

# THEORY INTRODUCTION TO EXTENDED HIGGS MODELS

A dark matter phenomenology perspective

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# 01 MOTIVATIONS AND ASSUMPTIONS

- Many fermions but only 1 scalar discovered so far
- DM could be connected to SM through spin-0 or spin-1 particles
- New spin-1 resonances highly constrained
- Spin-1 with non-purely vector couplings requires new scalars
- Extended higgs sectors well motivated (MSSM/NMSSM, EW Baryogenesis, Neutrino masses)

- S-channel mediator
- Spin-0
- DM is SM singlet Fermion (scalar?)



- DM can only couple to scalar that is SM singlet  $S$
- SM fermions can only couple to SM higgs-like doublet  $\phi$



- Need  $S - \phi$  mixing!

## 02

## MINIMAL MODELS: 2HDM+S/A

- One more assumption: CP-preserving  Cannot mix CP-even with C-odd
- Minimal: only one mixing

$$\mathcal{L} = -y S \bar{\chi} \chi$$

**CP-Even**

$$\mathcal{L} = -iy P \bar{\chi} \gamma^5 \chi$$

**CP-Odd**

- Mix  $S$  with SM doublet  $\phi$ ?



Yes



No

- No pseudoscalar in the SM

- DM search turns into higgs precision



- Need one additional doublet for freedom on SM fermions-new scalar(s) couplings

- Need one additional doublet



**2HDM+s**

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**CP-Even**

- Mixing term  $H_1^\dagger H_2 S$
- 3-scalar mixing  $\rho_{1,2,3} \rightarrow h, H, s$
- 1 Pseudoscalar  $A$
- 1 charged scalar  $H^\pm$
- Only  $h, H, s$  can couple to both DM and SM fermions
- Rotation matrix for  $\rho_{1,2,3} \rightarrow h, H, s$  constrained by higgs-strength

**2HMD+a**

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**CP-Odd**

- Mixing term  $H_1^\dagger H_2 P$
- 2-pseudoscalar mixing  $\eta_{1,2} \rightarrow a, A$
- 2 Scalars  $h, H$
- 1 charged scalar  $H^\pm$
- Only  $a, A$  can couple to both DM and SM fermions
- Rotation matrix for  $\rho_{1,2} \rightarrow |\cos(\alpha - \beta)| \ll 1$



## 02

## MINIMAL MODELS: 2HDM+S/A

- 2HDM+a parameter space

$$\begin{aligned} V = & m_{11} H_1^\dagger H_1 + m_{22} H_2^\dagger H_2 + m_{12} (H_1^\dagger H_2 + H_2^\dagger H_1) + \\ & + \frac{\lambda_1}{2} (H_1^\dagger H_1)^2 + \frac{\lambda_2}{2} (H_2^\dagger H_2)^2 + \lambda_3 (H_1^\dagger H_1)(H_2^\dagger H_2) + \lambda_4 (H_1^\dagger H_2)(H_2^\dagger H_1) \\ & + \lambda_5 \left( (H_1^\dagger H_2)^2 + (H_2^\dagger H_1)^2 \right) \\ & + \frac{1}{2} m_{PP} P^2 + \lambda_P P^4 + \frac{1}{2} \lambda_{P1} P^2 H_1^\dagger H_1 + \frac{1}{2} \lambda_{P2} P^2 H_2^\dagger H_2 + i\mu P (H_1^\dagger H_2 - H_2^\dagger H_1) \end{aligned}$$

- 13 parameters (CP-conserving, all real) +2 (DM yukawa and mass) – 2 constraints ( $\nu, m_h$ ) = 13 free parameters
- Most DM phenomenology insensitive to  $\lambda_P$  ➔ Usually 12 parameters considered



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## MINIMAL MODELS: 2HDM+S/A

- 2HDM+a parameter space

$$m_{11}, m_{22}, m_{12}, \lambda_{1,2,3,4,5}, m_{PP}, \lambda_{P1}, \lambda_{P2}, \mu, y_\chi, m_\chi$$

Can be exchanged for

$$v, \mathbf{m}_h, m_H, m_A, m_{H^\pm}, m_a, m_\chi, \tan\beta, \cos(\alpha - \beta), \sin\theta, y_\chi, \lambda_3, \lambda_{P1}, \lambda_{P2}$$

Fixed

- Benchmark point for run 2:
  - $\cos(\alpha - \beta) = 0$  (several reasons)
  - $\tan\beta, \sin\theta$  free parameters
  - $m_H = m_{H^\pm}$  (custodial symmetry)
  - $m_H = m_A (= m_{H^\pm})$  also adopted in some cases
  - $\lambda_3$  satisfying BFB condition
  - $\lambda_{P1} = \lambda_{P2} = \lambda_3$  to keep  $\Gamma(H \rightarrow aa), \Gamma(A \rightarrow ha)$  small
  - $y_\chi$  large enough to allow  $BR(a \rightarrow \chi\chi) \sim 100\%$  for  $m_a < 2m_t$
  - $m_\chi = 10\text{GeV}$  small enough to allow  $BR(a \rightarrow \chi\chi) \sim 100\%$  for  $m_a > 100\text{GeV}$



