

# Multiscalar Final States in the TRSM

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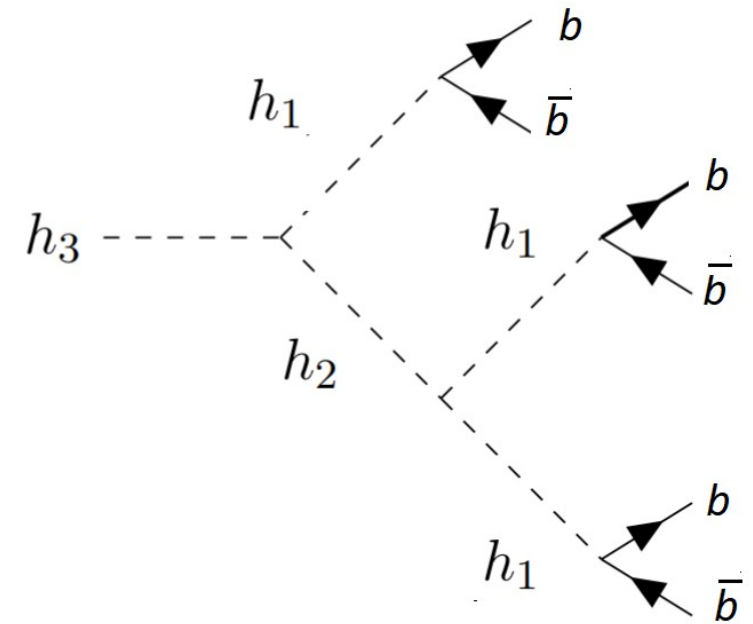
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# Benchmark Scenario of Study BP3

Here we focus in the **BP3 Scenario** introduced in 1908.08554 which allows for a large  $h_1 h_1 h_1$  production while obeying current theoretical and experimental constraints.

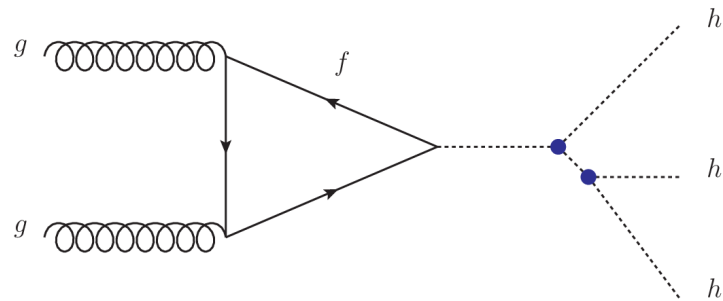
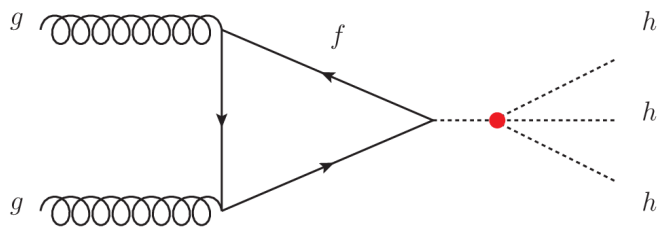
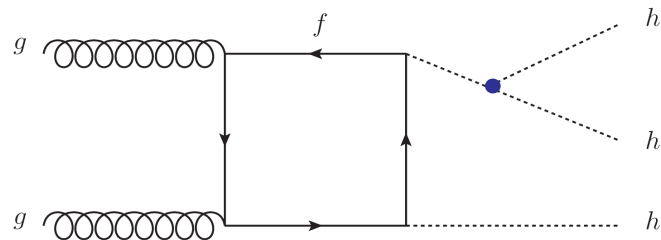
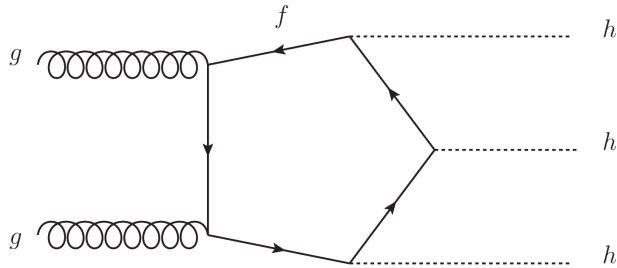
Parameter	Value
$M_1$	125.09 GeV
$M_2$	[125, 500] GeV
$M_3$	[255, 650] GeV
$\theta_{hS}$	-0.129
$\theta_{hX}$	0.226
$\theta_{SX}$	-0.899
$v_S$	140 GeV
$v_X$	100 GeV



