

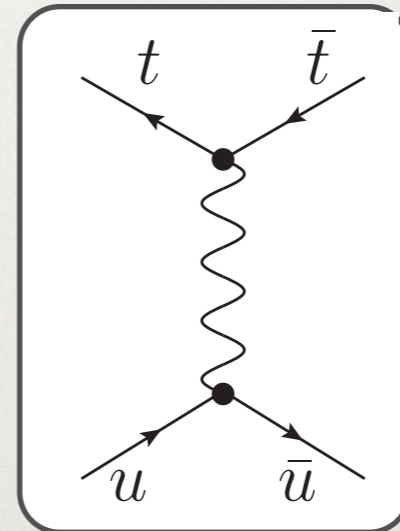
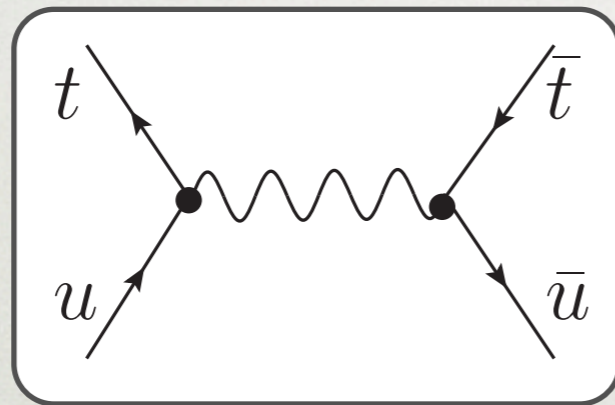
A_FB AND LIGHT PHYSICS (A MINI REVIEW)

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partially based on work with Grinstein, Kagan, Trott, (1102.3374, +unpublished)

THE SCOPE

- Working hypothesis: A_{FB} is due to New Physics
 - since the effects are large \Rightarrow tree level
 - t -channel? s -channel?



- Here: I review models where t -channel is important
 - “light NP” \sim O(300-500 GeV)

