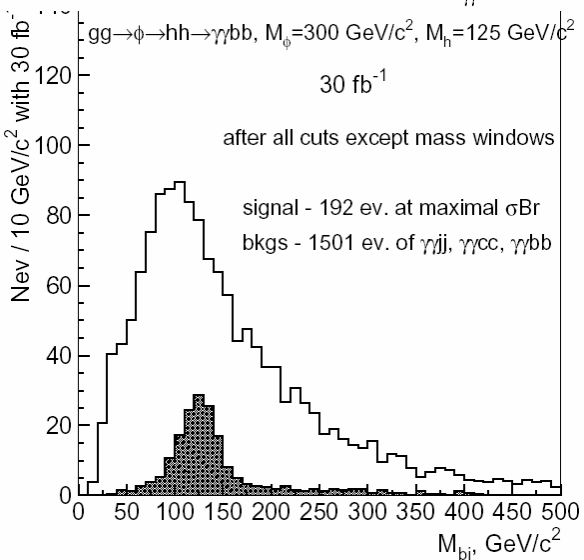
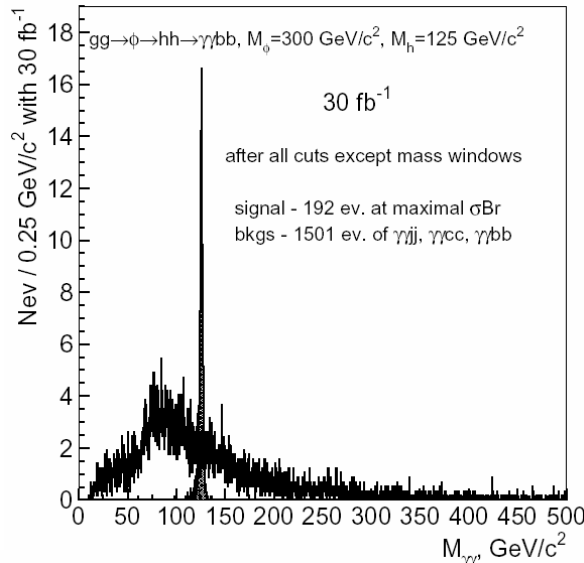
Extras



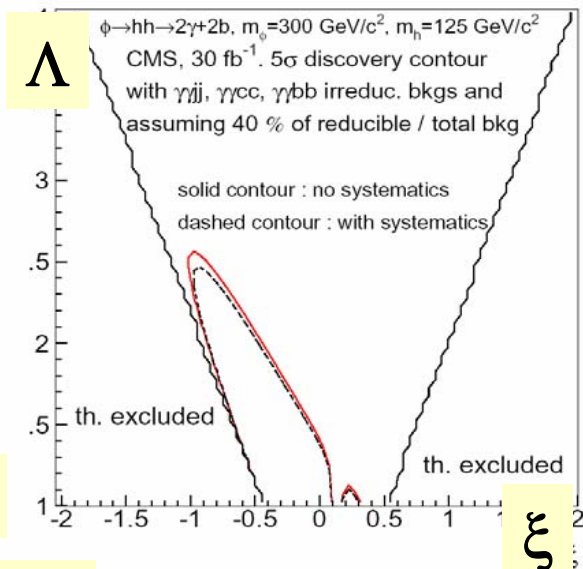
Radions... $\phi \rightarrow hh \rightarrow \gamma\gamma bb$

the field between the two (RS) branes

Di-photon selection + at least one b-jet photon vertex from jets...



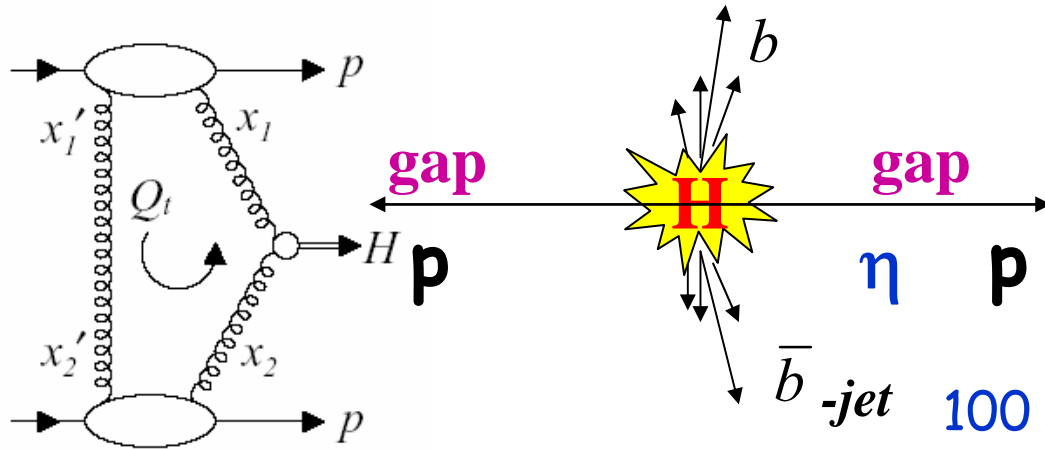
CMS, 30 fb⁻¹



Also doable: $\phi \rightarrow hh \rightarrow \tau\tau bb$;
4b channel very difficult

bkg systematics included

Diffractive Higgs production



SM Higgs: (30fb⁻¹)

11 signal vs 12 bkg events

MSSM: $\sigma \sim \times 10$ larger ($\tan\beta$)

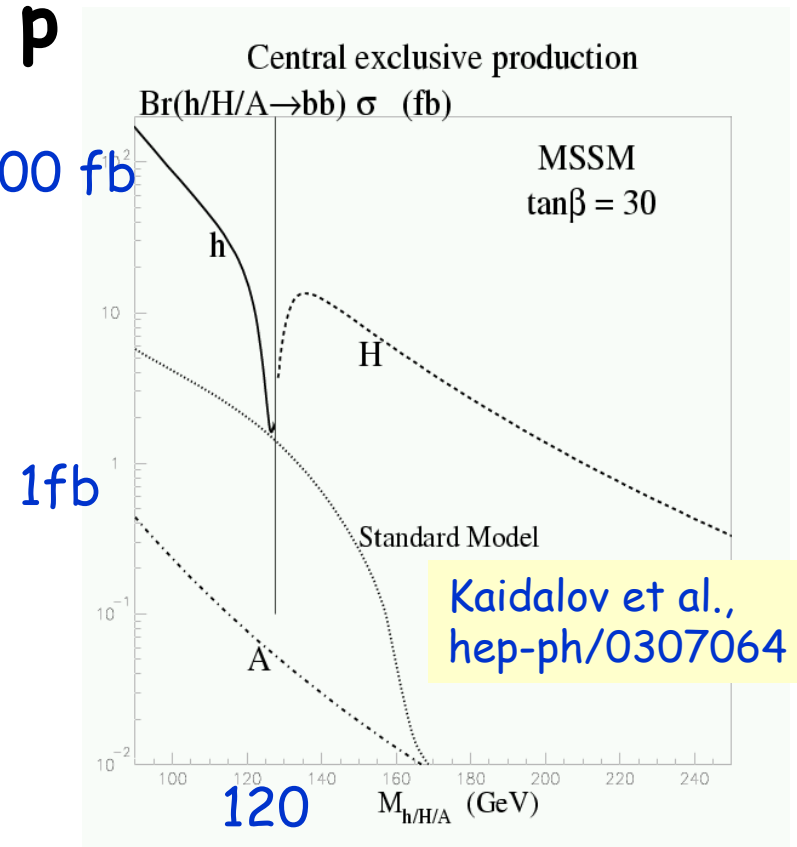
Exclusive production:

- $J_z=0$ suppression of $gg \rightarrow bb$ bkg
- Higgs mass via missing mass

$$M_H^2 = (p + \bar{p} - p' - \bar{p}')^2$$

$$\Delta M = O(1.0 - 2.0) \text{ GeV}$$

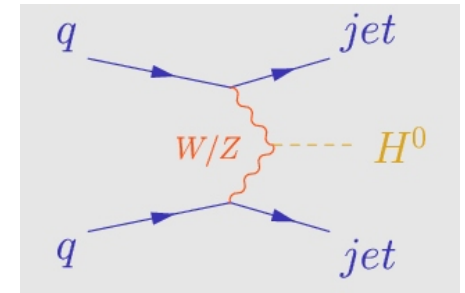
- Of course, need Roman pots



Invisible Higgs...

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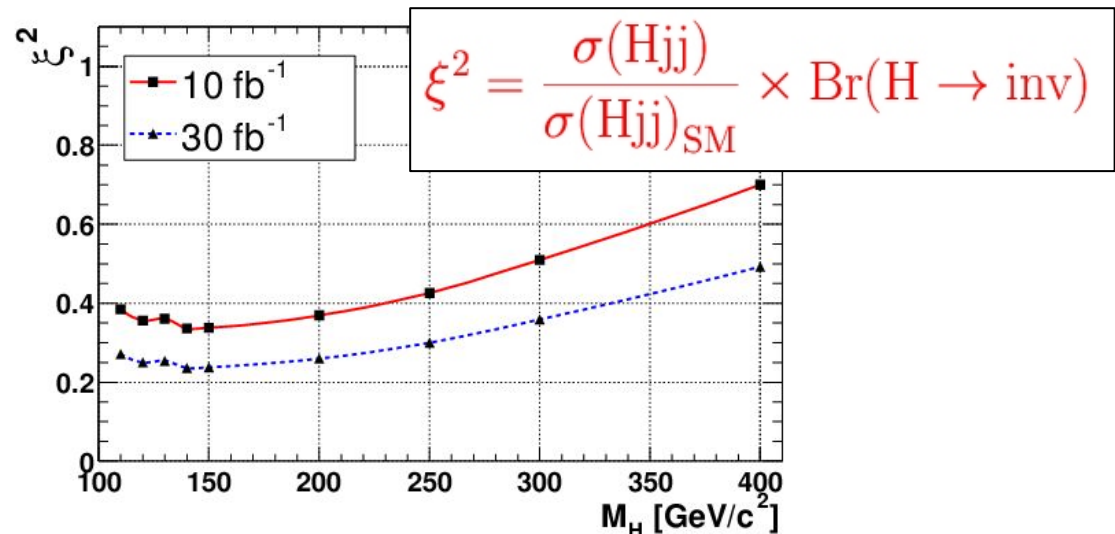


■ Backgrounds:

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◆ Selection:

- F & B jets
- Missing E_T
- Central jet veto
- Lepton veto



End of Lecture 1



Other Higgs stories

- **CP-violating scenario**
 - ◆ Physical states mixture of CP eigenstates
 - ◆ Couplings depend on phases of complex parameters (e.g. X_t)
 - ◆ Huge effect on all previously shown plots/results
- **Benchmark scenarios “at the edge”**
 - ◆ X-phobic scenarios (gluo-phobic, fermio-phobic, etc)
 - But in general Y-friendly scenario helps
 - ◆ small- α_{eff} scenario
- **Higgs self-coupling**
 - ◆ At the limit with LHC++



Other case: SUSY particles accessible

- **If SUSY kinematically accessible**
 - ◆ Higgses can decay directly to or come from decays of SUSY particles
 - ◆ Light SUSY particles suppress or enhance loop induced production or decays

- **Sparticle decay modes can compete with SM modes**

$$H/A \rightarrow \chi_2^0 \chi_2^0 \rightarrow 4\ell^\pm X$$

$$H^\pm \rightarrow \chi_2^0 \chi_1^\pm \rightarrow 3\ell^\pm X$$

Also possible $h^0 \rightarrow \text{LSP}$, invisible for R parity conservation

- **Further source of Higgses from cascade decays of heavy SUSY particles**

$$\chi_2^0, \chi_1^\pm \rightarrow \chi_1^0 + \Phi \quad \text{“little cascade”}$$

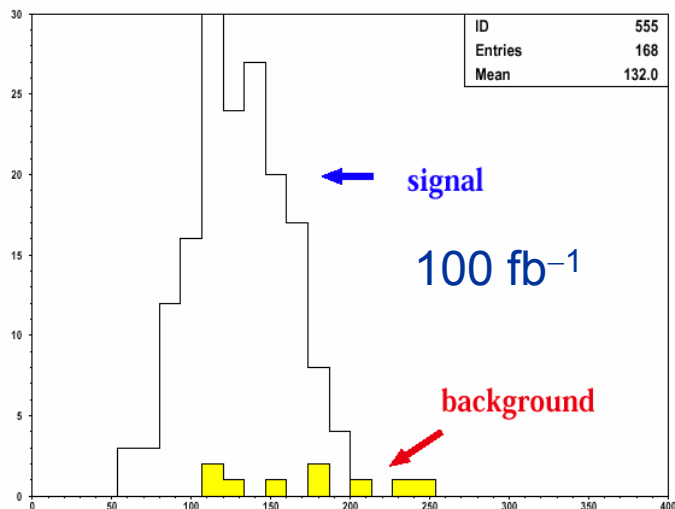
$$\chi_{3,4}^0, \chi_2^\pm \rightarrow \chi_{1,2}^0, \chi_1^\pm + \Phi \quad \text{“big cascade”}$$



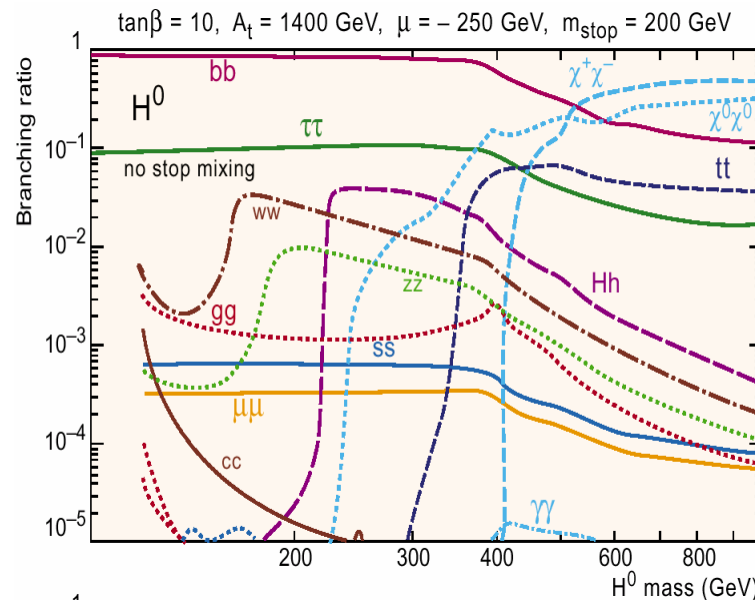
If SUSY charg(neutral)inos < 1 TeV (I)

■ Decays $H^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_j^\mp$ become important

- ◆ Recall that $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \ell^+ \ell^-$ has spectacular edge on the dilepton mass distribution
- ◆ Example: $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0$. Four (!) leptons (isolated); plus two edges



Four-lepton mass



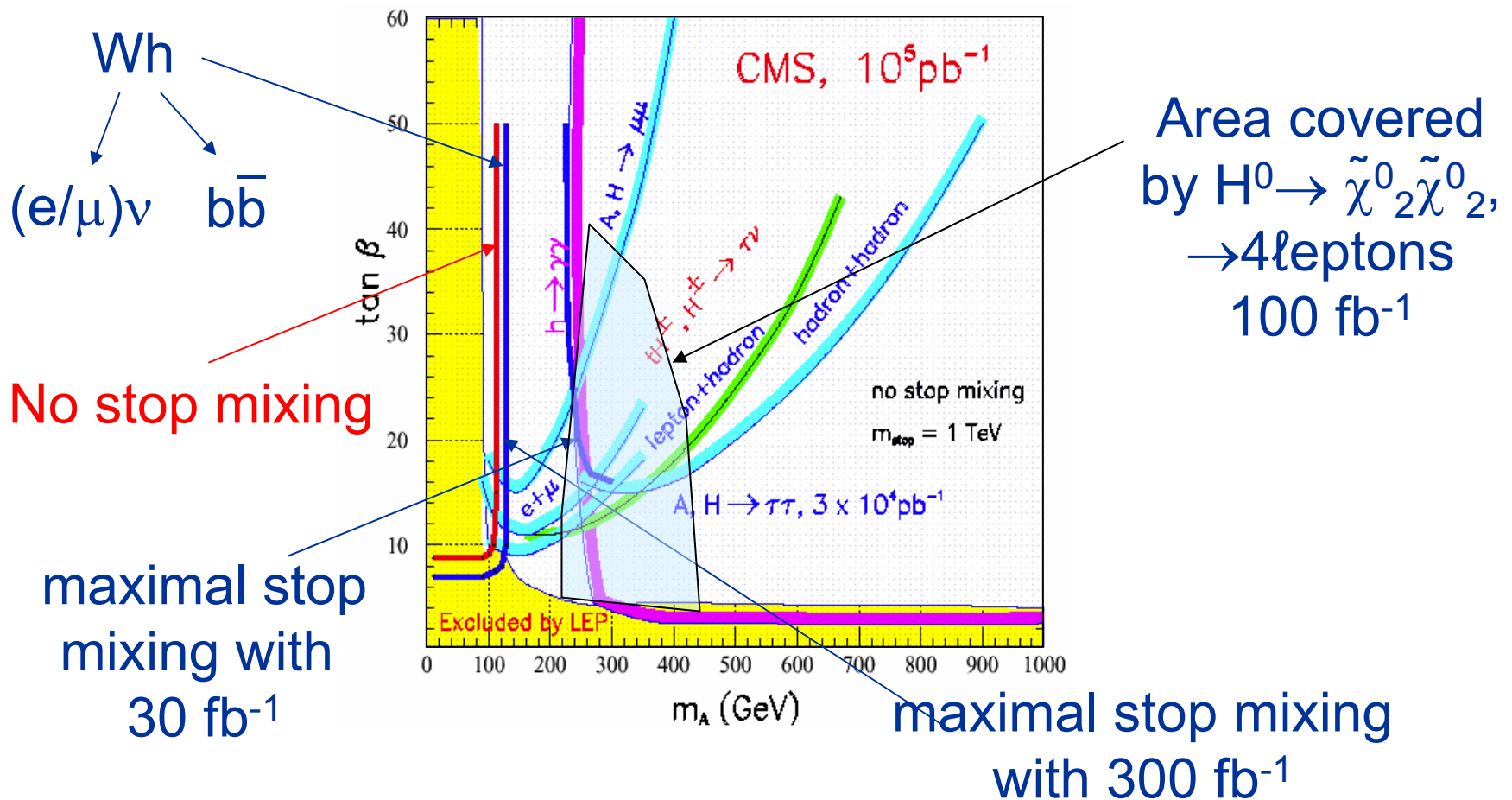
Central point in MSSM parameter space :

$$\begin{aligned}
 M_{A,H} &= 350 \text{ GeV} & \tan \beta &= 5 \\
 M_{\tilde{l}} &= 250 \text{ GeV} & \mu &= -500 \text{ GeV} \\
 M_{\tilde{\chi}_0} &= 60 \text{ GeV} & M_{\tilde{\chi}_0} &= 110 \text{ GeV} \\
 M_{\tilde{q}} &= M_{\tilde{g}} = 1 \text{ TeV} & M_{\tilde{\chi}_2} &
 \end{aligned}$$



If SUSY charg(neutral)inos < 1 TeV (II)

- Helps fill up the “hole”





Another branch: cascades

- **Alternative to other decay modes**
 - ◆ **Alternative production mechanisms**
- **Exploit MSSM Higgs boson production in cascades of SUSY particles**

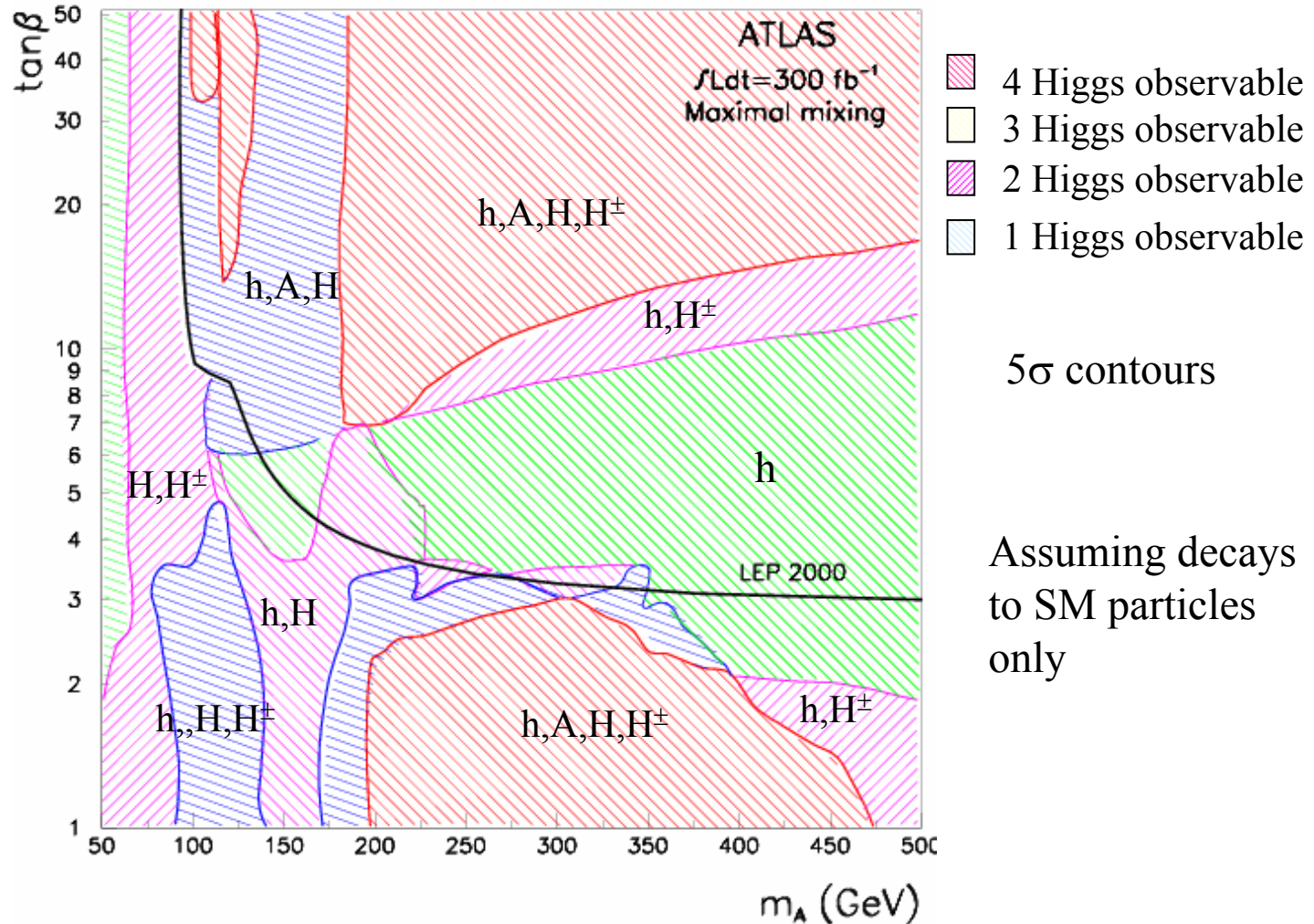
$$\tilde{g} \rightarrow qq^{(\prime)} \quad \chi_3^0, \chi_4^0, \chi_2^\pm \rightarrow \chi_1^0, \chi_2^0, \chi_1^\pm \quad A, H$$

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Observability of MSSM Higgses

MSSM Higgs bosons





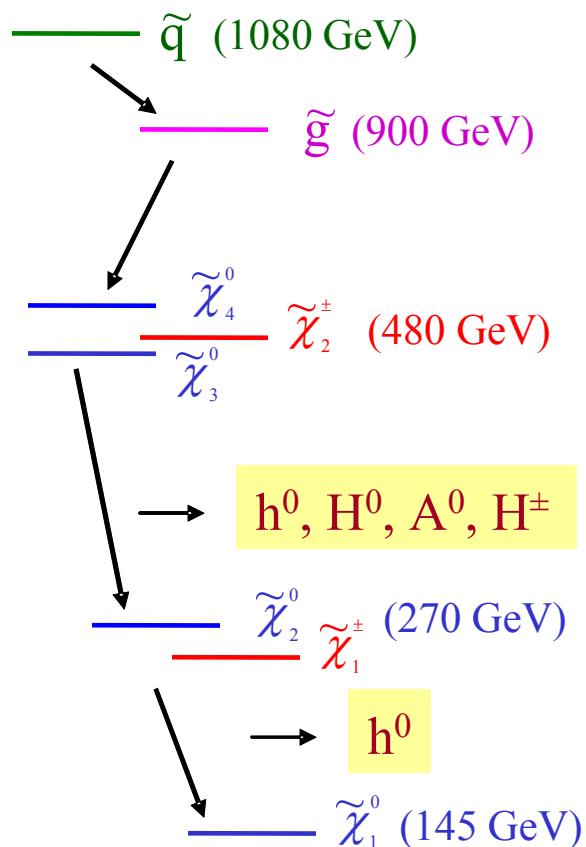
MSSM: Higgs summary

- **At least one ϕ will be found in the entire M_A - $\tan\beta$ plane**
 - ◆ latter (almost) entirely covered by the various signatures
 - ◆ Full exploration requires 100 fb^{-1}
 - ◆ Difficult region: $3 < \tan\beta < 10$ and $120 < M_A < 220$; will need:
 - $> 100 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ or $h \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ decays
 - Further improvements on τ identification?
 - ◆ Intermediate $\tan\beta$ region: difficult to disentangle SM and MSSM Higgses (only h is detectable)
- **Potential caveats (not favored)**
 - ◆ Sterile (or “invisible”) Higgs
 - Excess visible, but it'll tough to “prove” what it is...



