

Discovering Warped Extra Dimensions at the LHC



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My goal for this talk

Discuss how (and when)
warped extra dimensions
will be found at the LHC

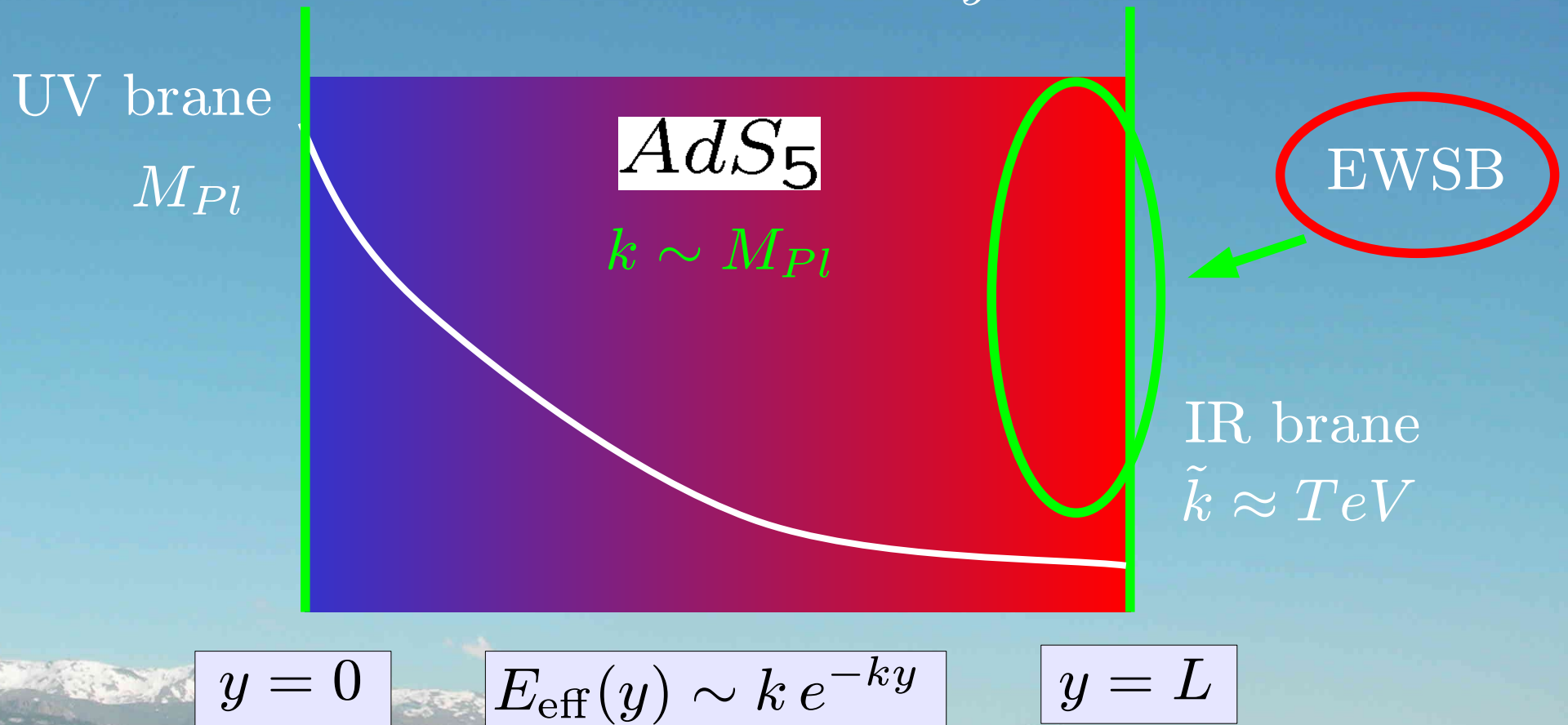


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Randall, Sundrum 99

$$ds^2 = e^{-2ky} dx^2 - dy^2$$



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- A slice of AdS_5 to solve the hierarchy problem
- But not only actual extra dimensional models
- AdS/CFT: models with WED are weakly coupled duals to strongly coupled CFT in 4D.

Maldacena 97

Gubser, Klebanov, Polyakov 98; Witten 98

Arkani-Hamed, Porrati, Randall 00; Rattazzi, Zaffaroni 00; Pérez-Victoria 01

- Many models of strong EWSB share the same features

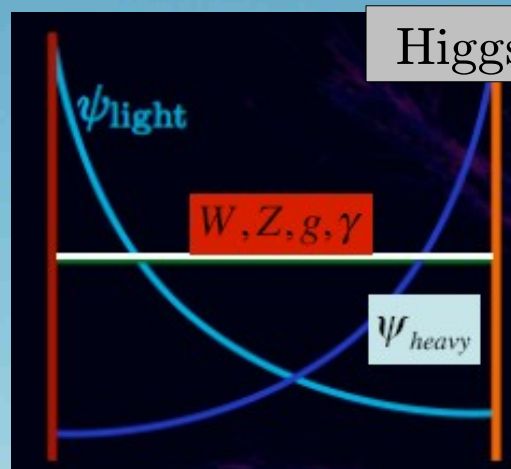
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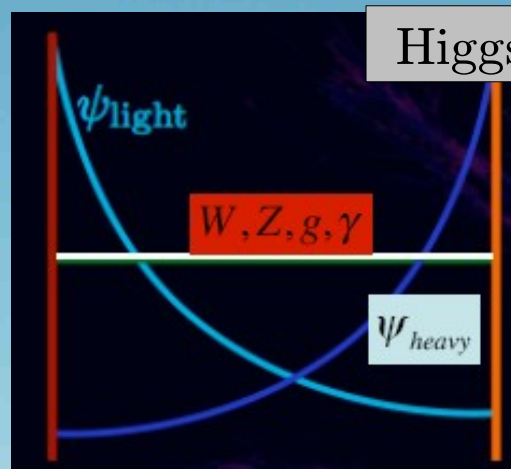
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- Not so easy to see at the LHC but in the end it will be worth the effort

Why not so easy?