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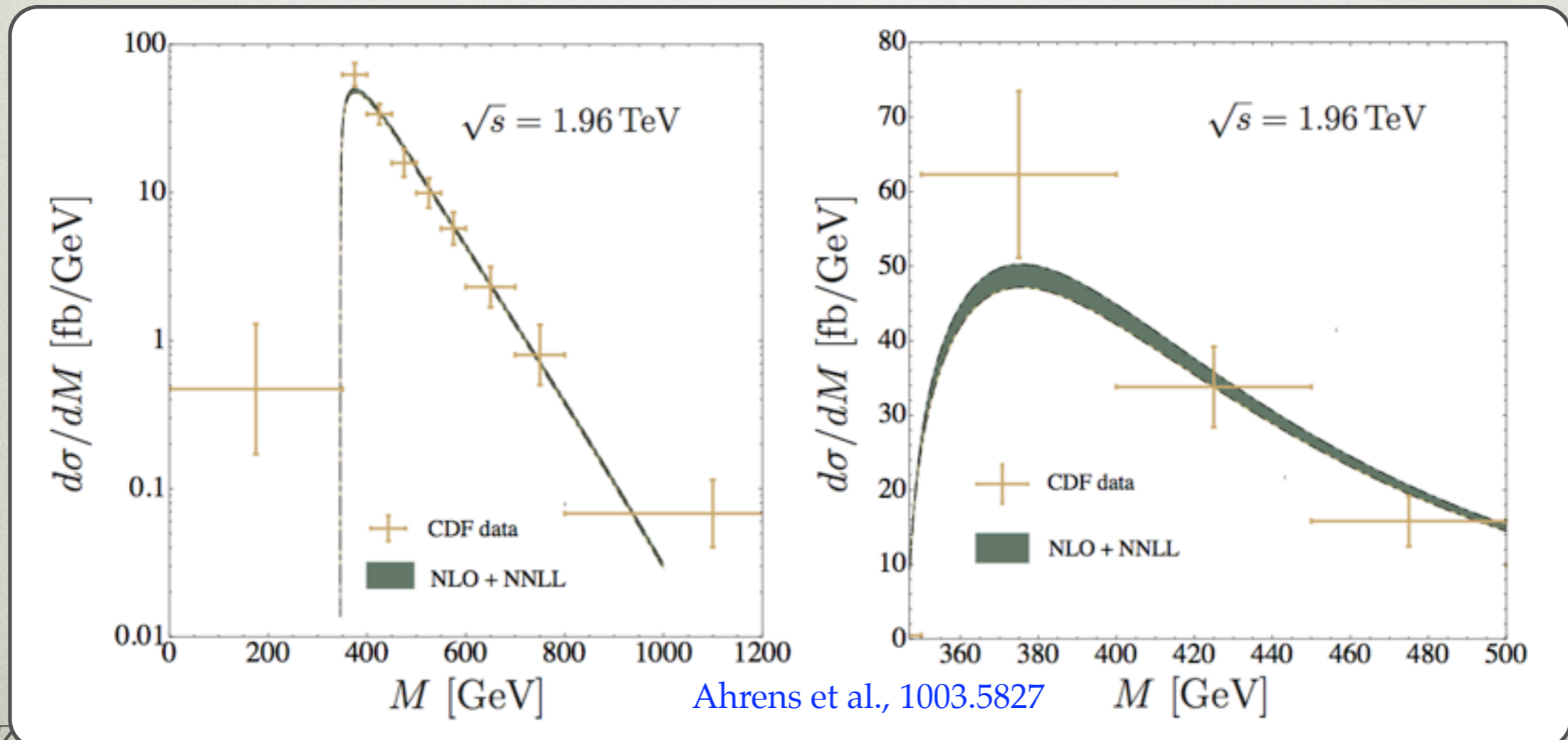
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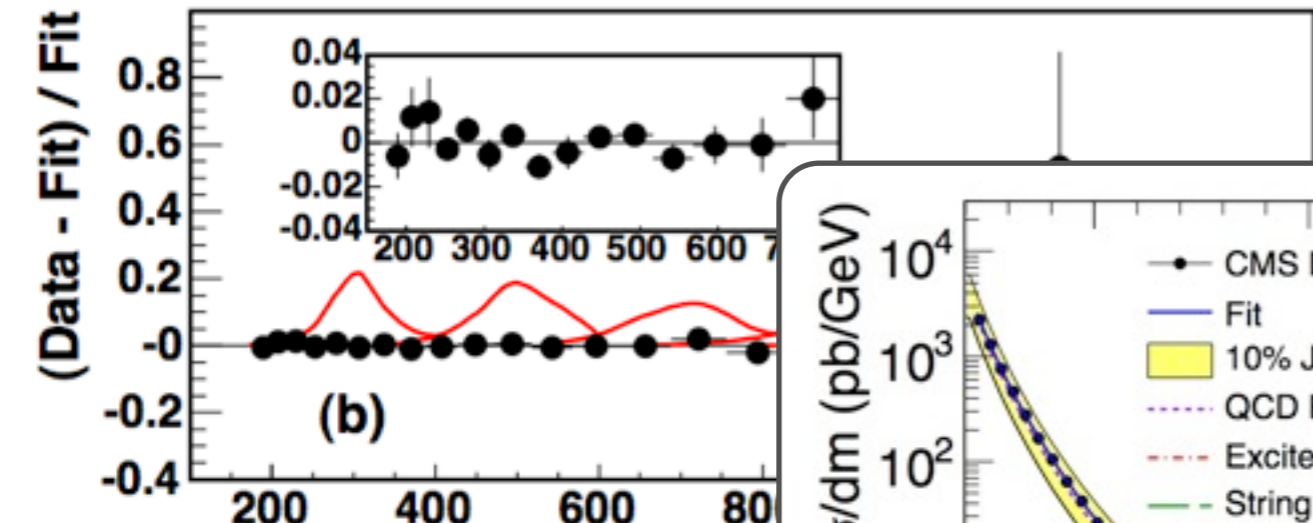
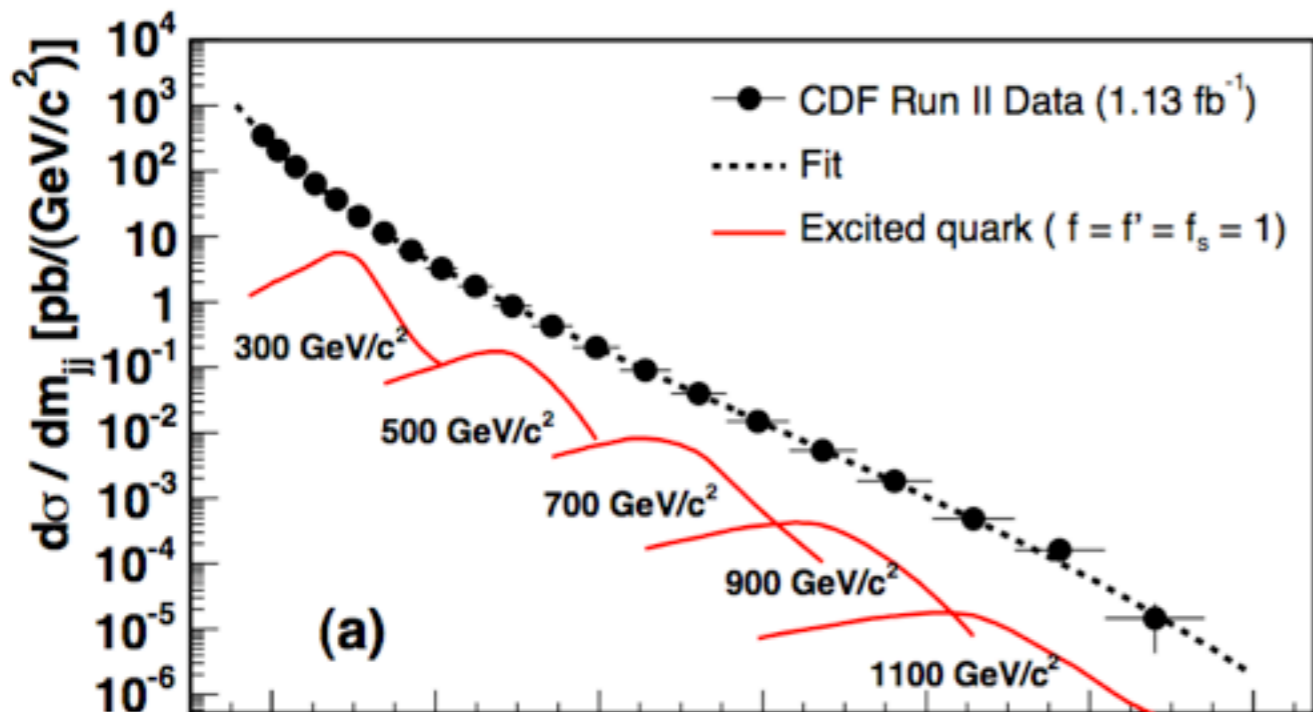
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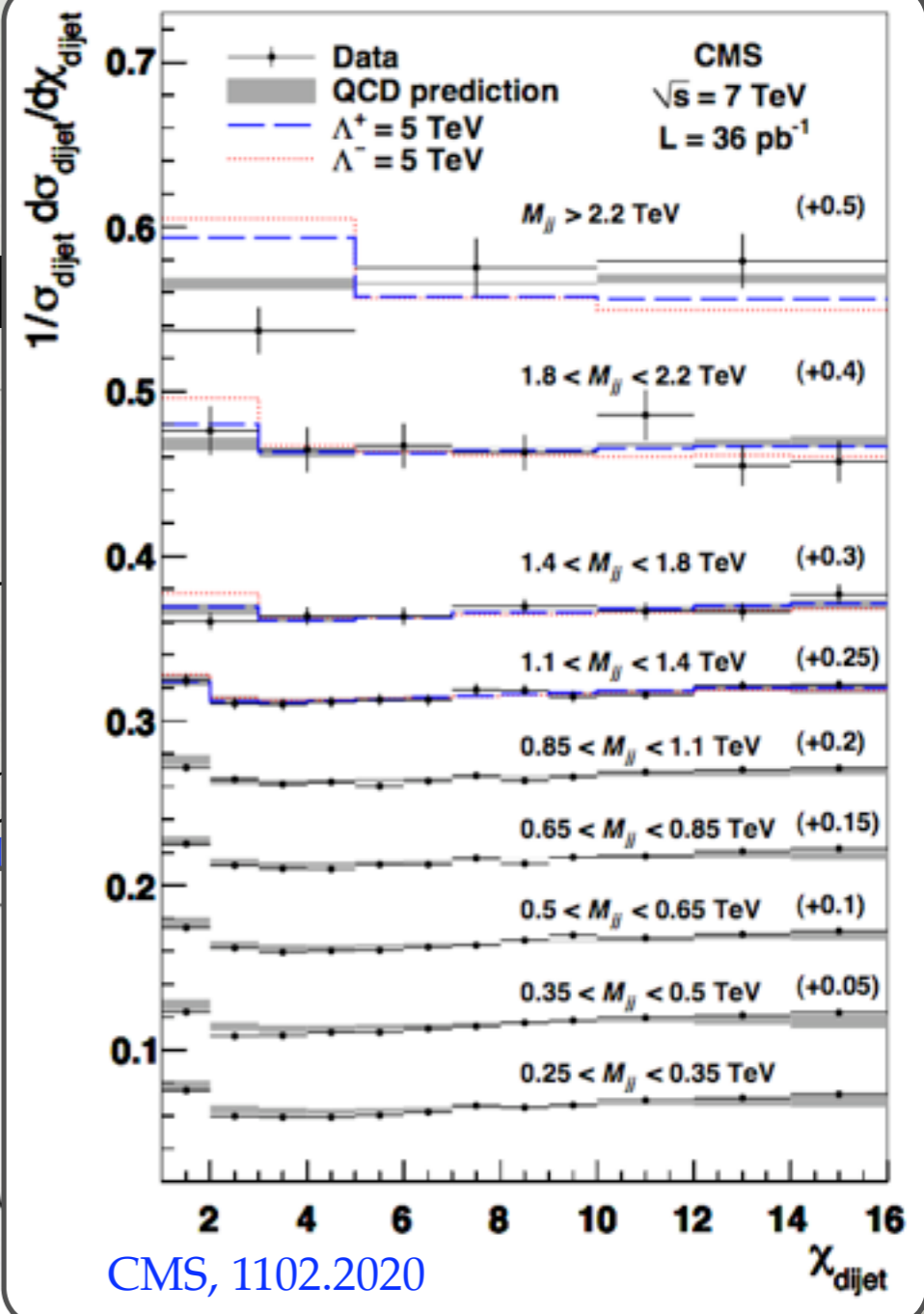
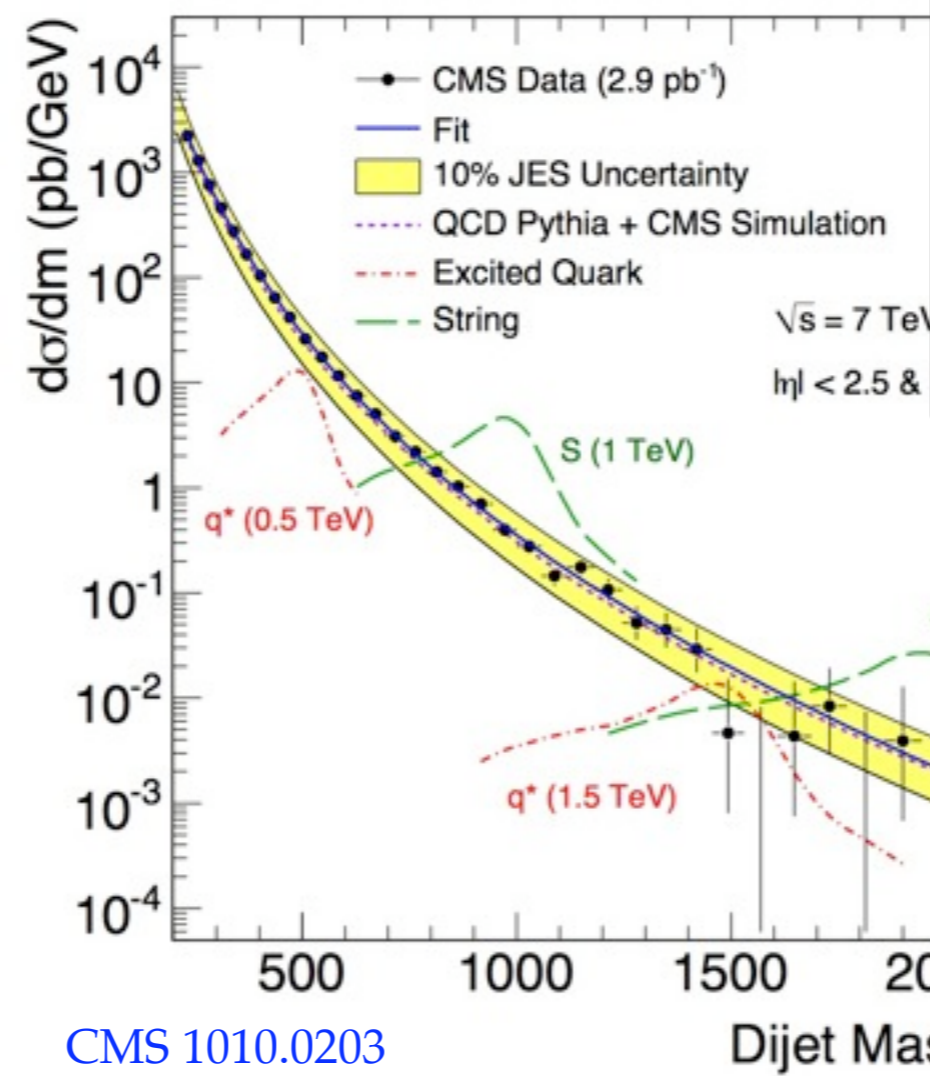
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CDF, 0812.4036

