

Phenomenology of the Weinberg 3HDM potential

CP violation

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S. Weinberg, 1976 (Notation of Ivanov and Nishi):

3 SU(2) doublets:

$Z_2 \times Z_2$ symmetry

$$V = V_2 + V_4, \quad \text{with} \quad V_4 = V_0 + V_{\text{ph}},$$

$$V_2 = -[m_{11}(\phi_1^\dagger\phi_1) + m_{22}(\phi_2^\dagger\phi_2) + m_{33}(\phi_3^\dagger\phi_3)],$$

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$$V_{\text{ph}} = \lambda_1(\phi_2^\dagger\phi_3)^2 + \lambda_2(\phi_3^\dagger\phi_1)^2 + \lambda_3(\phi_1^\dagger\phi_2)^2 + \text{h.c.}$$

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Observation:

Disregarding the phase-dependent part: $Z_2 \times Z_2$ symmetry

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the potential has two U(1) symmetries
(will return to this point)

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There are different ways of solving the minimization equations:

Solution 1 (CPC):

$$v_i = 0, \quad v_j = 0, \quad m_{kk} = \lambda_{kk} v_k^2.$$

Solution 2 (CPV):

$$v_i = 0, \quad \lambda_i = 0, \\ m_{jj} = \frac{1}{2} v_k^2 (\lambda'_{jk} + \lambda_{jk}) + \lambda_{jj} v_j^2, \quad m_{kk} = \frac{1}{2} v_j^2 (\lambda'_{jk} + \lambda_{jk}) + \lambda_{kk} v_k^2.$$

This solution has a \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry preserved by the vacuum. **violates CP**

Solution 3 (CPC):

$$v_i = 0, \quad \sin(\theta_k - \theta_j) = 0, \\ m_{jj} = \frac{1}{2} v_k^2 (\lambda'_{jk} + \lambda_{jk} + 2\lambda_i) + \lambda_{jj} v_j^2, \quad m_{kk} = \frac{1}{2} v_j^2 (\lambda'_{jk} + \lambda_{jk} + 2\lambda_i) + \lambda_{kk} v_k^2$$

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Solution 12 (CPV):

$$\begin{aligned}m_{11} &= \frac{1}{2} \left(v_2^2 (\lambda'_{12} + \lambda_{12}) + v_3^2 (\lambda'_{13} + \lambda_{13}) + \frac{2\lambda_1 v_2^2 v_3^2 \sin^2 2(\theta_2 - \theta_3)}{v_1^2 \sin 2(\theta_1 - \theta_2) \sin 2(\theta_1 - \theta_3)} + 2\lambda_{11} v_1^2 \right) \\m_{22} &= \frac{1}{2} (v_1^2 (\lambda'_{12} + \lambda_{12}) + v_3^2 (\lambda'_{23} + \lambda_{23}) + 2\lambda_{22} v_2^2) + \lambda_1 v_3^2 \frac{\sin 2(\theta_1 - \theta_3)}{\sin 2(\theta_1 - \theta_2)}, \\m_{33} &= \frac{1}{2} (v_1^2 (\lambda'_{13} + \lambda_{13}) + v_2^2 (\lambda'_{23} + \lambda_{23}) + 2\lambda_{33} v_3^2) + \lambda_1 v_2^2 \frac{\sin 2(\theta_1 - \theta_2)}{\sin 2(\theta_1 - \theta_3)}, \\ \lambda_3 &= \frac{\lambda_1 v_3^2 \sin 2(\theta_2 - \theta_3)}{v_1^2 \sin 2(\theta_1 - \theta_2)}, \quad \lambda_2 = -\frac{\lambda_1 v_2^2 \sin 2(\theta_2 - \theta_3)}{v_1^2 \sin 2(\theta_1 - \theta_3)}. \text{ violates CP}\end{aligned}$$

The latter is the solution identified by Branco and studied in our earlier work

R. Plantey et al, EPJC, 2023

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General case:

Minimization conditions: 3 moduli and 2 phases

May express m_{ii} in terms of λ s (3 conditions)

May relate λ_2 and λ_3 to λ_1 (2 conditions)

Consequence:

Mass-squared matrices are homogeneous in λ s,
i.e., masses are bounded
by the perturbativity constraint on λ s

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Our work:

Real potential, all three vevs non-zero, complex, i.e., spontaneous CP violation.

Note that in the limit when phase-dependent terms $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \lambda_3$ vanish, the potential has **two U(1) symmetries**

These break when vevs are non-zero,
 \Rightarrow 2 Goldstone bosons

Turn on U(1)-violating terms,
“would-be Goldstone bosons” acquire mass

However, in order to have an “almost SM-like” WWH_{SM} coupling, must be close to $U(1) \times U(1)$ symmetry,
 \Rightarrow two light states that have “large CP-odd content”

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Remainder: 2 intertwined stories

The potential tends to yield
one or two states
below 125 GeV

that have a significant
CP-odd admixture

CP-violation
in specific processes

3HDM Gauge couplings

Cubic gauge-gauge-scalar part:

$$\mathcal{L}_{VVh} = \left(gm_W W_\mu^+ W^{\mu-} + \frac{gm_Z}{2 \cos \theta_W} Z_\mu Z^\mu \right) \sum_{i=1}^5 \frac{e_i}{v} h_i$$

$m_W = \frac{1}{2} g v$

\swarrow VVS (vector-vector-scalar)