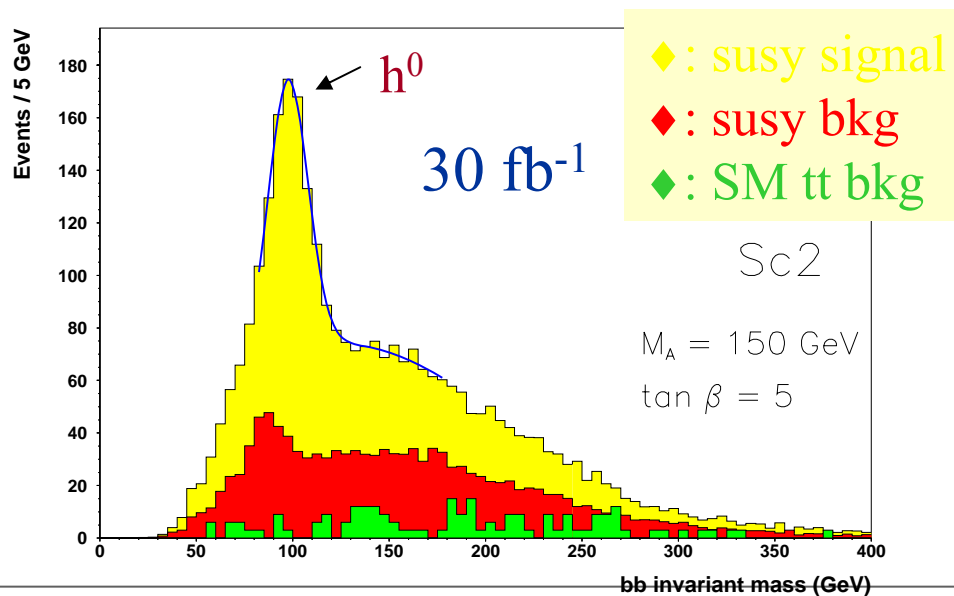
Cascade scenarios (I)

■ Little + big cascades



$$\tilde{g} \rightarrow qq^{(')} \quad \chi_3^0, \chi_4^0, \chi_2^\pm \rightarrow \chi_1^0, \chi_2^0, \chi_1^\pm \quad A, H$$

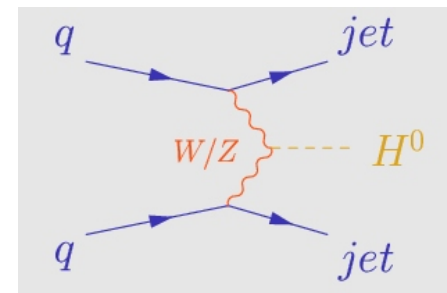
- ◆ At least 5 jets; One jet with $E_T > 300$ GeV
- ◆ $E_{T\text{miss}} > 150$ GeV
- ◆ Effective mass $E_T^{\text{total}} = \sum_{\text{jets}} E_T + E_T^{\text{miss}} > 1.2 \text{ TeV}$
- ◆ At least two b -tagged jets, with $45 \text{ GeV} < E_T < 120 \text{ GeV}$



Invisible Higgs

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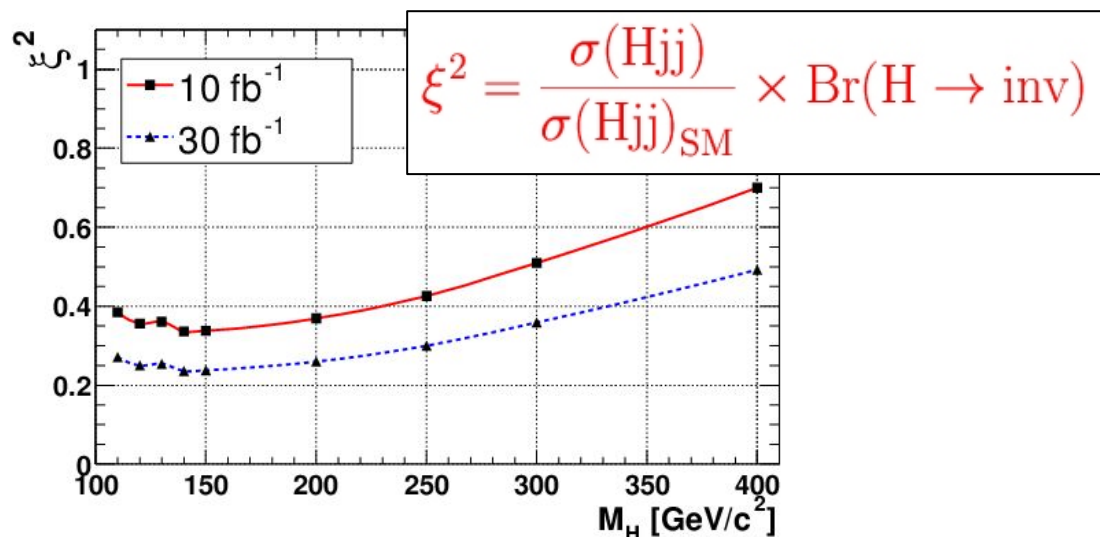


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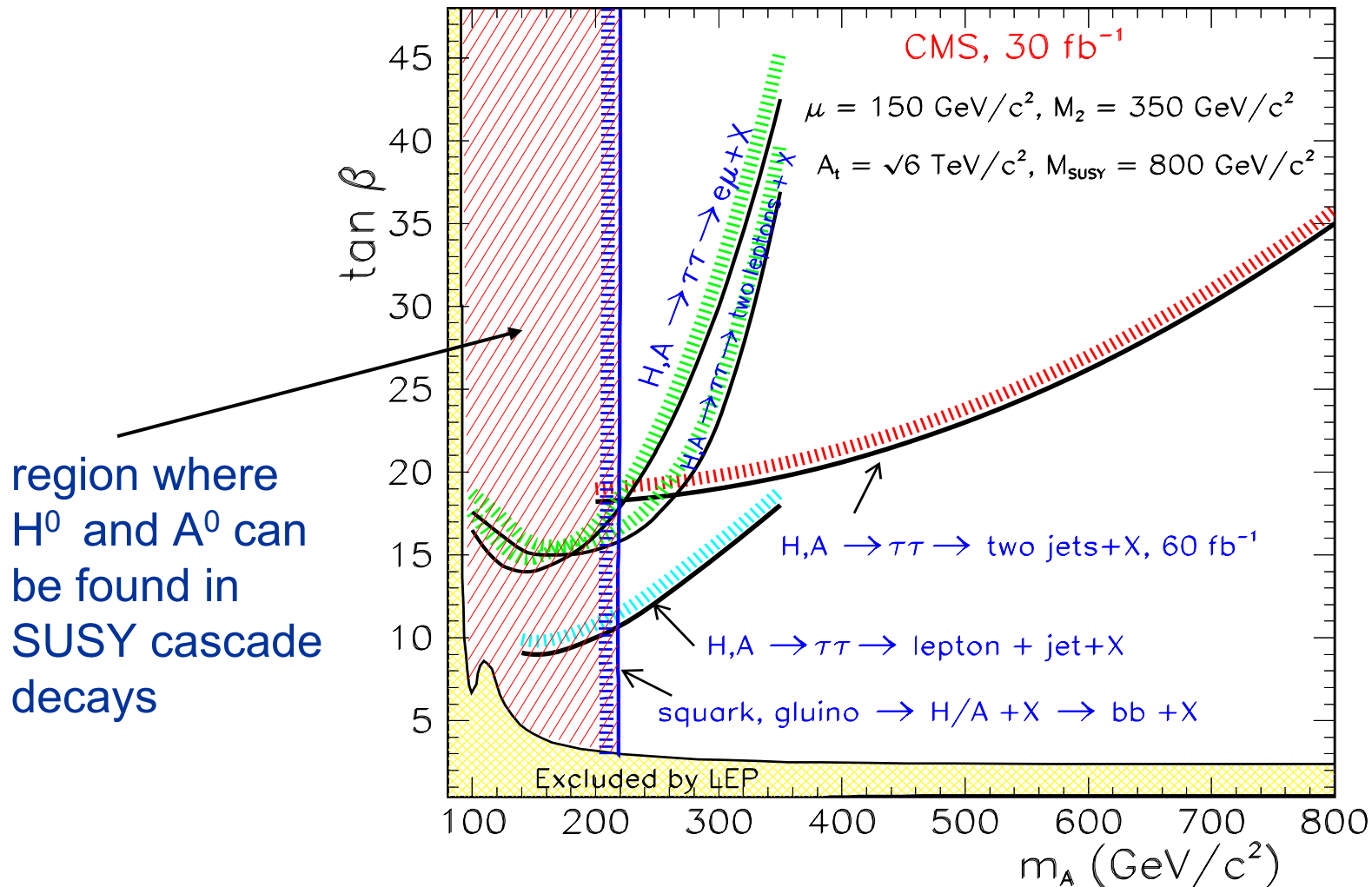
- F & B jets
- Missing E_T
- Central jet veto
- Lepton veto





Discovery reach at 30fb^{-1}

- Recall: h^0 can be found in the entire plane



Scenario 3

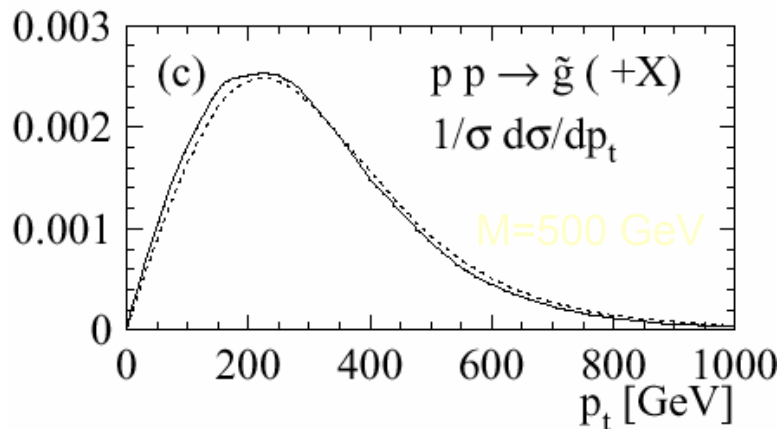
Supersymmetry

Sparticles

■ Simplest SUSY

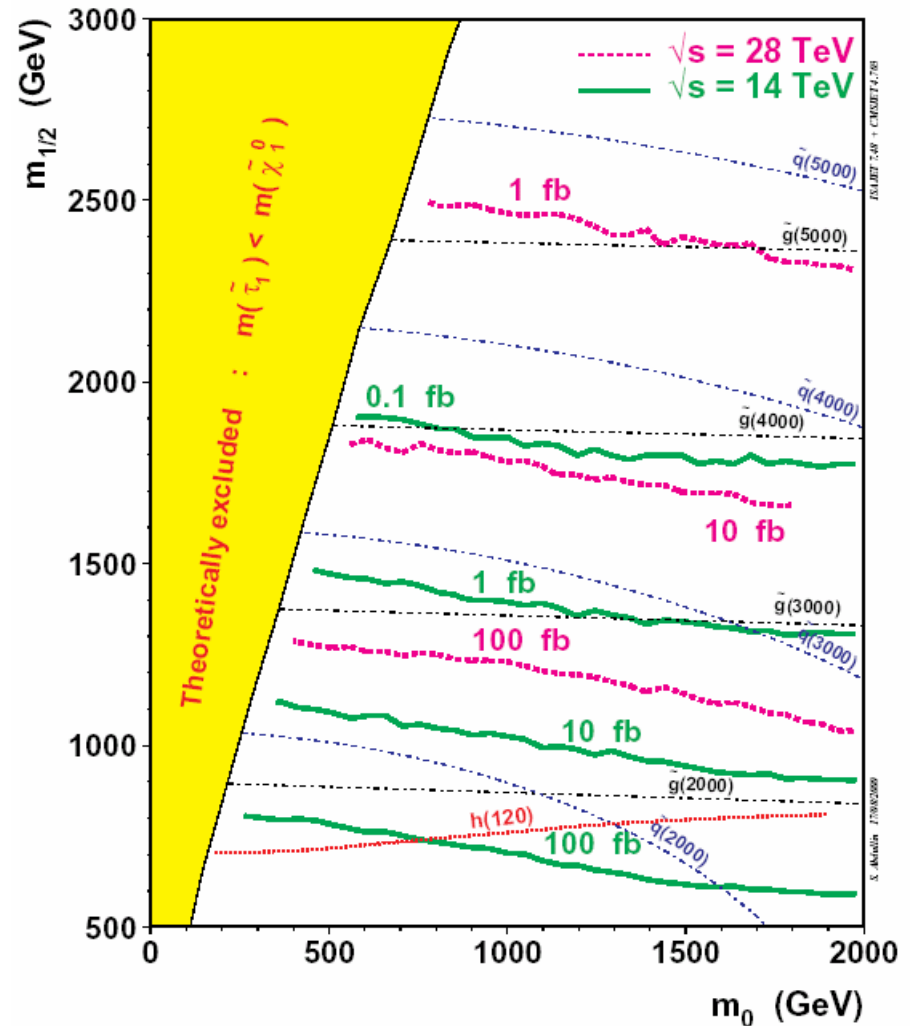
◆ A SUSY factory

$M_{sp}(\text{GeV})$	$\sigma \text{ (pb)}$	Evts/yr
500	100	$10^6 - 10^7$
1000	1	$10^4 - 10^5$
2000	0.01	$10^2 - 10^3$



◆ Gauginos produced in their decay; example: $q_L \rightarrow \chi_2^0 q_L$

mSUGRA cross section for $A_0=0$, $\tan\beta=10$, $\mu > 0$



SUSY decays

■ Squarks & gluinos produced together with high σ

◆ Gauginos produced in their decays; examples:

- $q_L \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{q}_L$ (SUGRA P5)
- $q \rightarrow g q \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{q} \bar{q}$ (GMSB G1a)

◆ Two “generic” options with $\tilde{\chi}^0$:

(1) $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 h$ (~ dominates if allowed)

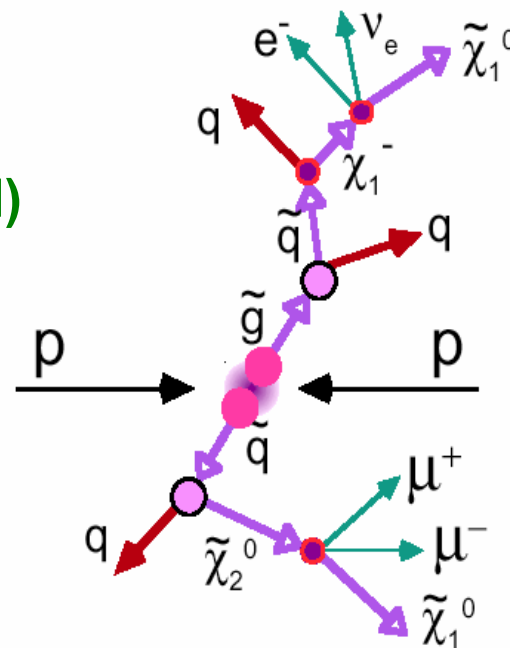
(2) $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \ell^+ \ell^-$ or $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\ell}^+ \ell^-$

◆ Charginos more difficult

- Decay has ν or light q jet

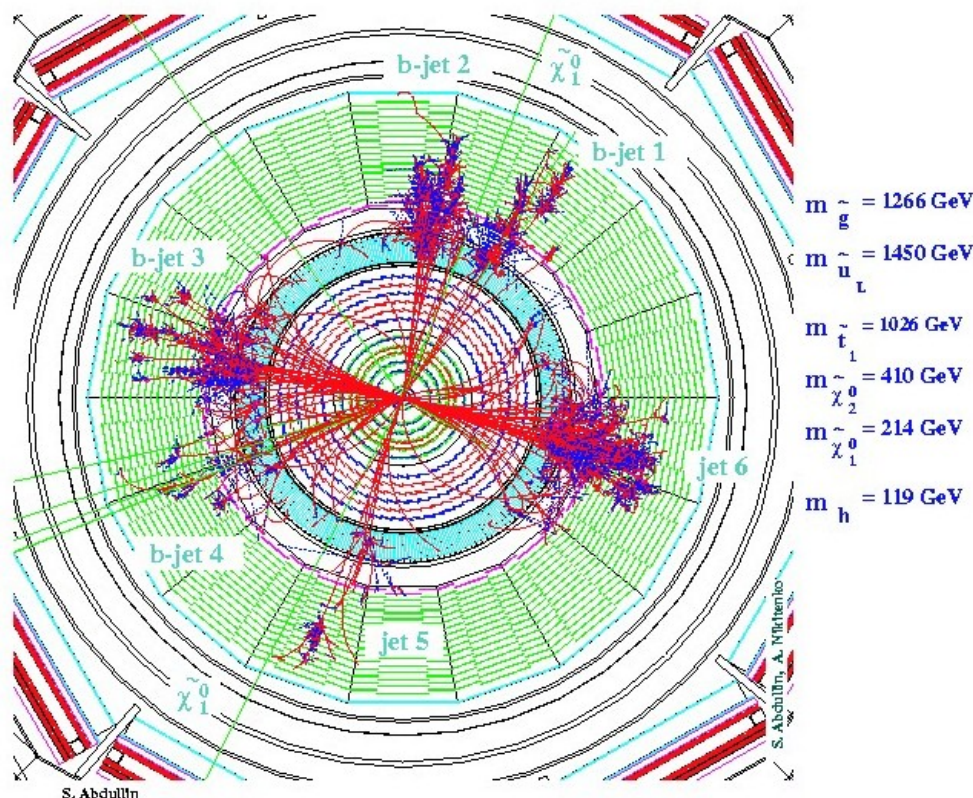
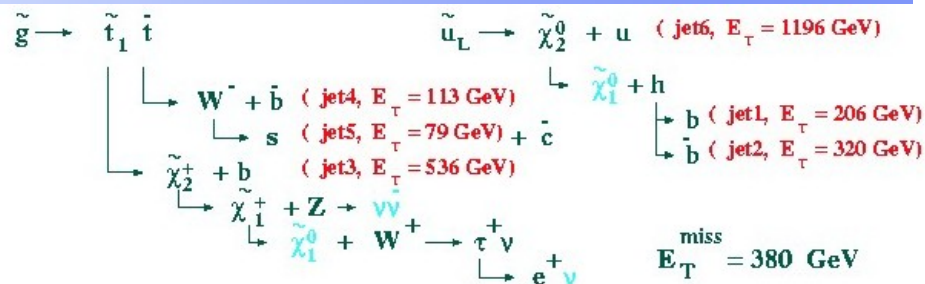
◆ Options:

- Look for higgs (to $b\bar{b}$)
- Isolated (multi)-leptons



SUSY signature(s)

- Many hard Jets
- Large missing energy
 - ◆ 2 LSPs
 - ◆ Many neutrinos
- Many leptons
- In a word:
 - ◆ Spectacular!

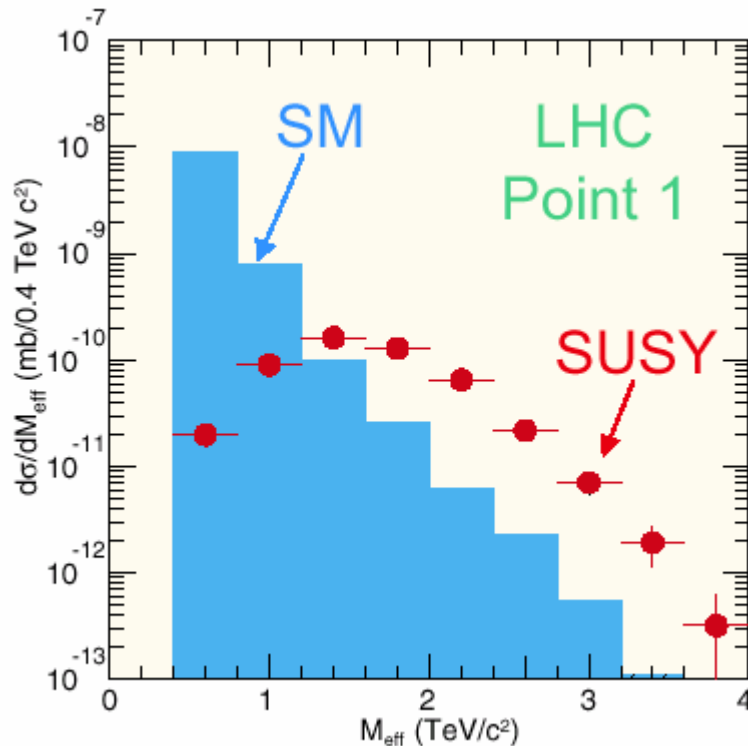




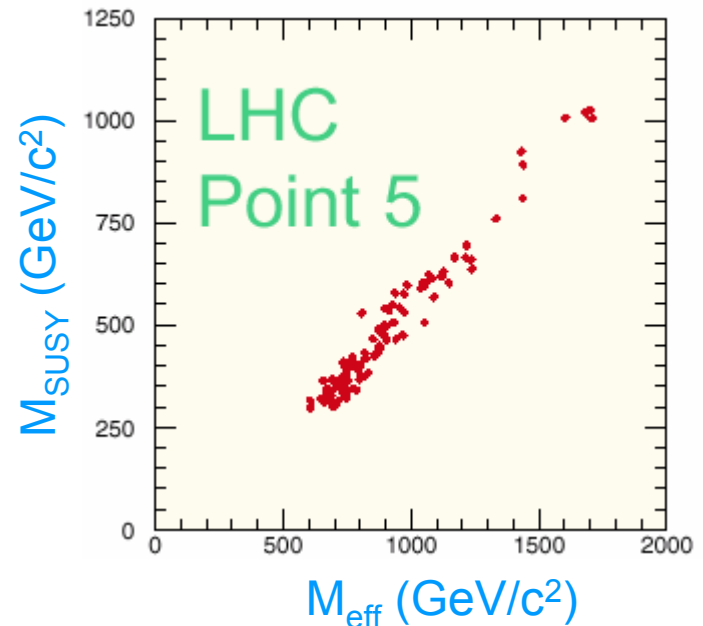
SUSY mass scale

- **Events with $\geq 4\text{jets} + E_T^{\text{miss}}$**
 - ◆ **Clean: S/B ~ 10 at high M_{eff}**
 - ◆ **Establish SUSY scale ($\sigma \approx 20\%$)**

$$M_{\text{eff}} = \sum_{j=1}^4 P_{T,j} + E_T^{\text{miss}}$$



Effective mass “tracks”
SUSY scale well





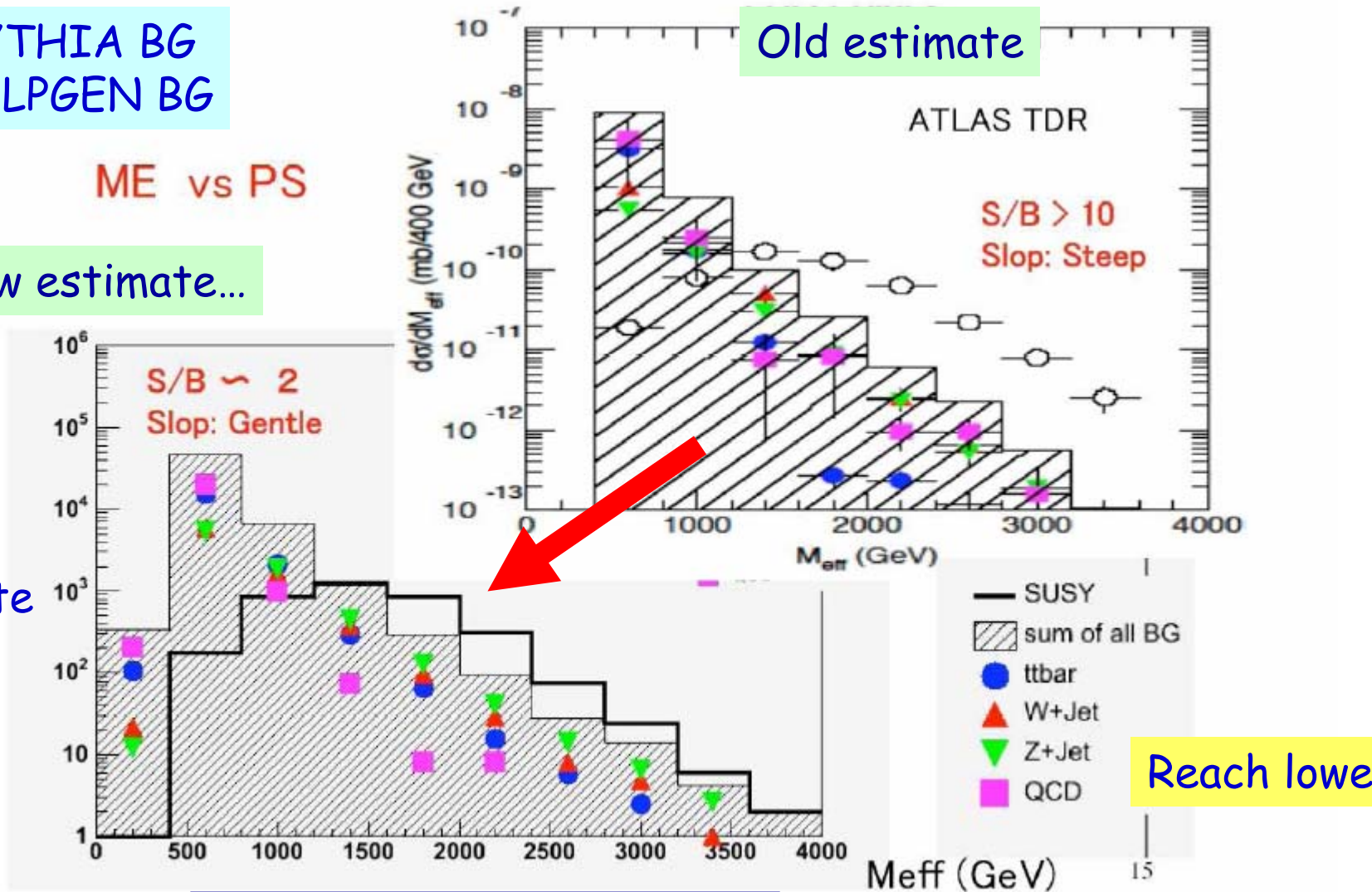
Effective mass: example

Old PYTHIA BG
New ALPGEN BG

ME vs PS

New estimate...