- Many new particles with TeV-ish masses but
 - They are heavier than expected
 - They couple quite strongly to heavier SM particles (t, H, Z, W) but feebly to lighter SM particles



$$g_{t_R} \sim 5 g_{SM}$$

$$g_{W,Z,H} \sim 5 g_{SM}$$

$$g_{t_L, b_L} \sim g_{SM}$$

$$g_{q,l} \sim g_{SM}/5$$

EW Constraints on Warped Extra Dimensions

- Strong coupling to top and gauge bosons possible with custodial symmetry

$$SU(2)_L \rightarrow SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \times P_{LR}$$

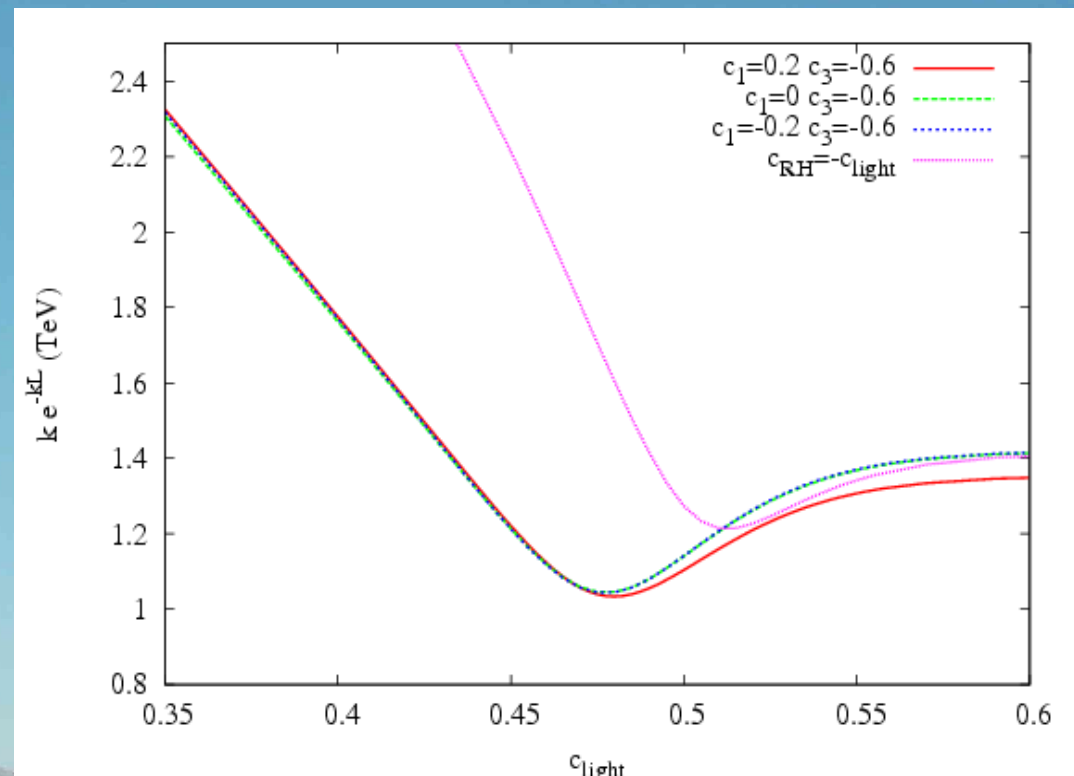
Agashe, Delgado, May,
Sundrum 99; Agashe, Contino,
Da Rold, Pomarol 06

- Detailed analysis of EW constraints

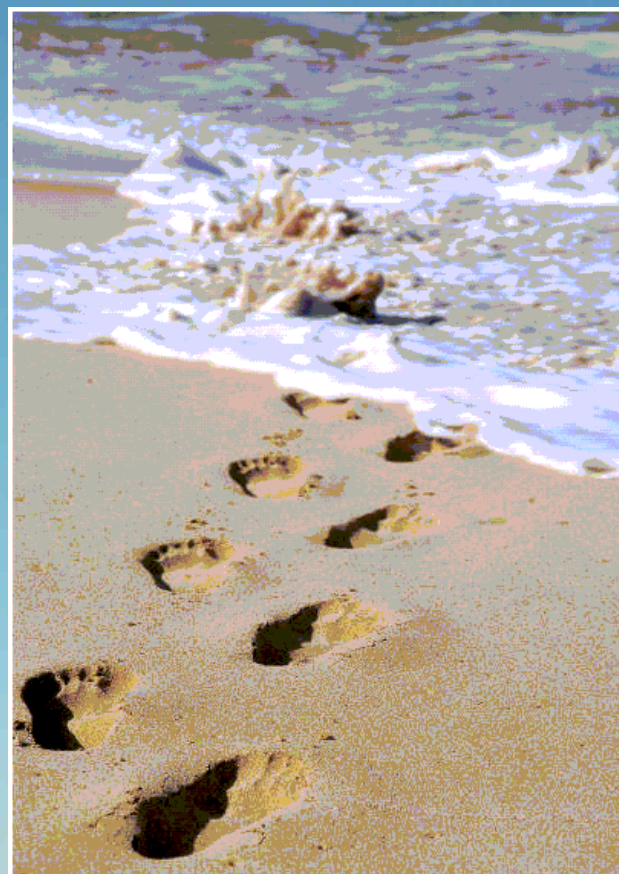
Carena, Pontón, Santiago,
Wagner NPB (06), PRD(07)