For the cubic gauge-scalar-scalar terms, we find

$$\mathcal{L}_{Vhh} = -\frac{g}{2 \cos \theta_W} \sum_{i=1}^5 \sum_{j=1}^5 \frac{\lambda_{ij}}{v} (h_i \overset{\leftrightarrow}{\partial}_\mu h_j) Z^\mu + \frac{g}{2} \sum_{i=1}^5 \sum_{k=1}^2 \left[\frac{f_{ki}}{v} (h_k^+ \overset{\leftrightarrow}{\partial}_\mu h_i) W^{\mu-} + \text{h.c.} \right]$$

$$+ \left(ieA^\mu + \frac{ig \cos 2\theta_W}{2 \cos \theta_W} Z^\mu \right) \sum_{k=1}^2 (h_k^+ \overset{\leftrightarrow}{\partial}_\mu h_k^-)$$

\swarrow VSS

\swarrow VSS+

In the 2HDM, all related

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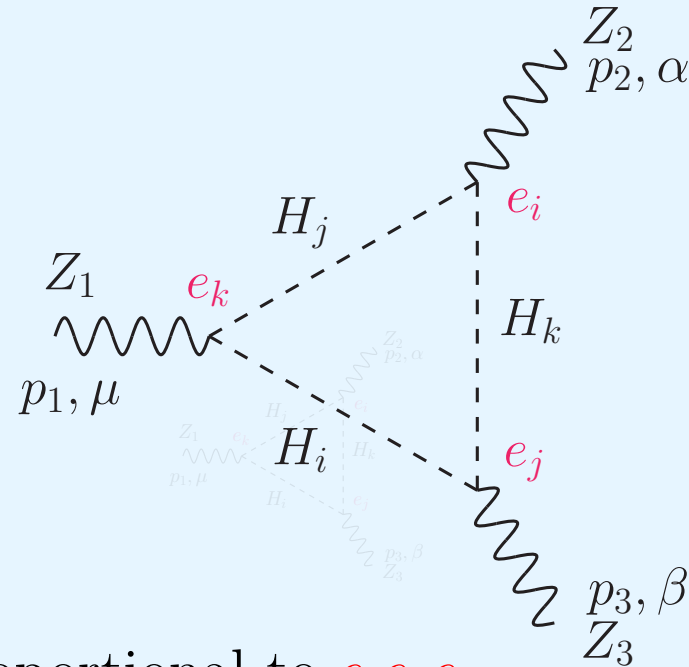
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In the 2HDM, all related

CP violation and alignment

In a 2HDM



contributions proportional to $e_i e_j e_k$

But these are constrained by unitarity: $e_i^2 + e_j^2 + e_k^2 = v^2$

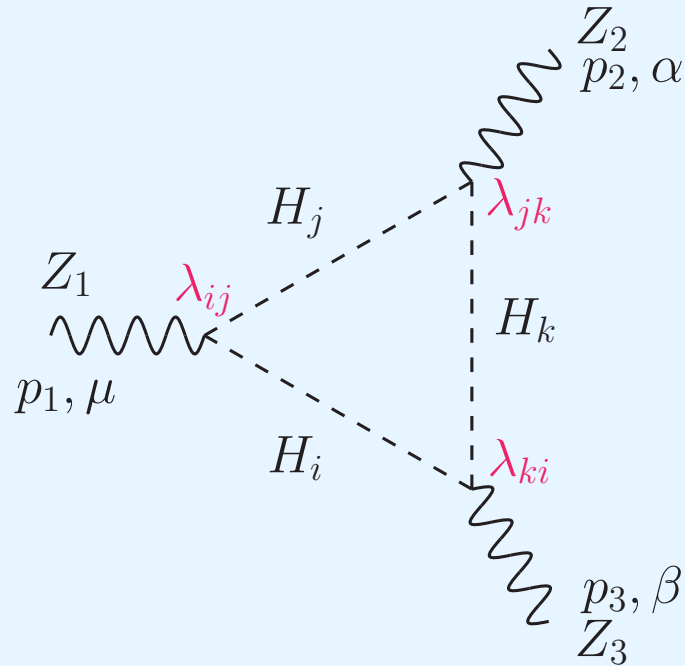
Alignment requires $\max(v_1, v_2, v_3) = v$

Thus, $e_i e_j e_k \rightarrow 0$

Alignment prohibits such contribution to CPV in a 2HDM

CP violation and alignment

In a 3HDM



contributions proportional to $\lambda_{ij} \lambda_{jk} \lambda_{ki}$

This does not vanish in the alignment limit!