All jets
Final state

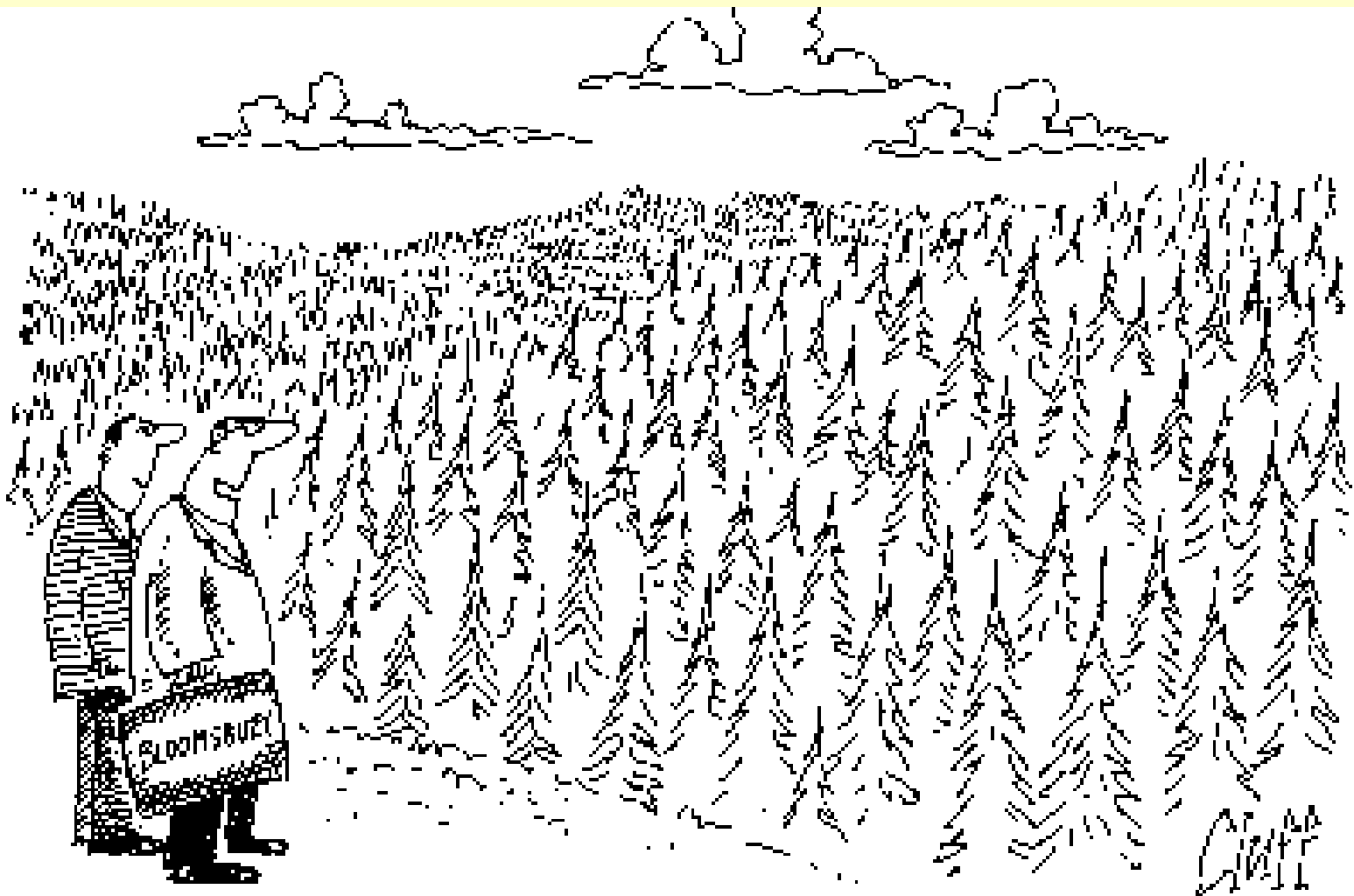


$$M_{\text{eff}} = \sum_i |p_{T(i)}| + \cancel{E}_T$$



SUSY space is huge; aka many models

"One day, all of these will be SUSY phenomenology papers."





SUSY

- **Huge number of theoretical models**
 - ◆ Very complex analysis; MSSM-124
 - ◆ Very hard work to study particular scenario
 - assuming it is available in an event generator
 - ◆ To reduce complexity we have to choose some “reasonable”, “typical” models; use a theory of dynamical SUSY breaking
 - mSUGRA
 - GMSB
 - AMSB (studied in less detail)
 - ◆ Model determines full phenomenology (masses, decays, signals)



SUGRA

■ Five parameters

- ◆ All scalar masses same (m_0) at GUT scale
- ◆ All gaugino masses same ($m_{1/2}$) at GUT scale
- ◆ $\tan\beta$ and $\text{sign}(\mu)$
- ◆ All tri-linear Higgs-sfermion-sfermion couplings common value A_0 (at GUT scale)

■ Full “particle table” predictable

- ◆ 26 RGE's solved iteratively
- ◆ Branches: R parity (non)conservation
- ◆ Extensions: relax GUT assumptions (add parameters)



SUGRA spectroscopy

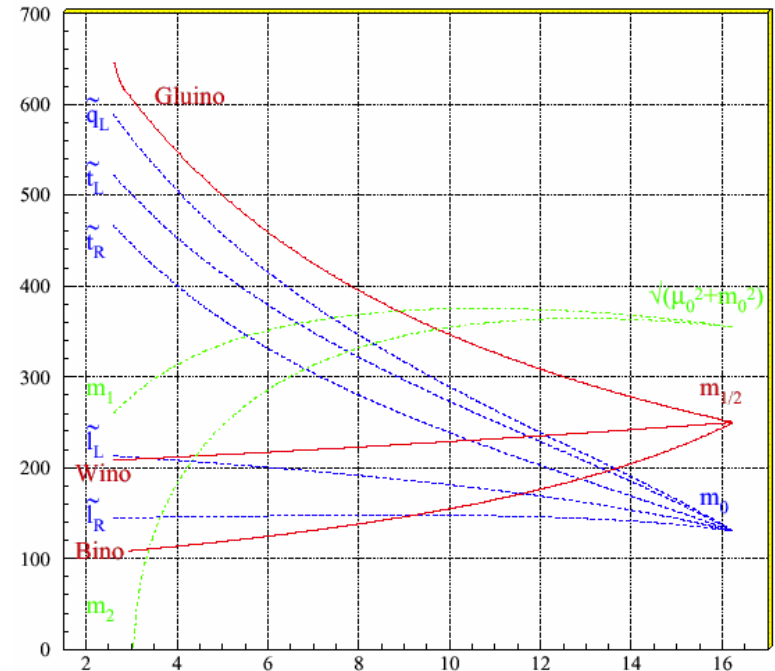
■ Basic assumption: mass universality

- ◆ Scalar masses: m_0 ;
- ◆ gaugino masses: $m_{1/2}$;
- ◆ Higgs masses: $(m_0^2 + \mu^2)^{1/2}$

■ RGE: run masses down to EWK scale

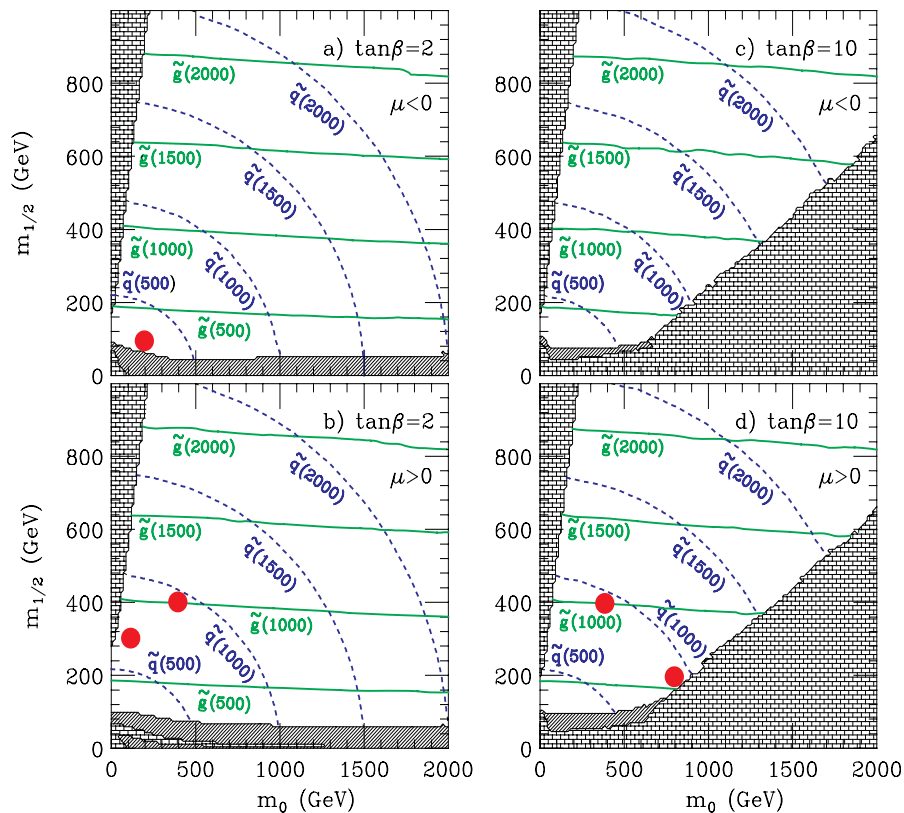
- ◆ $M(\text{squark})$: large Increase (due to α_3)
- ◆ $M(\text{slepton})$: small increase (due to α_1, α_2)
- ◆ Gauginos: gluino is fast-rising; B-ino, W-ino mass decreases
- ◆ Mixing leads to charginos (2) and neutralinos (4)

■ Higgs: strong top coupling drives $\mu^2 < 0$; Symmetry Breaking mechanism arises naturally in mSUGRA(!)



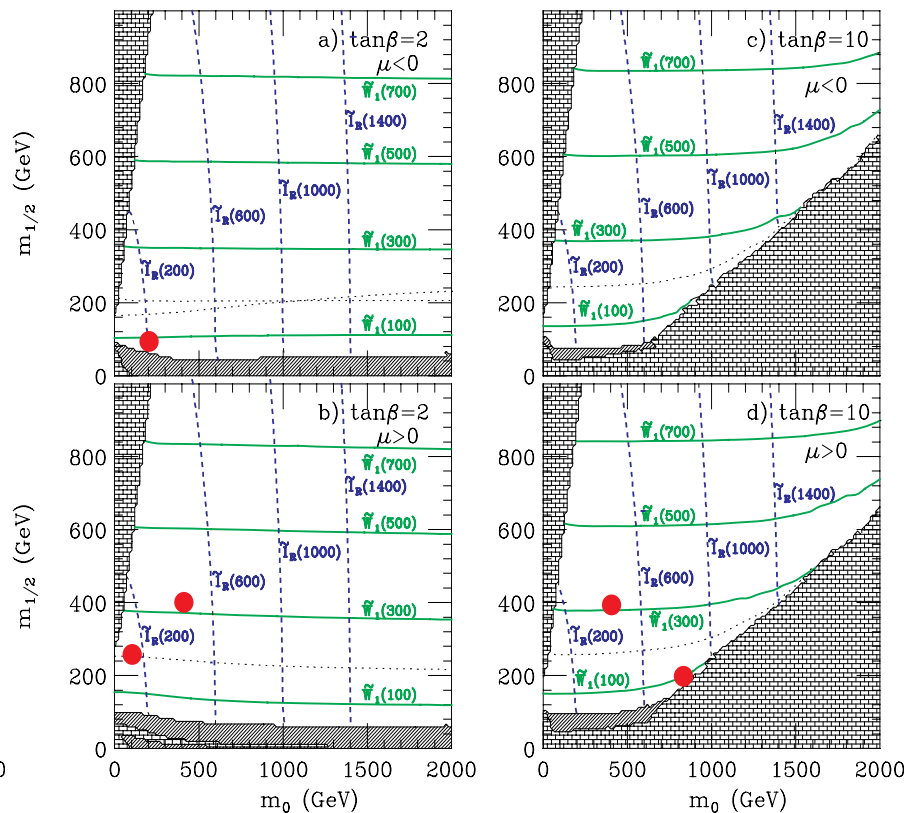
Sparticles in SUGRA

■ Contours of fixed \tilde{g}/\tilde{q} and $\tilde{\chi}/\tilde{\ell}$ mass



$$m(\tilde{g}) \approx 3m_{1/2}$$

$$m(\tilde{q}) \approx \sqrt{m_0^2 + 6m_{1/2}^2}$$



$$m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) \approx m_{1/2}/2; m(\tilde{\chi}_2^0, \tilde{\chi}^\pm) \approx m_{1/2};$$

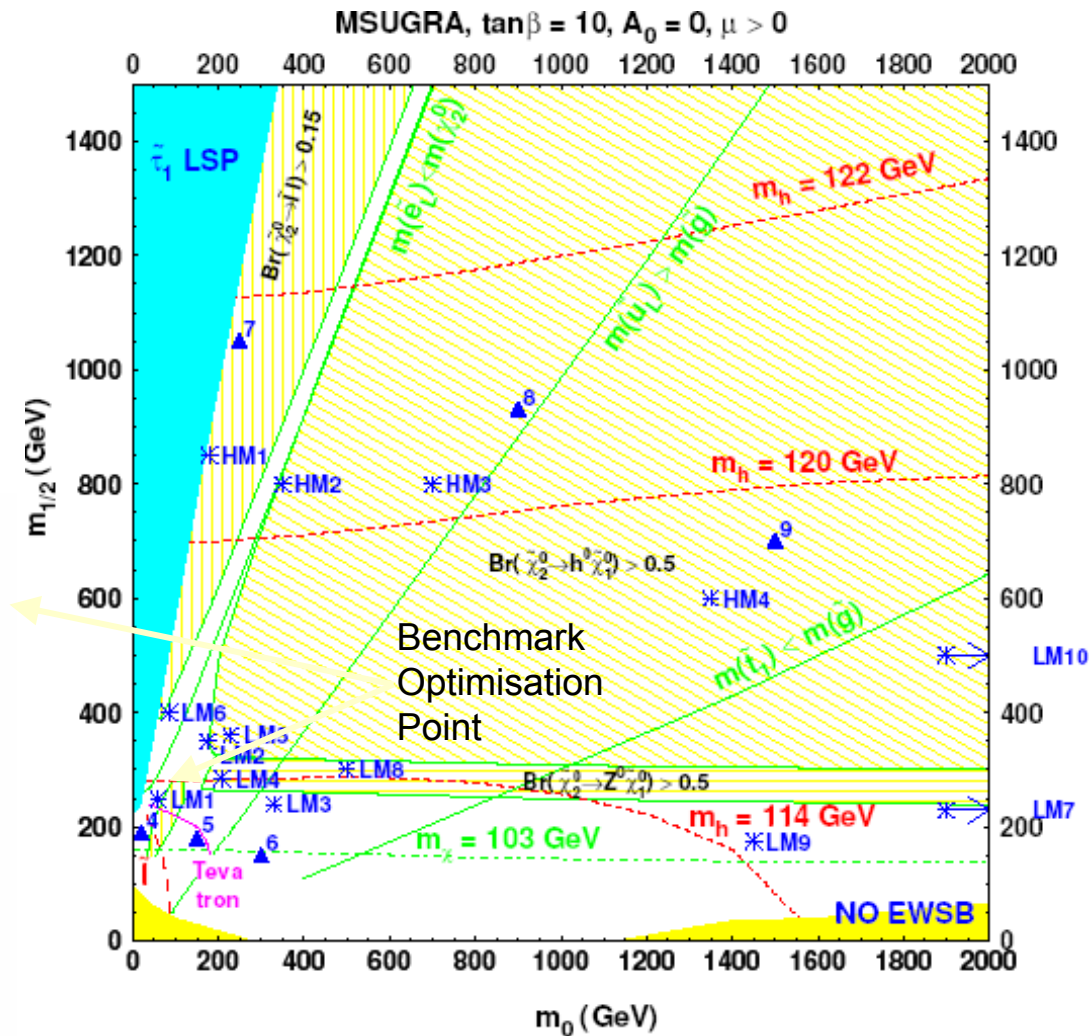
$$m(\tilde{\ell}_L^\pm, \tilde{\ell}_R^\pm) \approx \sqrt{m_0^2 + (0.5, 0.15)m_{1/2}^2}$$



Benchmark Test Points

- Low mass points for early LHC running but outside Tevatron reach
- High mass points for ultimate LHC reach
- Indirect constraints from WMAP for strict mSUGRA exclude most except LM1, 2, 6, 9

Point	m_0	$m_{1/2}$	$\tan \beta$	$\text{sgn}(\mu)$	A_0
LM1	60	250	10	+	0
LM2	185	350	35	+	0
LM3	330	240	20	+	0
LM4	210	285	10	+	0
LM5	230	360	10	+	0
LM6	85	400	10	+	0
LM7	3000	230	10	+	0
LM8	500	300	10	+	-300
LM9	1450	175	50	+	0
LM10	3000	500	10	+	0
HM1	180	850	10	+	0
HM2	350	800	35	+	0
HM3	700	800	10	+	0
HM4	1350	600	10	+	0





Inclusive search

Selection Criteria

- ◆ $MET > 200$ GeV + Clean-up
- ◆ ≥ 3 jets:
 - $E_T > 180, 110, 30$ GeV
- ◆ Indirect lepton veto
- ◆ Cuts on $\Delta\phi$ between jets and MET
- ◆ $H_T/M_{eff} = E_{T1} + E_{T2} + E_{T3} + MET > 500$ GeV

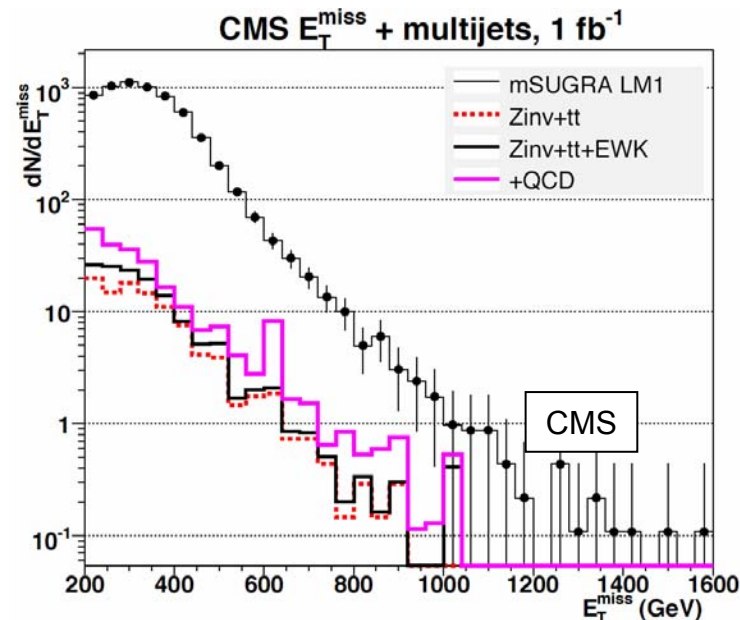
Results:

- ◆ LM1 efficiency is 13%, S/B ~ 26 :
Number of events (below) for 1 fb $^{-1}$

Signal	$t\bar{t}$	single t	$Z(\rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}) + \text{jets}$	$(W/Z, WW/ZZ/ZW) + \text{jets}$	QCD
6319	53.9	2.6	48	33	107

- ◆ ~ 6 pb $^{-1}$ for 5σ discovery

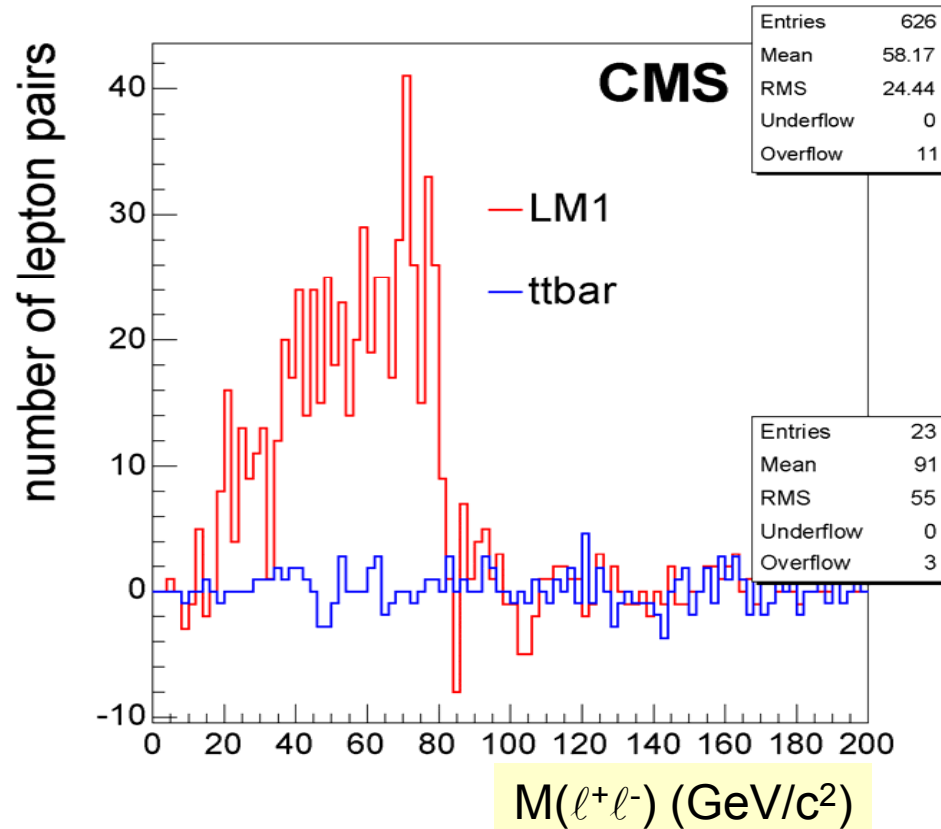
- Lower jet multiplicity requirement reduces sensitivity to higher-order QCD corrections





Dilepton search

- **“Prototype”**: $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \ell^+ \ell^-$
- **Cuts (optimize @ LM1)**:
 - ◆ 2 OS SF isolated leptons (e, μ)
 - $p_T > 10$ GeV
 - ◆ MET > 200 GeV
 - ◆ ≥ 2 jets:
 - $E_T^1 > 100$ GeV
 - $E_T^2 > 60$ GeV
 - $|\eta| < 3$
- **Background (1 fb⁻¹)**
 - ◆ 200 events, mostly t-tbar
 - ◆ Systematic uncertainty 20%
- **LM1 Signal (1 fb⁻¹)**
 - ◆ 850 events



ΔM measurement easy
Position of edge;
accurate

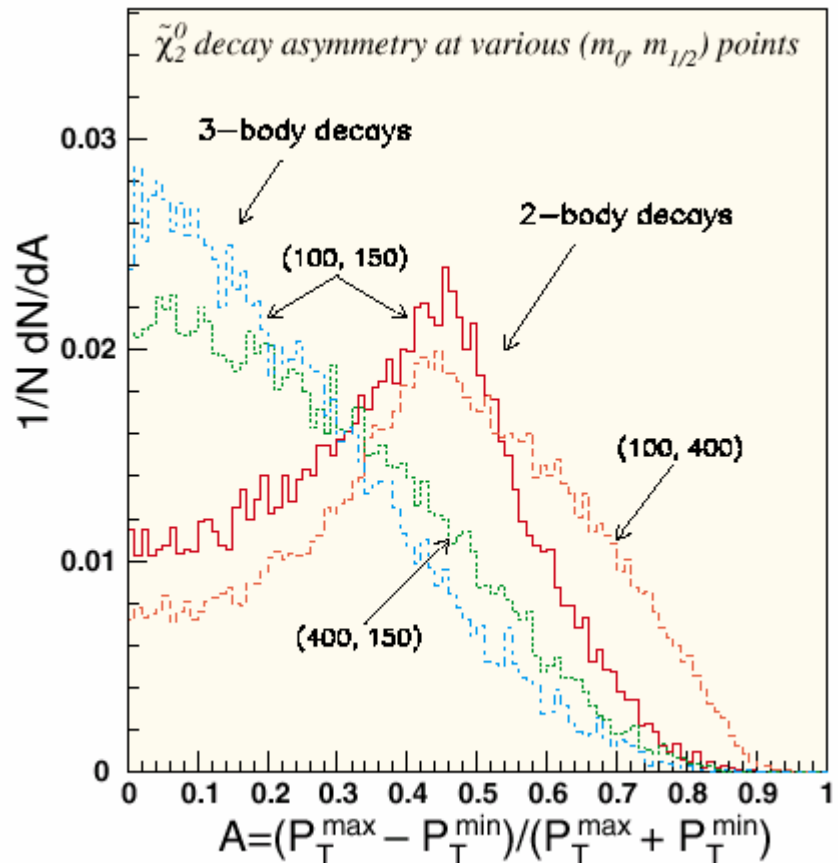
Distinguishing 2 & 3-body decays

■ Two scenarios can be disentangled directly

- ◆ From asymmetry of two leptons:

$$A = \frac{P_T^{\max} - P_T^{\min}}{P_T^{\max} + P_T^{\min}}$$

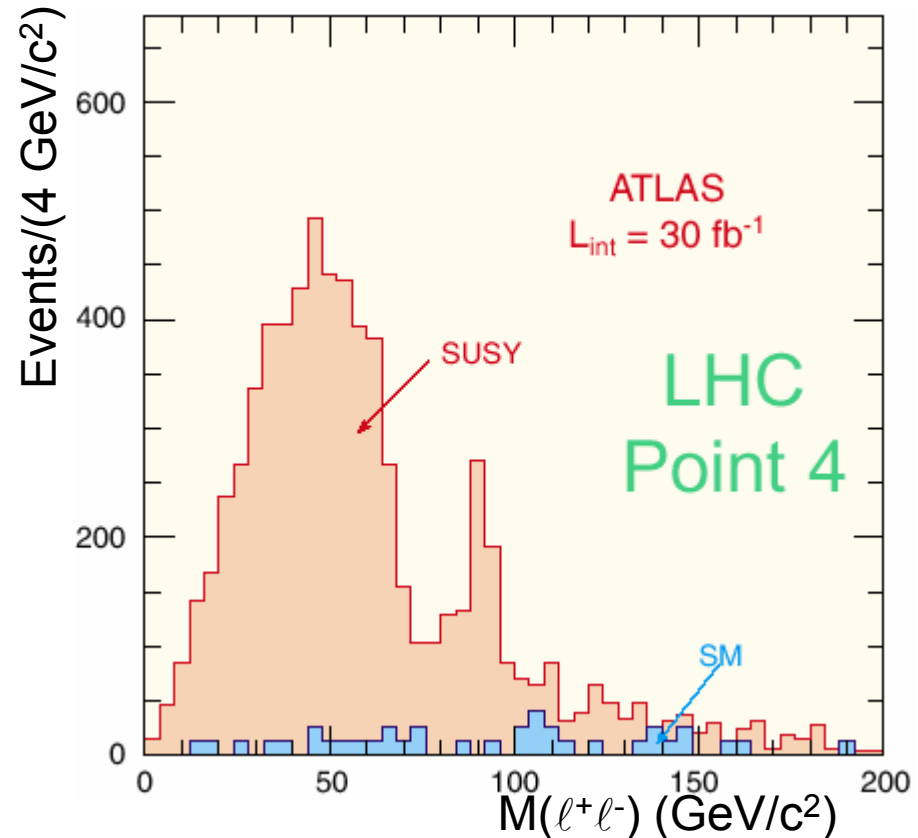
- ◆ In analogy with τ decays



Dileptons @ other points

■ Multi-observations

- ◆ Main peak from $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \ell^+ \ell^-$
 - Measure Δm as before
 - ◆ Also peak from Z^0 through $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 Z^0$
 - Due to heavier gauginos
 - P4 at “edge” of SB
- small $\mu^2 \rightarrow$
- (a) $\tilde{\chi}^\pm$ and $\tilde{\chi}^0$ are light
 - (b) strong mixing between gauginos and Higgsinos