# 03

# THEORY CONSTRAINTS

- Unitarity: will set upper bounds on  $\lambda_i$
- Perturbativity: possibly, you want to stay away from the unitarity limit
- Bounded from Below: set of inequalities to guarantee that the potential has global minimum. Will give minimum and maximum values of  $\lambda_i$
- Stable vacuum: the chosen minima is the global one: condition involving parameters of the potential



- In the limit of large masses for the heavy scalars, mass splittings will be forced to be small due to the upper bounds on the couplings.



# 04

# EWPT, FLAVOUR

- EWPT:  $S, T, U$  Peskin-Takeuchi parameters, with  $T \propto \Delta\rho$

**Assumption  $m_H = m_{H^\pm}$**

- For  $\cos(\alpha - \beta) = 0$ ,  $\Delta\rho = \frac{1}{(4\pi)^2 v^2} \left( \cos^2 \theta f(m_{H^\pm}^2, m_A^2, m_H^2) + \sin^2 \theta f(m_{H^\pm}^2, m_a^2, m_H^2) \right)$
- $f(x, y, x) = 0 \rightarrow m_H = m_{H^\pm}$  is sufficient to have  $\Delta\rho = 0$
- Deviations from  $m_H = m_{H^\pm}$  allowed as long as  $\Delta\rho \in [-1.6 \cdot 10^{-3}, 2 \cdot 10^{-3}]$
- Some mass hierarchies can only give a certain sign of  $\Delta\rho$

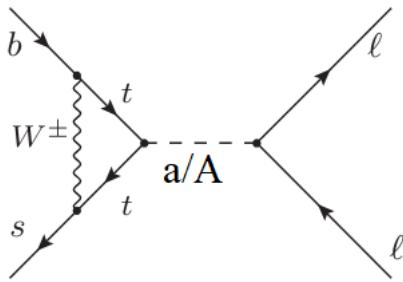
**Assumption  $\cos(\alpha - \beta) = 0$**

- For  $m_H = m_{H^\pm}$  and  $\cos(\alpha - \beta) \neq 0$ ,  $\Delta\rho \propto \cos^2(\alpha - \beta)$
- Small deviations from  $\cos(\alpha - \beta) = 0$  allowed



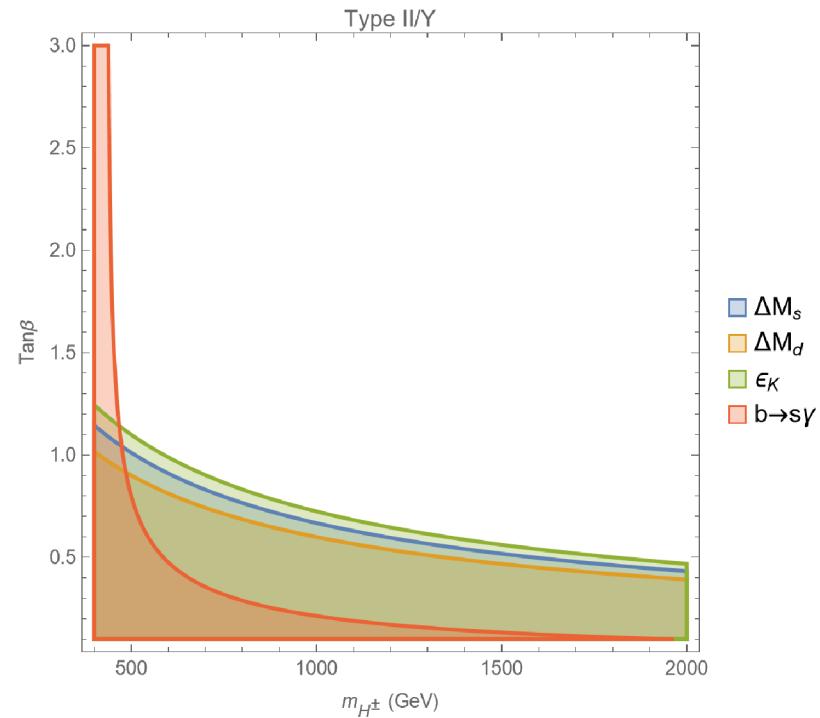
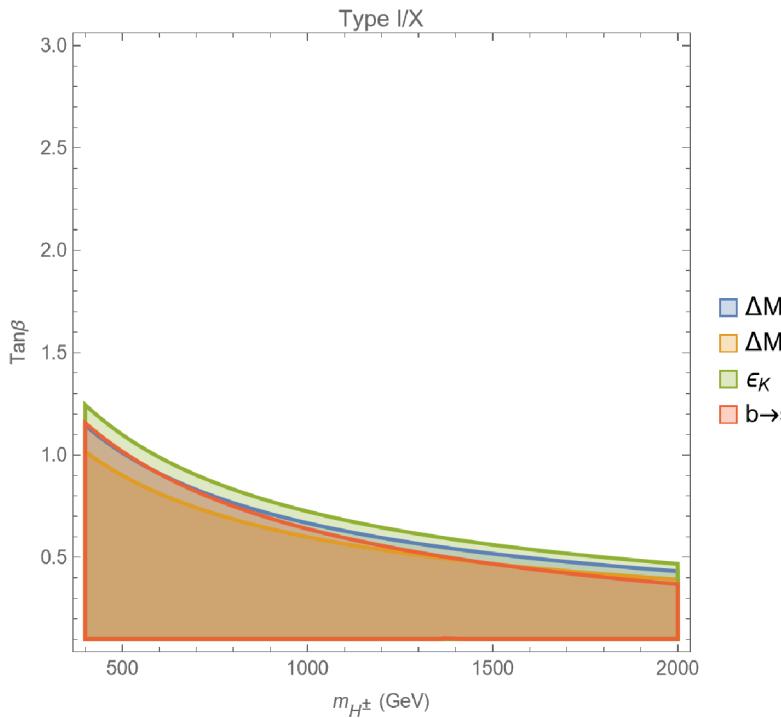
# 04 EWPT, FLAVOUR