Technical digression

Comments on the $H_i H_j Z$ coupling

Coupling comes from kinetic part of Lagrangian, conserves CP
 Z is odd, \Rightarrow only non-zero coupling if $H_i H_j$ has some CP-odd content
 H_i and H_j need not be eigenstates of CP,
but must have different “mix” of even and odd

$$\lambda_{ij} = Z H_i H_j \quad \text{coupling}$$

In units of $g/(2 \cos \theta_W)$, in a CP-conserving 2HDM:

$$\lambda_{HA} = 1, \quad ZHA \text{ coupling (even and odd)} \leq 1$$

$$\lambda_{hA} = 0, \quad ZHh \text{ coupling (both even)} \leq 1$$

$$\lambda_{hA} = 0, \quad ZhA \text{ coupling (even and odd)} \leq 1$$

Scan

Scan philosophy

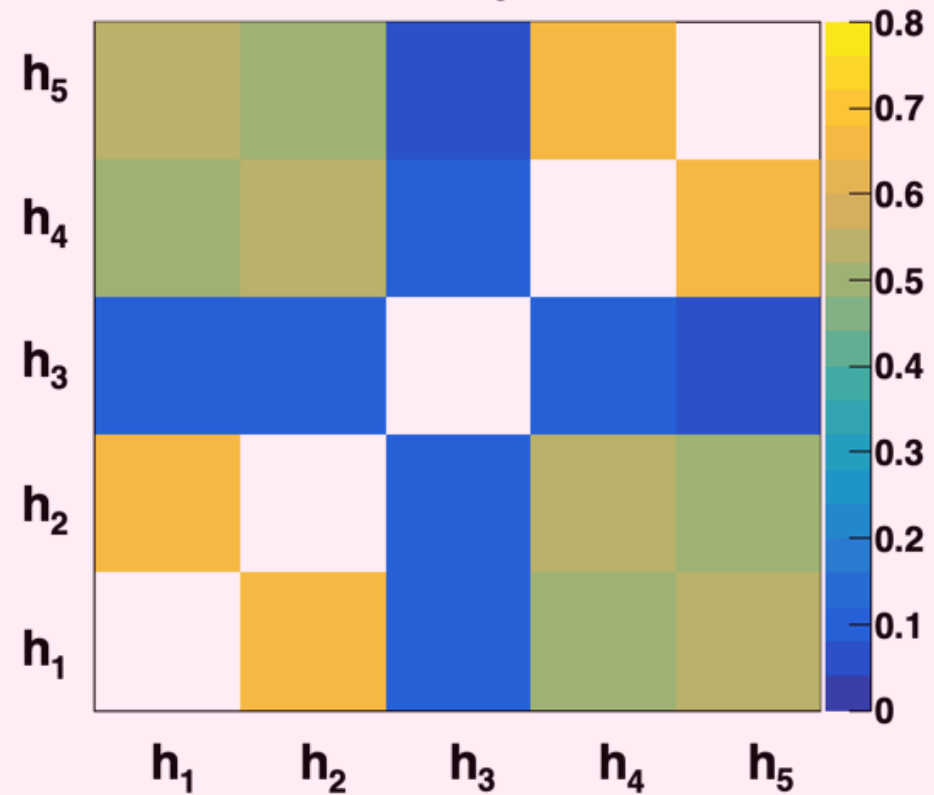
- Parameter ranges: $v_i \in \{0, v\}$, subject to $v_1^2 + v_2^2 + v_3^2 = v^2$,
 $|\lambda_{ij}|, |\lambda_i| \in \{0, 4\pi\}$, $\theta_{2,3} \in \{-\pi, \pi\}$
- Diagonalize mass-squared matrix, determine h_i
- Identify SM candidate by $h_i WW$ coupling
(only one possible solution for h_i)
- Rescale all λ s such that h_{SM} at 125.25 GeV
(mixing matrix unchanged)

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λ_{ij} is a measure of Zh_ih_j interaction
to be non-zero, h_ih_j can not have the same CP

λ_{ij}/v
Z affinity, $h_3 = \text{SM}$

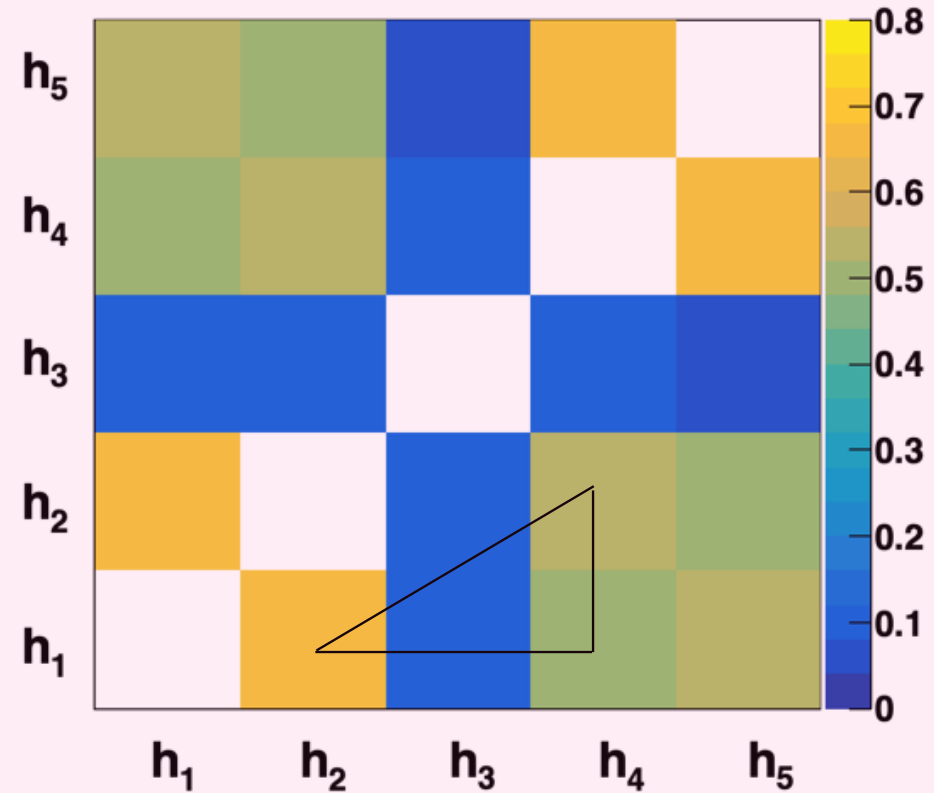
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$$\lambda_{ij}/v$$