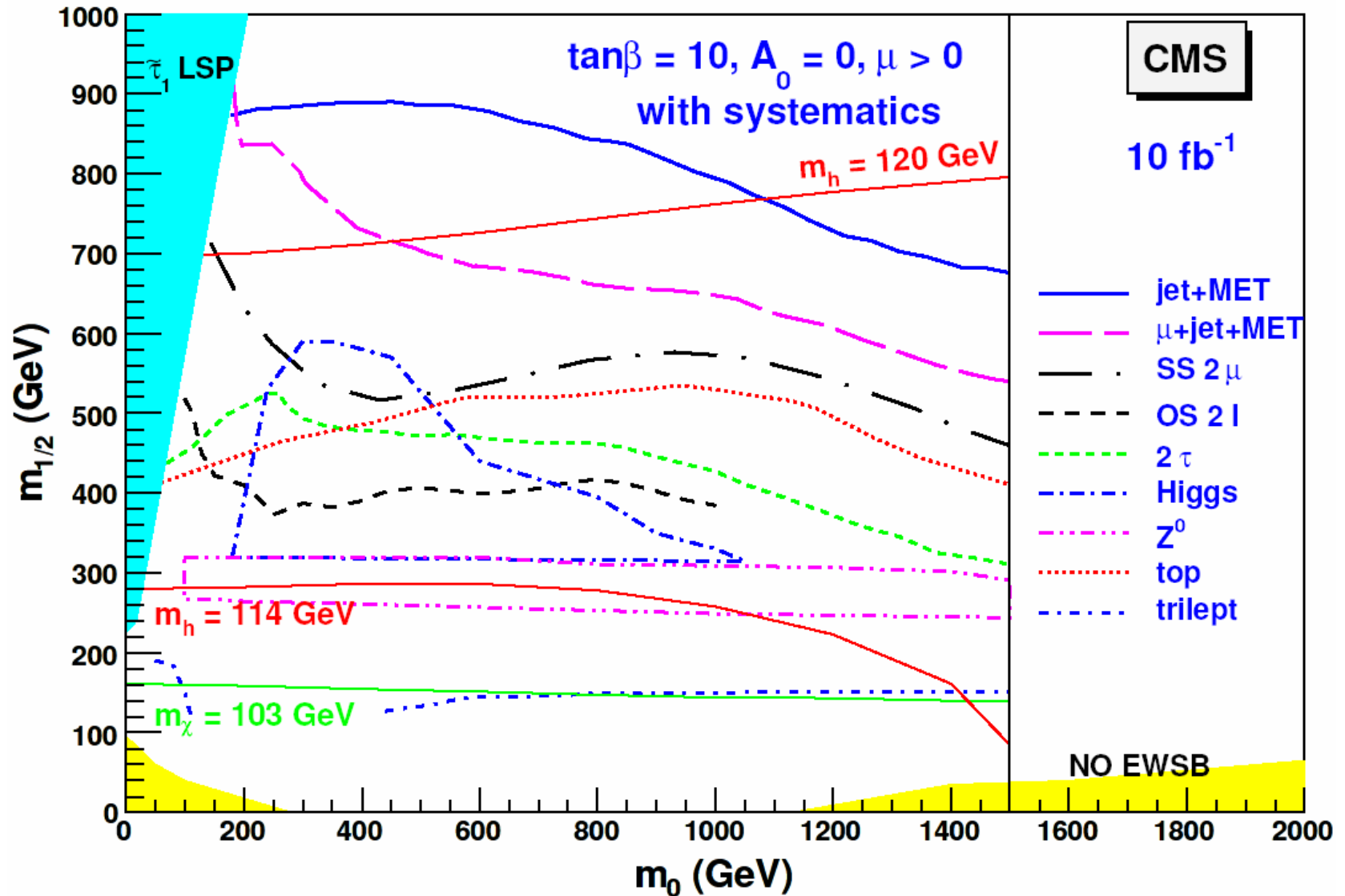
◆ At P4 large Branching fractions to Z decays:

- e.g. $B(\tilde{\chi}_3 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_{1,2} Z^0) \approx 1/3$; size of peak/ $P_T(Z) \rightarrow$ info on masses and mixing of heavier gauginos (model-dependent)





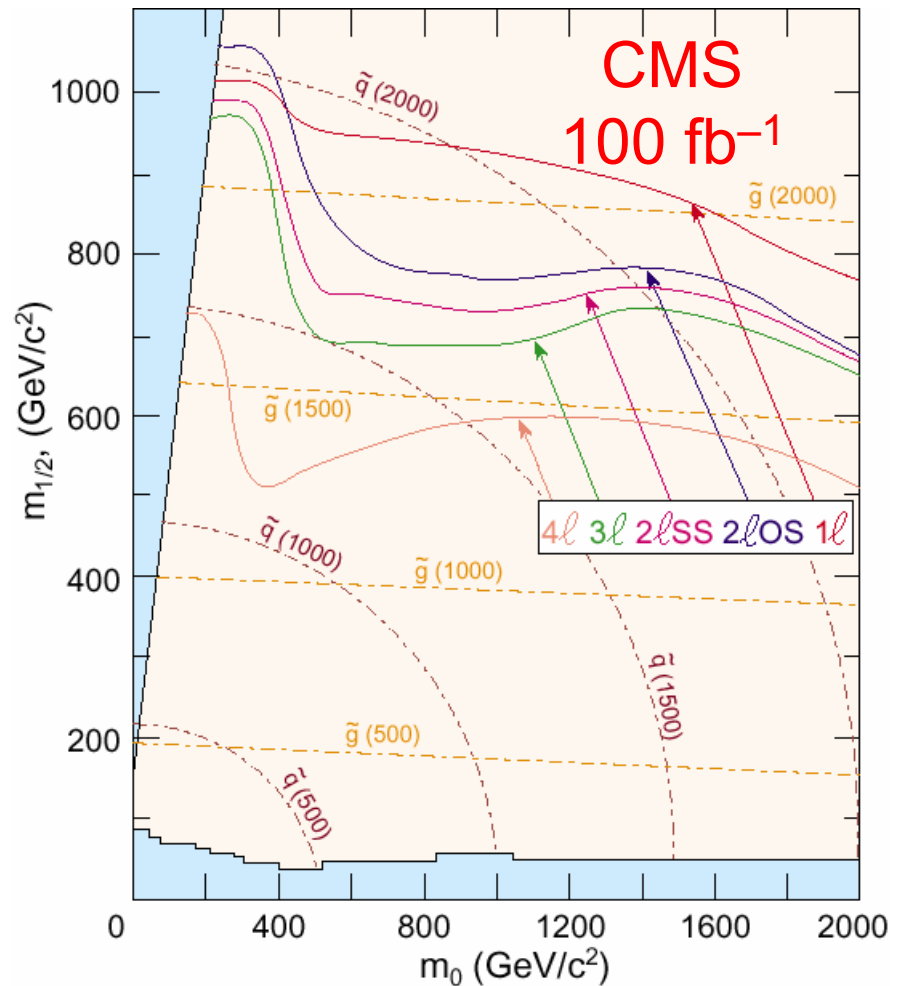
Reach with 10fb^{-1}





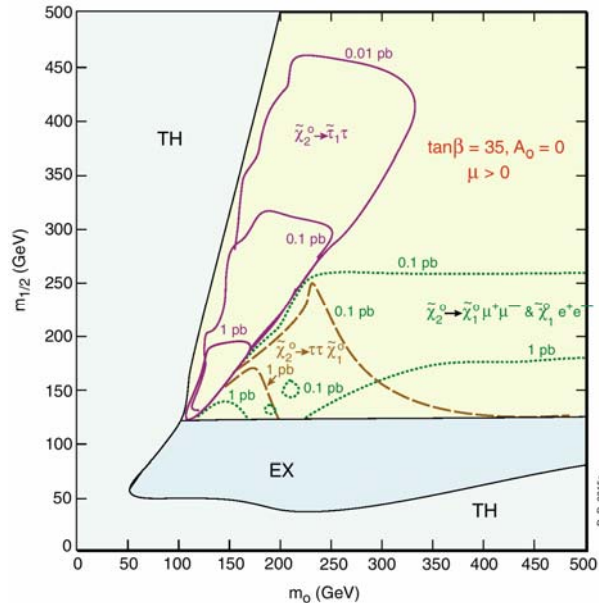
SUGRA “asymptotic” reach

- **Using all signatures**
 - ◆ $\tan\beta=2; A_0=0; \text{sign}(\mu)=-$
 - ◆ But look at entire m_0 - $m_{1/2}$ plane
 - ◆ Example signature:
 - N (isolated) leptons + ≥ 2 jets + E_T^{miss}
 - 5σ (σ =significance) contours
- **Essentially reach is ~ 2 (1) TeV/c^2 for the m_0 ($m_{1/2}$) plane**



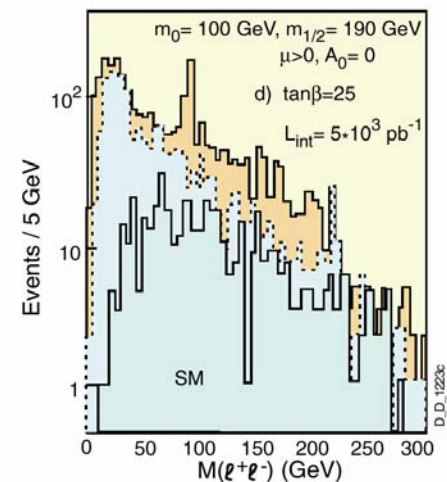
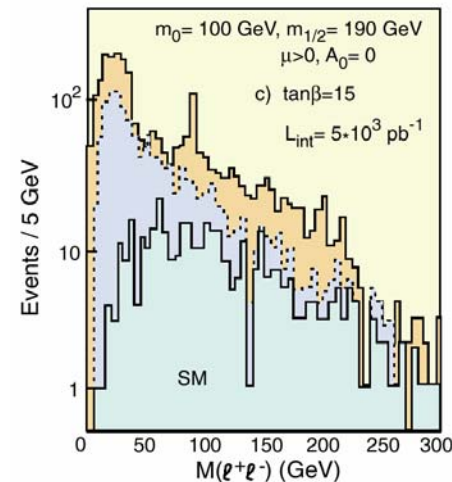
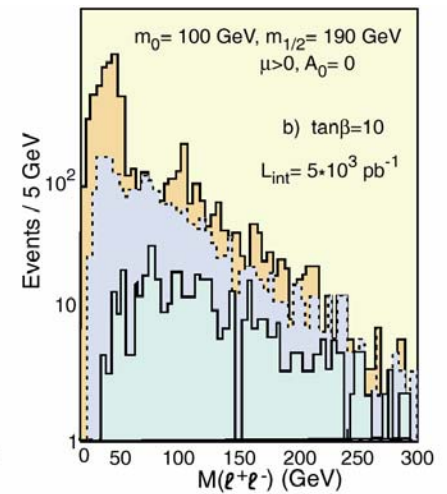
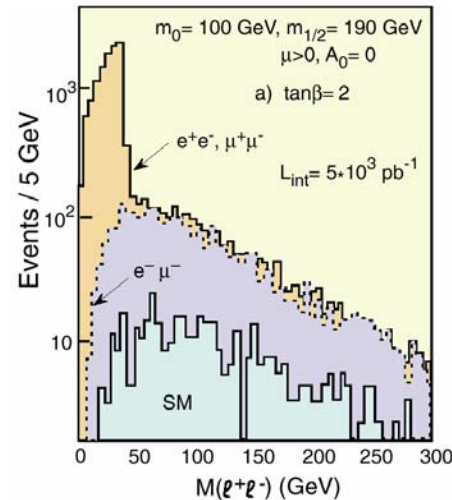
Varying $\tan\beta$

■ τ modes eventually become important



◆ At $\tan\beta \gg 1$ only
2-body $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$ decays
(may be): $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tau_1 \tau \rightarrow \tau \tau \tilde{\chi}_1^0$

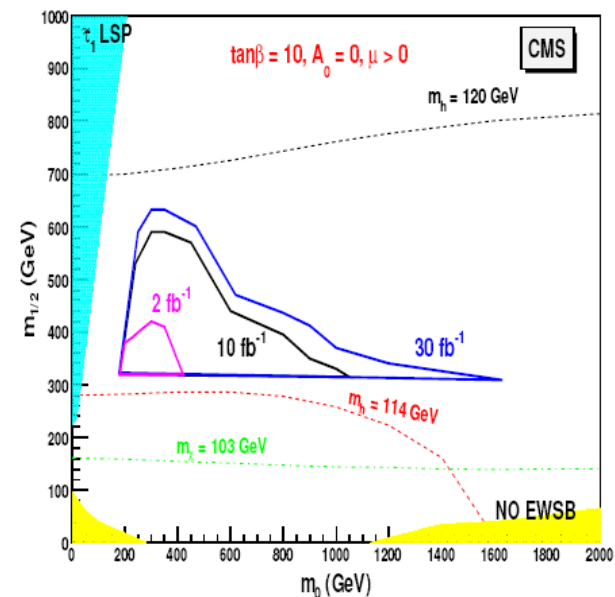
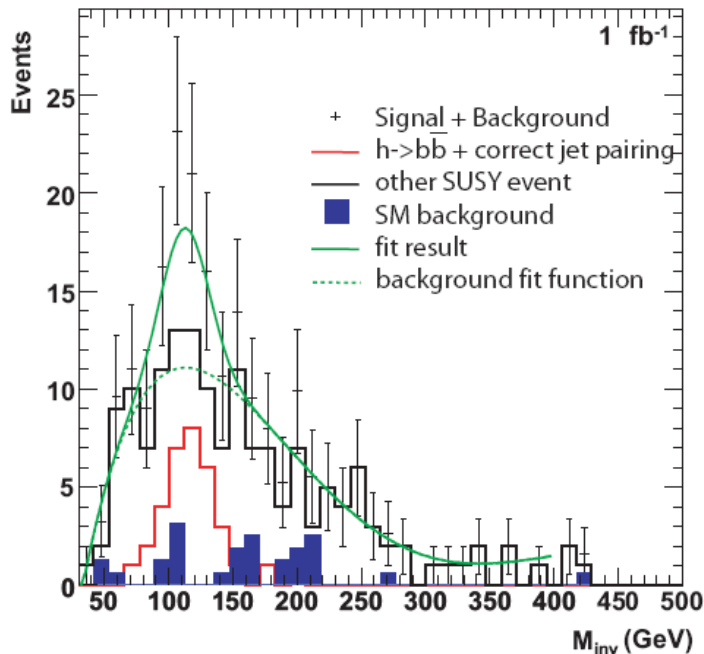
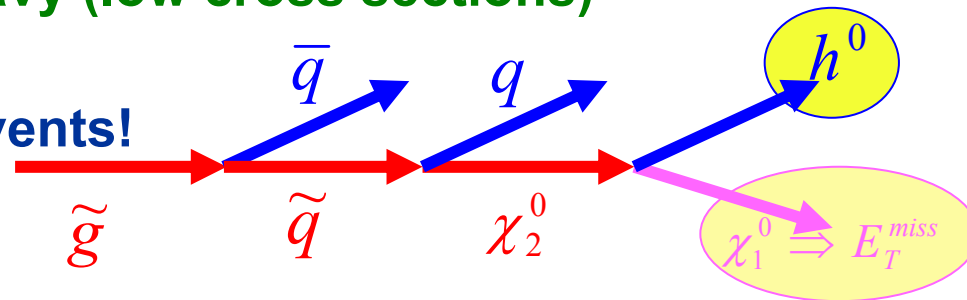
■ Visible $e\mu$ excess over SM;
for dilepton edge: need $\tau\tau$ mass





The other scenario: $\chi_2^0 \rightarrow \chi_1^0 h$

- Followed by $h \rightarrow b\bar{b}$: h discovery at LHC
 - ◆ E.g. at Point 1, $\approx 20\%$ of SUSY events have $h \rightarrow b\bar{b}$
 - But squarks/gluinos heavy (low cross sections)
 - ◆ b-jets are hard and central
 - ◆ Largest bkg: other SUSY events!

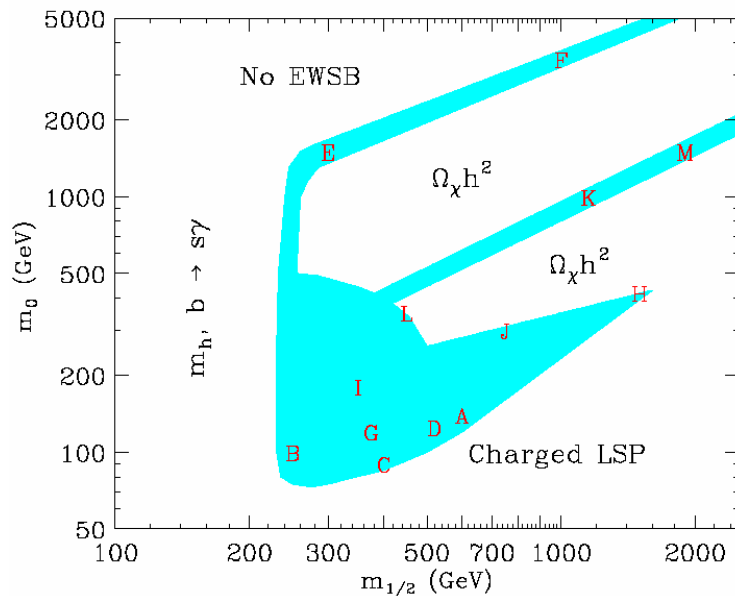




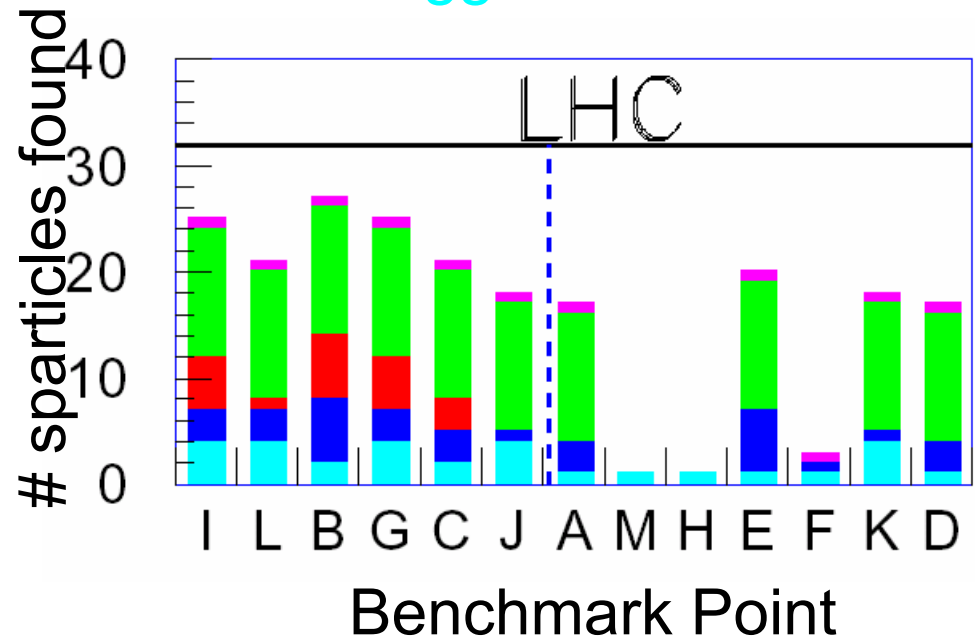
Overall reach

■ New set of benchmarks currently in use

- ◆ Account for LEP, $b \rightarrow s\gamma, g_\mu - 2$ and cosmology
- ◆ Example: “BDEGMOPW” (Battaglia et al. hep-ph/0112013)



- ◆ Recent: Snowmass points & slopes; working on updates





SUSY parameters; SUGRA

Point/Lumi	m_0 (GeV)	$m_{1/2}$ (TeV)	$\tan\beta$	$s(\mu)$
P1 @100fb ⁻¹	400±100	400±8	2.00±0.08	ok
P2 @100fb ⁻¹	400±100	400±8	10±2	ok
P4 @100fb ⁻¹	800±50	200±2	10±2	ok
P5 @10fb ⁻¹	100±4	300±3	±0.1	ok

Essentially no information on A_0
(A_{heavy} evolve to fixed point independent A_0)



GMSB

- **Model assumes SUSY broken at scale $F^{1/2}$ in sector containing non-SM (heavy) particles**
 - ◆ This sector couples to SM via “messengers” of mass M
 - ◆ Loops involving messengers \rightarrow mass to s-partners
 - Advantage of model; mass from gauge interactions \rightarrow no FCNC (which can cause problems in SUGRA)
- **Phenomenology: lightest SP is gravitino (\tilde{G})**
 - ◆ SUGRA: $M(\tilde{G}) \sim O(1)\text{TeV}$, phenomenologically irrelevant
 - ◆ GMSB: NLSP decays to \tilde{G} ; unstable \rightarrow NLSP can be charged
 - Lifetime of NLSP “free”: $O(\mu\text{m}) < c\tau < O(\text{km})$
 - ◆ Neutral NLSP: lightest combination of higgsinos and gauginos \rightarrow behaves like SUGRA LSP (except for its decay...)
 - ◆ Charged NLSP: ℓ_R ; low $\tan\beta$: degenerate $\tilde{e}_R, \tilde{\mu}_R, \tilde{\tau}_R$; high $\tan\beta$: τ_R is lightest slepton, others decay to it



GMSB parameters

■ SUSY breaking scale: $\Lambda = F/M$

- ◆ N_5 : # messenger fields
- ◆ $\tan\beta$ (ratio of Higgs vev's)
- ◆ $s(\mu)$ ($|\mu|$ fixed from $M(Z)$)
- ◆ C_{grav} (G mass scale factor)
 - $\tau_{\text{NLSP}} \sim (C_{\text{grav}})^2$

■ GMSB “points”*

- ◆ G1: NLSP is $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$
 - G1a: $c\tau$ is short (1.2mm)
 - G1b: $c\tau$ is long (1km)
- ◆ G2: NLSP is $\tilde{\tau}_1$
 - G2a: $\tilde{e}_R, \tilde{\mu}_R, \tilde{\tau}_1$ short-lived
 - G2b: long-lived (all)

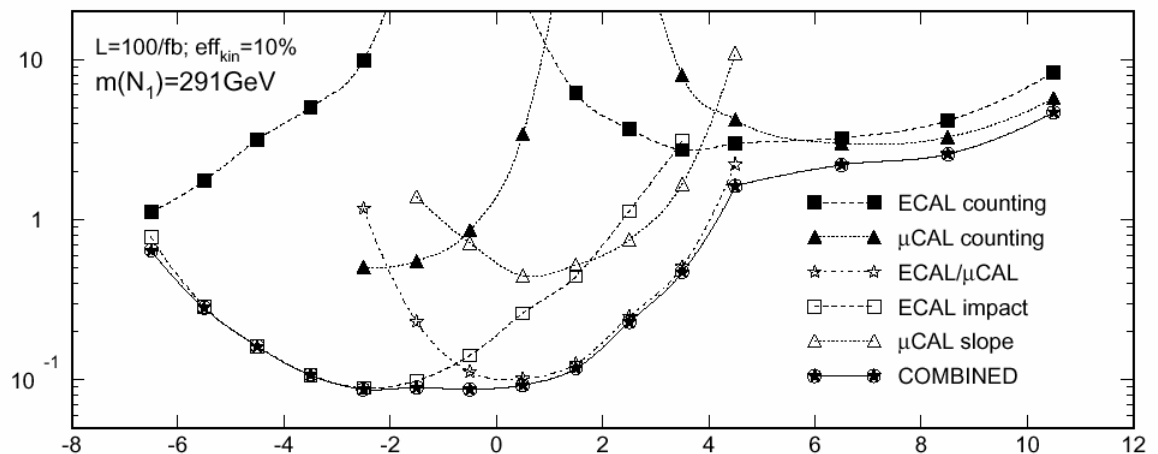
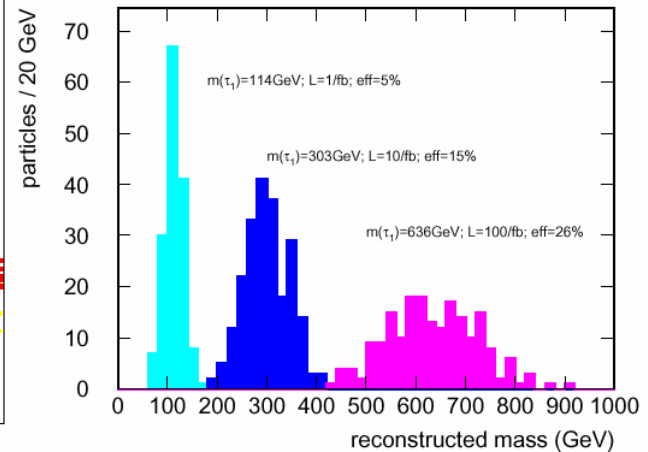
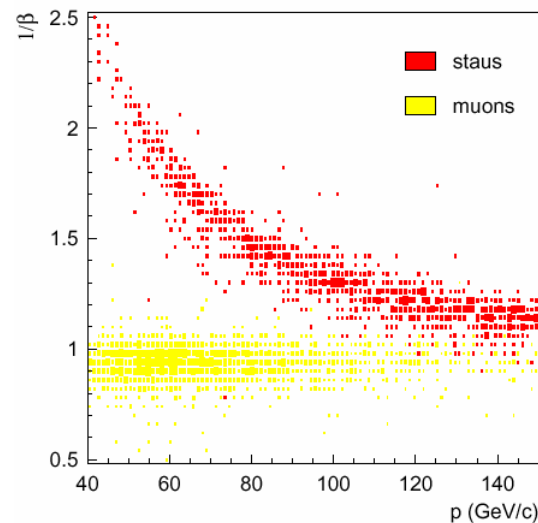
P	Λ (TeV)	M_m (TeV)	N_5	C_{grav}
G1a	90	500	1	1.0
G1b	90	500	1	10^3
G2a	30	250	3	1.0
G2b	30	250	3	5×10^3