- Flavour:  $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu, b \rightarrow s\gamma, \Delta M_{s,d}, \epsilon_K$
- $b \rightarrow s\gamma, \Delta M_{s,d}, \epsilon_K$  driven by  $H^\pm$   $\rightarrow$  only depend on  $m_{H^\pm}, \tan\beta$
- $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$  gets contributions from neutral scalars  $\rightarrow$  depends on all masses,  $\tan\beta, \cos(\alpha - \beta), \sin\theta$
- $b \rightarrow s\gamma$  provides low limit on  $m_{H^\pm}$  for Type II/Y
- $B_s \rightarrow \mu\mu$  provides a lower (Type II: also upper) limit on  $\tan\beta$  for fixed  $m_a$



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## EWPT, FLAVOUR



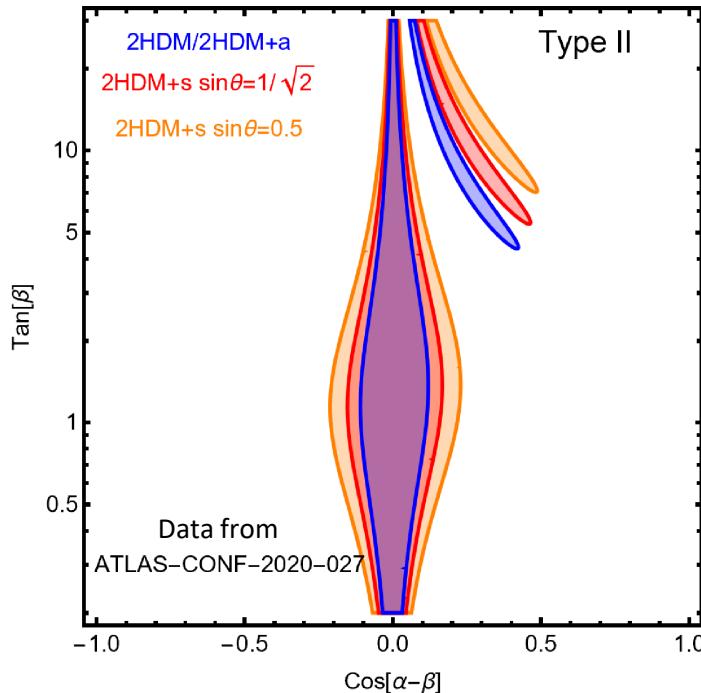
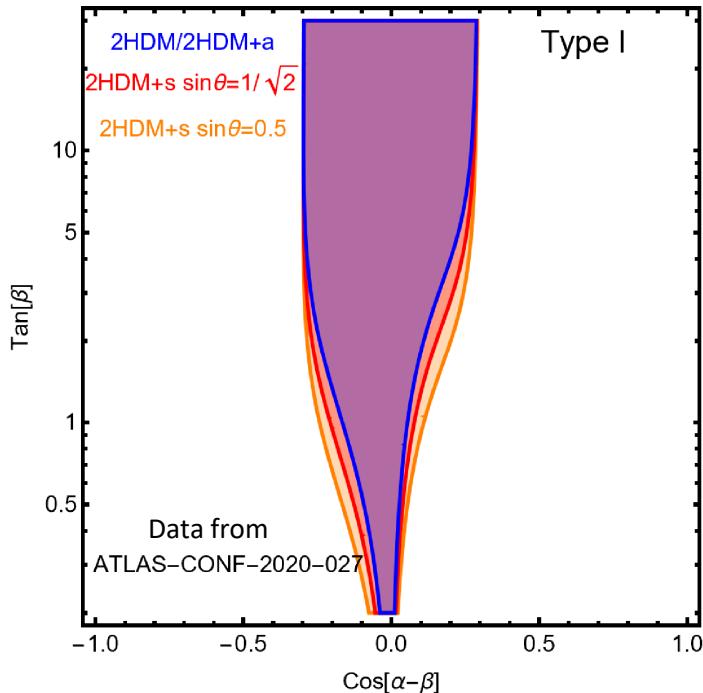
# 05 ALIGNMENT