$$M_{\text{Gauge}} \gtrsim 2.5 - 3.5 \text{ TeV}$$

$$M_{\text{Fermions}} \gtrsim 300 \text{ GeV}$$

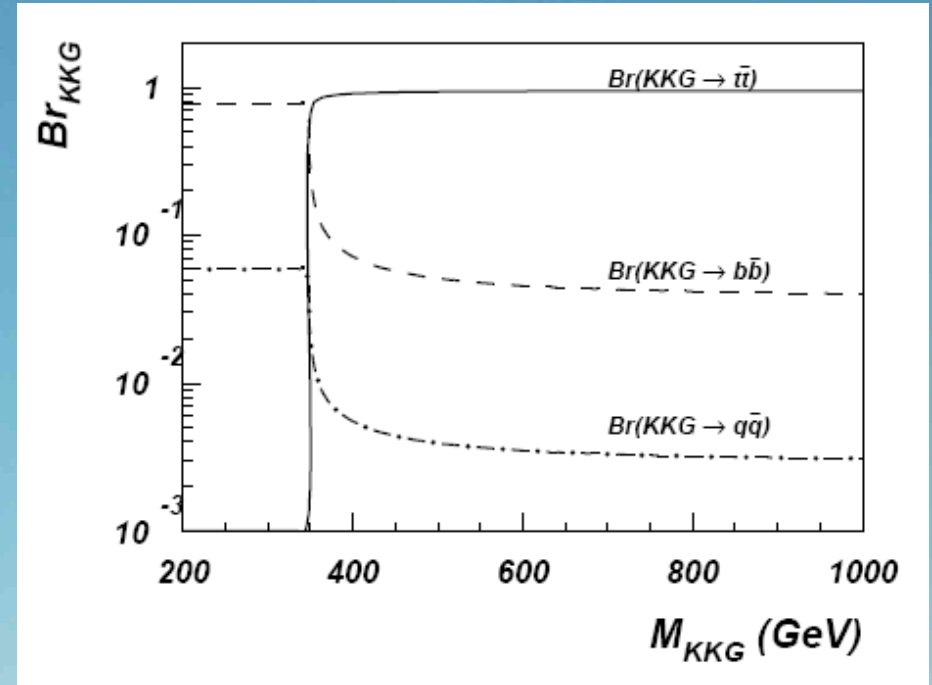
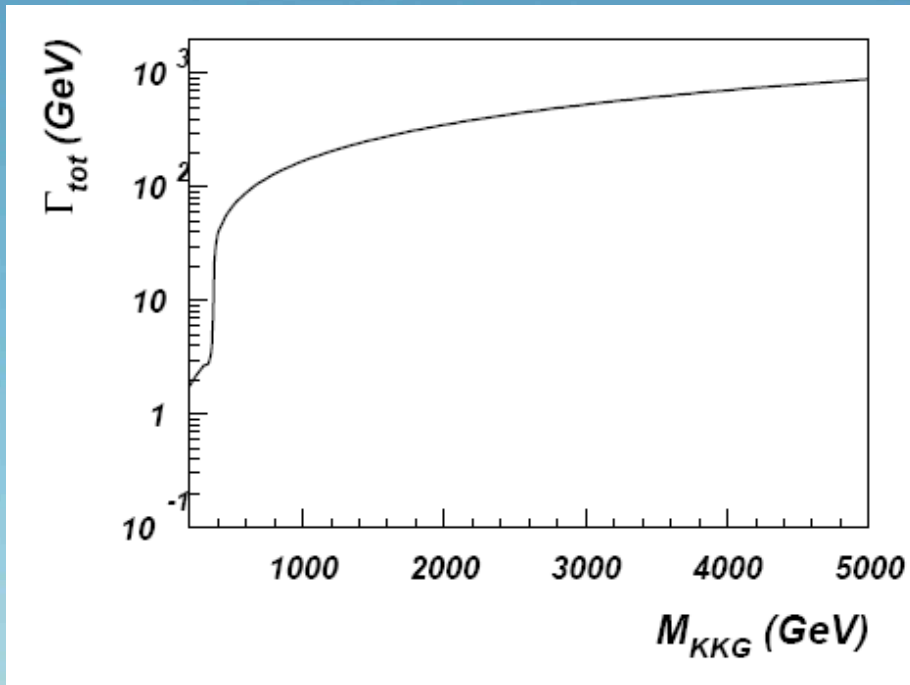


The footprint of warped extra dimensions/strong EWSB: New vector resonances



Vector bosons from WED (not your standard Z')

- Heavy, broad new vector bosons with reduced couplings to light SM particles and enhanced BR to tops and longitudinal gauge bosons



Taken from [Agashe, Belyaev, Krupovnickas, Perez, Virzi 07](#)

Vector bosons from WED (not your standard Z')

- Heavy, broad new vector bosons with reduced couplings to light SM particles and enhanced BR to tops and longitudinal gauge bosons
- Difficult at the LHC
 - Reduced cross section (small coupling to valence quarks)
 - Wide resonances
 - Can decay to new fermions
 - Reduced BR to tops
 - Even larger widths
 - Require large luminosity and full machinery for boosted objects (tops, Z and W)

Carena, Medina, Panes,
Shah, Wagner 08



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with 100 fb^{-1}

- G' $M \lesssim 4 - 4.5 \text{ TeV}$

Lillie, Randall, Wang 07;
Agashe, Belyaev, Krupovnickas,
Perez, Virzi 07; Rehermann,
Tweedie 10

- Z' $M \lesssim 2 \text{ TeV}$

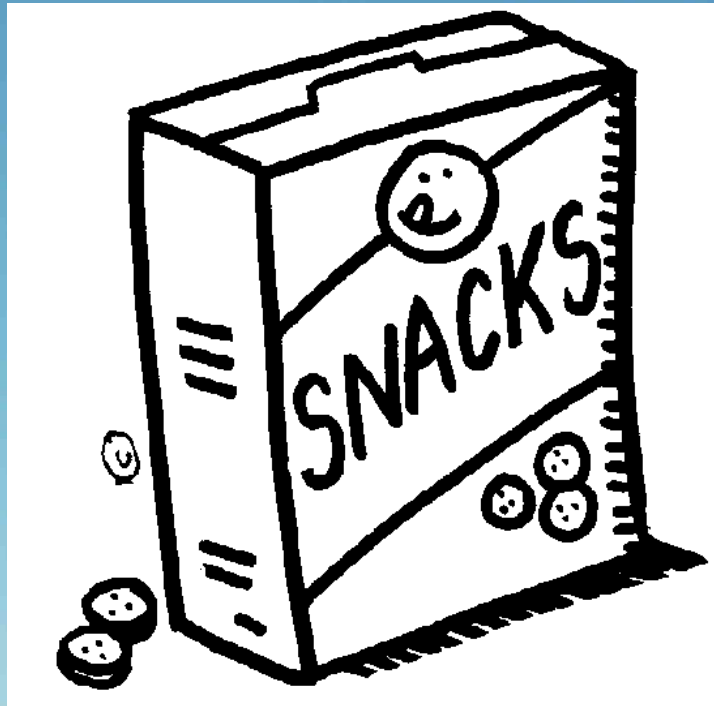
Agashe, Davoudiasl,
Gopalakrishna, Han, Huang,
Perez, Si, Soni 07

- W' $M \lesssim 2 - 3 \text{ TeV}$

Agashe, Gopalakrishna, Han,
Huang, Soni 09

OK, it's a long-distance race.

Do we get any snacks along the way?