$\tan\beta$: 5.0; $s(\mu)=+$

* Hinchliffe & Paige,
Phys.Rev. D60 (1999) 095002;
hep-ph/9812233

GMSB: NLSP and χ_1^0 lifetime

- If NLSP= τ_1 ,
use TOF ($\sigma \sim 1\text{ns}$)
(good for high lifetimes)
- Detecting the
 $\chi_1^0 \rightarrow G\tilde{\gamma}$ decay
 - ◆ Off-pointing
photons + χ_1^0
decays in muon
chambers





SUSY Summary

- **SUSY discovery (should be) easy and fast**
 - ◆ Expect very large yield of events in clean signatures (dilepton, diphoton).
 - Establishing mass scale is also easy (M_{eff})
- **Squarks and gluinos can be discovered over very large range in SUGRA space ($M_0, M_{1/2}$) $\sim (2, 1)$ TeV**
 - ◆ Discovery of charginos/neutralinos depends on model
 - ◆ Sleptons difficult if mass > 300 GeV
 - ◆ Evaluation of new benchmarks (given LEP, cosmology etc) in progress
- **Measurements: mass differences from edges, squark and gluino masses from combinatorics**
- **Can extract SUSY parameters with $\sim (1-10)\%$ accuracy**

SUSY: precision measurements

GMSB observation

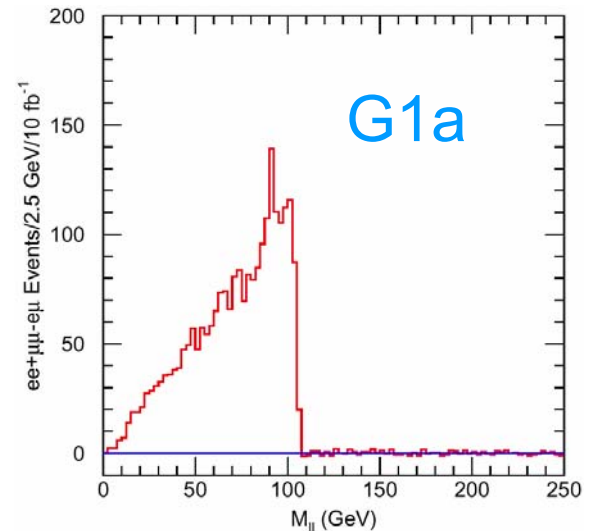
■ Example: G1a; same dilepton edge

◆ Decay observed:

$$\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\ell}^\pm \tilde{\ell}^\mp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \ell^\pm \ell^\mp \rightarrow \tilde{G} \ell^+ \ell^-$$

◆ Selection is simple:

- $M_{\text{eff}} > 400 \text{ GeV}$
- $E_T^{\text{miss}} > 0.1 M_{\text{eff}}$
- Demand same-flavor leptons
- Form $e^+e^- + \mu^+\mu^- - e^\pm\mu^\mp$



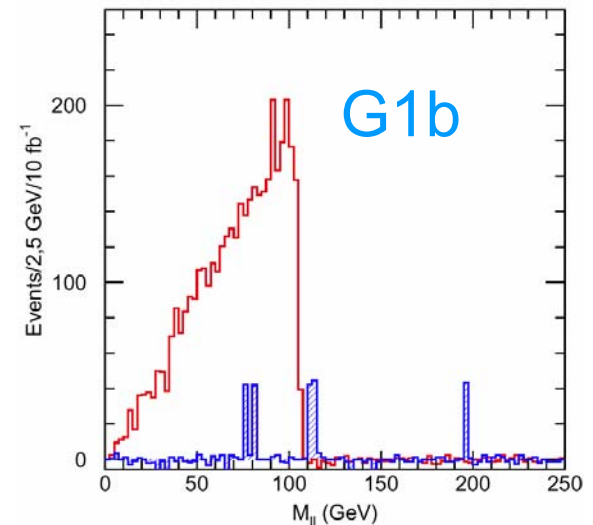
■ G2b: very similar to SUGRA

◆ χ_1^0 is long-lived, escapes

◆ Decay observed:

$$\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\ell}^\pm \tilde{\ell}^\mp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \ell^+ \ell^-$$

◆ $M_{\text{eff}} > 1 \text{ TeV}$; rest of selection as in G1a





SUSY parameter measurements (G1a)

■ G1a: endpoint in $M(\ell\ell) \rightarrow 3$ parameters

$$M_{\max}^{\ell^+\ell^-} = M(\tilde{\chi}_2^0) \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{M(\tilde{\ell}_R)}{M(\tilde{\chi}_2^0)} \right)^2} \sqrt{1 - \left(\frac{M(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)}{M(\tilde{\ell}_R)} \right)^2}$$

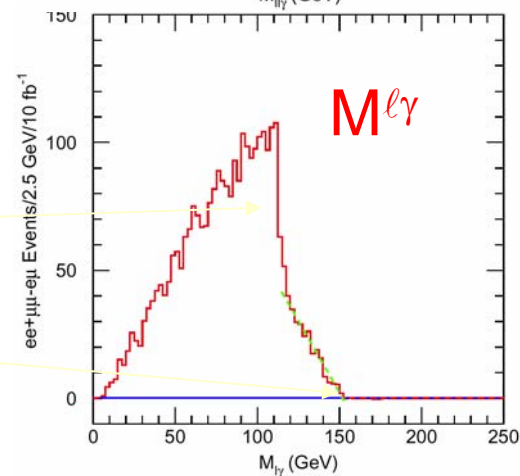
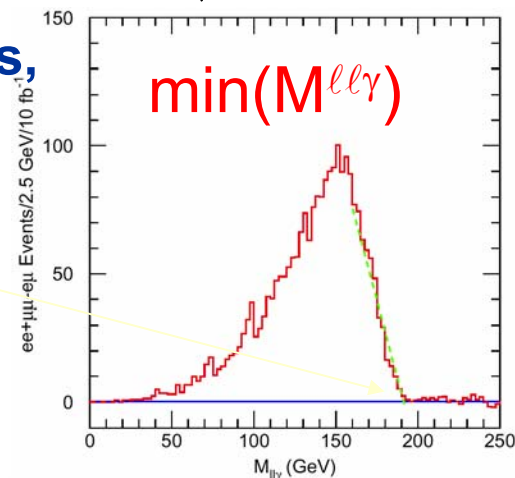
- ◆ Events with two leptons and two photons, plot $\min(M(\ell\ell\gamma))$ yields second relation:

$$M_{\max}^{\ell^+\ell^-\gamma} = \sqrt{M^2(\tilde{\chi}_2^0) - M^2(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)}$$

- ◆ Next: evts with only one $M(\ell\ell\gamma)$ smaller than endpoint mass
 - Unambiguous id of χ_2^0 decay
 - Plot lepton-photon mass, two more structures:

$$\sqrt{M^2(\tilde{\ell}_R) - M^2(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)} = 112.7 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\sqrt{M^2(\tilde{\chi}_2^0) - M^2(\tilde{\ell}_R)} = 152.6 \text{ GeV}$$





SUSY mass measurements (G1a)

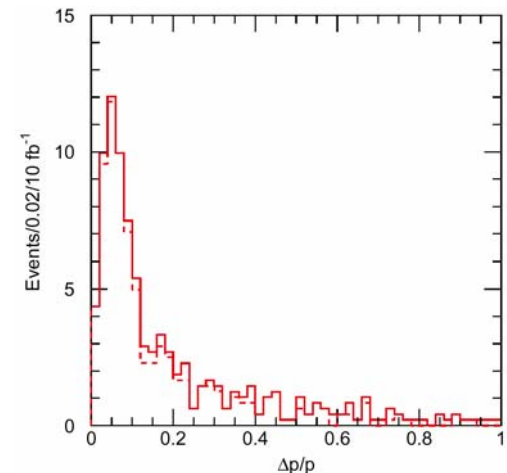
■ Measurement of edge positions: very accurate

- ◆ Worse resolution on linear fit (e.g. $\min(M(\ell\ell\gamma)) \rightarrow$
 - Low luminosity: ± 0.5 GeV; High lumi: ± 0.2 GeV (syst).
- ◆ One can extract masses of $\tilde{\chi}_2^0, \tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\ell}_R$
 - Model-independent (except for decay, rate and interpretation of slepton mass as mass of $\tilde{\ell}_R$)

■ Next step: reconstruct G momentum

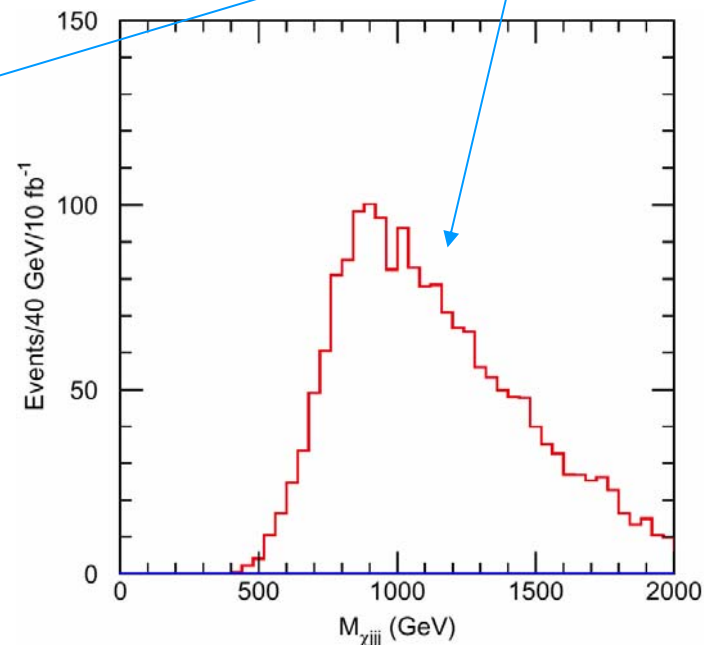
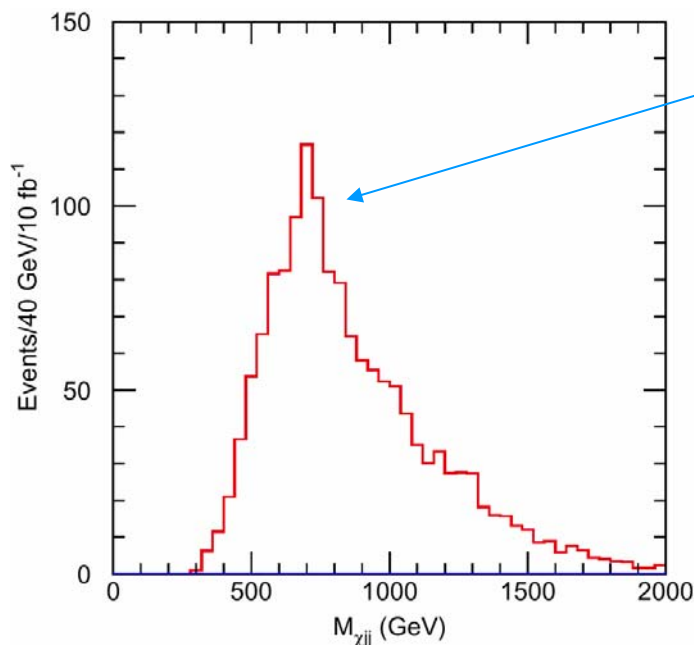
- ◆ Motivation: can then build on $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$ to reconstruct M_q and M_g
 - 0C fit to $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{G}\gamma\ell^+\ell^-$ (with $M_G=0$)
 - Momentum to 4-fold ambiguity
 - Use evts with 4 leptons + 2 photons
 - E_T^{miss} fit to resolve solns: $\min(\chi^2)$:

$$\chi^2 = \left(\frac{E_x^{\text{miss}} - P_{1x} - P_{2x}}{\Delta E_x^{\text{miss}}} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{E_y^{\text{miss}} - P_{1y} - P_{2y}}{\Delta E_y^{\text{miss}}} \right)^2$$



G1a: masses of squarks and gluinos (I)

- **Decay sought: $\tilde{q} \rightarrow g\tilde{q} \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 q q \tilde{q}$**
 - ◆ Select evts with ≥ 4 jets ($P_T > 75$)
 - ◆ Combine each fully-reconstructed $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$ with 2 and 3 jets



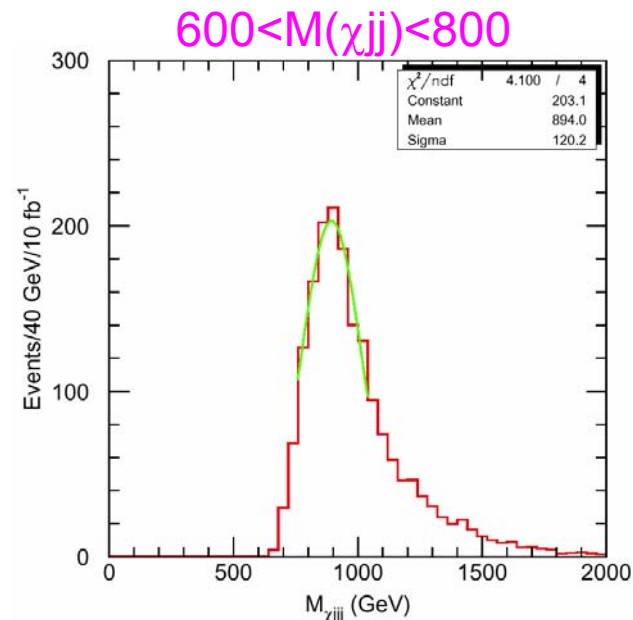
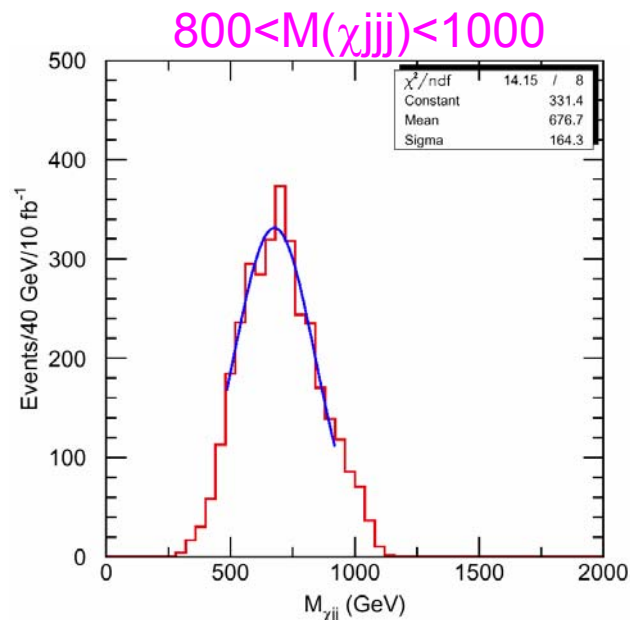
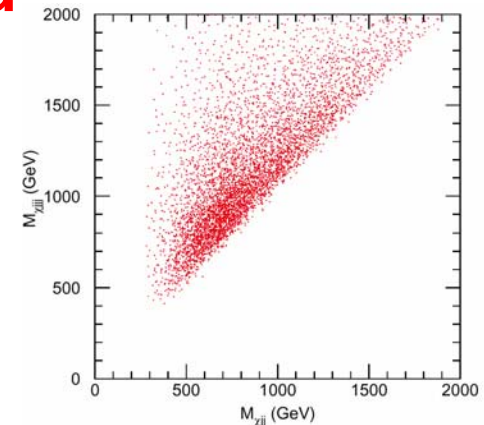
- ◆ This yields peaks at gluino and squark mass (direct)
 - Peak position not a function of jet cut...



G1a: masses of squarks and gluinos (II)

■ Mass distributions can be sharpened

- ◆ Use correlations in $M(\chi_{jj})$ vs $M(\chi_{jjj})$
- ◆ Statistical errors small
 - Expect syst. dominance (jet energy scale)



Other new Physics BSM

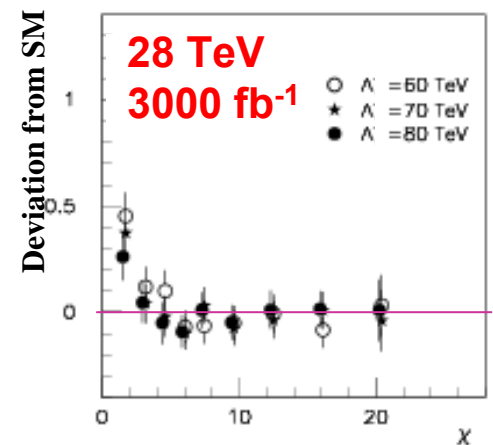
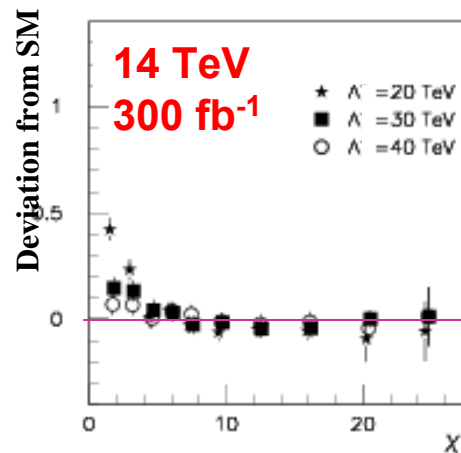
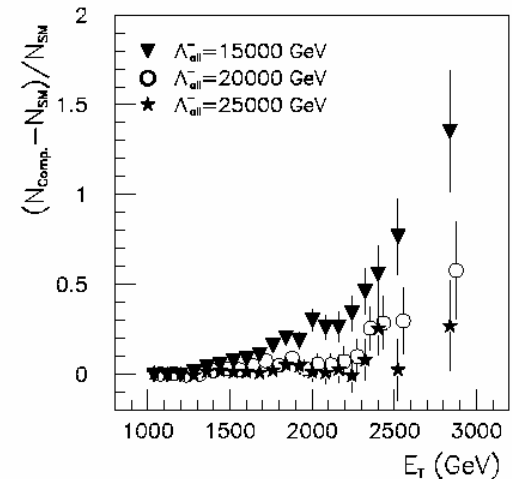
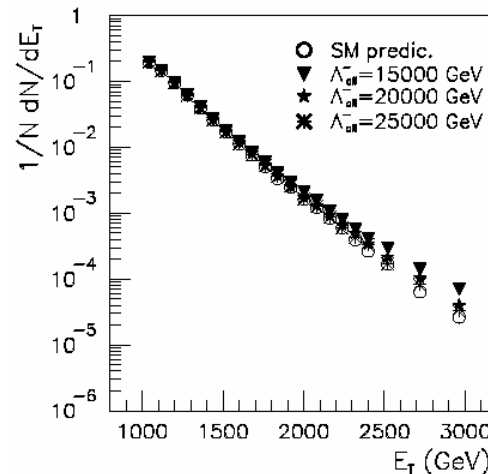


Compositeness

- **Usual excess @ high $P_T(\text{jet})$ expected**
 - ◆ **Tricky issue: calorimeter (non)linearity**
 - ◆ **Analysis proceeds via angular distribution**

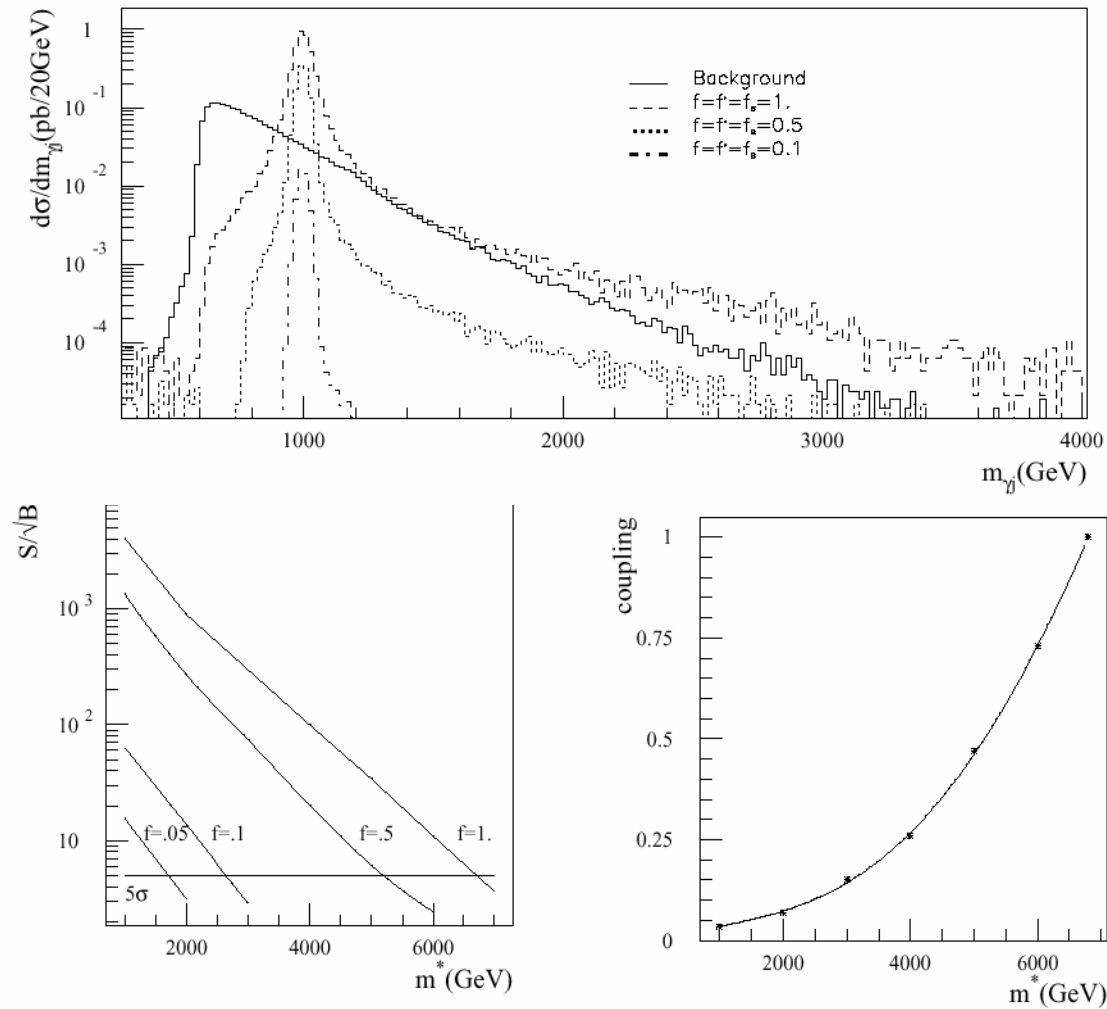
$$\chi = \frac{1 + |\cos \theta^*|}{1 - |\cos \theta^*|}$$

- ◆ **Ultimate reach:**
 $\Lambda_{\text{comp}} \sim 40 \text{ TeV}$
 (depends on understanding non-linearity @ 1-2% level)



Excited quarks

■ Search for $q^* \rightarrow q\gamma$



TeV-scale gravity



Naturalness

■ SUSY: the mass protector

- ◆ $\delta M_W^2 \sim (\alpha/\pi) \Lambda^2 \gg (M_W)^2$; But with SUSY $\delta M_W^2 \sim (\alpha/\pi) |M_{SP} - M_P|^2$
 - The pro-LHC argument: correction small $\rightarrow M_{SP} \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$
 - Lots of positive side-effects:
 - \rightarrow LSP a great dark-matter candidate;
 - \rightarrow unification easier;
 - \rightarrow poetic justice: why would nature miss this transformation? (complete transforms in the Poincaré group – only SUSY escapes Coleman-Mandula no-go theorem)

■ SUSY does not answer why $G_F \sim (M_W)^{-2} \gg (M_{PL})^{-2} \sim G_N$

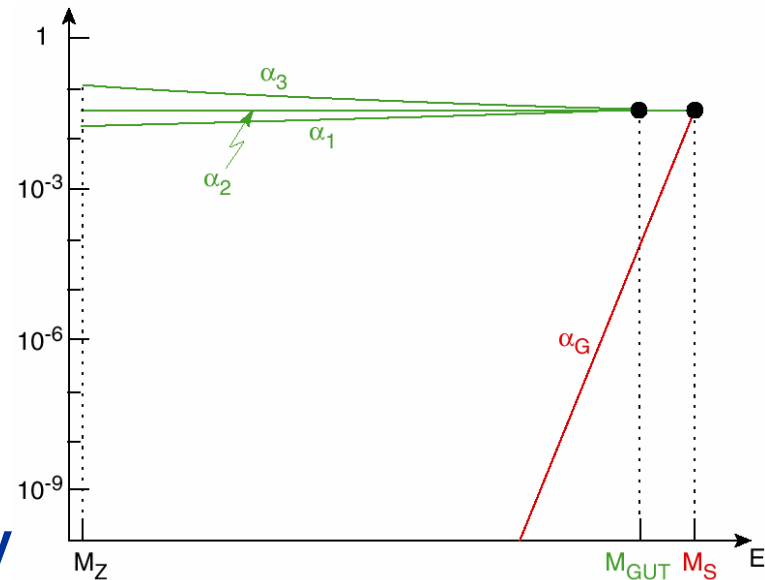
- ◆ But it (at least) allows it



TeV-scale gravity

- **The idea of our times: that the scale of gravity is actually not given by M_{PL} but by M_{W}**

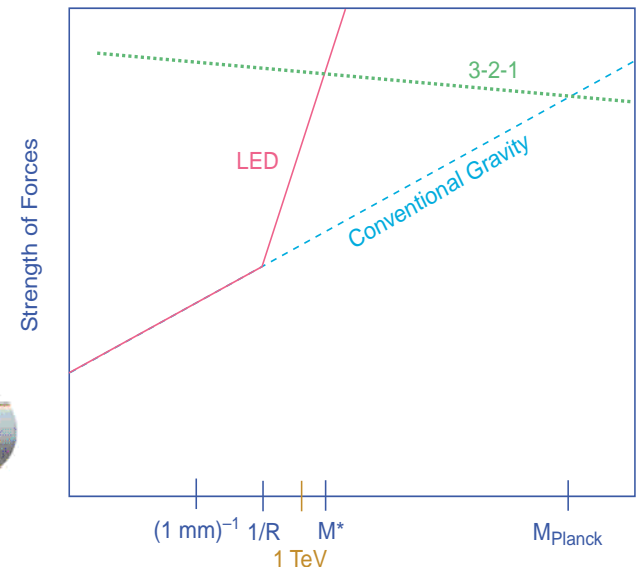
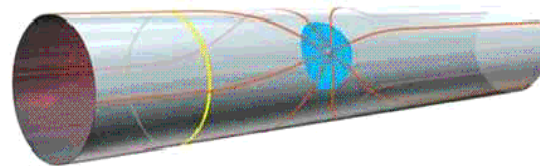
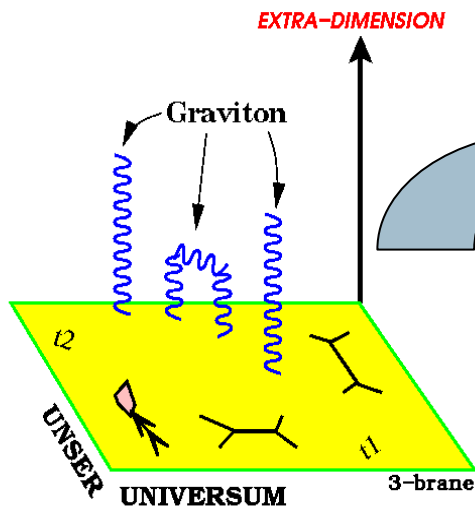
- ◆ **Strings live in >4 dimensions. Compactification \rightarrow 4D “SM”. $M_{\text{PL}-4}$ related to $M_{\text{PL}-(4+d)}$ via volume of xtra dimensions:**
 - $M_{\text{PL}-4}^2 \sim V_d M_{\text{PL}-(4+d)}^{2+d}$
- ◆ **Conventional compactification: very small curled up dims, $M_{\text{PL}-4} \sim M_{\text{PL}-(4+d)}$**
 - $V_d \sim (M_{\text{PL}-4})^{-d}$



Alternative: volume is large; large enough that $V_d \gg (M_{\text{PL}-(4+d)})^{-d}$
Then $M_{\text{PL}-(4+d)}$ can be $\sim \text{TeV}$ (!) – thus the name
Two ways: by hand; warp factor.