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NEW PHYSICS?

- First question: does it have to interfere with SM?

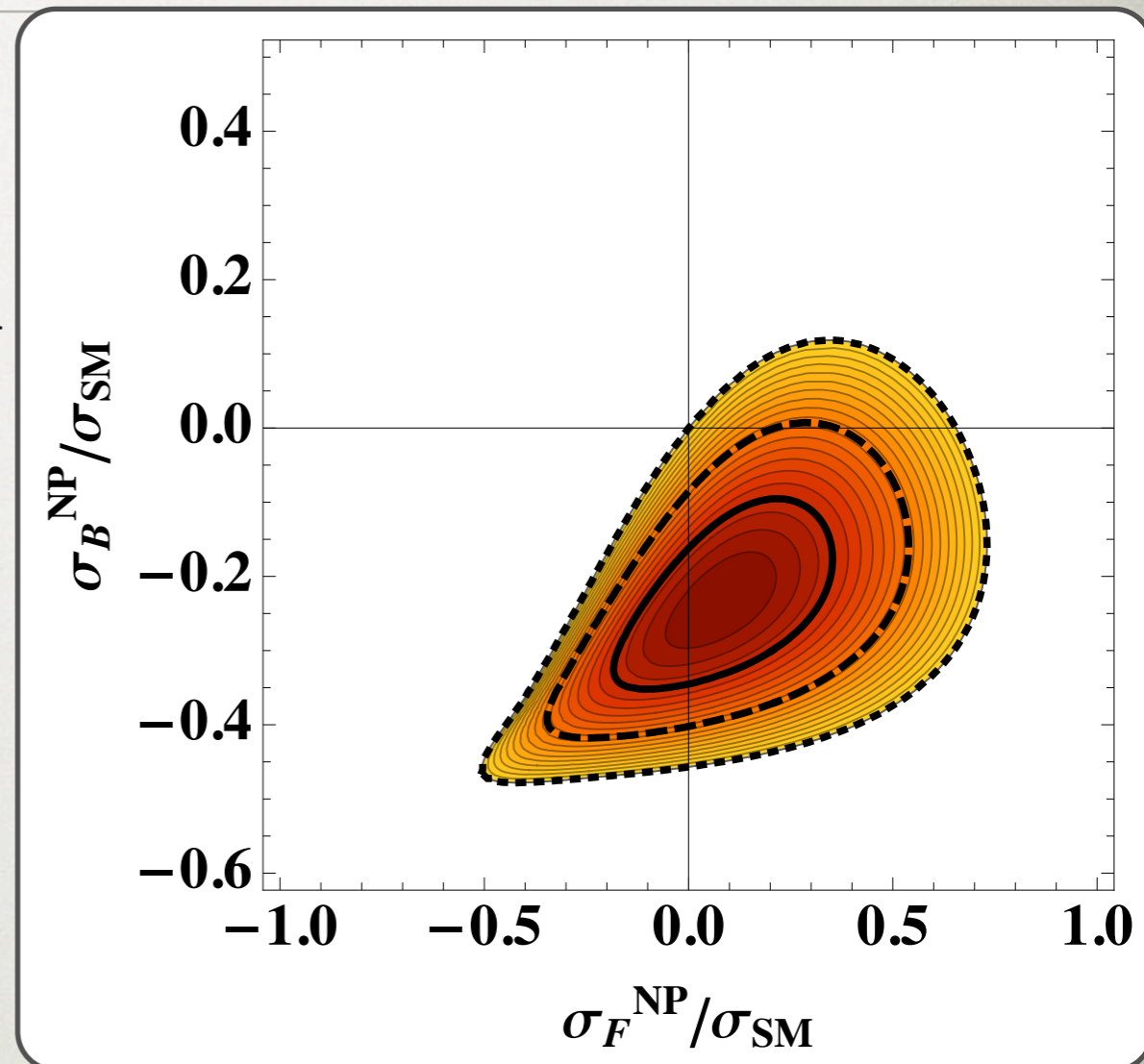
$$A_{FB}^{t\bar{t}} = \frac{\sigma_F^{SM} - \sigma_B^{SM} + \sigma_F^{NP} - \sigma_B^{NP}}{\sigma_F^{SM} + \sigma_B^{SM} + \sigma_F^{NP} + \sigma_B^{NP}}$$