- Measured strength of higgs couplings to fermions and gauge bosons requires to be close to alignment
- 2HDM+a: same constraints as in 2HDM, as  $hff$ ,  $hVV$  are the same as in 2HDM
- 2HDM+s:  $3 \times 3$  mixing gives fore freedom, 3 mixing angles instead of 1
- 2HDM+s:  $hff$  measurements can be less constraining on  $\cos(\alpha - \beta)$



# 05 ALIGNMENT

## 2HDM+s vs 2HDM+a comparison

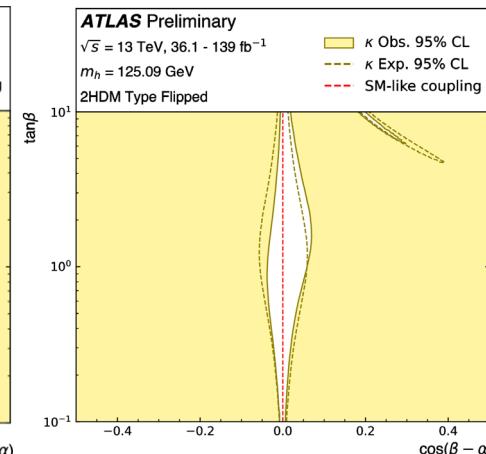
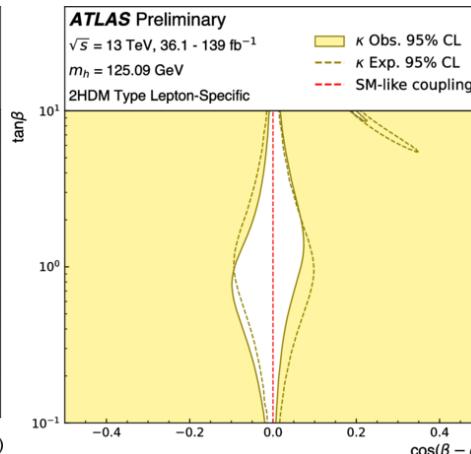
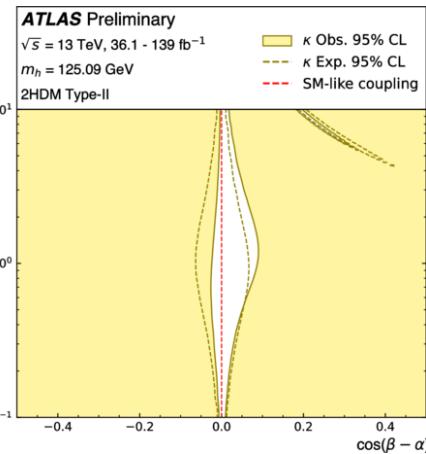
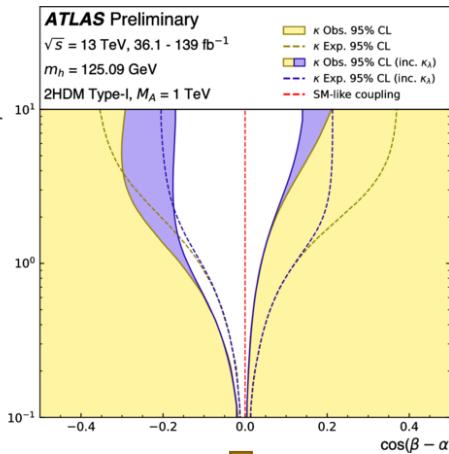