Getting $M_{\text{Pl}} \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$. Method I

- **By hand: “Large extra dimensions”**
 - ◆ (Arkani-Hamed, Dimopoulos, Dvali)
 - ◆ Size of xtra dimensions from $\sim \text{mm}$ for $\delta=2$ to $\sim \text{fm}$ for $d=6$
 - ◆ But gauge interactions tested to $\sim 100 \text{ GeV}$
 - **Confine SM to propagate on a brane (from string theory)**
 - ◆ Rich phenomenology



“our” Planck mass at $\log(\Lambda) \sim 19$: an artifact of the extrapolation

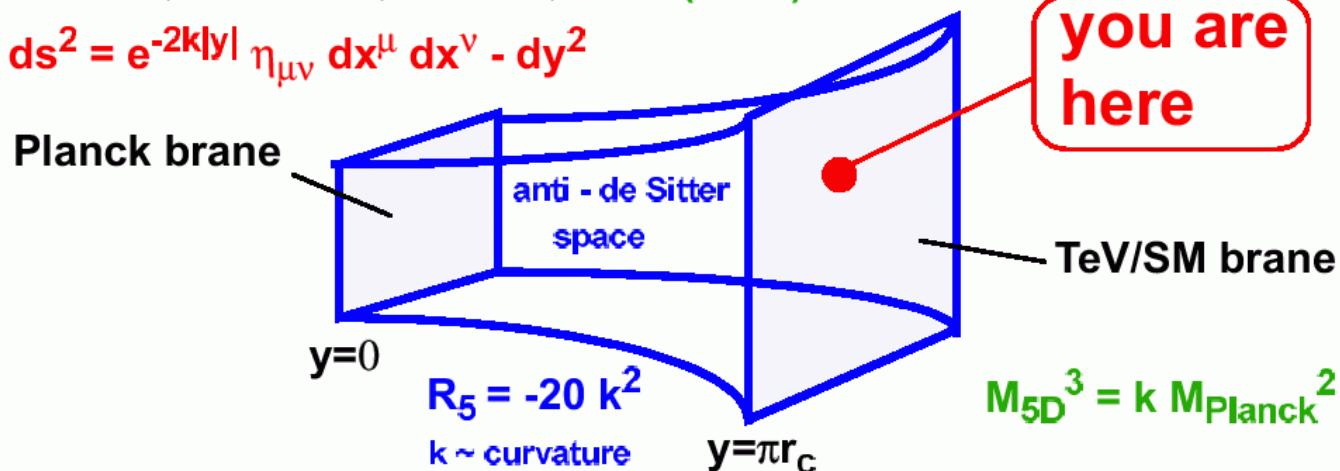
Getting $M_{\text{Pl}} \sim 1\text{TeV}$. Method II

■ Via a warp factor (Randall-Sundrum)

- ◆ $ds^2 = g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu + g_{mn}(y) dy^m dy^n$
 - (x: SM coordinates; y: d xtra ones)
- ◆ Generalize: dependence on location in xtra dimension
- ◆ $ds^2 = e^{2A(y)} g_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu + g_{mn}(y) dy^m dy^n$
 - Large $\exp(A(y))$ also results in large V_d
 - Example: RS model; two 4-D branes, one for SM, one for gravity, “cover” a 5-D space – with an extra dim in between

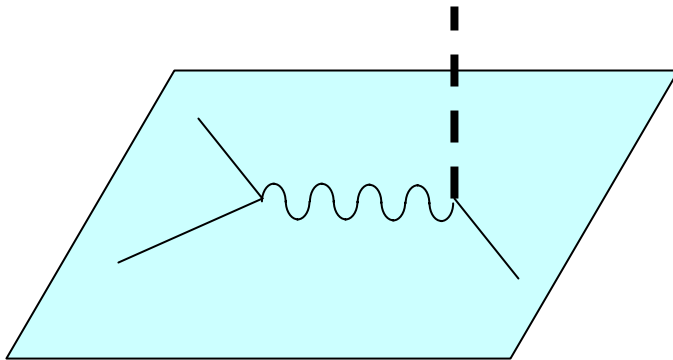
Randall, Sundrum, PRL 83, 3370 (1999)

$$ds^2 = e^{-2k|y|} \eta_{\mu\nu} dx^\mu dx^\nu - dy^2$$

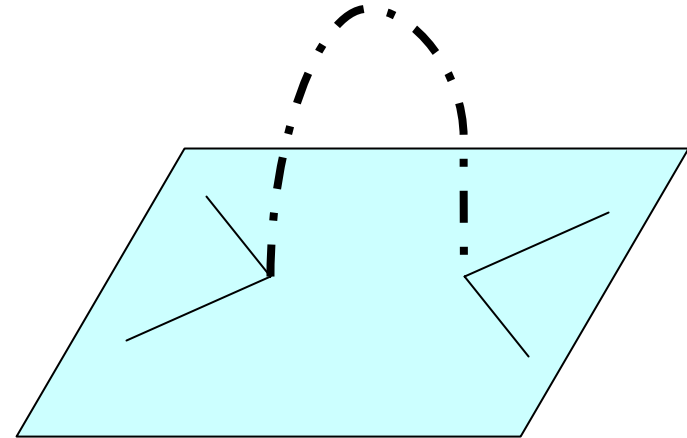


Extra (large) dimensions

- **Different models, different signatures:**
 - ◆ Channels with missing E_T : $E_T^{\text{miss}} + (\text{jet}/\gamma)$ (back-to-back)
 - ◆ Direct reconstruction of KK modes
 - **Essentially a W' , Z' search**
 - ◆ Warped extra dimensions (graviton excitations)



Giudice, Ratazzi, Wells
([hep-ph/9811291](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/9811291))



Hewett ([hep-ph/9811356](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/9811356))



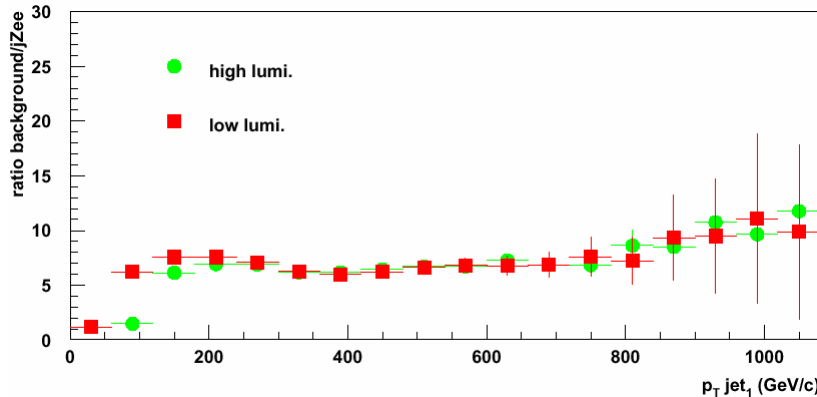
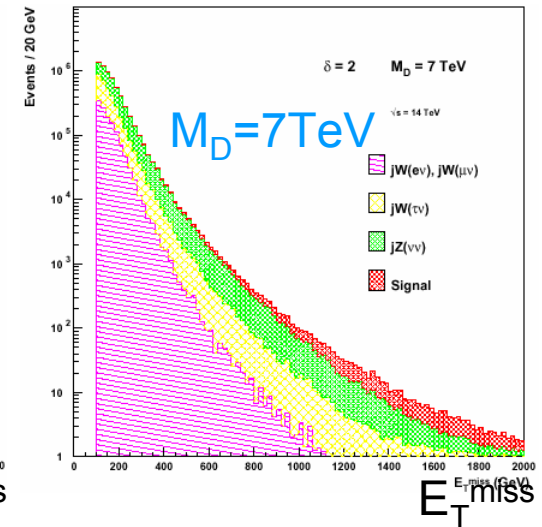
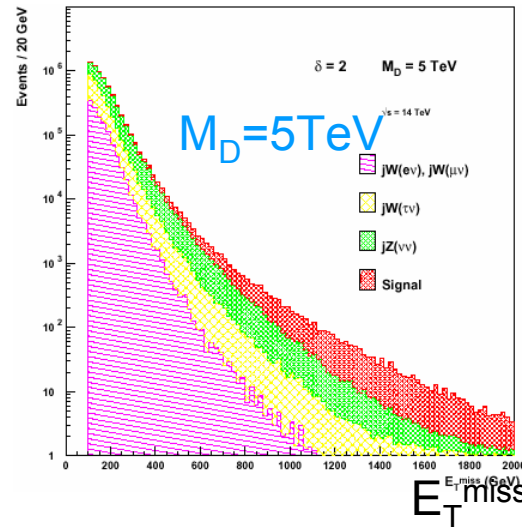
Extra dimensions (I): $E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{Jet}$

■ Issue: signal & bkg topologies same; must know shape of bkg vs e.g. E_T^{miss}

◆ Bkg: jet+W/Z;

$Z \rightarrow \nu\nu$; $W \rightarrow \ell\nu$.

◆ Bkg normalized through jet+Z, $Z \rightarrow ee$ and $Z \rightarrow \mu\mu$ events



Reach @ 5σ

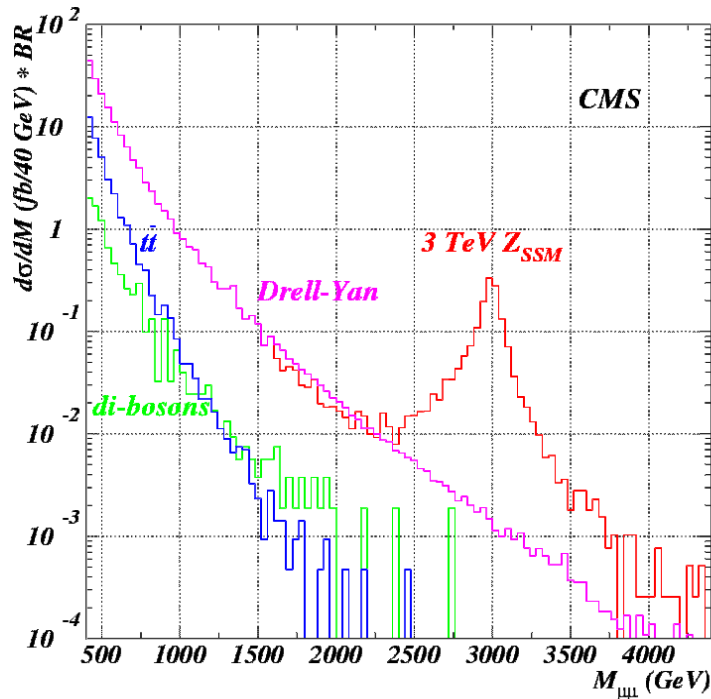
δ	M_D (TeV)	R_D
2	7.5	10 μm
3	5.9	200 pm
4	5.3	1 pm

■ Also $E_T^{\text{miss}} + \gamma$; M_D reach smaller



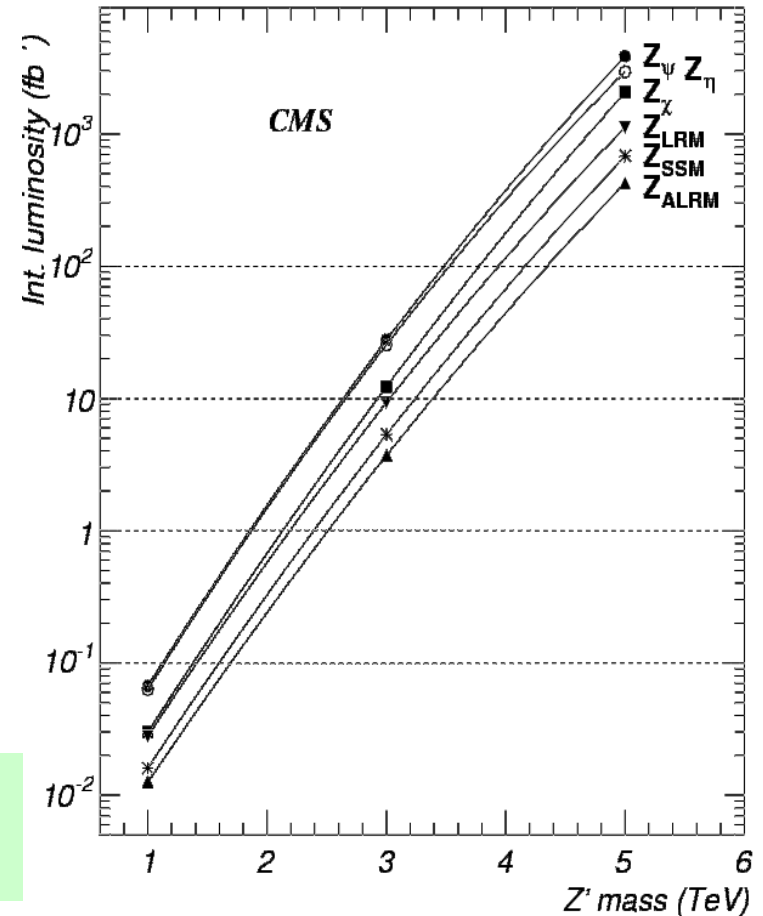
Z' Discovery Studies

$Z' \rightarrow \mu\mu$ production
No systematics included yet

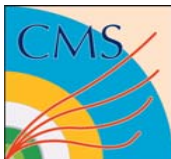


Note: Best possible theory knowledge on DY spectrum will be needed (tails!)

$Z' \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$: 5σ significance curves



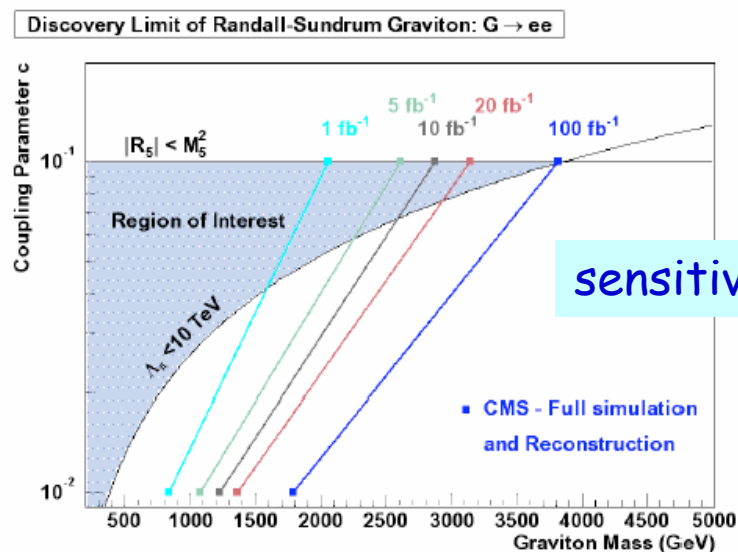
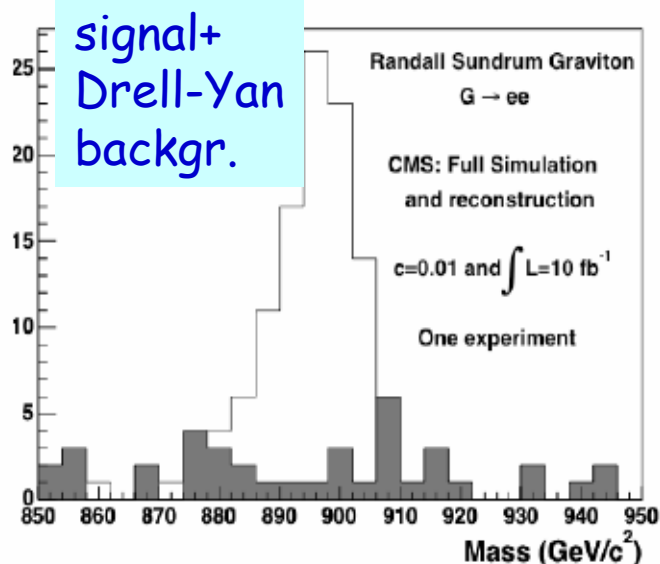
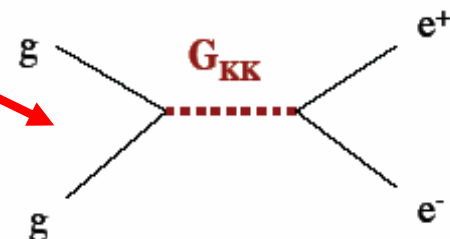
Low lumi 0.1 fb^{-1} : discovery of 1-1.6 TeV possible, beyond Tevatron II
High lumi 100 fb^{-1} : extend range to 3.4-4.3 TeV



Curved Space: RS Extra Dimensions

Study the channel $pp \rightarrow \text{Graviton} \rightarrow e^+e^-$

phenomenology



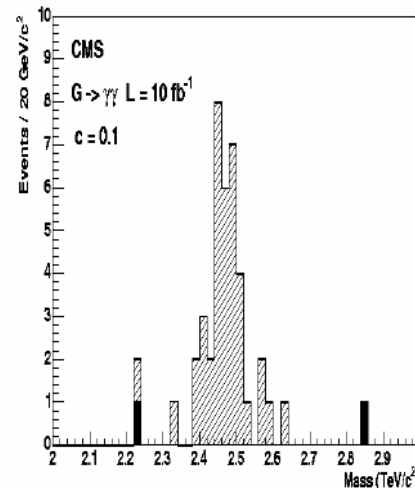
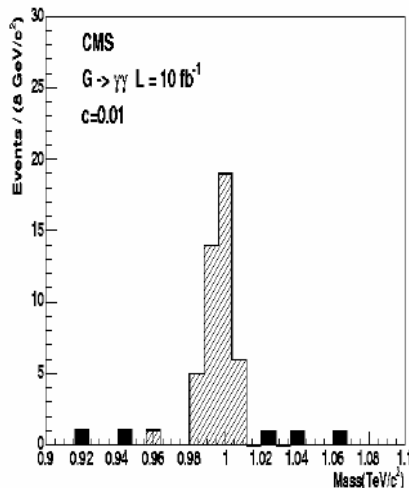
sensitivity



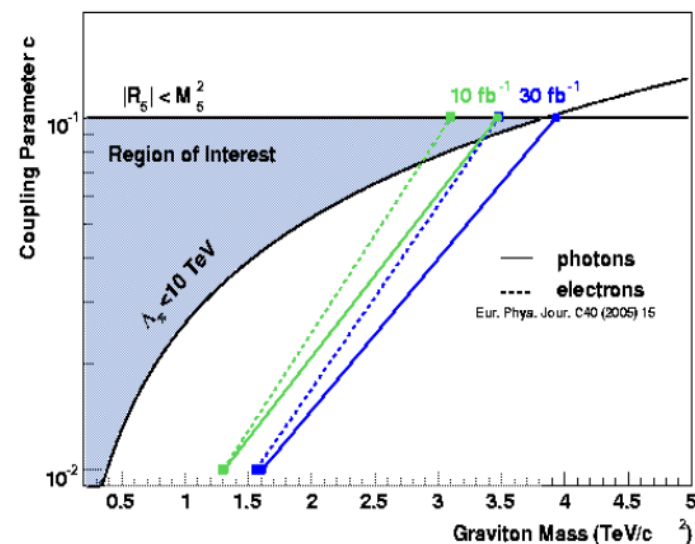
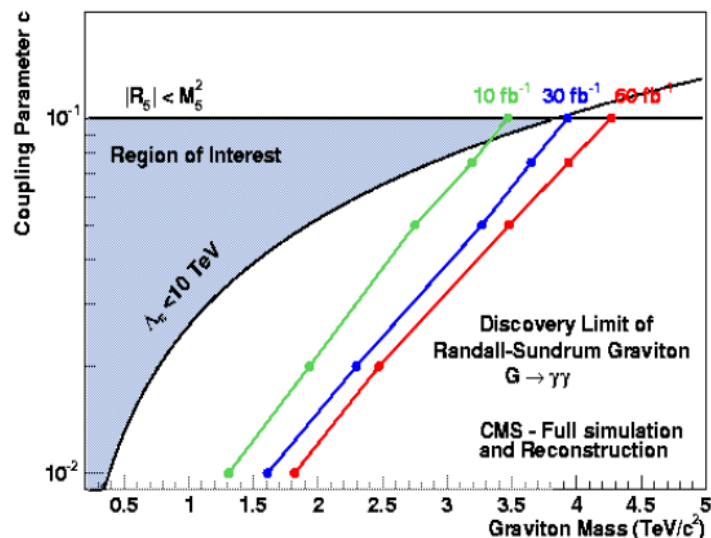
TeV-scale Gravity; Randall Sundrum $G \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$

New:
Study RS decays
into 2 photons

K factors for signal?
P. Mathews et al.



Signal +
Background
for 10 pb^{-1}

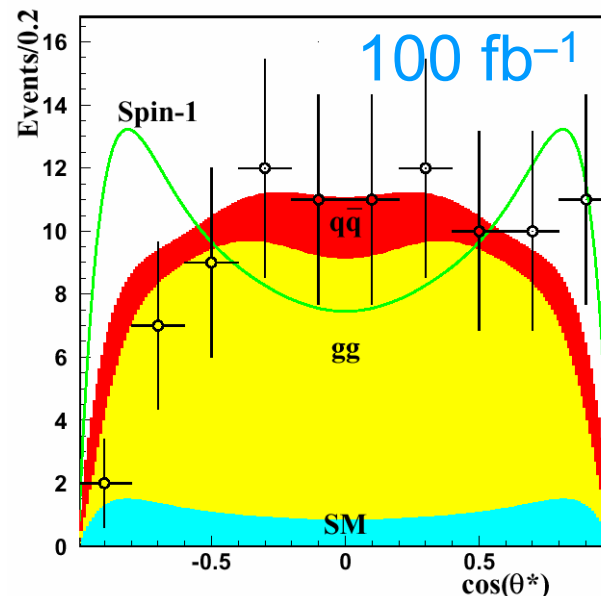
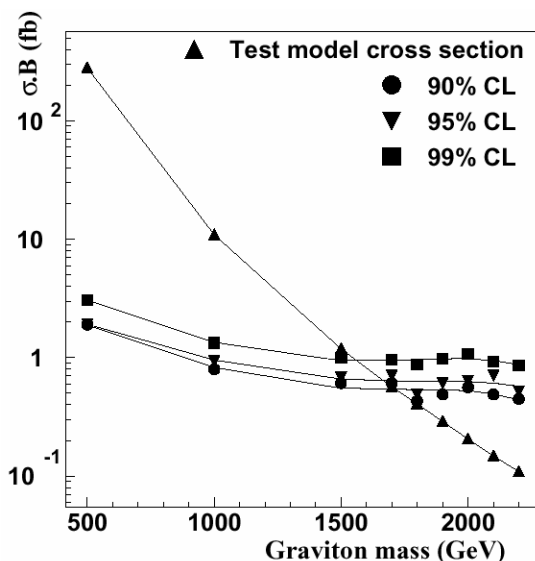


KK resonances + angular analysis

- If graviton excitations present, essentially a Z' search.

- ◆ Added bonus: spin-2 (instead of spin-1 for Z)

- Case shown*: $G \rightarrow e^+e^-$
for $M(G)=1.5$ TeV
- Extract minimum $\sigma.B$ for
which spin-w hypothesis is
favored (at 90-95%CL)



* B.Allanach,K.Odagiri,M.Parker,B.Webber
JHEP09 (2000)019



En passant

- **TeV-scale gravity is attracting a lot of interest/work**
 - ◆ Much is recent, even more is evolving
 - ◆ Turning to new issues, like deciding whether a new dilepton resonance is a Z' or a KK excitation of a gauge boson
 - In the latter case we know photon, Z excitations nearly degenerate
 - One way would be to use W' (should also be degenerate, decays into lepton+neutrino)

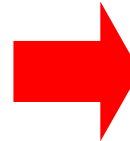
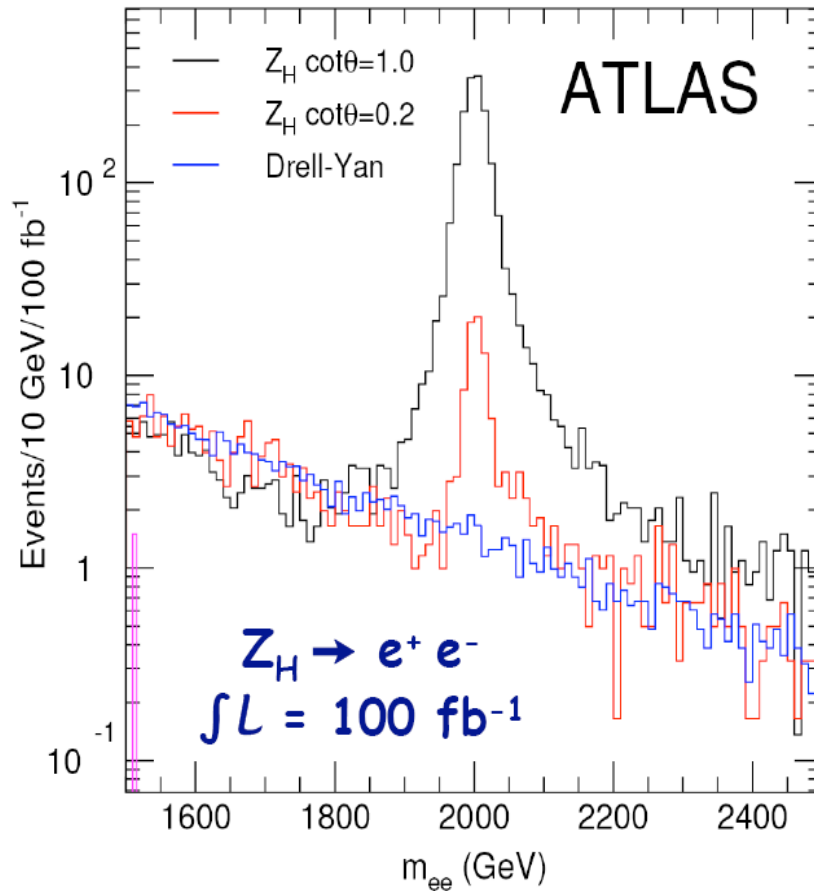
But this is also the case for additional bosons...