New fermions from WED

- EW precision observables can be protected by a new structure: custodial symmetry
 - New fermions come in multiplets of a larger symmetry $SU(2)_L \rightarrow SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \times P_{LR}$
- These fermion custodians can be light and couple strongly to SM fermions
 - More natural for heavier SM fermions
 - Custodial symmetry protects some of their couplings: all SM fermions can have light custodians

New fermions from WED

Custodial Symmetry

Sikivie et al 80;
Agashe et al 03

$$\Delta T = 0 \text{ (tree level)}$$

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Partial Compositeness

Kaplan 91

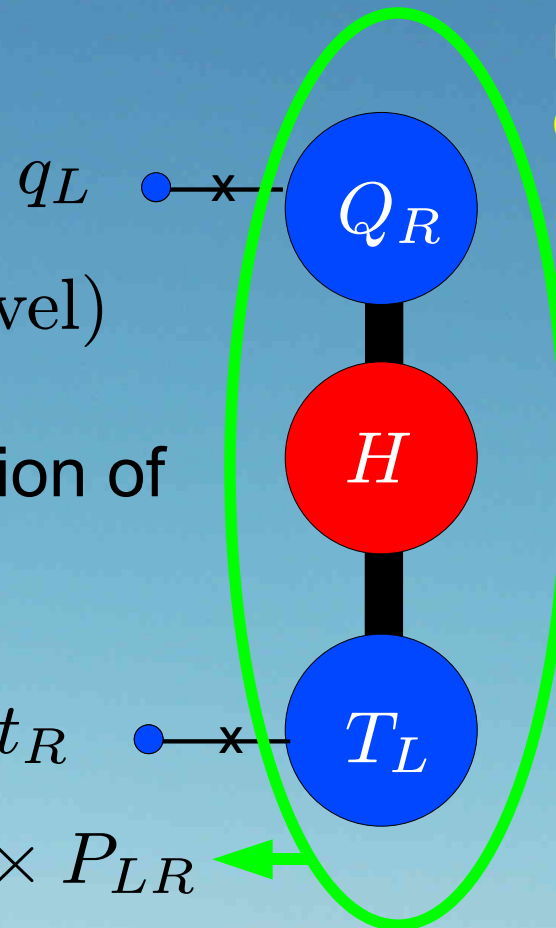
Contino, Kramer, Son, Sundrum 06

SM: elementary states
external to the strong
sector

Linear coupling: degree of
compositeness

FCNC suppressed by degree
of compositeness

Heavy fields more composite



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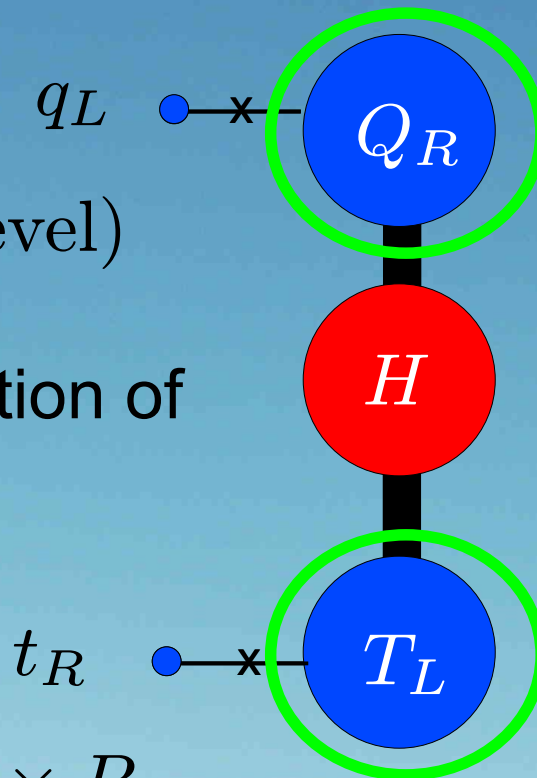
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Fermion Custodians

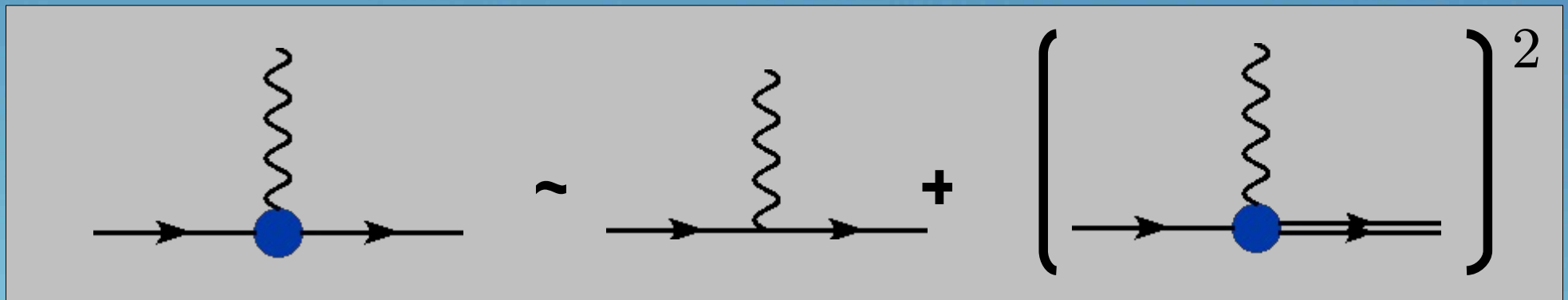
Fermion custodians:
partners under custodial
symmetry of composites
mixing with elementary
fields.