- cross section agrees with the SM

$$\sigma_{exp}^{t\bar{t}}(M_{t\bar{t}} > 450\text{GeV}) = 1.9 \pm 0.5 \text{ pb}$$
$$\sigma^{SM}(M_{t\bar{t}} > 450\text{GeV}) = 1.78 \pm 0.14 \text{ pb}$$

MODEL INDEP. FIT

- σ_B is large and negative
 - it has to interfere with the SM
- if s-channel resonance:
 - to interfere with one-gluon exchange has to be color-octet
 - cannot be a scalar \Rightarrow “axigluon”



THREE SETS OF “T-CHANNEL” MODELS

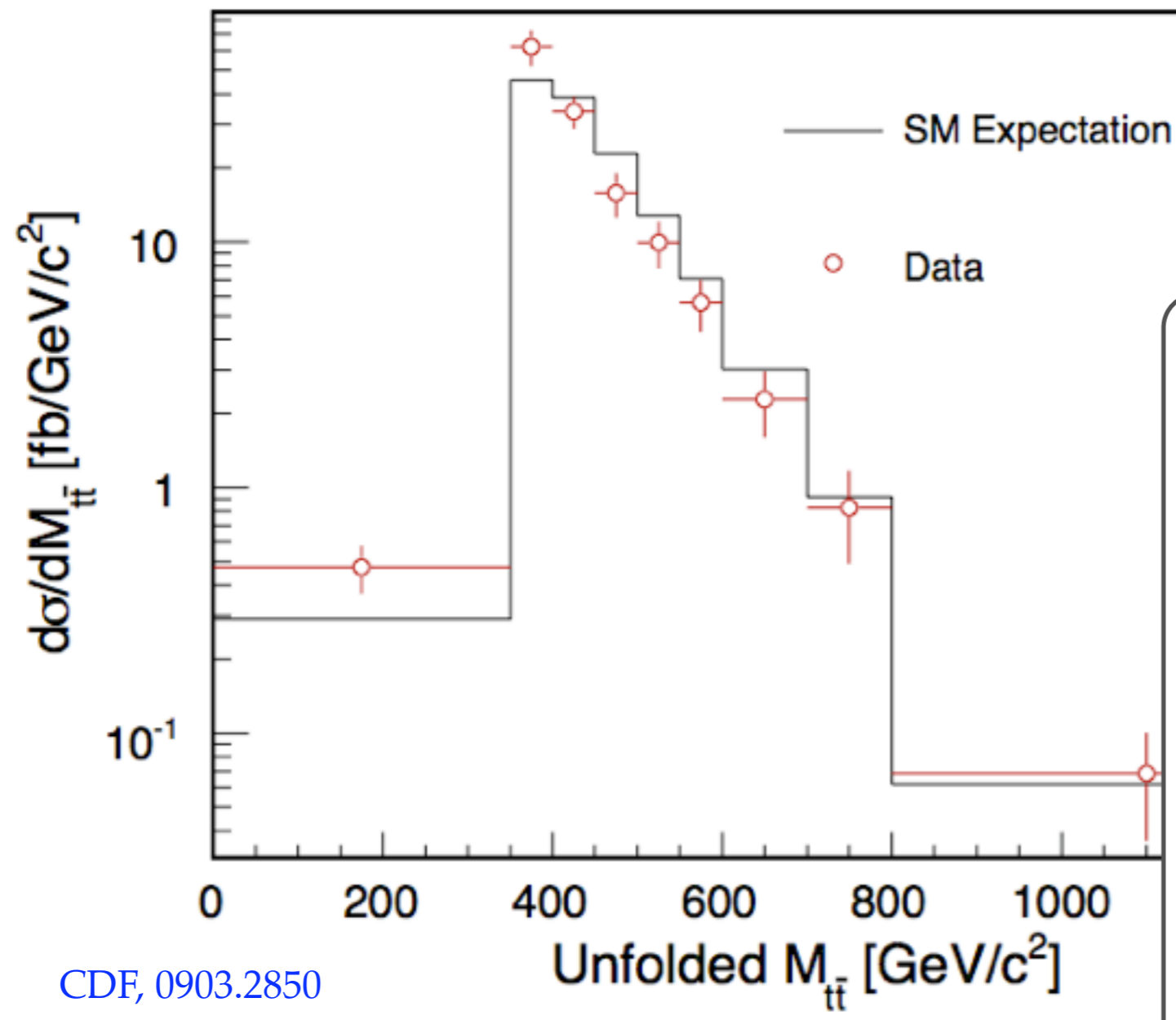
- “ t -channel” models
 - large flavor violation
 - flavor conserving
 - not exactly $t\bar{t}$, but $t\bar{t}+X$ (so no interference)

