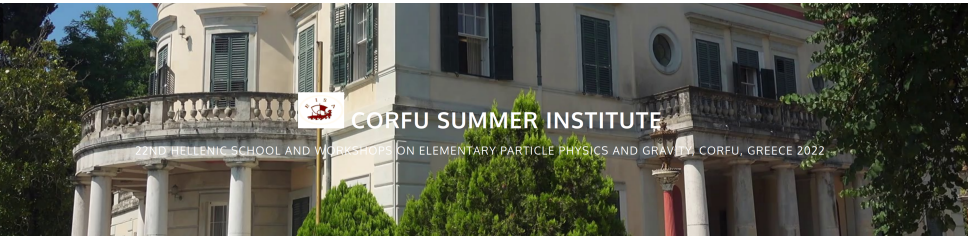


Higgs Properties and Supersymmetry

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10th anniversary of the Higgs boson



Discovery of a new scalar announced on July 4th, 2012!

Confirmation for a Higgs boson on March 14th, 2013:

“New results indicate that particle discovered at CERN is a Higgs boson”
– Rolf Heuer

The Higgs boson discovery → a vast program of studies of its properties as new tests of the SM and of models of NP!

In the **Standard Model**:

Higgs mass = free parameter related to the Higgs potential parameters:

$$M_H = \sqrt{-2\mu^2} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{2}\lambda v^2}$$

M_H measured \Rightarrow all parameters of the Higgs theory fixed

Yukawa couplings determined by the measurement of all the fermion masses

In **extended Higgs scenarios**:

The Higgs couplings and its decay branching fractions can be shifted!

Precision study of the mass and the production and decay rates:

- essential for establishing the mechanism of ESB and mass generation
- exploring the contributions of new physics models to the Higgs sector
→ setting constraints on their parameter spaces

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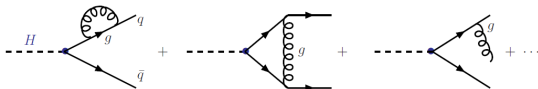
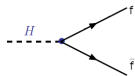
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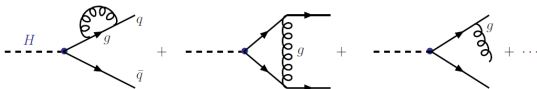
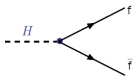
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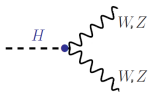


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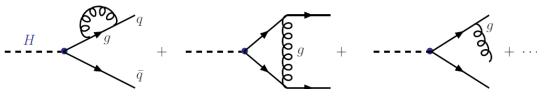
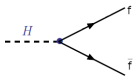


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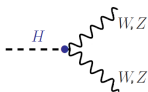


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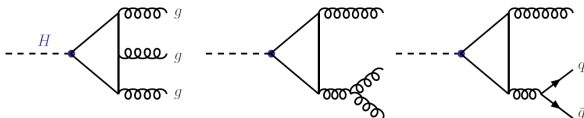
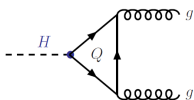
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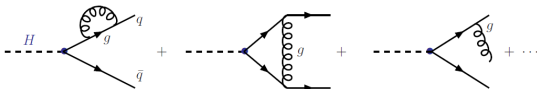
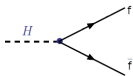


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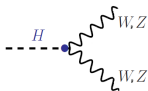


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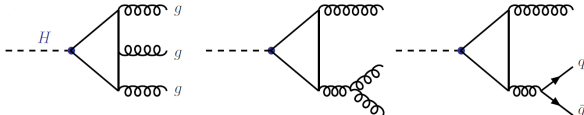
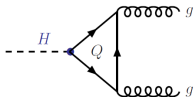
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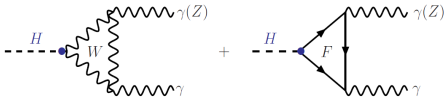
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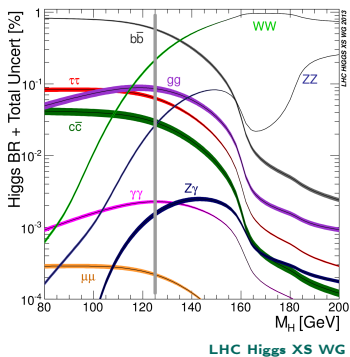