We consider the mass hierarchy  $M_1 < M_2 < M_3$

# Triple Higgs production

$$g g \longrightarrow h h h$$



In the HL-LHC  
as in the SM  
(pp @ 14 TeV)

$$\sigma = 0.05 \text{ fb}$$

$\sim O(100)$  events  
*Hopeless!*

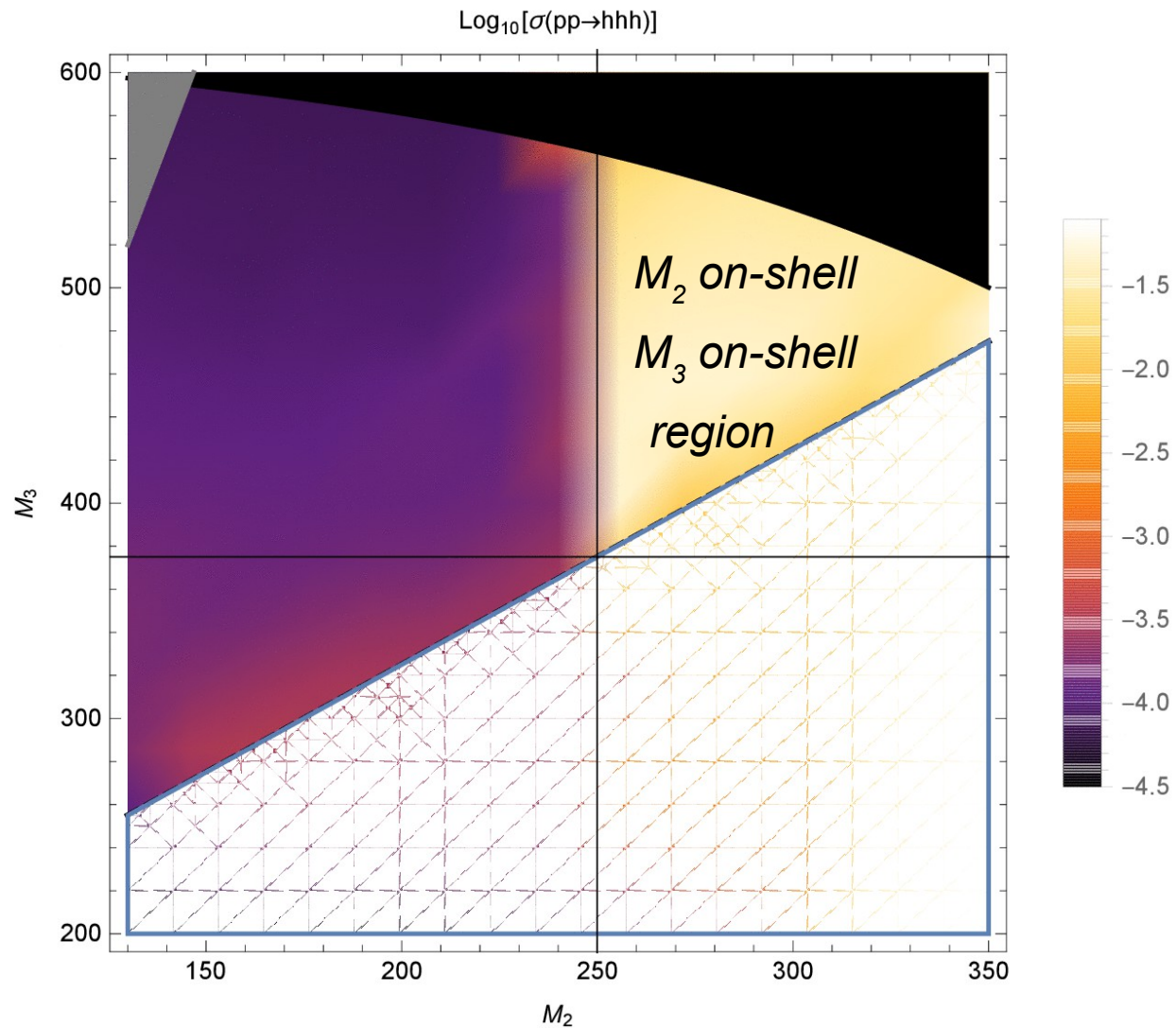
de Florian, Fabre,  
Mazzitelli: 1912.02760