- ◆ Example: radion phenomenology
 - Radion: field that stabilizes the brane distance in the RS scenario. Similar to Higgs. Recent work suggests it can even mix with the Higgs.
 - Can affect things a lot
- ◆ Stay tuned, for this is an exciting area

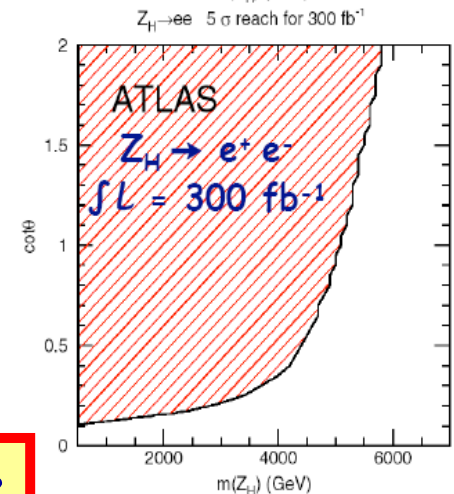
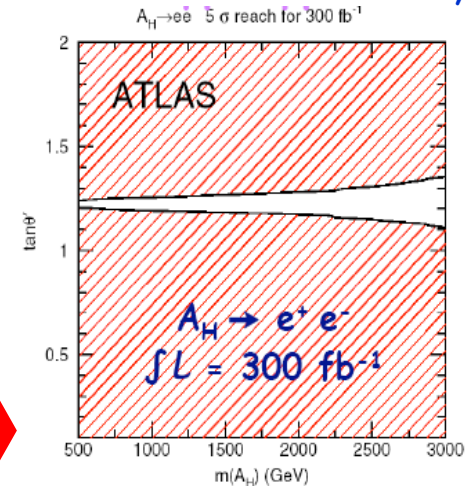


Little Higgs Model A_H and Z_H

Signal : di-lepton resonance



Littlest Higgs Model
 Arkani-Hamed et al., Han et al.



Reach up to 5.7 TeV depending on the θ angle



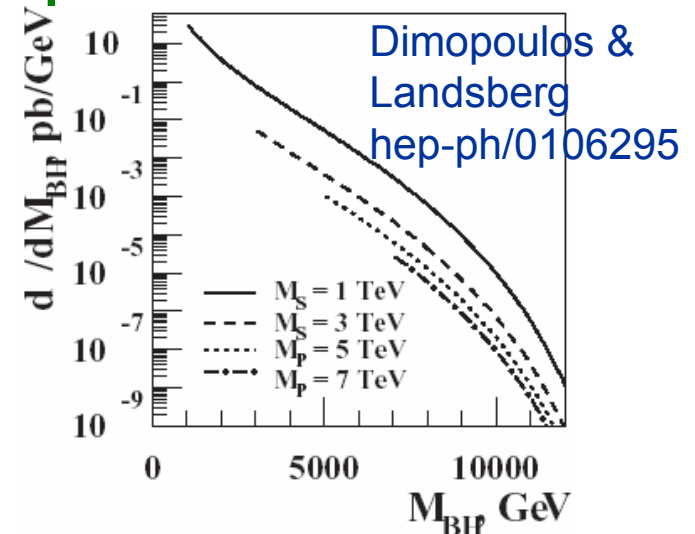
Black Holes at the LHC (?) (I)

- **Always within context of “TeV-scale gravity”**
 - ◆ Semi-classical argument: two partons approaching with impact parameter $<$ Schwarzschild radius, $R_S \rightarrow$ black hole
 - $R_S \sim 1/M_P (M_{BH}/M_P)^{1/d+1}$ (Myers & Perry; Ann. Phys 172, 304 (1996))
 - ◆ From dimensions: $\sigma(M_{BH}) \sim \pi R_S^2$; $M_P \sim 1 \text{ TeV} \rightarrow \sigma \sim 400 \text{ pb}$ (!!!)
 - **Absence of small coupling like α**
 - ◆ LHC, if above threshold, will be a Black Hole Factory:
 - **At minimum mass of 5 TeV: 1Hz production rate**

Giddings & Thomas
hep-ph/0106219

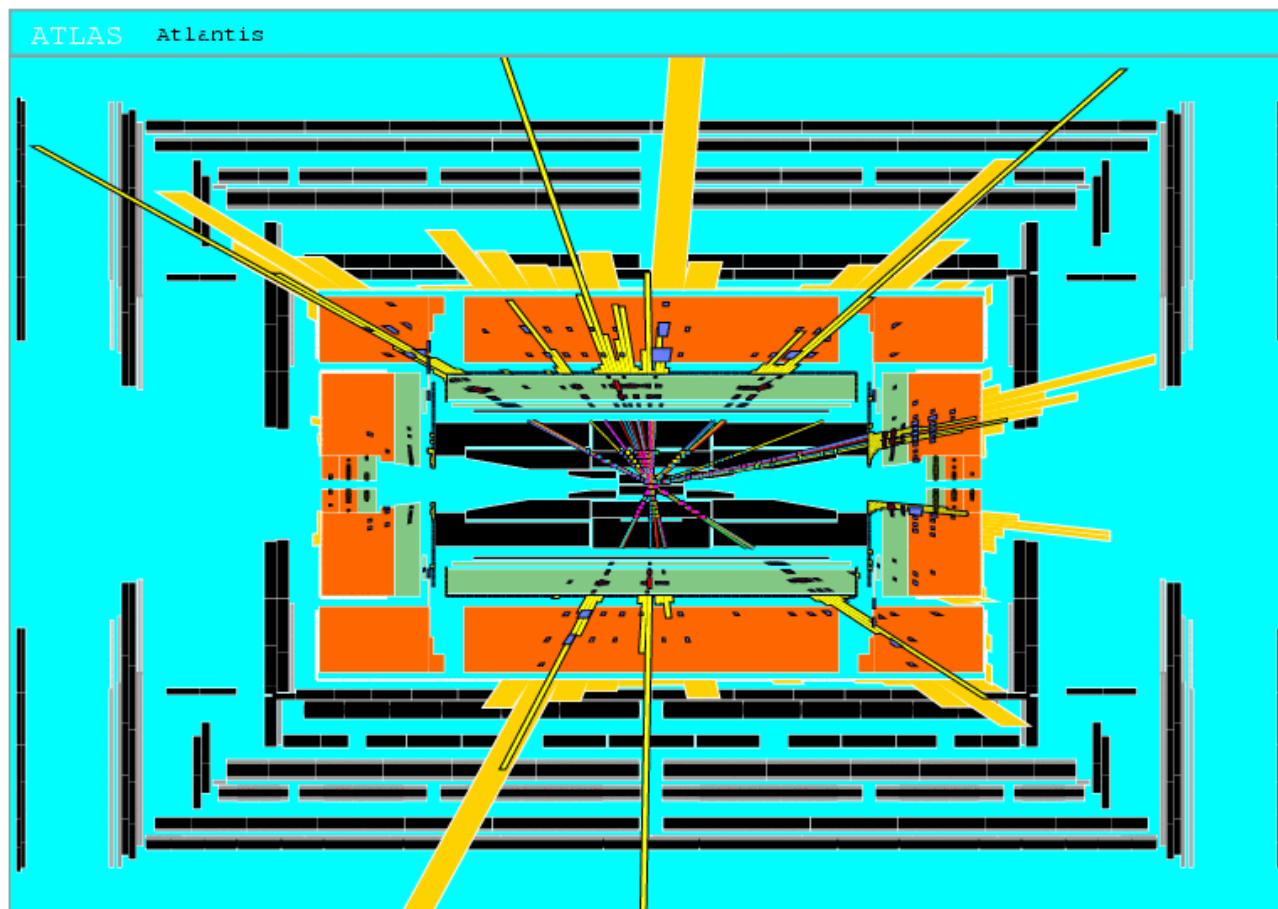
Assumptions:

$M_{BH} \gg M_P$; in order to avoid true quantum gravity effects... clearly not the case at the LHC – so caution



Black-hole production

- Simulation of BH event with $M_{\text{BH}} \sim 8 \text{ TeV}$ in ATLAS



$M_D \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$
 $n=6$



Black Holes at the LHC (II)

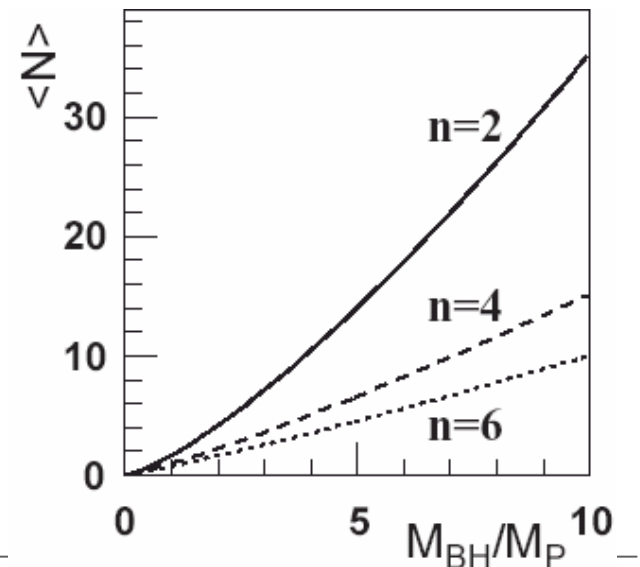
■ Decay would be spectacular

- ◆ Determined by Hawking temperature, $T_H \propto 1/R_S \sim M_P (M_P/M_{BH})^{(1/n+1)}$
 - Note: wavelength of Hawking T_H $(2\pi/T_H) > R_S$
 - BH a point radiator emitting s-waves
- ◆ Thermal decay, high mass, large number of decay products
 - Implies democracy among particles on the SM brane
 - Contested (number of KK modes in the bulk large)

Picture ignores time evolution

...as BH decays, it becomes lighter, hotter, and decay accelerates (expect: start from asymmetric horizon → symmetric, rotating BH with no hair → spin down → Schwarzschild BH, radiate until $M_{BH} \sim M_P$. Then? Few quanta with $E \sim M_P$?

More generally: “transplackian physics”;
see: Giudice, Ratazzi&Wells, hep-ph0112161



Beyond the LHC

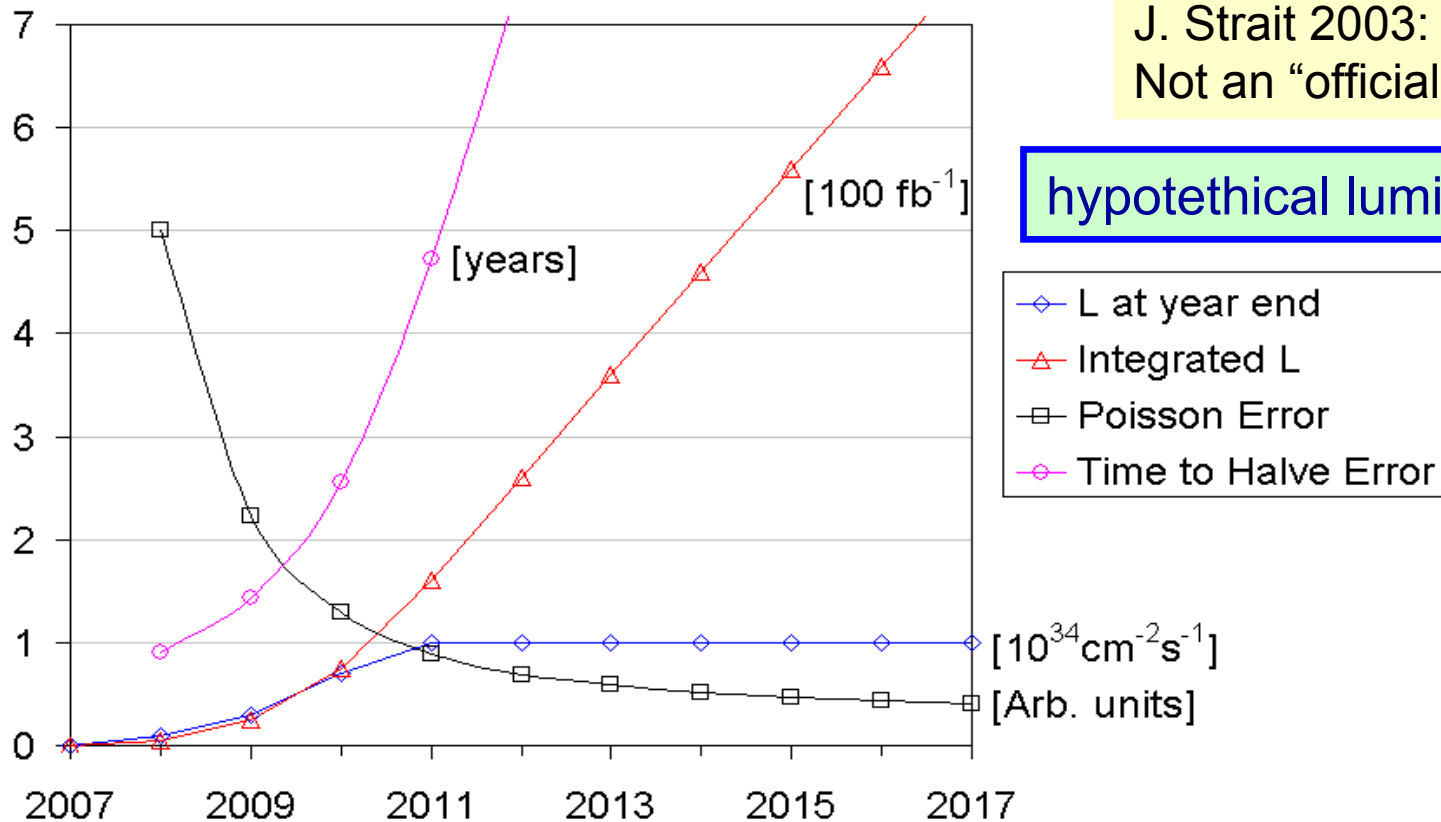
LHC++



LHC upgrade

J. Strait 2003:
Not an “official” LHC plot

hypothetical lumi scenario



If startup as good as (optimistically) assumed here ($10^{34} \text{ cm}^{-2} \text{ s}^{-1}$ in 2011 already)

\Rightarrow After ~3 years the simple continuation becomes less exciting

\Rightarrow Time for an upgrade?



Beyond LHC; LHC++?

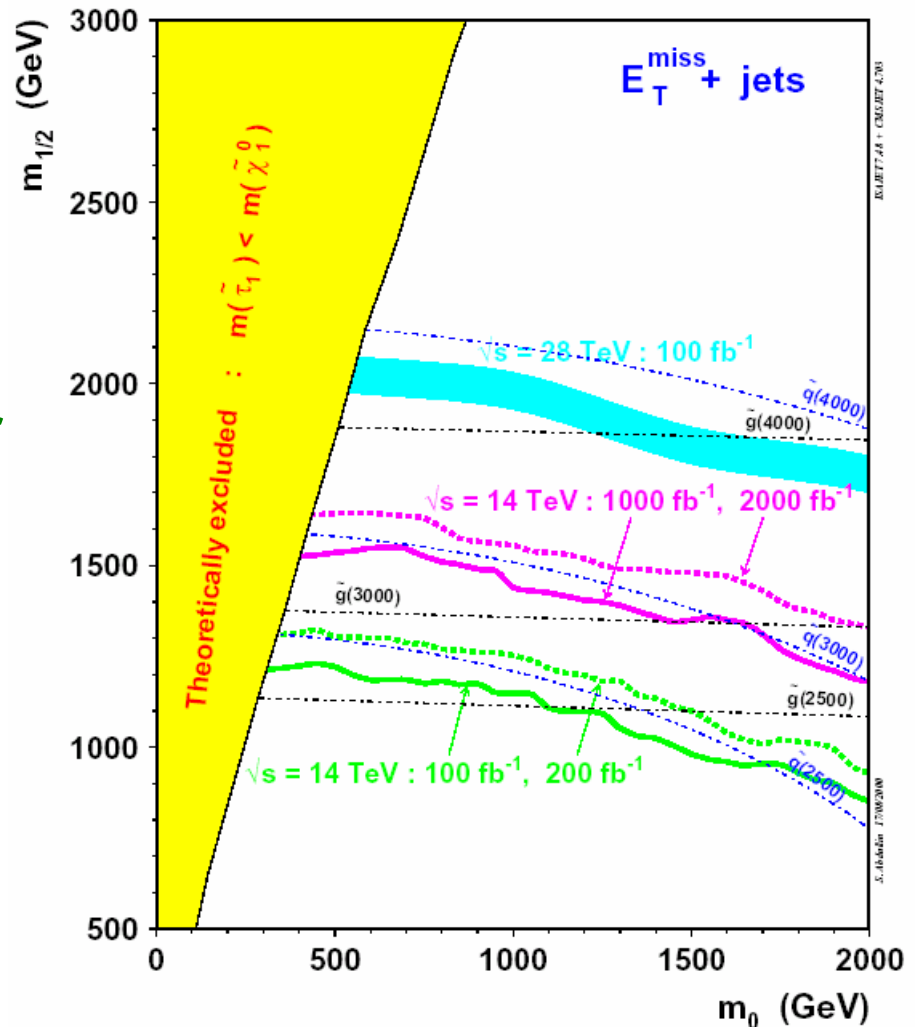
- **Clearly, a Linear Collider is a complementary machine to the LHC**
 - ◆ Will narrow in on much of what the LHC cannot probe
- **As for LHC, a very preliminary investigation of**
 - ◆ LHC at $10^{35}\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$; LHC at 28 TeV; LHC with both upgrades
 - ◆ First look at effect of these upgrades
 - Triple Gauge Couplings
 - Higgs rare decays; self-couplings;
 - Extra large dimensions
 - New resonances (Z')
 - SUSY
 - Strong VV scattering
 - ◆ Clearly, energy is better than luminosity
 - Detector status at 10^{35} needs careful evaluation



Supersymmetry reach @ LHC++

■ mSUGRA scenario

- ◆ Assume R_p conservation
- ◆ Generic $E_T^{\text{miss}} + \text{Jets}$
- ◆ Cuts are optimized to get best $S^2_{\text{SUSY}}/(S_{\text{SUSY}} + B_{\text{SM}})$
 - In some cases 0-2 leptons could be better
- ◆ Shown: reach given
 - $A_0 = 0$; $\tan\beta=10$; $\mu>0$
- ◆ For 28 TeV @ $10^{34}\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ probe squarks & gluinos up to $\sim 4 \text{ TeV}/c^2$
- ◆ For 14 TeV @ $10^{35}\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ reach is $\sim 3 \text{ TeV}/c^2$

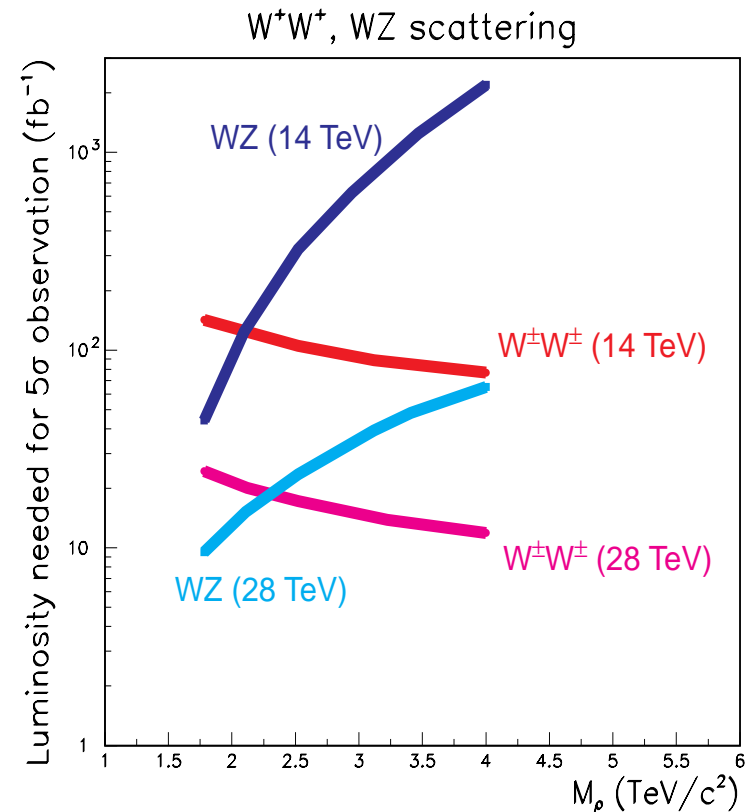




Strong WW/WZ scattering

- **“Golden modes” considered (leptonic decays; e/ μ only)**
 - ◆ Numerous channels (WW, WZ, ZZ). Worst-case (signal vs backgrounds) channel is WZ
 - ◆ Only $L=10^{34}\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$ considered because analysis requires:
 - forward tagging jets and
 - central jet vetoes
- large effect from pileup at $L=10^{35}\text{cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$

- **Like-sign WW & WZ:**
 - ◆ luminosity needed for 5σ observation





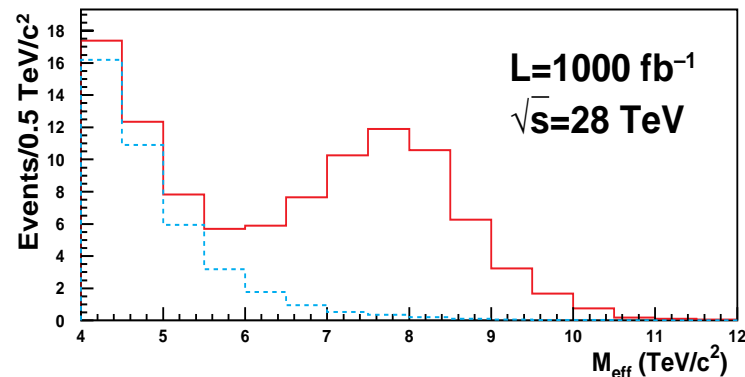
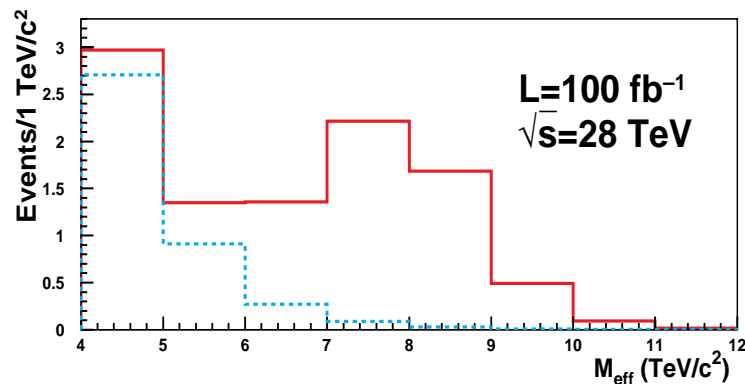
Z' reach in LHC++

Only $Z' \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$ considered

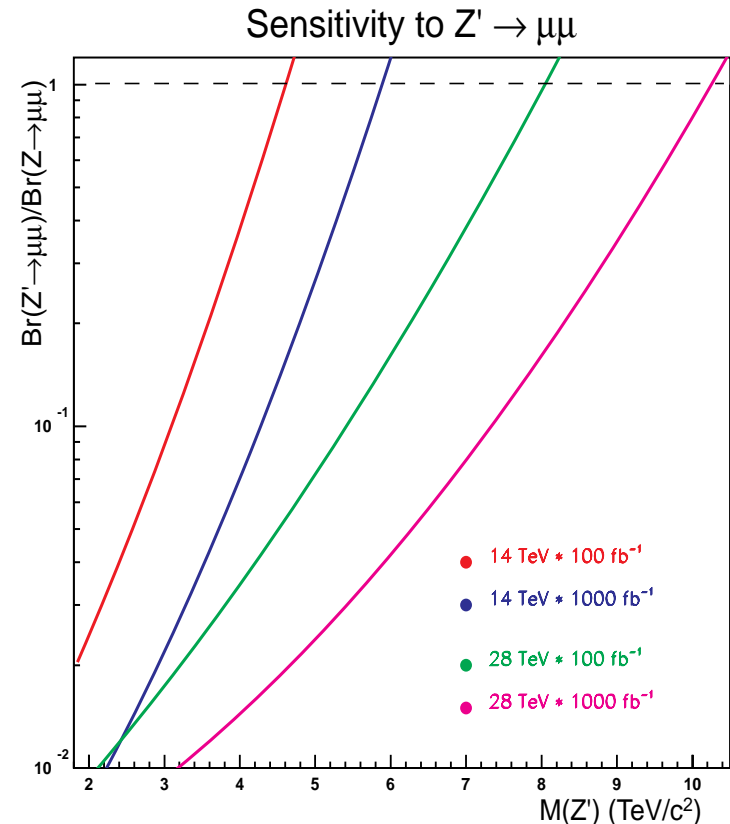
$M(Z') = 8 \text{ TeV}/c^2$

signal vs Drell-Yan background

Example: with Standard Model Br



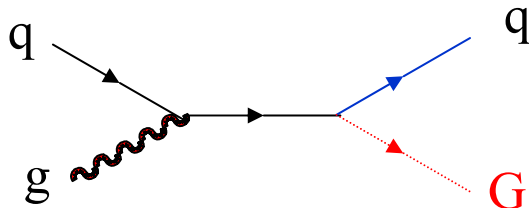
Reach in $M(Z')$ is a function of $\text{Br}(Z' \rightarrow \mu\mu)$