- Higgs to $\gamma\gamma$



- Higgs to $Z\gamma$

Higgs decay branching fractions:

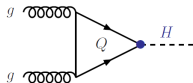


Mode	BR
$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	57.8%
$H \rightarrow WW^*$	21.6%
$H \rightarrow gg$	8.6%
$H \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$	6.4%
$H \rightarrow c\bar{c}$	2.9%
$H \rightarrow ZZ^*$	2.7%
$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$	0.2%

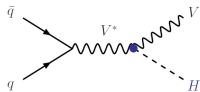
$H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ main channel for $M_H \sim 125$ GeV

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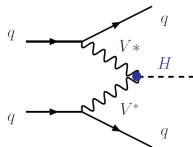
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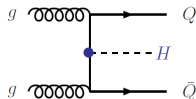
- associated production with Z or W :



- vector boson fusion:

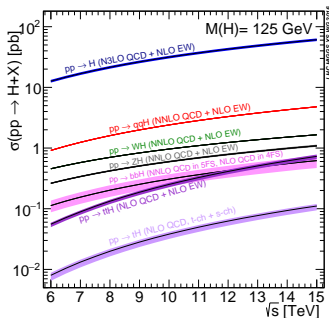
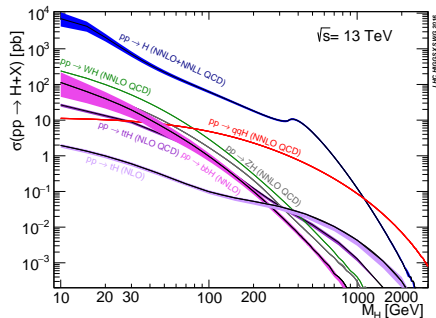


- associated production with heavy quarks:



- (double Higgs production)

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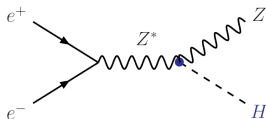


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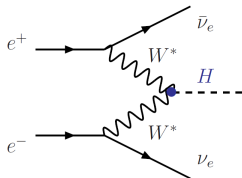
→ Uncertainties represented by the line widths

Main channels at e^+e^- colliders

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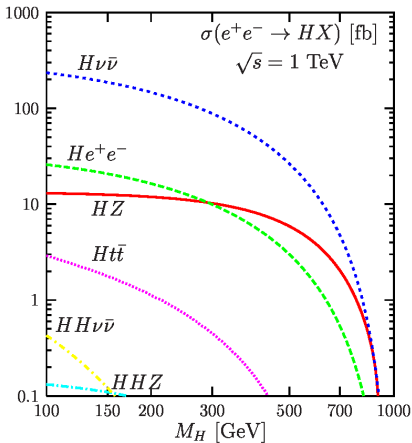
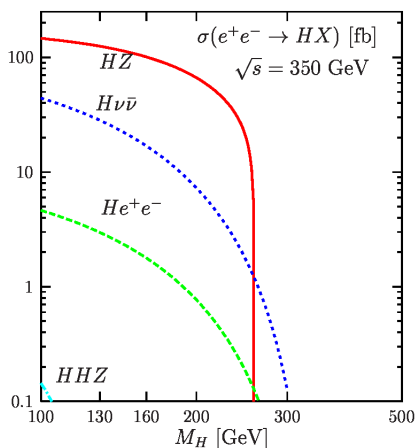
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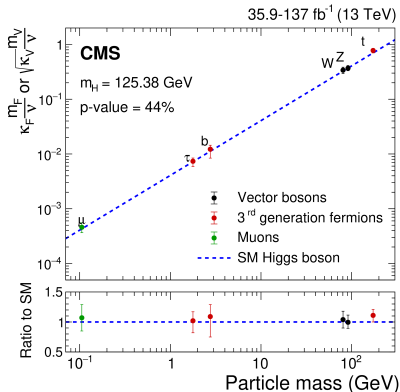
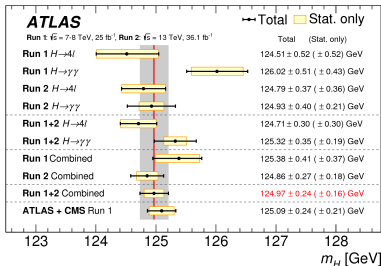
Other channels:

- ZZ fusion: $e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-(Z^*Z^*) \rightarrow e^+e^-H$
- radiation of heavy fermions: $e^+e^- \rightarrow (\gamma^*, Z^*) \rightarrow f\bar{f}H$
- double Higgs production: $e^+e^- \rightarrow ZHH, \ell\ell HH$

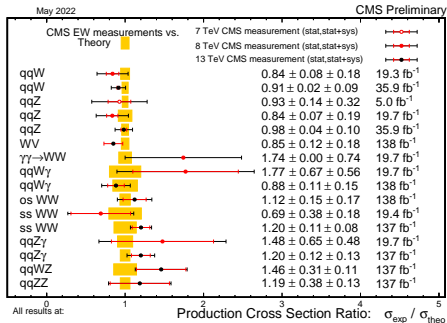
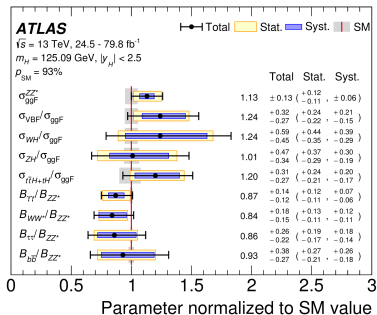
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Higgs mass



Cross sections and partial decay widths



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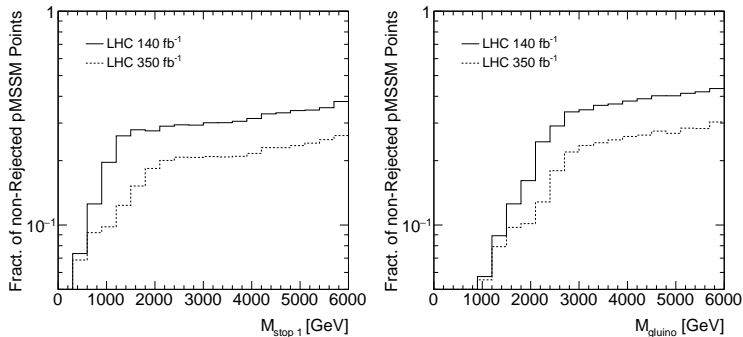
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Fraction of accepted pMSSM points not excluded at 95% C.L. by the present jet/ ℓ +MET searches and the expected sensitivity of Run 3:



gluinos as light as 1 TeV or stops as light as 500 GeV can still escape the direct searches

- At leading order:

$$M_h^2 = M_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta \left[1 - \frac{M_Z^2}{M_A^2} \sin^2 2\beta \right]$$

- Large one-loop correction from top/stop loops:

$$(\Delta M_h^2)_{\tilde{t}} \approx \frac{3\sqrt{2}G_F}{2\pi^2} m_t^4 \left[-\log\left(\frac{m_t^2}{M_S^2}\right) + \frac{X_t^2}{M_S^2} \left(1 - \frac{X_t^2}{12M_S^2}\right) \right]$$

with $X_t = A_t - \mu/\tan\beta$ and $M_S = \sqrt{m_{\tilde{t}_1} m_{\tilde{t}_2}}$

The maximal value can be reached for $X_t = \sqrt{6}M_S$ (maximal mixing)