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# ALIGNMENT

## 2HDM/2HDM+a constraints

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$$|\cos(\alpha - \beta)| \lesssim 0.2$$



$$|\cos(\alpha - \beta)| \lesssim 0.1$$



# 05 THEORY+EWPT+FLAVOUR+ALIGNMENT

Dropping Assumption  $m_H = m_{H^\pm} = m_A$

- Allows for more freedom on  $\lambda_3$ , allowing it to be  $\mathcal{O}(1)$
  - One might still need to be forced to consider particular hierarchies arising from the BFB and global minima conditions
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- The less restrictive  $m_H = m_{H^\pm}$  assumption can allow for (some of) these decays:
    - $A \rightarrow Ha$
    - $A \rightarrow HZ$
    - $H \rightarrow Aa$
    - $H \rightarrow AZ$
    - $H \rightarrow AA$  (this one requires large mass splitting  not too large  $m_{H,A}$ )



# 05 THEORY+EWPT+FLAVOUR+ALIGNMENT

## Dropping Assumption $m_H = m_{H^\pm}$

- Allows for more decay channels to open (depending on mass hierarchy):
  - $A \rightarrow H^\pm W^\mp$
  - $H \rightarrow H^\pm W^\mp$
  - $H \rightarrow H^\pm H^\mp$  (requires low  $m_{H^\pm}$   Type I/X)
  - $H^\pm \rightarrow HW^\pm$
  - $H^\pm \rightarrow AW^\pm$

## Dropping Assumption $\cos(\alpha - \beta) = 0$

- Allows several couplings to be non-zero, opening decay channels:
  - $HW^+W^-$ ,  $H \rightarrow W^\pm W^\mp$
  - $HZZ$ ,  $H \rightarrow ZZ$
  - $hH^\pm W^\mp$ ,  $H^\pm \rightarrow hW^\pm$
  - $hAZ$ ,  $A \rightarrow hZ$
  - $haZ$ ,  $a \rightarrow hZ$
  - $Hhh$ ,  $H \rightarrow hh$
  - $HhW^+W^-$ ,  $H \rightarrow hW^+W^-$
  - $HhZZ$ ,  $H \rightarrow hZZ$
  - .....



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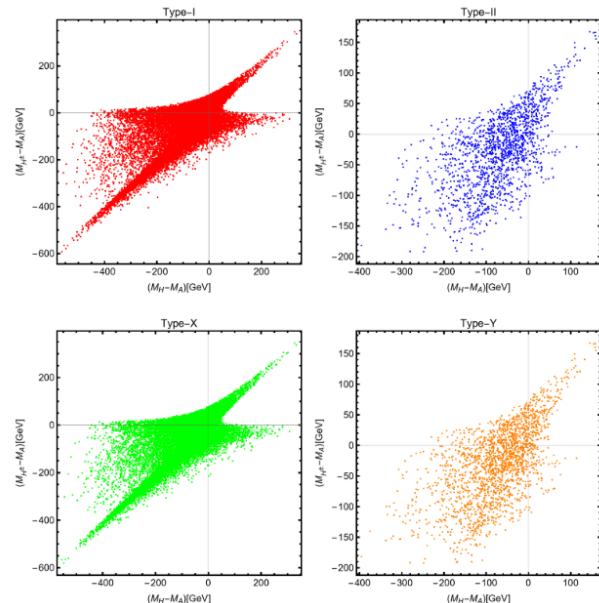
## THEORY+EWPT+FLAVOUR+ALIGNMENT

Possible Mass splitting for  $M_A, M_H, M_{H^\pm}$ ?

EWPT: at least one mass splitting needs to be small

- $M_H \sim M_{H^\pm}$
- Any of the other 2 together with an upper bound on  $\sin\theta$
- Unitarity/perturbativity: hard upper bound on any mass splitting
- Ballpark upper bound from perturbativity ( $M_A, M_H, M_{H^\pm}$ ):

$$\frac{\Delta M}{100\text{GeV}} \lesssim \frac{\text{TeV}}{M}$$



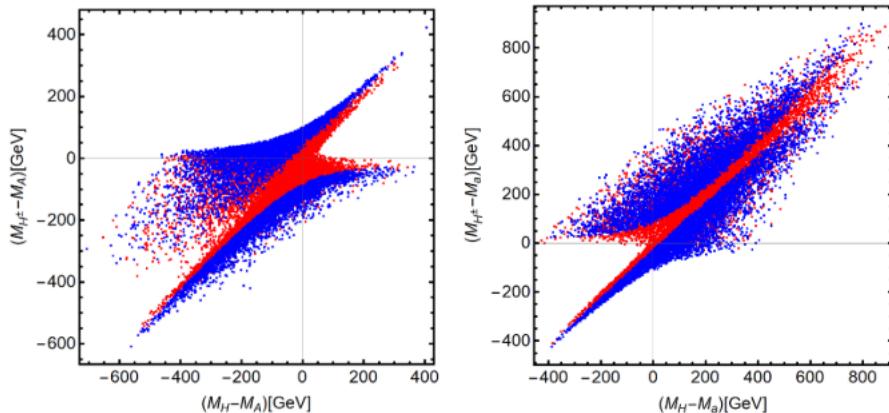
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## THEORY+EWPT+FLAVOUR+ALIGNMENT

New CDF II measurement?