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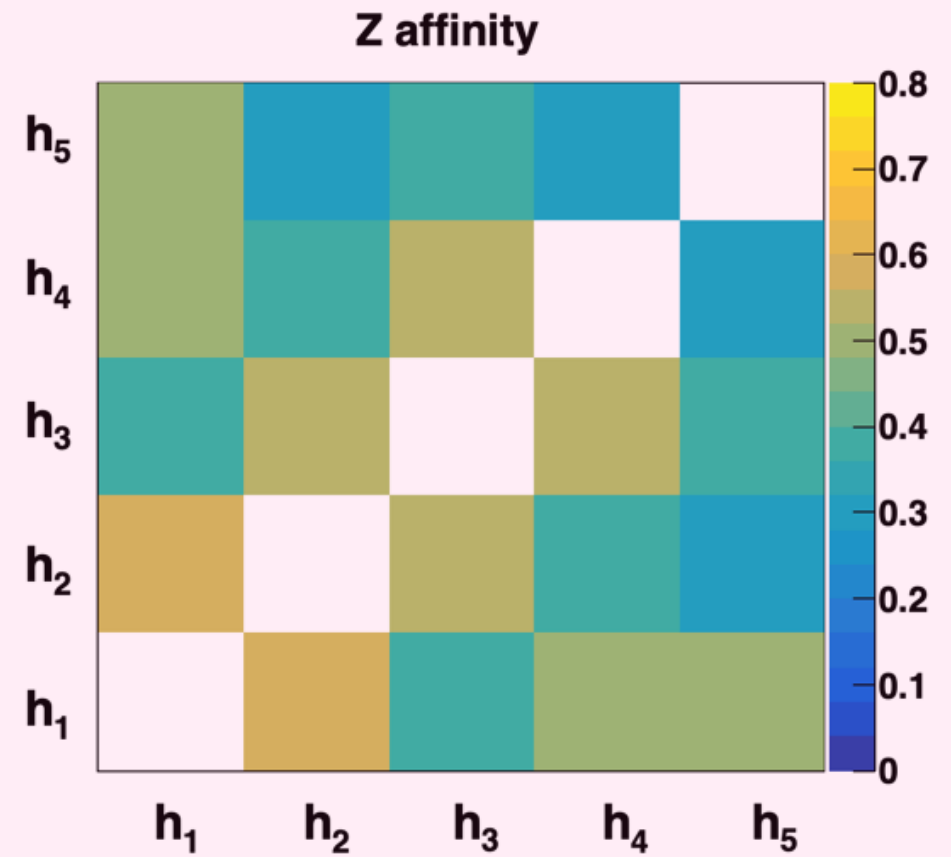
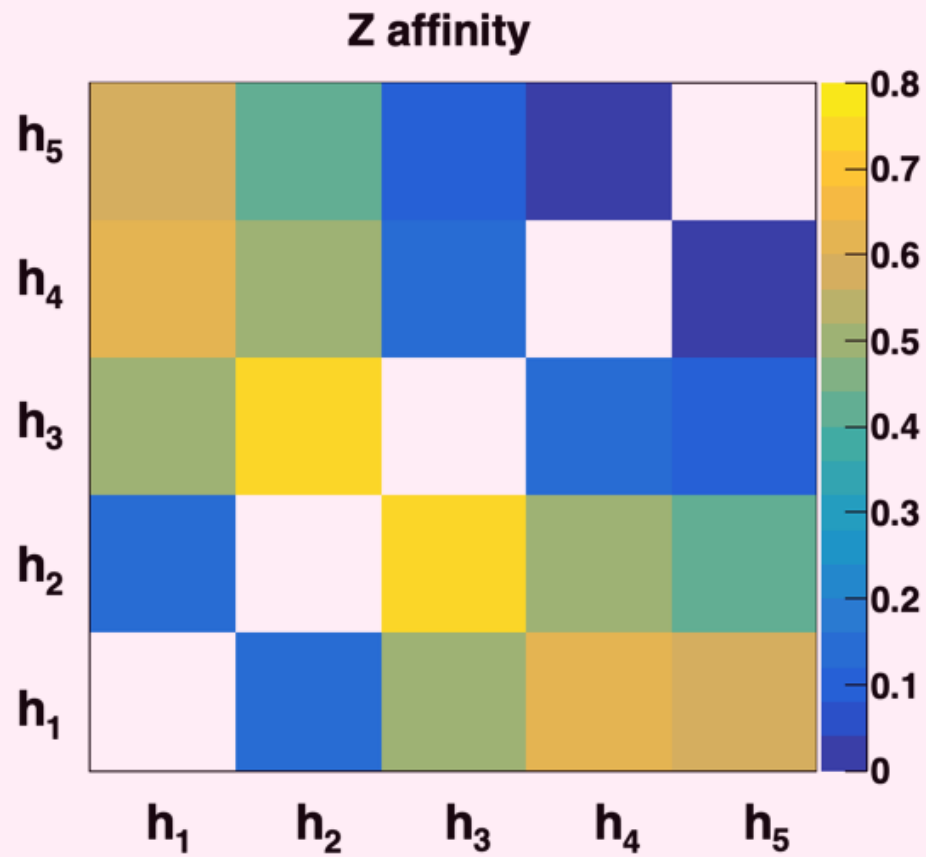


h_3 aligned

for example:

$$\lambda_{12}\lambda_{24}\lambda_{41} \neq 0$$

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$$\max(|\lambda_1|, |\lambda_2|, |\lambda_3|) = 0.01$$