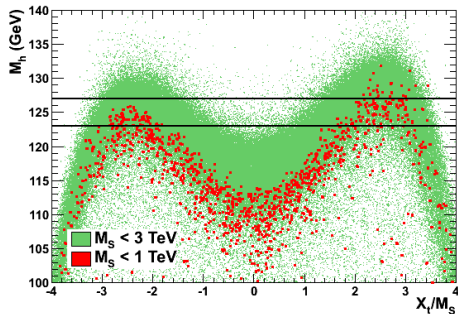
- Contributions from sbottoms and staus in the large $\tan\beta$ limit

$$(\Delta M_h^2)_{\tilde{f}} \approx -\frac{N_c^{\tilde{f}}}{\sqrt{2}G_F} \frac{y_f^4}{96\pi^2} \frac{\mu^4}{m_{\tilde{f}}^4}$$

where $N_c^{\tilde{b}} = 3$, $N_c^{\tilde{\tau}} = 1$, $m_{\tilde{f}}^2 = m_{\tilde{f}_1} m_{\tilde{f}_2}$

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- Important parameters for MSSM Higgs mass:
 - $\tan \beta$ and M_A
 - the SUSY breaking scale $M_S = \sqrt{m_{\tilde{t}_1} m_{\tilde{t}_2}}$
 - the mixing parameter in the stop sector $X_t = A_t - \mu \cot \beta$
- M_h^{max} is obtained for:
 - a decoupling regime with a heavy pseudoscalar Higgs boson, $M_A \sim \mathcal{O}(\text{TeV})$
 - large $\tan \beta$, *i.e.* $\tan \beta \gtrsim 10$
 - heavy stops, *i.e.* large M_S
 - maximal mixing scenario, *i.e.* $X_t = \sqrt{6}M_S$
- In contrast, much smaller M_h^{max} values for the no-mixing scenario, *i.e.* $X_t \approx 0$



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$M_h \sim 125$ GeV is easily satisfied in pMSSM

No mixing cases ($X_t \approx 0$) excluded for small M_S

Tree-level couplings, normalized to SM (in the decoupling limit when $M_A \gg M_Z$):

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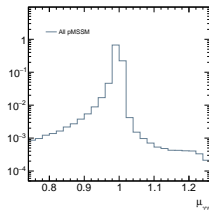
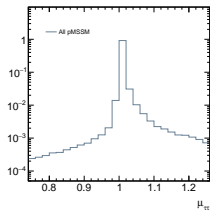
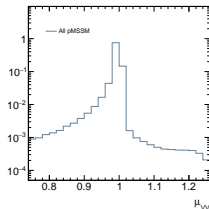
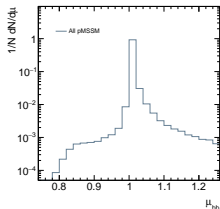
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Distributions of h decay branching fractions normalised to their SM prediction:

$$\mu_{XX} \equiv \frac{\sigma(pp \rightarrow h) \text{BR}(h \rightarrow XX)}{\sigma(pp \rightarrow h)_{\text{SM}} \text{BR}(h \rightarrow XX)_{\text{SM}}}$$



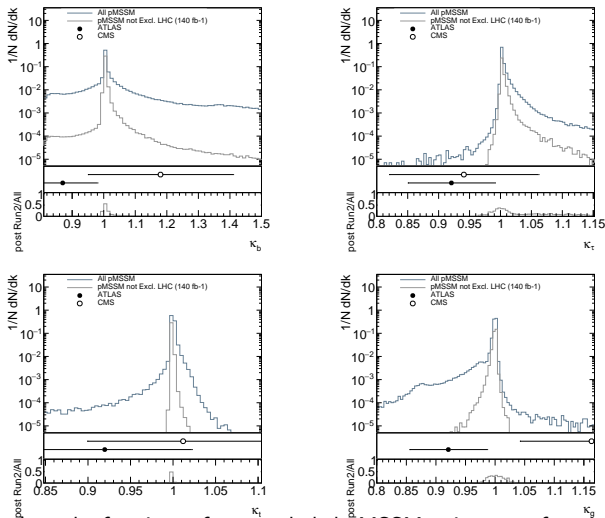
Best fit values for the Higgs **coupling modifiers** $\kappa_X = g_{hXX}^{\text{MSSM}} / g_{hXX}^{\text{SM}}$ from the combination of the **ATLAS** measurements, and projections for different stages of the LHC, and for the ILC and FCC-ee colliders:

Coupling modifier	ATLAS 13 TeV up to 140 fb ⁻¹	ATLAS 14 TeV 3 ab ⁻¹ †	ILC 250 GeV 2 ab ⁻¹	ILC 1 TeV 8 ab ⁻¹	FCC-ee 365 GeV 1.5 ab ⁻¹
κ_W	1.05 ± 0.09	±0.022	±0.0180	±0.0024	±0.0043
κ_Z	1.11 ± 0.08	±0.018	±0.0029	±0.0022	±0.0017
κ_t	1.03 ^{+0.15} _{-0.14}	+0.043 -0.040	—	±0.016	—
κ_b	1.09 ^{+0.19} _{-0.17}	+0.044 -0.028	±0.0180	±0.0048	±0.067
κ_τ	1.05 ^{+0.16} _{-0.15}	+0.028 -0.027	±0.0190	±0.0057	±0.0073
κ_g	1.05 ± 0.09	+0.032 -0.030	±0.0230	±0.0066	±0.0100
κ_γ	0.99 ^{+0.11} _{-0.10}	+0.028 -0.023	±0.0670	±0.019	±0.0390

Current determination with precisions of the order of 10%, uncertainties will decrease by a factor 10 in the future.

Higgs boson coupling modifiers

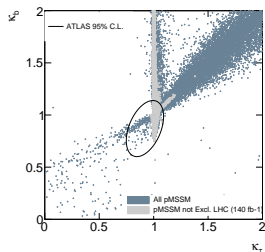
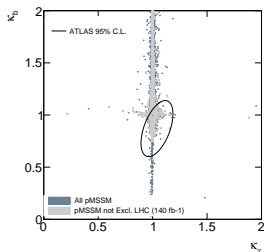
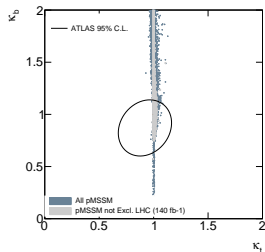
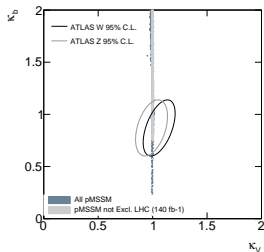
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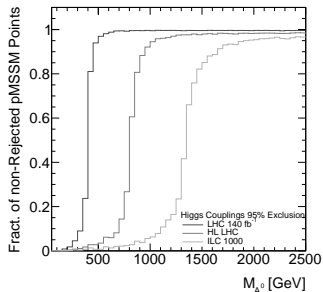
The lower panels show the fractions of non-excluded pMSSM points as a function κ_χ

Higgs boson coupling modifiers

Correlations of h coupling modifiers comparing the valid pMSSM points, those not excluded by the LHC Run 2 searches and the 95% C.L. contours of the current measurements by the ATLAS experiment:



Fraction of accepted pMSSM points not excluded at the 95% of C.L. by the Higgs couplings as a function of the M_{A^0} mass:



dark grey: present Run 2 ATLAS results

medium grey: expected HL-LHC

light grey: ILC-1000 accuracies

Invisible Higgs decay is related to dark matter when neutralino 1 mass below $M_h/2$

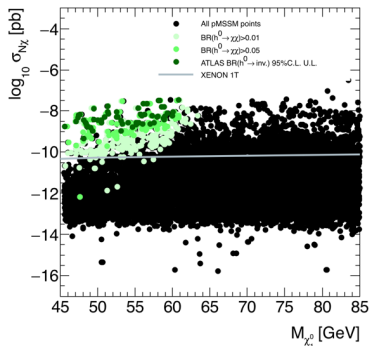
Decay width:

$$\Gamma(h \rightarrow \chi_1^0 \chi_1^0) = \frac{G_F M_W^2 M_h}{2\sqrt{2}\pi} g_{h\chi_1^0\chi_1^0}^2 \beta_\chi^3 \quad \text{where } \beta_\chi = (1 - 4m_\chi^2/M_h^2)^{1/2}$$