- Naturally light and strongly coupled for very composite fields

Custodial protection of couplings

- Custodians allowed even for light SM fermions

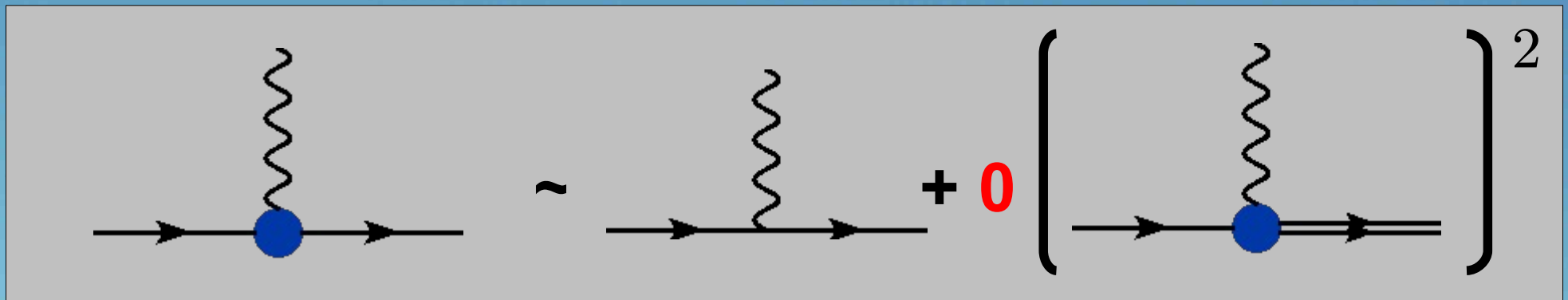
Generically



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With custodial protection



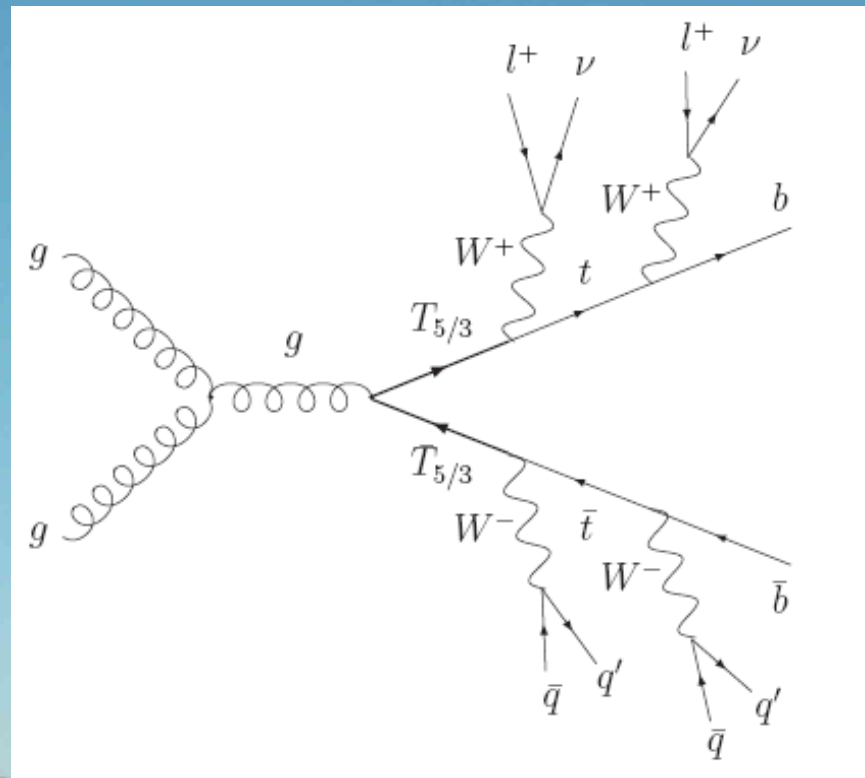
- Cancellations between different contributions enforced by the custodial symmetry

Top custodians

- New light vector-like quarks that decay to top and longitudinal vector bosons or Higgs

Carena, Pontón, Santiago, Wagner 06-07; Cacciapaglia, Csaki, Marandella, Terning 06; Contino, Da Rold, Pomarol 06

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Dennis, Karagoz, Servant, Tseng 07

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- Very early discovery (@ 14 TeV)

Aguilar-Saavedra 09

$$\mathcal{L} \sim 0.16 - 1.9 \text{ fb}^{-1} \quad (M = 500 \text{ GeV})$$

- Single production useful for heavier masses

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$$M \lesssim 1.5 \text{ TeV}$$

Tau custodians

- Can also happen for the tau lepton

Aguila, Carmona, Santiago JHEP(10)

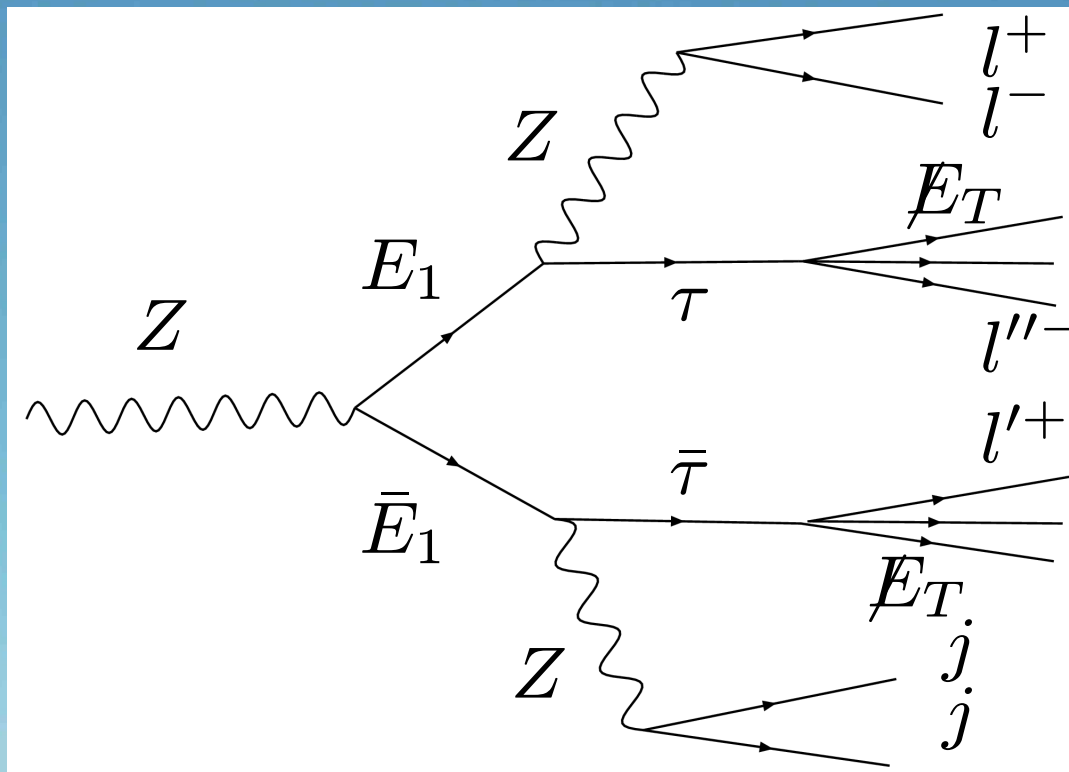
$$\begin{array}{l} \left(\begin{array}{c} N \\ E_1 \end{array} \right) \rightarrow W_L \tau \\ \left. \begin{array}{c} \left(\begin{array}{c} E_1 \\ E_2 \end{array} \right) \\ \left(\begin{array}{c} E_2 \\ Y \end{array} \right) \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow Z_L \tau, H \tau \\ \left(\begin{array}{c} E_2 \\ Y \end{array} \right) \rightarrow W_L \tau \end{array}$$

- Lepton mixing from A4 symmetry
 - LFV and lepton masses suppressed by A4 breaking
 - Tau is naturally more composite than expected from its mass
 - Tau custodians (light lepton resonances with strong coupling to the tau) natural in these models
 - Tau couplings protected, large mixing allowed.