$h_1, h_2 \sim \text{odd}, \quad h_3, h_4, h_5 \sim \text{even}$

Figure from parameter scan in 2209.06499

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CP-violating invariants

$$V = Y_{ab}(\phi_a^\dagger \phi_b) + \frac{1}{2} Z_{abcd}(\phi_a^\dagger \phi_b)(\phi_c^\dagger \phi_d)$$

$$\hat{V}_{ab} = \frac{v_a e^{i\theta_a}}{v} \frac{v_b e^{-i\theta_b}}{v}$$

If all J_i vanish, then
CP is conserved

$$J_1 = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{be} Z_{cadf} Z_{edfg} Z_{gbhh} \},$$

$$J_2 = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{be} Z_{cadf} Z_{edfg} Z_{ghhb} \},$$

$$J_3 = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{be} Z_{cadf} Z_{egfd} Z_{gbhh} \},$$

$$J_4 = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{bd} Z_{cedg} Z_{eafh} Z_{gbhf} \},$$

$$J_5 = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{bd} Z_{cedg} Z_{ehfa} Z_{gfhb} \},$$

$$J_6 = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{bd} Z_{cedf} Z_{eafg} Z_{gbhh} \},$$

$$J_7 = \text{Im} \{ V_{ad} V_{be} V_{cf} Z_{daeh} Z_{fbgi} Z_{hcig} \},$$

$$J_8 = \text{Im} \{ V_{ad} V_{be} V_{cf} Z_{daeh} Z_{figb} Z_{hgic} \},$$

$$J_9 = \text{Im} \{ V_{ad} V_{be} V_{cf} Z_{daeg} Z_{fbgh} Z_{hcii} \},$$

$$J_{10} = \text{Im} \{ V_{ad} V_{be} V_{cf} Z_{daeg} Z_{fhgi} Z_{hbic} \},$$

$$J_{11} = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{be} Z_{cadg} Z_{edff} Z_{gihh} Z_{ibjj} \},$$

$$J_{12} = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{be} Z_{cadg} Z_{effd} Z_{ghhi} Z_{ijjb} \},$$

$$J_{13} = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{be} Z_{cadf} Z_{edfg} Z_{gihj} Z_{ibjh} \},$$

$$J_{14} = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{bd} Z_{cedf} Z_{eafg} Z_{gihj} Z_{ibjh} \},$$

$$v^6 J_{15} = \text{Im} \{ V_{ac} V_{bd} Y_{cf} Y_{dg} Y_{ea} Z_{fbge} \}.$$

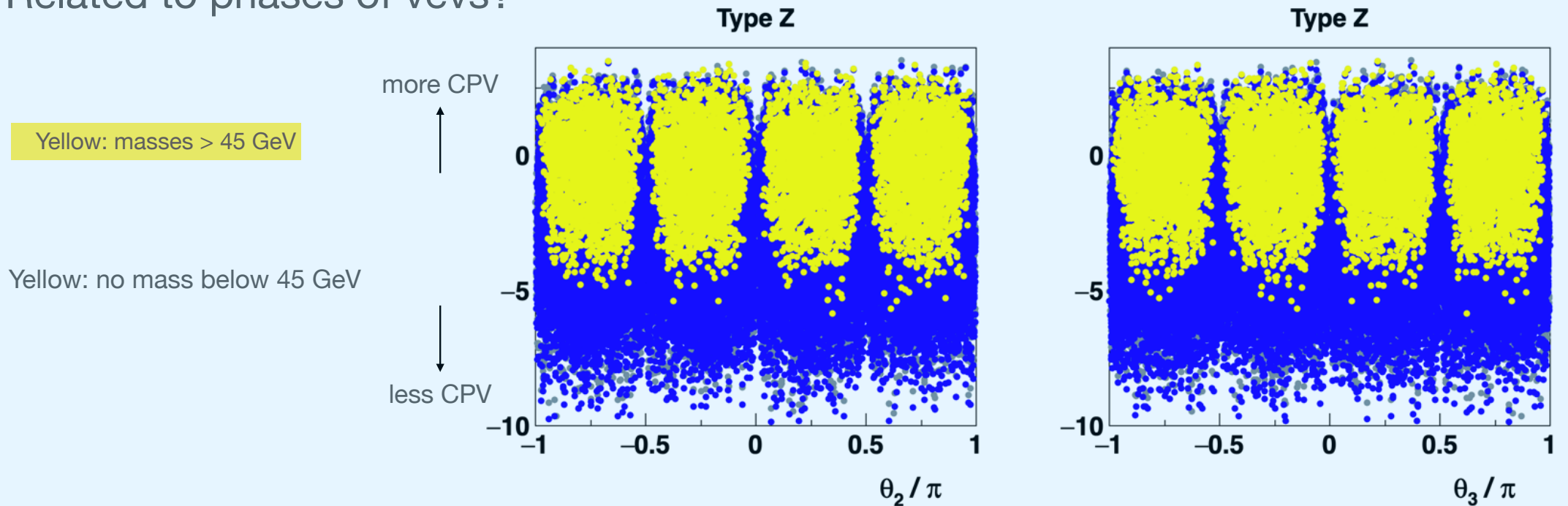
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Measures of CP-violation:

$$A_{\text{sum}} = \log_{10} \sum_{i=1}^{15} J_i^2, \quad A_{\text{max}} = \log_{10}(\max_i J_i^2).$$

(grey) (blue)

Related to phases of vevs?