for heavy modes and A_{FB} see a talk by O. Gedalia

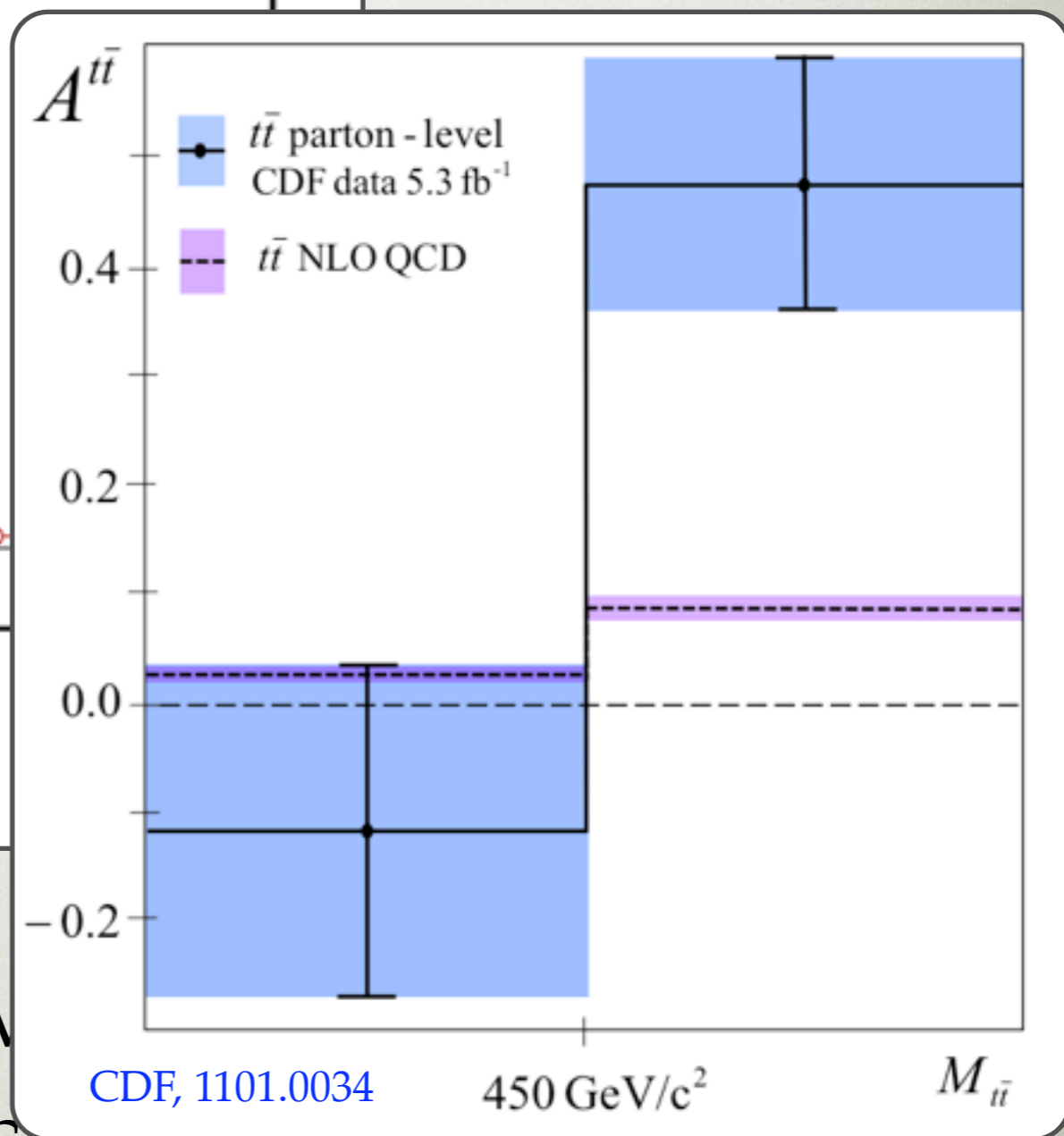
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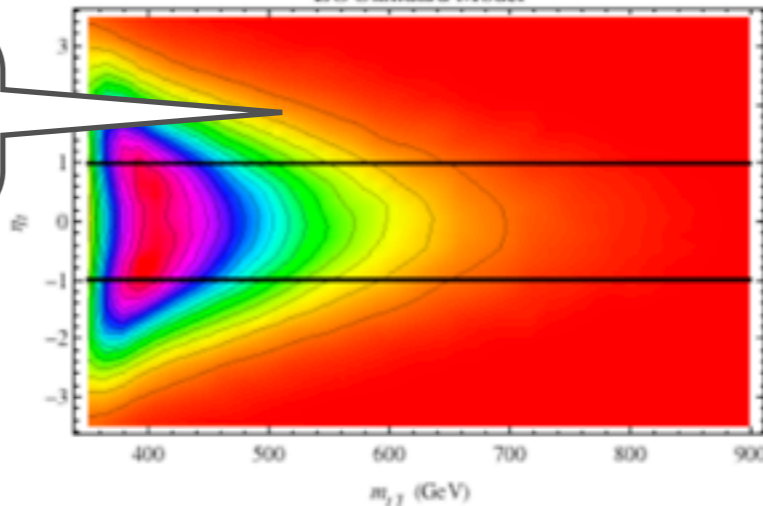
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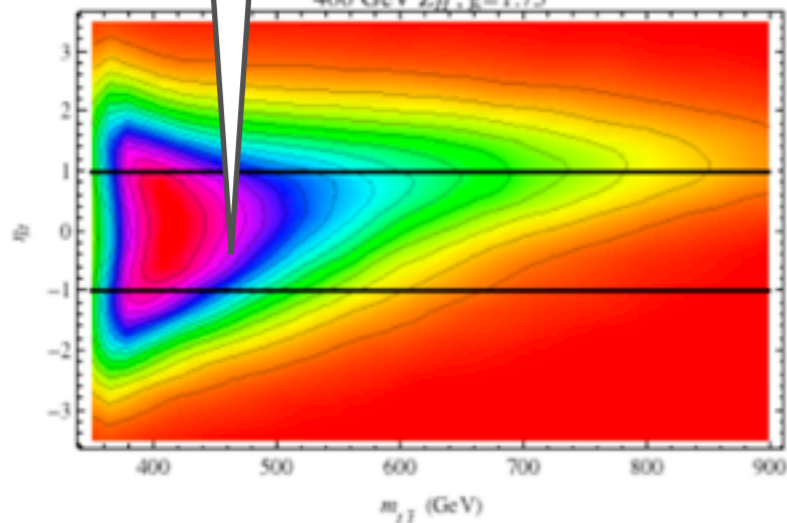
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600 GeV scalar triplet