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Aguila, Carmona, Santiago PLB (in press)



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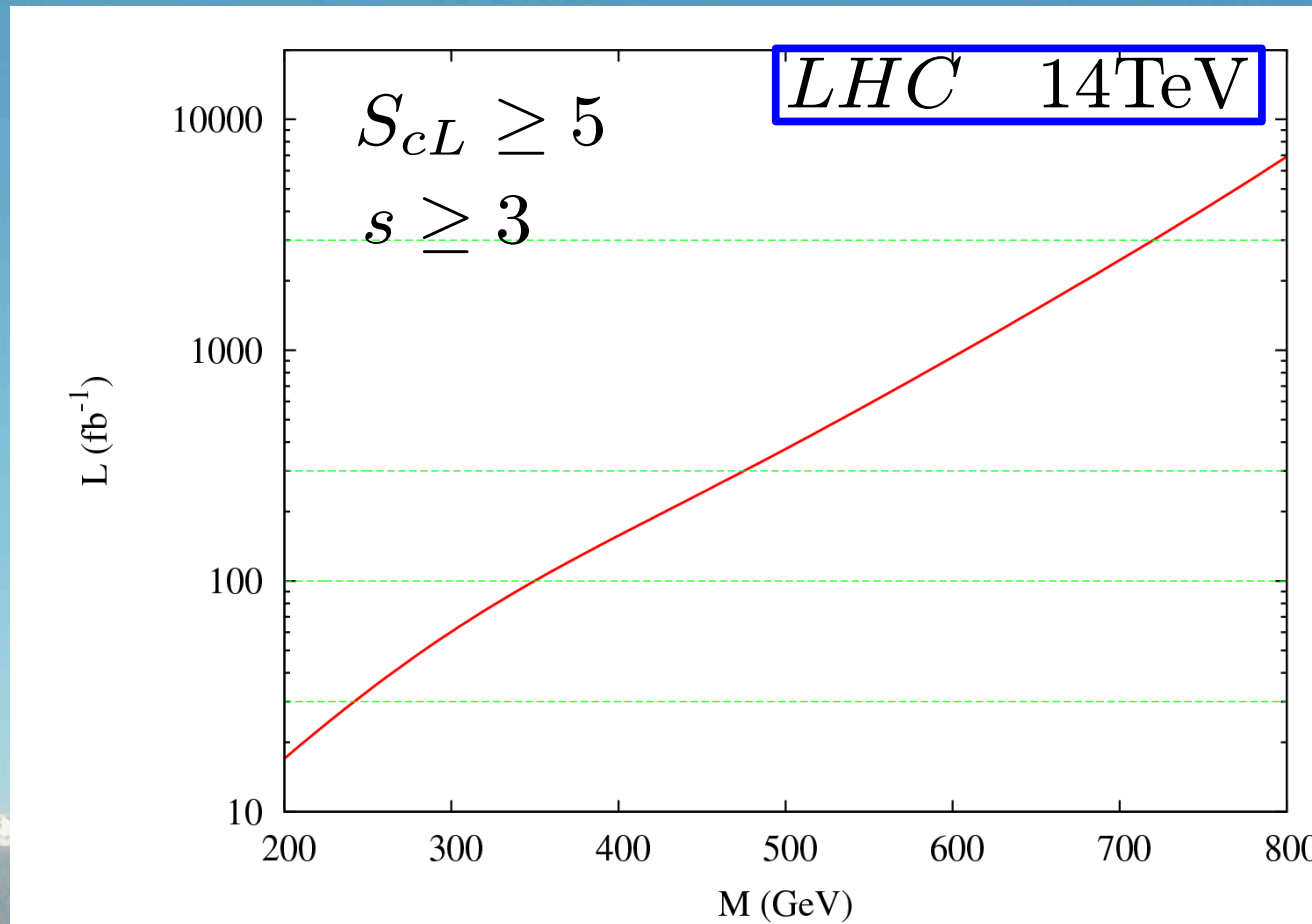
Assuming full collimation,
two leptonic taus can be
fully reconstructed

Tau custodians

- Discovery reach

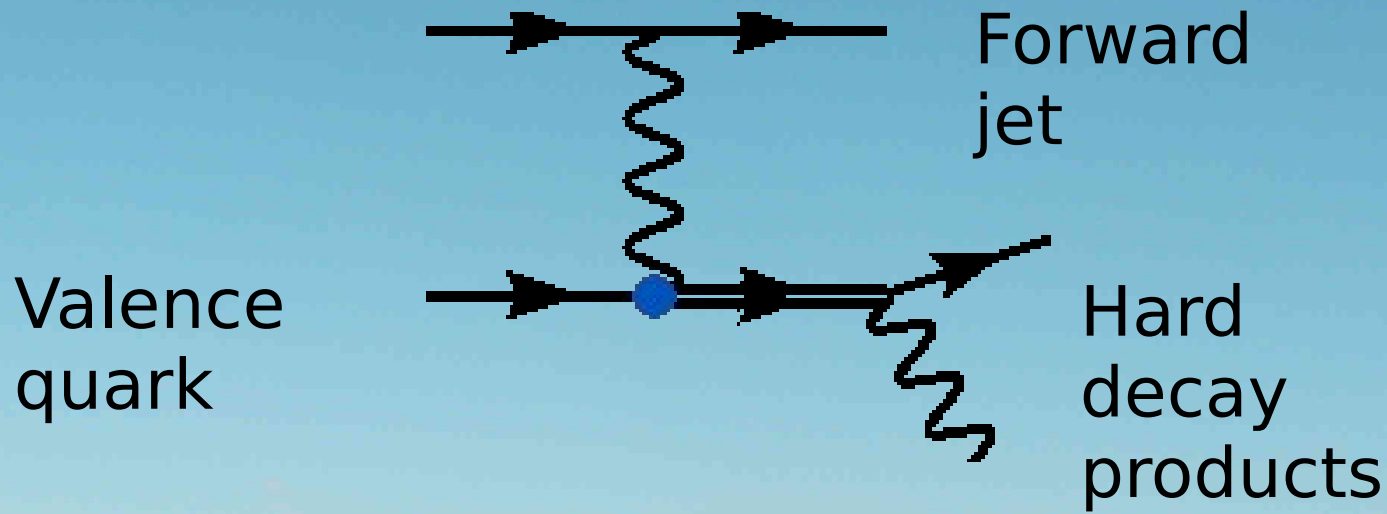
$$S_{cL} \equiv \sqrt{2 \left[(s + b) \ln \left(1 - \frac{s}{b} \right) - s \right]}$$

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Valence quark custodians

- New quarks with large couplings to u,d
- Single production Atre, Carena, Han, Santiago PRD(09)
 - Large coupling to valence quarks
 - Distinctive kinematics