Within the TRSM it is possible to reach up to  $\sigma = 50 \text{ fb}$

# Details on the study of the 6b final state

- Parton level events (signal/background) generated with [MadGraph5\\_aMC@NLO](#).
- The **main source of background is QCD-6b-Jets**.
- The **production of the 6b-final state is challenging**, it was generated in the [Siegen computer cluster](#) using the gridpack option available in [MadGraph5\\_aMC@NLO](#).
- Parton shower and non-perturbative effects included with [Herwig 7](#).
- The [analysis was performed using the Herwig package HwSim](#).  
[*Papaefsathiou*, <https://bitbucket.org/andreasp/hwsim>]

# Production cross section



*The X-Section can reach up to 50 fb for  $M_2 \sim (263, 280)$  GeV  
and  $M_3 \sim 450$  GeV*

# Cross sections per Benchmark point

Label	$(M_2, M_3)$ [GeV]	$\sigma(pp \rightarrow h_1 h_1 h_1)$ [fb]	$\sigma(pp \rightarrow 3b\bar{b})$ [fb]
A	(255, 504)	32.40	6.40
B	(263, 455)	50.36	9.95
C	(287, 502)	39.61	7.82
D	(290, 454)	49.00	9.68
E	(320, 503)	35.88	7.09
F	(264, 504)	37.67	7.44
G	(280, 455)	51.00	10.07
H	(300, 475)	43.92	8.68
I	(310, 500)	37.90	7.49
J	(280, 500)	40.26	7.95

*For a QCD 6 b-quarks induced final state  
the SM background amounts to*

$$\sigma = 6.38 \text{ pb}$$



# Selection Analysis

- Require 6 b-tagged jets
- Construct all the possible combinations of 3-pairs of b-jets:  $J$   
Do something analogous for all the combinations of 2-pairs:  $I$
- For each combinations  $I$  and  $J$  calculate the observables

$$\chi^{2,(4)} = \sum_{qr \in I} (M_{qr} - m_h)^2$$

$$\chi^{2,(6)} = \sum_{qr \in J} (M_{qr} - m_h)^2$$

- Our best candidates to Higgs bosons are defined in terms of the pairings that minimize

$$S = \chi_{min}^{2,(4)} + \chi_{min}^{2,(6)}$$

# Results

Label	$(M_2, M_3)$ [GeV]	$\epsilon_{\text{Sig.}}$	$S _{300\text{fb}^{-1}}$	$\epsilon_{\text{Bkg.}}$	$B _{300\text{fb}^{-1}}$	$\text{sig} _{300\text{fb}^{-1}}$	$\text{sig} _{3000\text{fb}^{-1}}$
<b>A</b>	(255, 504)	0.025	14.12	$8.50 \times 10^{-4}$	19.16	2.92	9.23
<b>B</b>	(263, 455)	0.019	17.03	$3.60 \times 10^{-5}$	8.11	4.78	15.11
<b>C</b>	(287, 502)	0.030	20.71	$9.13 \times 10^{-5}$	20.60	4.01	12.68
<b>D</b>	(290, 454)	0.044	37.32	$1.96 \times 10^{-4}$	44.19	5.02	15.86
<b>E</b>	(320, 503)	0.051	32.54	$2.73 \times 10^{-4}$	61.55	3.76	11.88
<b>F</b>	(264, 504)	0.028	18.18	$9.13 \times 10^{-5}$	20.60	3.56	11.27
<b>G</b>	(280, 455)	0.044	38.70	$1.96 \times 10^{-4}$	44.19	5.18	16.39
<b>H</b>	(300, 475)	0.054	41.27	$2.95 \times 10^{-4}$	66.46	4.64	14.68
<b>I</b>	(310, 500)	0.063	41.42	$3.97 \times 10^{-4}$	89.59	4.09	12.94
<b>J</b>	(280, 500)	0.029	20.67	$9.14 \times 10^{-5}$	20.60	4.00	12.65

Analyses performed for different points in the  
 $M_2$ - $M_3$  (*on-shell, on-shell*) region

# Closing Remarks

- The *TRSM* extends the SM with two scalar singlets and imposes two discrete symmetries to reduce the parameter space.
- The *TRSM* leads to interesting phenomenological predictions which can be tested at the HL-LHC including enhancements in *Triple Higgs production*.
- *Triple Higgs production  $h_1 h_1 h_1$*  as in the SM cannot be probed at the LHC due to its tiny cross section.
- The *6b jet final state* is a good candidate to look for the *TRSM (BP3)* through triple Higgs production in the HL-LHC.

THANK YOU!