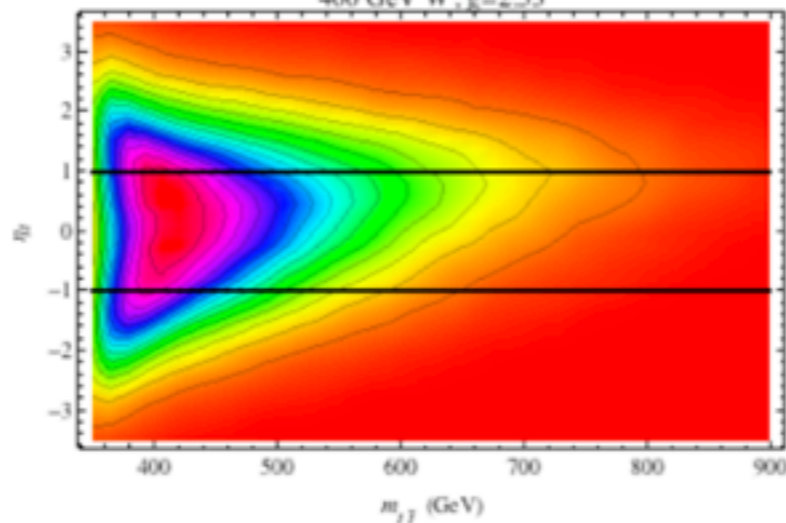
LO Standard Model



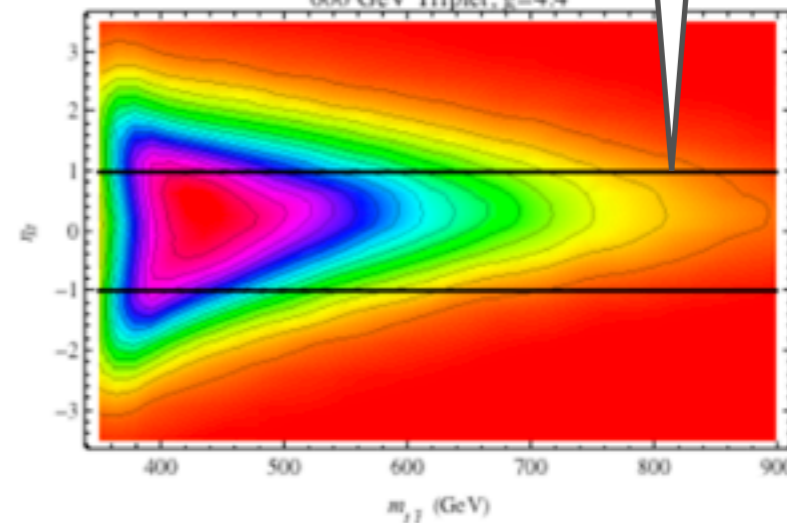
400 GeV $Z_{U'}$, $g=1.75$



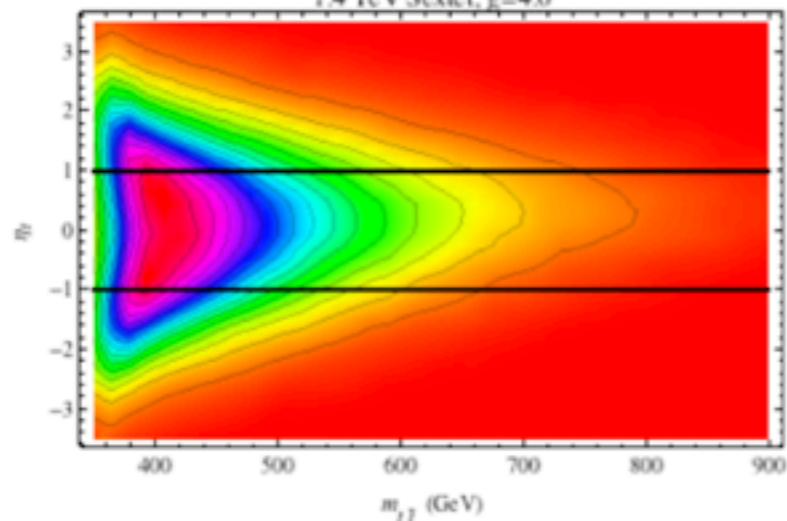
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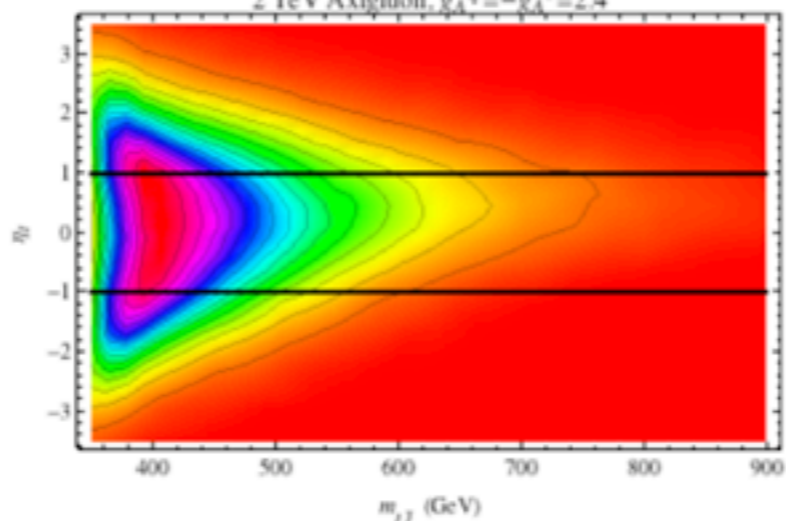
600 GeV Triplet, $g=4.4$