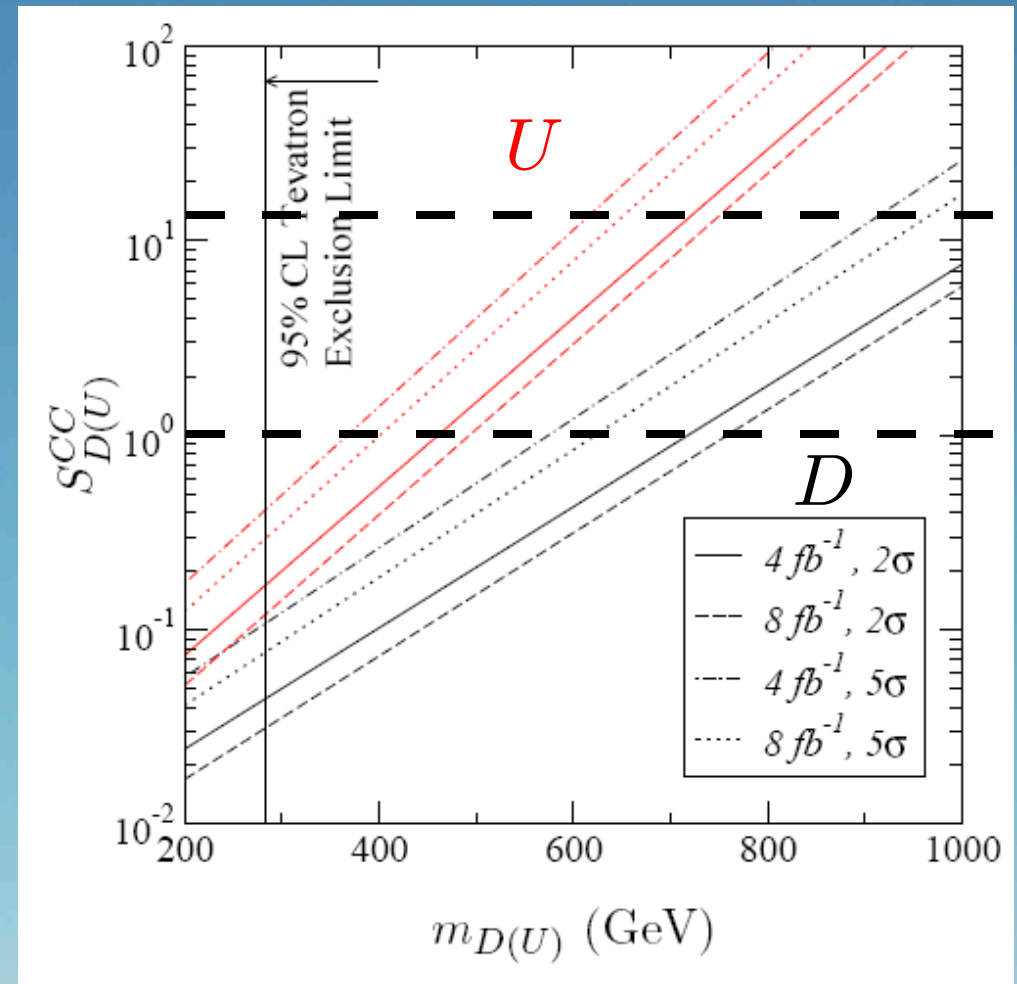


Valence quark custodians

- Tevatron analysis

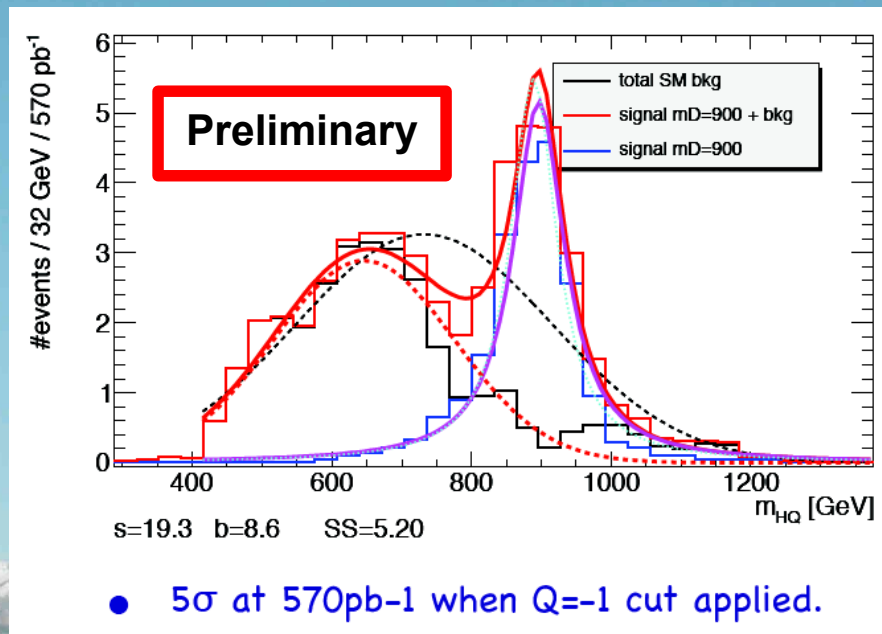
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- Close to TeV masses can be probed if coupling is strong enough



Valence quark custodians

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- Even the first run with 1 fb^{-1} at 7 TeV will improve the Tevatron result



(CC analysis)

$$m_D \sim 1 \text{ TeV at } 5 \sigma$$

$$m_D \sim 1.7 \text{ TeV at } 5 \sigma$$

$$(\lambda_{\text{max}} \approx 2.9)$$

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- Up to 3-4 TeV could be reached with 100 fb^{-1} at 14 TeV, depending on the model and parameters