SM FIT  
CDF II

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Mass splitting:  $M_A - M_a$

There is no hard limit, but will be limited by EWPT

$$\sin 2\theta = \frac{2\mu v}{M_A^2 - M_a^2}$$

As this relation holds, having a large  $M_A^2 - M_a^2$  without a small mixing angle pushed the new coupling  $\mu$  to large values

  
 $\mu$  becomes a “new physics scale”



Masses: how large/small can they be?

- 2HDM has decoupling limit, no hard upper limit
- Upper limit driven by other considerations, like ggF production cross sections
- Lower limit on  $M_a$  driven by invisible higgs:
- $M_a > \frac{M_h}{2}$  from 2-body decay  $h \rightarrow aa$
- $M_a \gtrsim 75\text{GeV}$  from 3 body decay  $h \rightarrow aa^*$



**Direct Detection**

- Very sensitive to  $y_\chi, m_\chi$   Complementary to collider

- 2HDM+S: has SI cross section at tree level



Evading constraints usually requires:

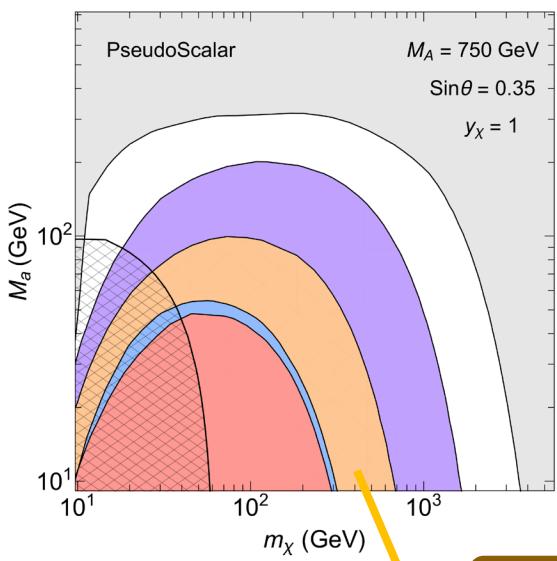
- A fine-tunes cancellation of couplings and/or
  - A fine-tuned cancellation of diagrams and/or
  - Small DM yukawa  $y_\chi$  and/or
  - A light DM mass
- 2HDM+a: has a  $q^4$  suppressed SD cross section at tree level
  - Dominant DD contribution is loop level SI cross section
  - Couplings  $\lambda_{P1}, \lambda_{P2}$  substantially enhance  $\sigma$  at small  $\sin\theta$
  - $\sigma$  becomes smaller for small values of  $\lambda_{P1}, \lambda_{P2}, \sin\theta$ , or small  $y_\chi$  or  $m_\chi \ll M_a$  or  $m_\chi \gg M_a$



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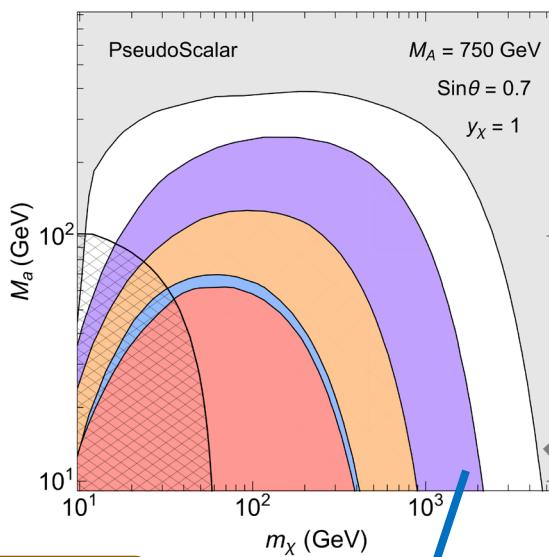
## (IN)DIRECT DETECTION