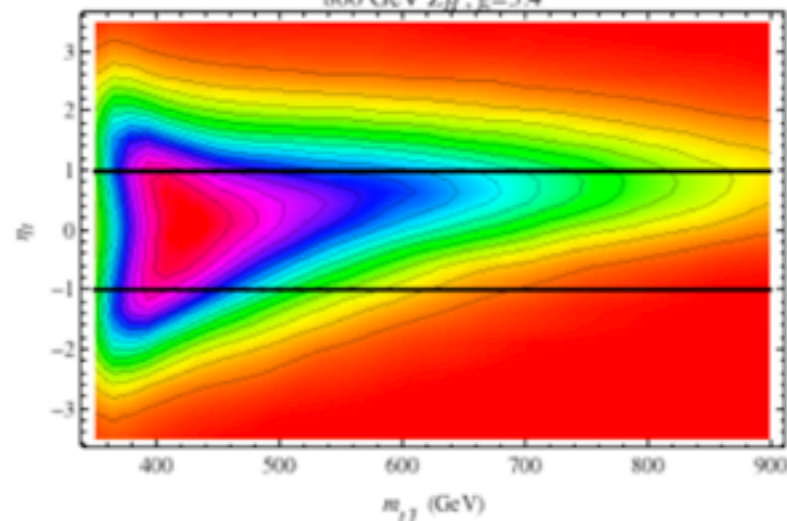
1.4 TeV Sextet, $g=4.0$



2 TeV Axigluon, $g_A^q = -g_A^l = 2.4$



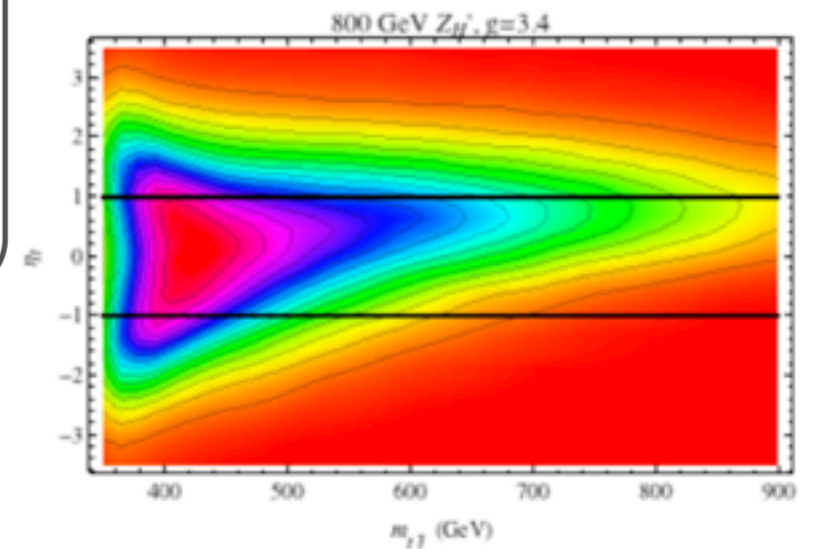
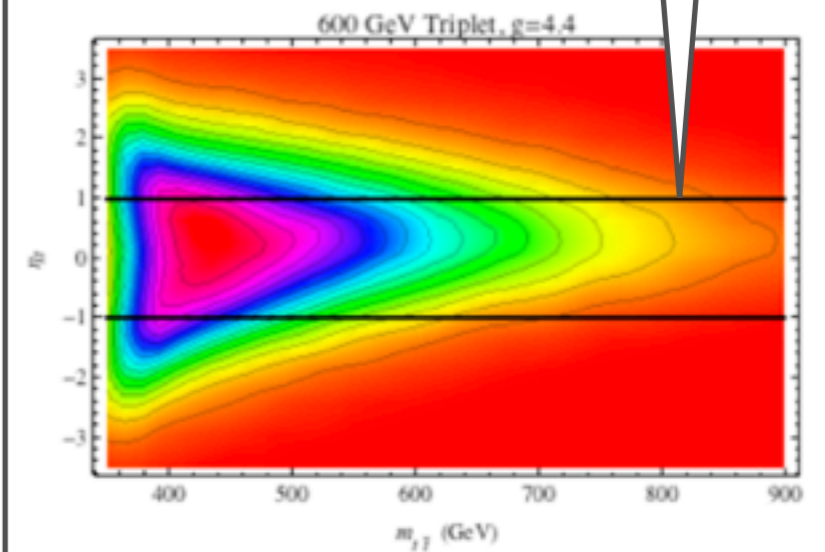
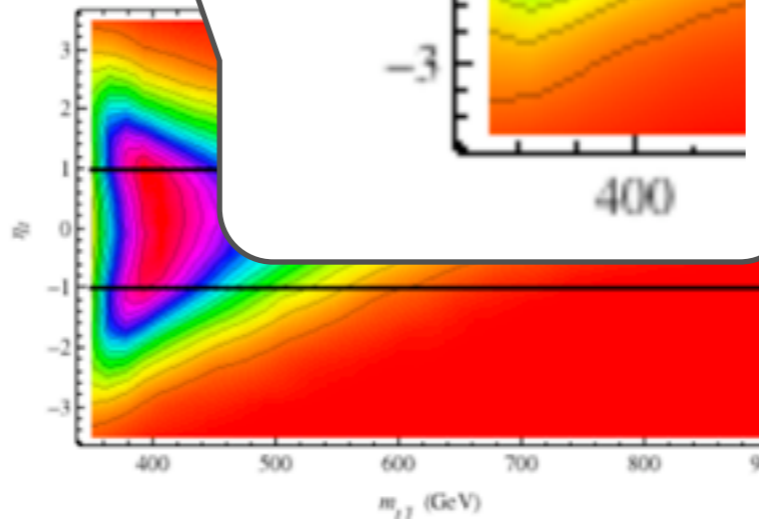
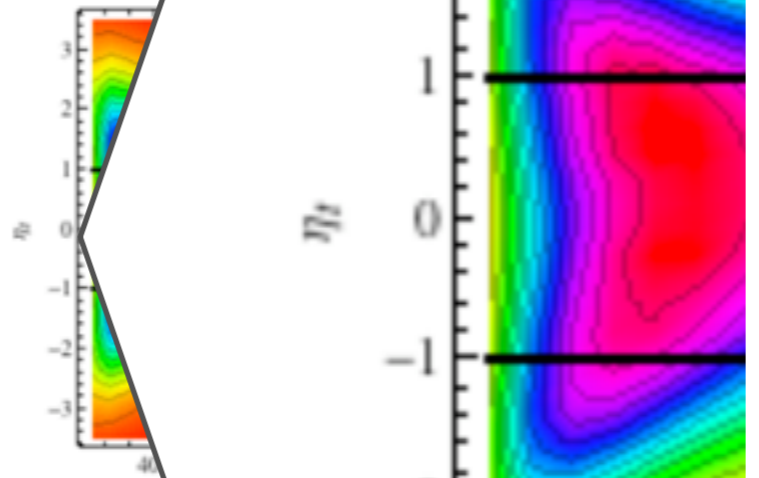
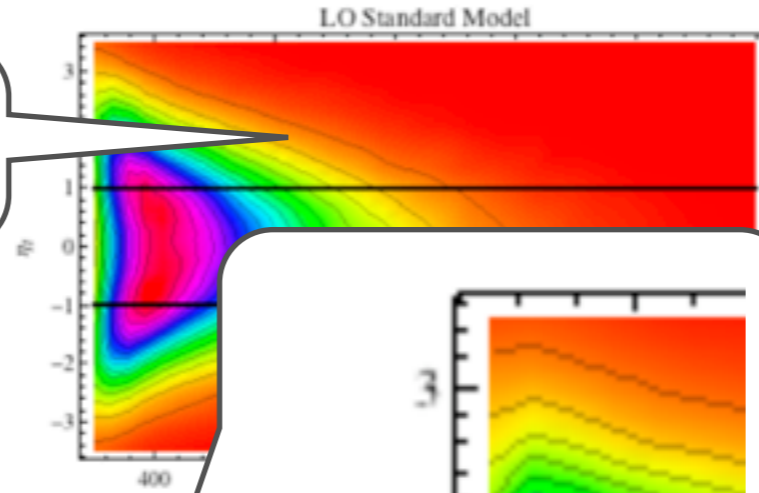
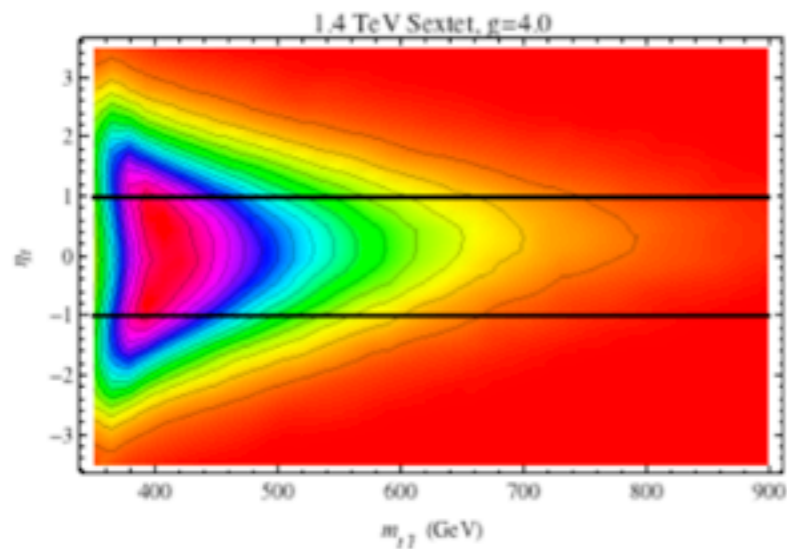
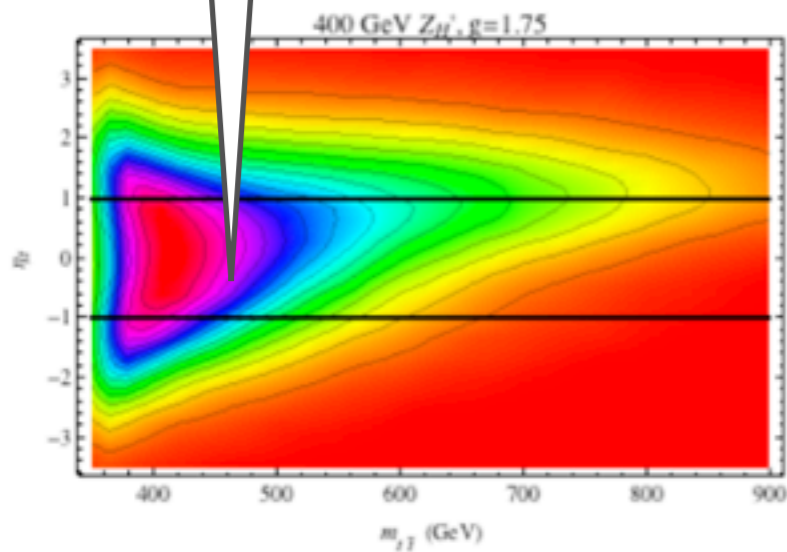
800 GeV $Z_{U'}$, $g=3.4$