Light bino-like neutralinos can easily escape the LHC constraints

ATLAS limit on invisible decays: $\text{BR}(h \rightarrow \text{inv}) < 0.11$ (ATLAS-CONF-2020-008)

Spin-independent χ_1^0 -nucleon scattering cross section driven by same coupling $g_{h\chi_1^0\chi_1^0}$



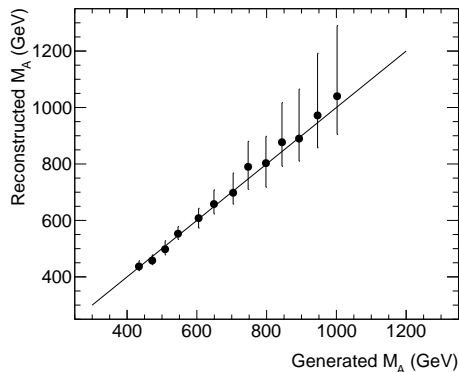
Black dots: all pMSSM points

Coloured dots: points with sizeable invisible BR

Dark green dots: points excluded by LHC Higgs invisible decay limit

Grey line: XENON1T upper bound

Reconstruction of M_A at ILC 1 TeV from Higgs decay measurements



M_A (GeV)	$\tan \beta$	μ	$M_{\chi_1^0}$
434.4	5.58	-549.3	562.1
472.4	6.62	1993.7	314.8
509.8	5.48	-181.9	184.7
546.9	5.55	-50.5	49.9
605.7	6.31	369.1	380.1
649.5	3.15	1722.6	108.3
704.4	5.24	480.5	170.6
747.0	4.51	-3596.1	1072.0
798.4	5.75	-3301.7	1329.4
844.3	9.11	-1679.5	1695.1
893.2	7.14	-367.9	379.5
946.9	7.65	-4268.0	363.5
1001.9	5.39	715.9	732.0

ILC will be mainly sensitive to M_A and $\tan \beta$
because of the suppression of the Δ_b corrections

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Extra slides

The most general CP/R parity-conserving MSSM, assuming Minimal Flavour Violation at the TeV scale and suppressed FCNC's at tree level, with 19 free parameters:

10 sfermion masses, 3 gaugino masses, 3 trilinear couplings, 3 Higgs/Higgsino parameters

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Flat scans over the pMSSM 19 parameters

Parameter	Range (in GeV)
M_A	[50, 6000]
M_1	[-6000, 6000]
M_2	[-6000, 6000]
M_3	[50, 6000]
$A_d = A_s = A_b$	[-15000, 15000]
$A_u = A_c = A_t$	[-15000, 15000]
$A_e = A_\mu = A_\tau$	[-15000, 15000]
μ	[-6000, 6000]
$M_{\tilde{e}_L} = M_{\tilde{\mu}_L}$	[0, 6000]
$M_{\tilde{e}_R} = M_{\tilde{\mu}_R}$	[0, 6000]
$M_{\tilde{\tau}_L}$	[0, 6000]
$M_{\tilde{\tau}_R}$	[0, 6000]
$M_{\tilde{q}_{1L}} = M_{\tilde{q}_{2L}}$	[0, 6000]
$M_{\tilde{q}_{3L}}$	[0, 6000]
$M_{\tilde{u}_R} = M_{\tilde{c}_R}$	[0, 6000]
$M_{\tilde{t}_R}$	[0, 6000]
$M_{\tilde{d}_R} = M_{\tilde{s}_R}$	[0, 6000]
$M_{\tilde{b}_R}$	[0, 6000]
$\tan \beta$	[1, 60]

- Calculation of masses, mixings and couplings (SoftSusy)
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- Implementation of ATLAS and/or CMS SUSY and monoX search results
- Determination of detectability with fast detector simulation (Delphes)

We assume that the neutralino is the lightest SUSY particle and the light Higgs mass is between 123 and 127 GeV.