Weinberg 3HDM constraints

Basic:

- perturbativity, unitarity, bounded from below
- coupling $WW h_{\text{SM}}$ within 3σ
- $h_{\text{SM}\tau\bar{\tau}}$ CP constraint (LHC)

Further:

- S, T, U (electroweak precision observables)
- $h_{\text{SM}} \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ signal strength, modified by charged scalars in loop
- $\bar{B} \rightarrow X_s \gamma$, *two* charged scalars, complex Wilson coefficients
- electron EDM, violates CP
- pruning low-mass states

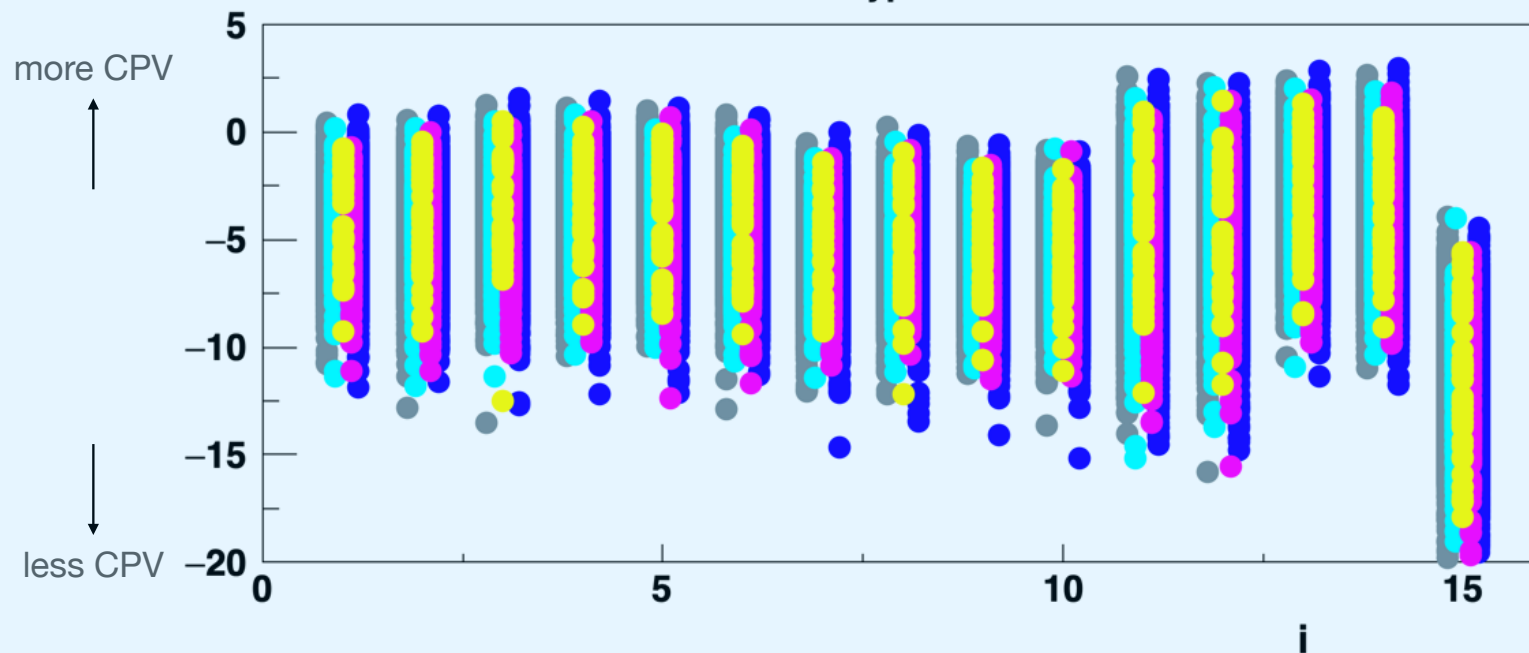
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15 CPV invariants:

scatter plot of points surviving constraints

different colours:
different range of eEDM

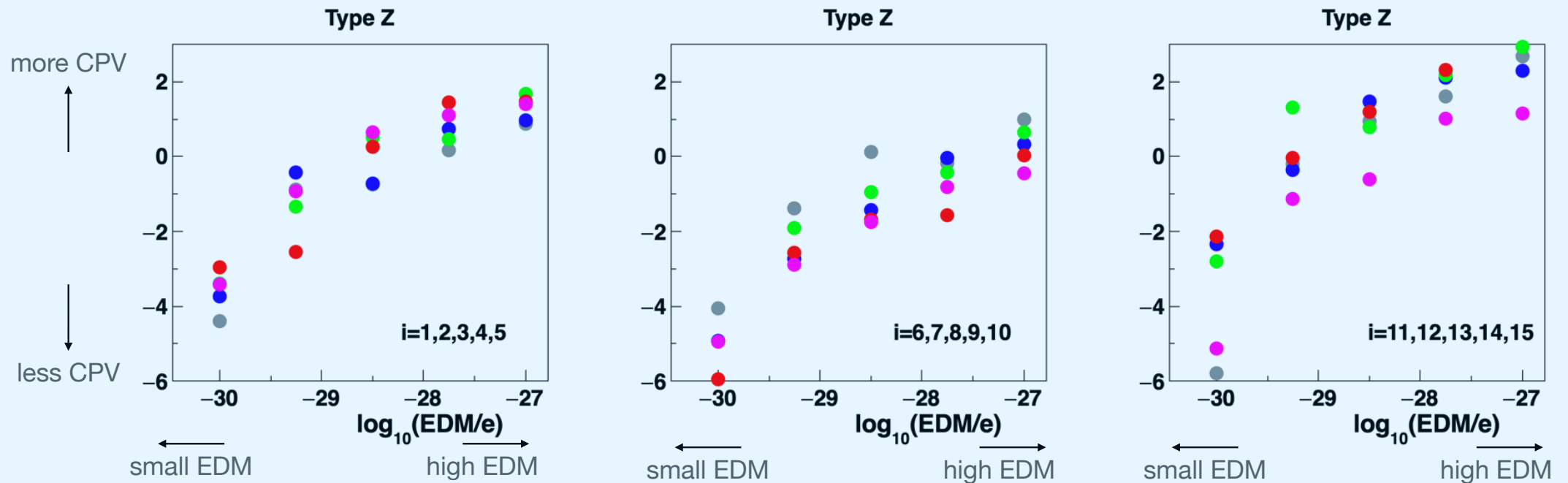
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conclusion?
systematics?

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maxima of 15 CPV invariants vs eEDM

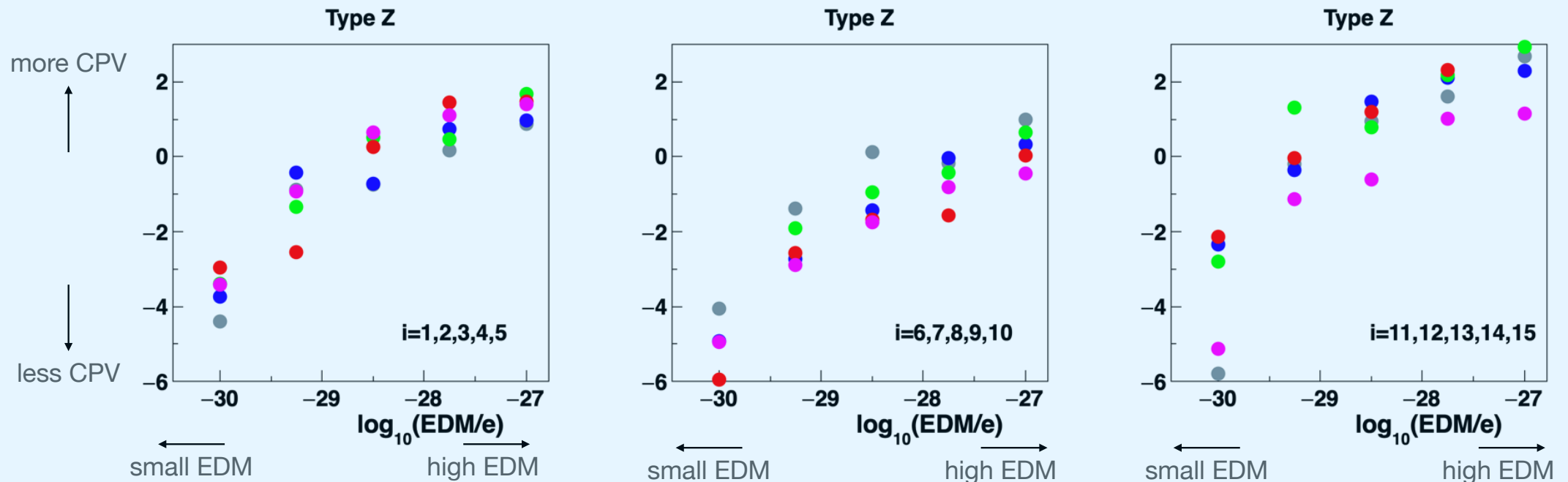


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QUESTION: Why do **all** 15 invariants correlate with **eEDM**?