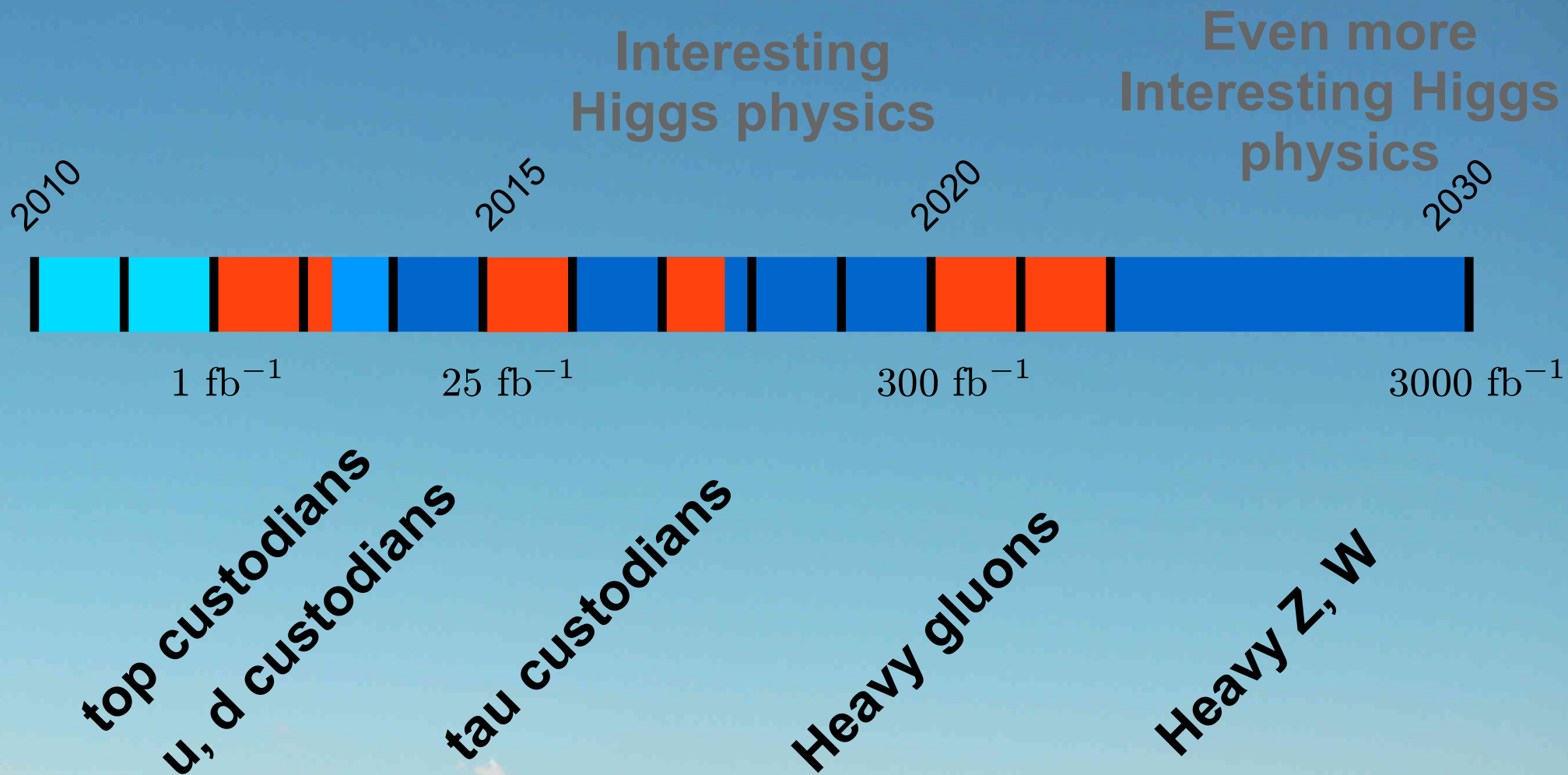


Other signatures

- KK gravitons: similar to KK Z
- Higgs physics:
 - Modified couplings: new fermions, composite Higgs
 - Radion/Higgs mixing
- Many more possibilities:
 - Discrete symmetry: dark matter+lighter resonances
 - Higgsless models $M \gtrsim 0.7 \text{ TeV}$ (give up flavour)
 - Little RS: weaker constraints, new LHC pheno
 - Soft-wall: deviations from AdS on the IR
 - Unhiggs: continuum with a mass gap

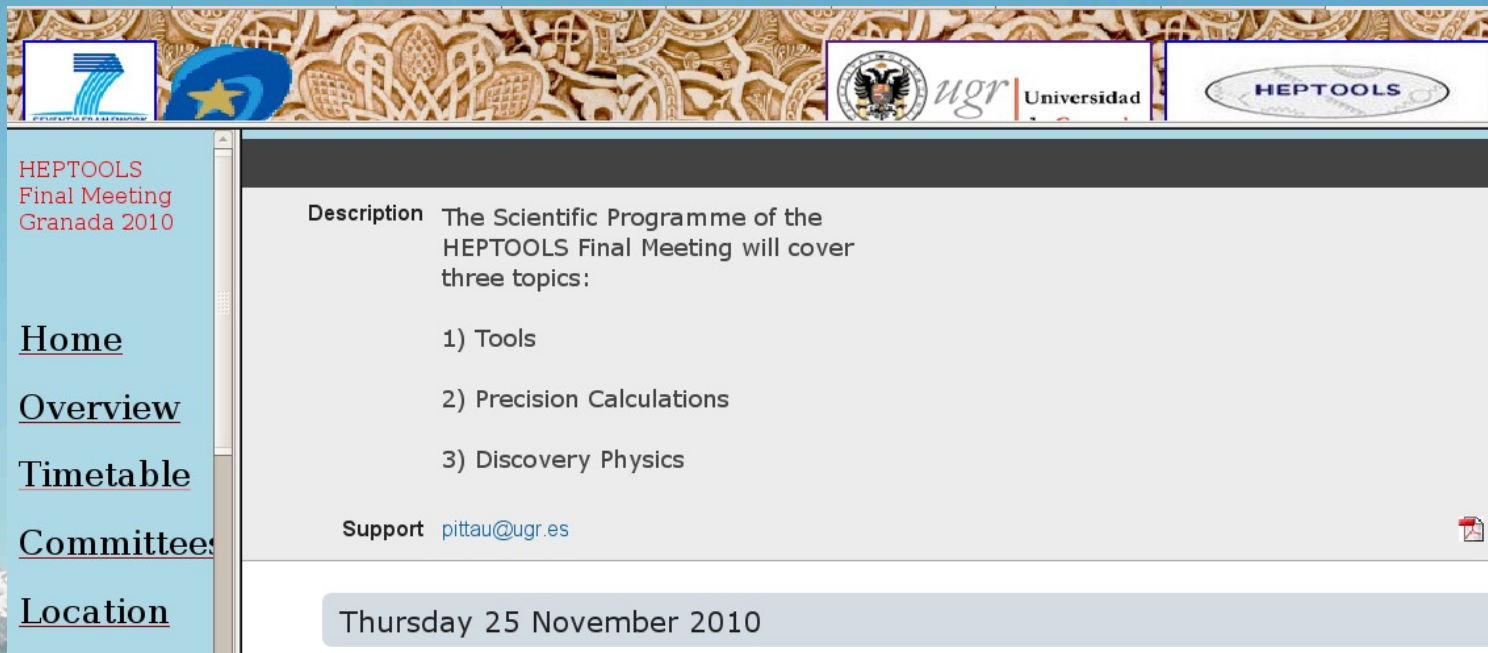
Warped Extra Dimensions at the LHC

LHC schedule taken from talks by M. Lamont (pLHC2010) and F. Zimmermann (KEK)



Warped Extra Dimensions at the LHC

- Discovering Warped Extra Dimensions will require ingenuity both from the experimental and theoretical community
 - Development of new tools and techniques
 - Good knowledge of backgrounds (tails important)



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