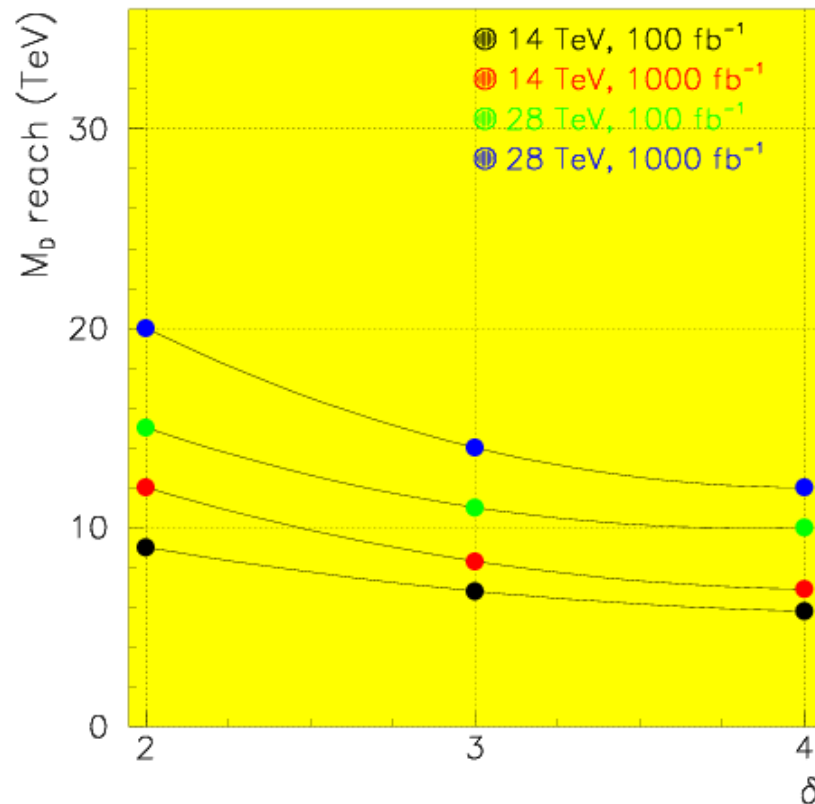
Extra (large) dimensions @ LHC++

■ Signatures: the same

- ◆ Bonus: can extract M_D and δ from $\sigma(28 \text{ TeV}) / \sigma(14 \text{ TeV})$ (since $\sigma \sim M_D^{-(\delta+2)}$)

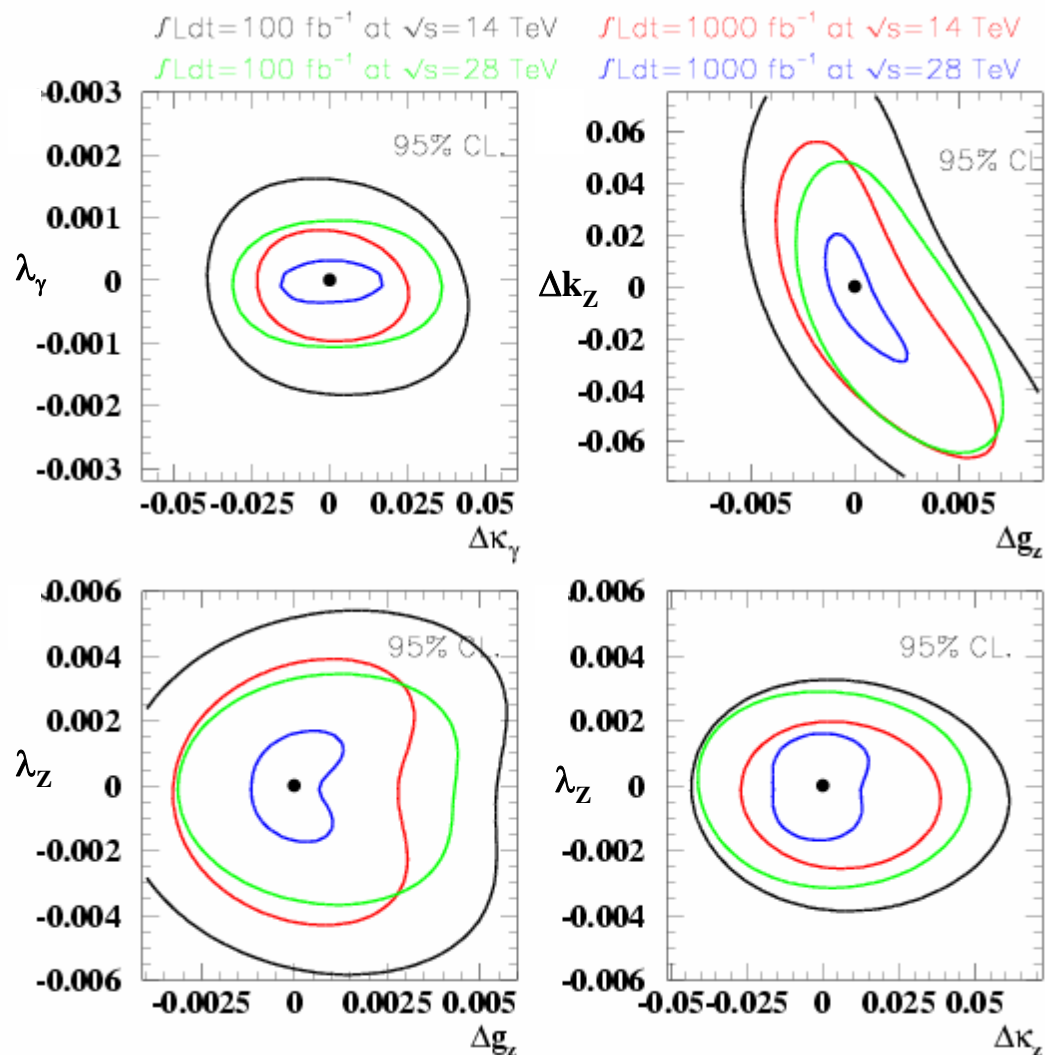


- ◆ Topology used here: Jet+missing E_T





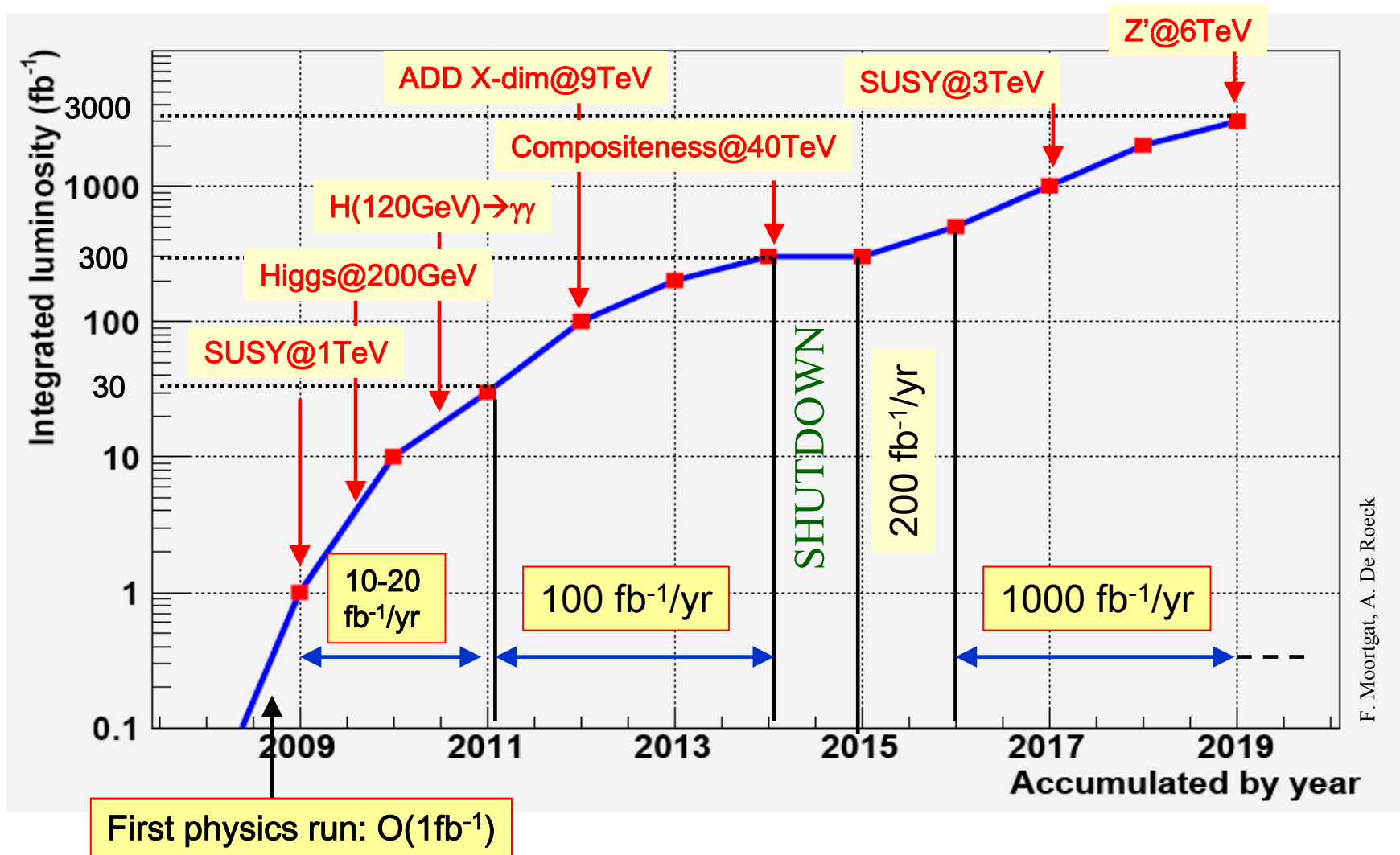
Triple Gauge Couplings @ LHC++



Machine Energy/Lu	Δk_Z $\times 10^{-3}$	λ_Z $\times 10^{-3}$
NLC		
0.5 TeV		
500 fb⁻¹	1.6	1.3
LHC		
14 TeV	40	1.4
100 fb⁻¹		
LHC		
14 TeV	34	0.6
1000 fb⁻¹		
LHC		
28 TeV	13	0.2
1000 fb⁻¹		



LHC Luminosity/Sensitivity with time



F. Moortgat, A. De Roeck



Summary

- **The LHC and its experiments on track for first collisions in 2007 and physics runs starting from 2008 onwards**
 - ◆ **Challenge: commissioning of machine and detectors of unprecedented complexity, technology and performance**
- **The LHC should be decisive in revealing the Electro Weak Symmetry Breaking mechanism in the SM (Higgs/no Higgs)**
- **The LHC will break new ground in exploring the TeV scale and hunt for new physics.**
 - ◆ **Could be easy; could also take more time and ingenuity before we can claim a discovery**
 - ◆ **1-3 TeV can be covered already with $<10\text{fb}^{-1}$**

(Grand) summary

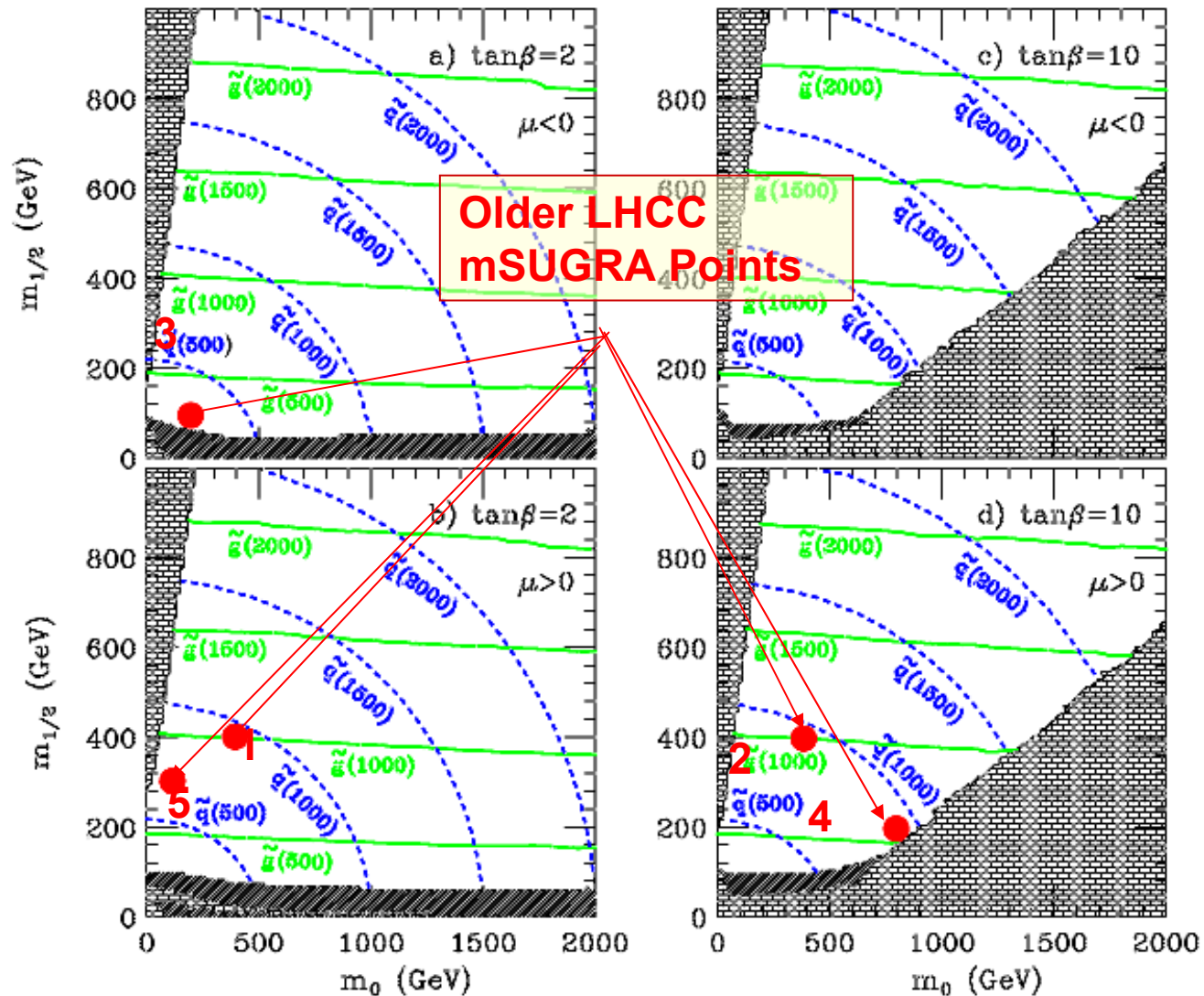
- **If no unexpected bad surprises happen**

- ◆ **LHC will come**



- ◆ and will discover or exclude the SM Higgs by the year 2010
 - ◆ discover low energy SUSY if it exists,
 - ◆ and cover a mass range of 1-3 TeV for many other scenarios
 - **Large com energy: new thresholds**
 - TeV-scale gravity? Large extra dimensions? Black Hole production? The end of small-distance physics? And of course, compositeness, new bosons, excited quarks...
 - ◆ There might be a few physics channels that could benefit from more luminosity... LHC++?

SUGRA points



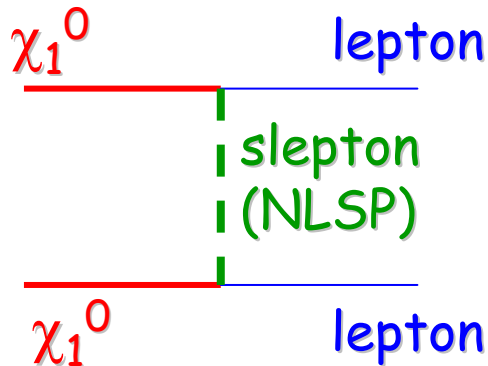


A cosmological interlude

$$0.0094 < \Omega_m h^2 = n_{\text{LSP}} \times m_{\text{LSP}} < 0.129$$

$$\rho_{\text{LSP}} = \text{Relic LSP Density} \times \text{LSP mass}$$

Relic LSP Density decreases when the LSP annihilation cross section in the early universe increases



$$\sigma(\chi\chi \rightarrow ff) \propto m_\chi^2 / (m_\chi^2 + m_f^2)^2$$

$$\rho_{\text{LSP}} \propto (m_\chi^2 + m_f^2)^2 / m_\chi \approx m_\chi^3$$



Cosmological interlude (II)

$$0.0094 < \rho_{\text{LSP}} < 0.129$$

+

$$m_\chi \approx 0.4 m_{1/2}$$

+

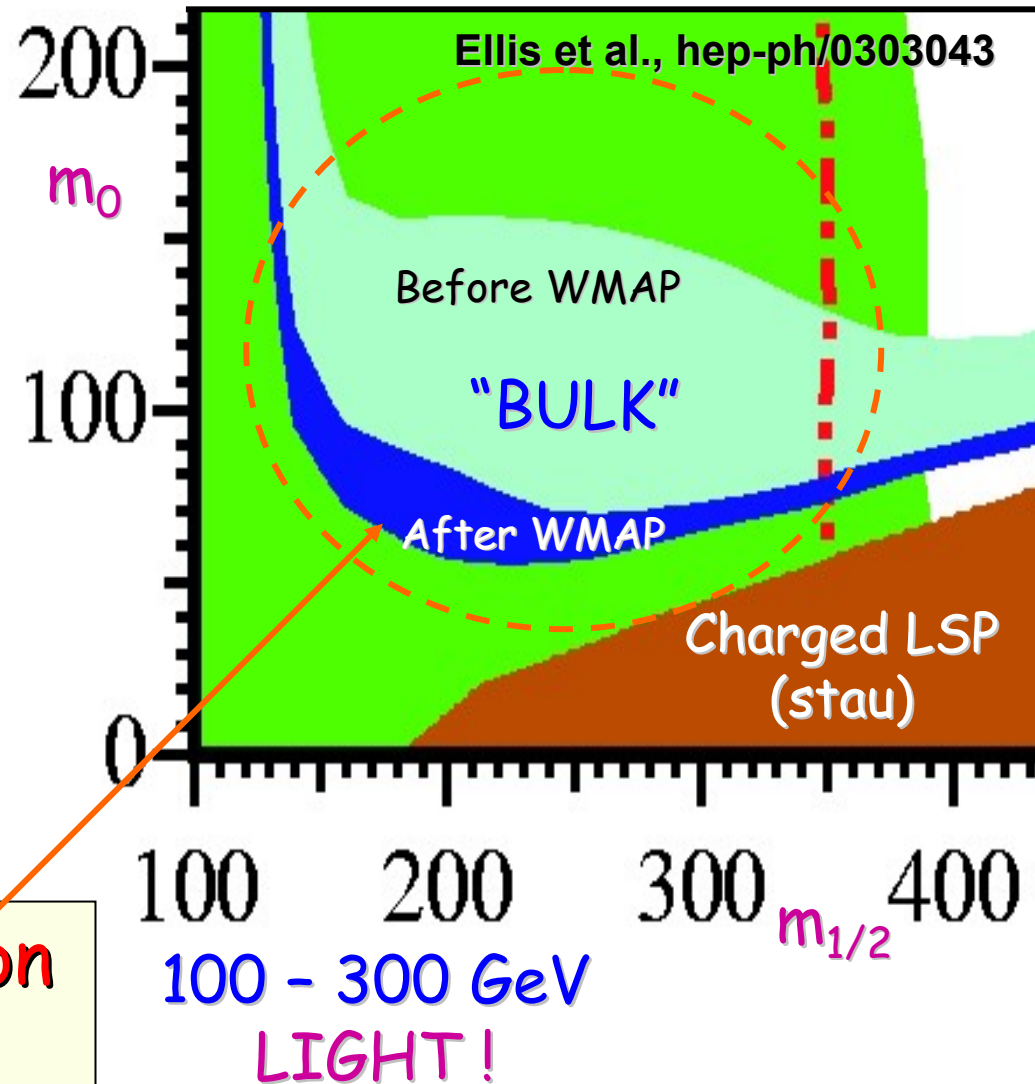
$$m_{\tilde{\ell}_R}^2 = m_0^2 + 0.15 m_{1/2}^2 + \dots$$

$$m_{\tilde{\ell}_{L,\tilde{\nu}}}^2 = m_0^2 + 0.5 m_{1/2}^2 + \dots$$

$$m_{\tilde{q}_{R,L}}^2 = m_0^2 + 6 m_{1/2}^2 + \dots$$

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Upper and lower limits on
 m_0 , $m_{1/2}$ and m_χ

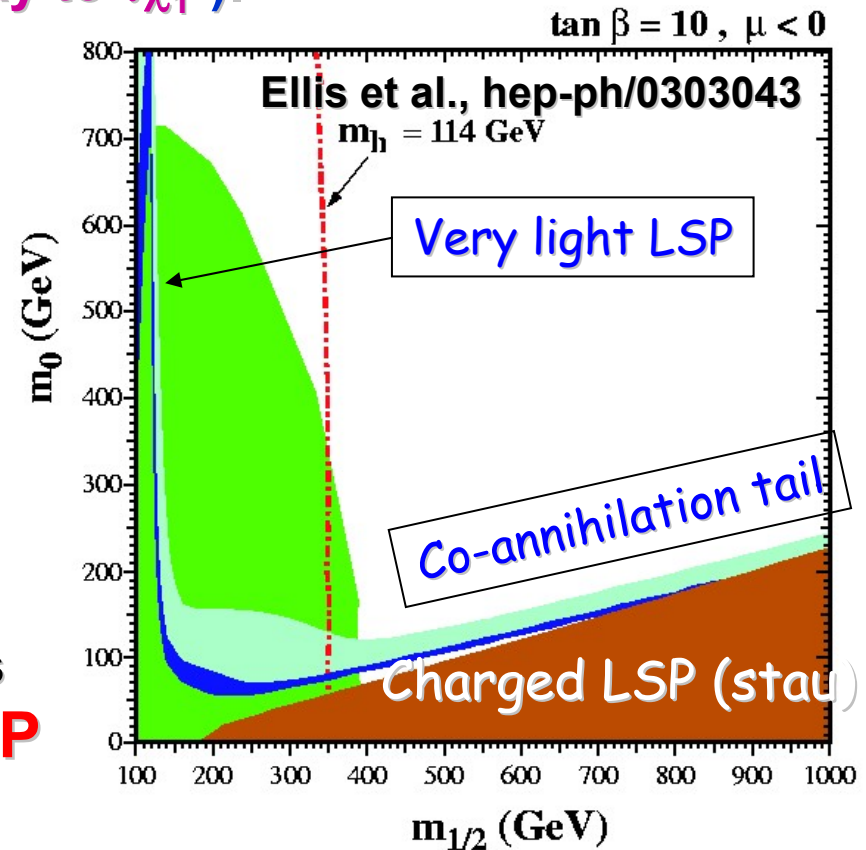
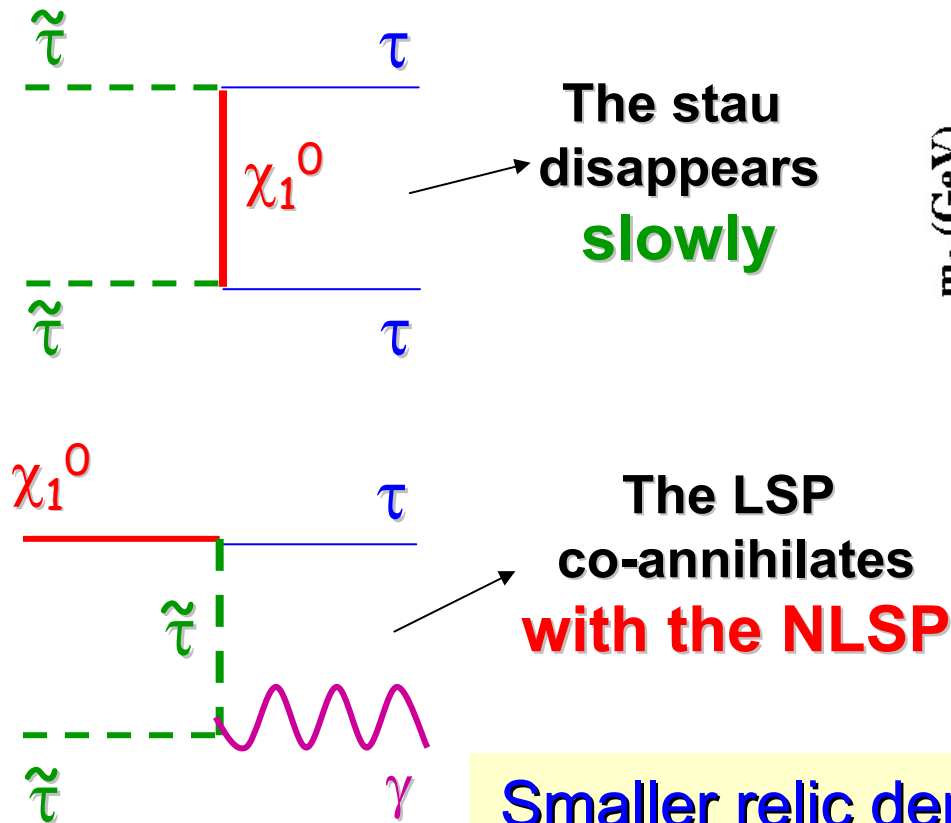


A cosmo-interlude (III)

Co-annihilation tail: LSP and NLSP almost degenerate:

e.g., $m_{\tilde{\tau}} - m_{\chi} < m_{\tau}$ (no direct decay to $\tau\chi_1^0$).

Dominant processes:

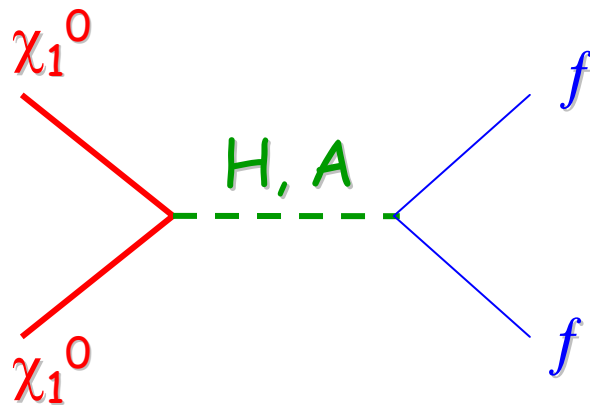


Smaller relic density \Rightarrow larger m_{χ} possible...

A cosminterlude (IV)

Rapid annihilation: At large $\tan\beta$, and for $m_0 \approx m_{1/2}$, the LSP mass is about half the heavy Higgs boson mass (**A and H**)

Dominant process:



Annihilation is too rapid if
LSP mass is exactly half the
Higgs-boson mass
 \Rightarrow two allowed lines on the plot