## Direct Detection

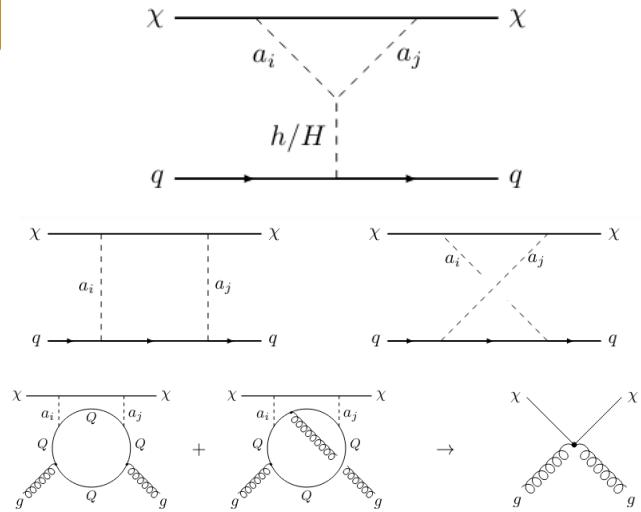


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### Indirect Detection

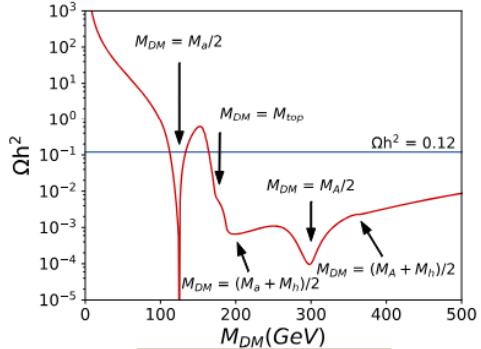
- Very sensitive to  $y_\chi, m_\chi$  → Complementary to collider
  - 2HDM+S: has p-wave suppressed annihilations
  - Annihilations for ID are highly suppressed
  - Still possible to reproduce relic density if annihilation to boson is allowed 1710.10764
  - Annihilation cross section can become very large once  $t\bar{t}$  or scalar/vector boson annihilation channels open up
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- 2HDM+a: has s wave annihilations
  - Annihilation cross section can become very large once  $t\bar{t}$  or scalar/vector boson annihilation channels open up
  - Evading ID constraints easy if  $y_\chi, m_\chi$  are small enough, but
  - Achieving the right relic density usually requires either fine-tuning  $m_\chi$  or choosing very large/small values or  $y_\chi$
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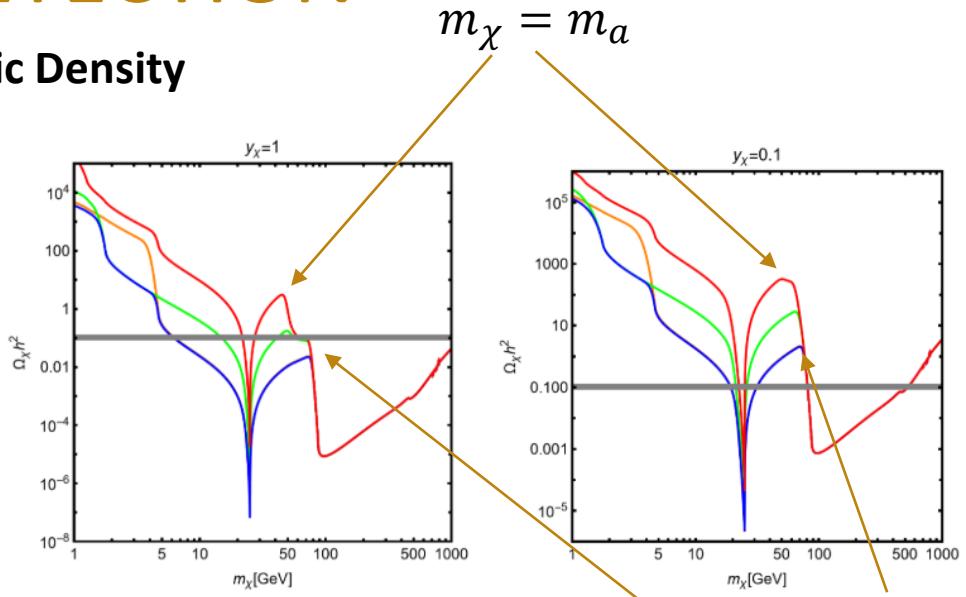
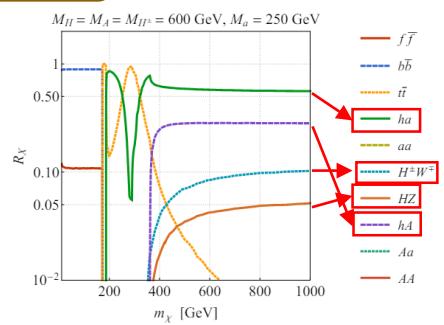
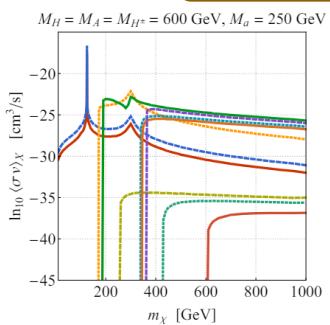