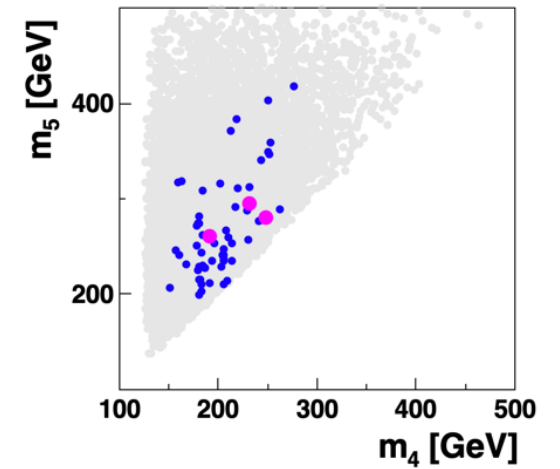
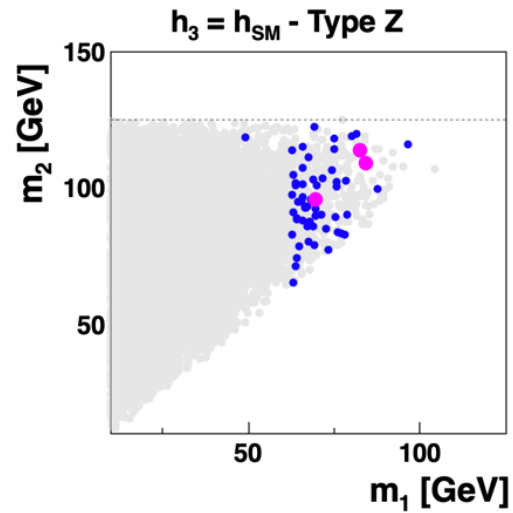
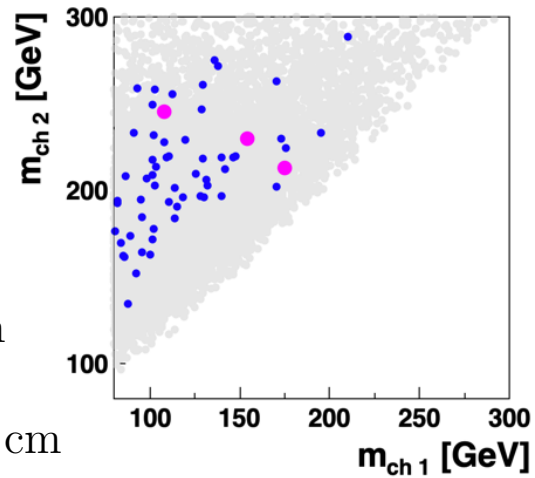
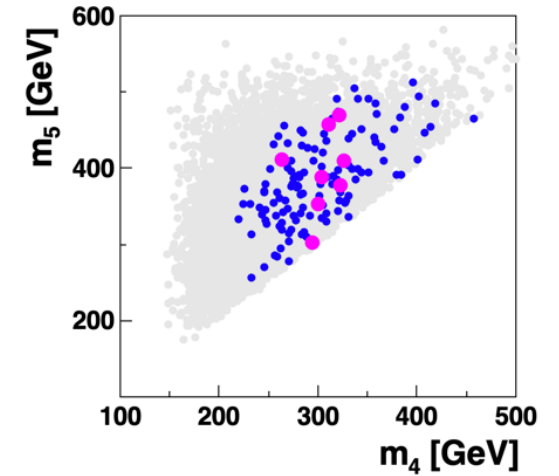
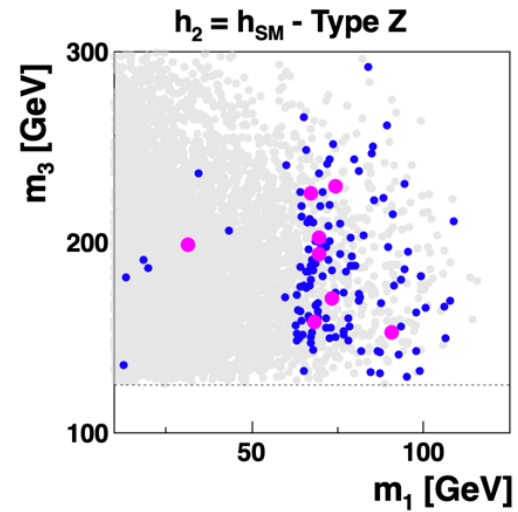
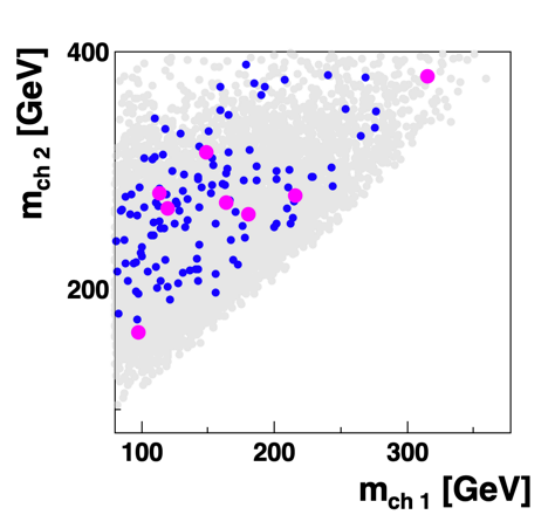
maxima of 15 CPV invariants vs eEDM



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MASSES:



blue:

$$eEDM < 10^{-27} e \cdot \text{cm}$$

purple:

$$eEDM < 5 \cdot 10^{-29} e \cdot \text{cm}$$

Summary

- Additional states are light
- *If* an extra light state below $h_{\text{SM}} = 125$ GeV is discovered, and *If* this has a considerable coupling to $h_{\text{SM}}Z$,
then a model based on the Weinberg potential
would be in a stronger position than the 2HDM
- light states (h_1, h_2) would predominantly decay to $b\bar{b}$,
to $b\bar{b}\tau\bar{\tau}$ or $b\bar{b} + \text{invisible}$ (from $h_2 \rightarrow h_1 Z$)
- Weinberg potential can accommodate neutral scalar at 95 GeV
(and charged one at 130 GeV)

Summary

- but does not contribute (significantly) to $(g - 2)_\mu$

sorry