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# (IN)DIRECT DETECTION

## ID/Relic Density



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$m_\chi = m_a$   
 $m_\chi = (m_a + m_h)/2$   
 $\tan\beta = 5, \cos(\alpha - \beta) = 0, \theta = \pi/4$   
 $m_a = 50 \text{ GeV}, M_{H,A,H^\pm} = 800 \text{ GeV}$



# 07

# COLLIDER SIGNATURES

New possible Decays/couplings

## Drop degenerate mass assumption

- $A \rightarrow Ha$
- $A \rightarrow HZ$
- $H \rightarrow Aa$
- $H \rightarrow AZ$
- $H \rightarrow AA$
- $A \rightarrow H^\pm W^\mp$
- $H \rightarrow H^\pm W^\mp$
- $H \rightarrow H^\pm H^\mp$
- $H^\pm \rightarrow HW^\pm$
- $H^\pm \rightarrow AW^\pm$

## Drop alignment assumption

- $H \rightarrow W^\pm W^\mp$
- $H \rightarrow ZZ$
- $H^\pm \rightarrow hW^\pm$
- $A \rightarrow hZ$
- $a \rightarrow hZ$
- $H \rightarrow hh$
- $H \rightarrow hW^+W^-$
- $H \rightarrow hZZ$



## 07

## COLLIDER SIGNATURES

Signature	Run 2	No degen. mass	No alignment
$h + E_T$	✓	+	
$Z + E_T$	✓	+	
$tW^- + E_T$	✓		
$t\bar{t} + E_T$	✓	+	
$b\bar{b} + E_T$	✓	+	
$j + E_T$	✓	+	?
$b\bar{b}Z$	✗	✓	
$ZZ + E_T$	✗	✓	
$hh + E_T$	✗	✓	

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## 07

## COLLIDER SIGNATURES

A few collider anomalies...

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Final state	Characteristics	SM backgrounds	Significance
$\ell^+ \ell^- + (b\text{-jets})^{243, 246, 247}$	$m_{\ell\ell} < 100 \text{ GeV}$	$t\bar{t}, Wt$	$> 5\sigma$
$\ell^+ \ell^- + (\text{no jet})^{242, 248}$	$m_{\ell\ell} < 100 \text{ GeV}$	$W^+ W^-$	$\approx 3\sigma$
$\ell^\pm \ell^\pm, 3\ell + (b\text{-jets})^{245, 249, 250}$	Moderate $H_T$	$t\bar{t}W^\pm, t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$	$\approx 3\sigma$
$\ell^\pm \ell^\pm, 3\ell, (\text{no } b\text{-jet})^{244, 251, 252}$	In association with $h$	$W^\pm h(125), WWW$	$\gtrapprox 4\sigma$
$Z(\rightarrow \ell\ell)\ell, (\text{no } b\text{-jet})^{243, 253}$	$p_T^Z < 100 \text{ GeV}$	$ZW^\pm$	$> 3\sigma$

Suggesting

$$gg \rightarrow t\bar{t}\phi_1, \phi_1 \rightarrow \phi_2\phi_3, \phi_2 \rightarrow WW, \phi_3 \rightarrow b\bar{b}$$

$\phi_2$  needs to be a scalar to have  $WW$  coupling and  $m_2 \sim 150 \text{ GeV}$

$WW$  coupling requires non-alignment in 2HDM and usually implies mixing also in a generic scalar sector

2HDM+a interpretation:  $\phi_1 = A, \phi_2 = H, \phi_3 = a$  (requires non-alignment!)

However, no  $ZZ$  signal is observed  $\rightarrow$  prefers models without  $ZZ\phi_2$  coupling



A few collider anomalies...

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- Hints of  $\gamma\gamma$  at  $95\text{GeV}$ ,  $152\text{GeV}$ ,  $680\text{GeV}$
- $\gamma\gamma$  at  $95\text{GeV}$  supported by  $\tau\tau$  and  $b\bar{b}$  (LEP)  Many papers!
- $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $ZZ$  hints at  $680\text{GeV}$
- $b\bar{b}\gamma\gamma$  hint at  $680\text{GeV}$ , with  $\gamma\gamma$  compatible with  $95\text{GeV}$

All pointing towards extended scalar sector!



# 07 COLLIDER SIGNATURES

Some thoughts/questions for discussion time:

- Consider signatures coming from non-alignment?
- $WW, ZZ, VV + X$  signatures? VBF?
- Other Yukawa types? Non-alignment prefers Type I
- Going down to  $m_a \sim 95\text{GeV}$  or even  $m_a \sim 80\text{GeV}$ ?
- Lower and upper limits for  $M_A$ ?
- What if  $2m_\chi > m_a$ ? All  $+E_T$  signatures would turn into  $+b\bar{b}$
- Origin and workaround of large  $\Gamma$  problem?
- Higher order corrections available for scalars, not pseudoscalars!



# THANK YOU



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