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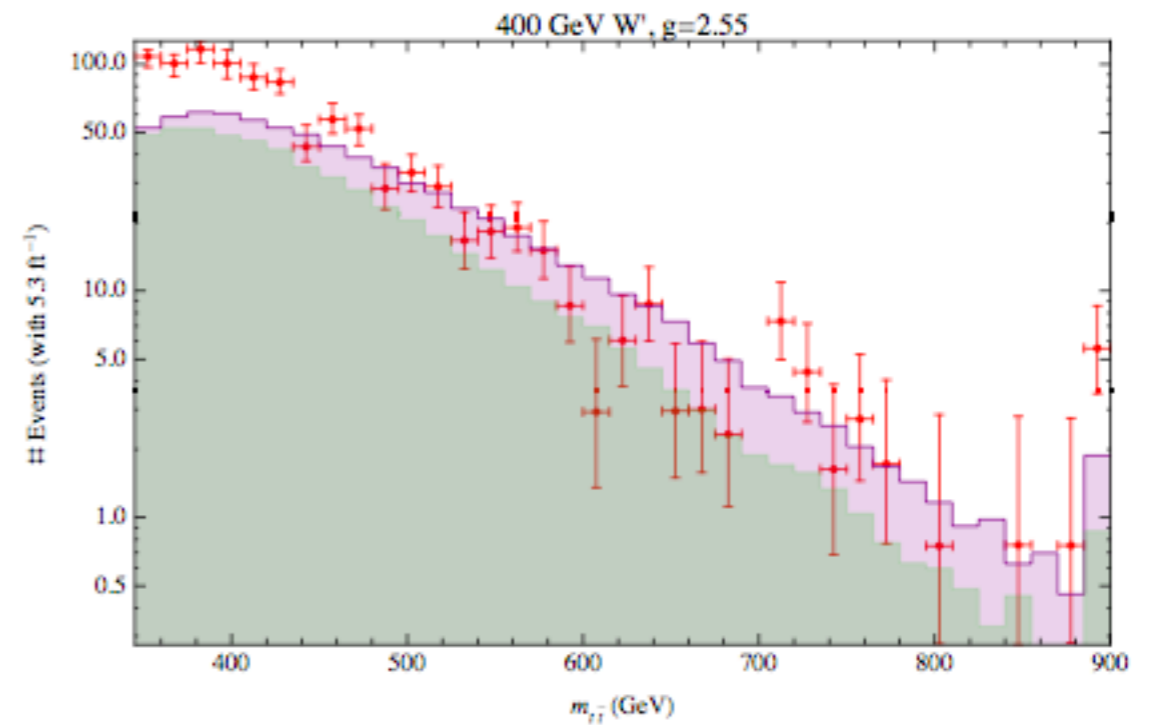
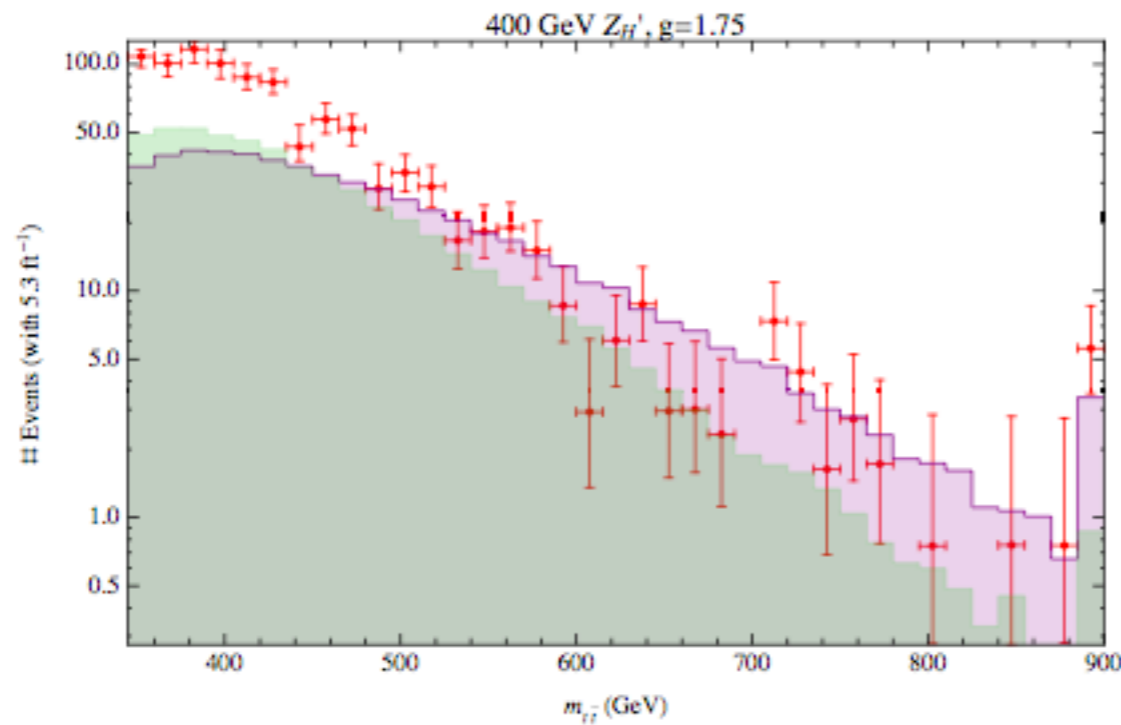
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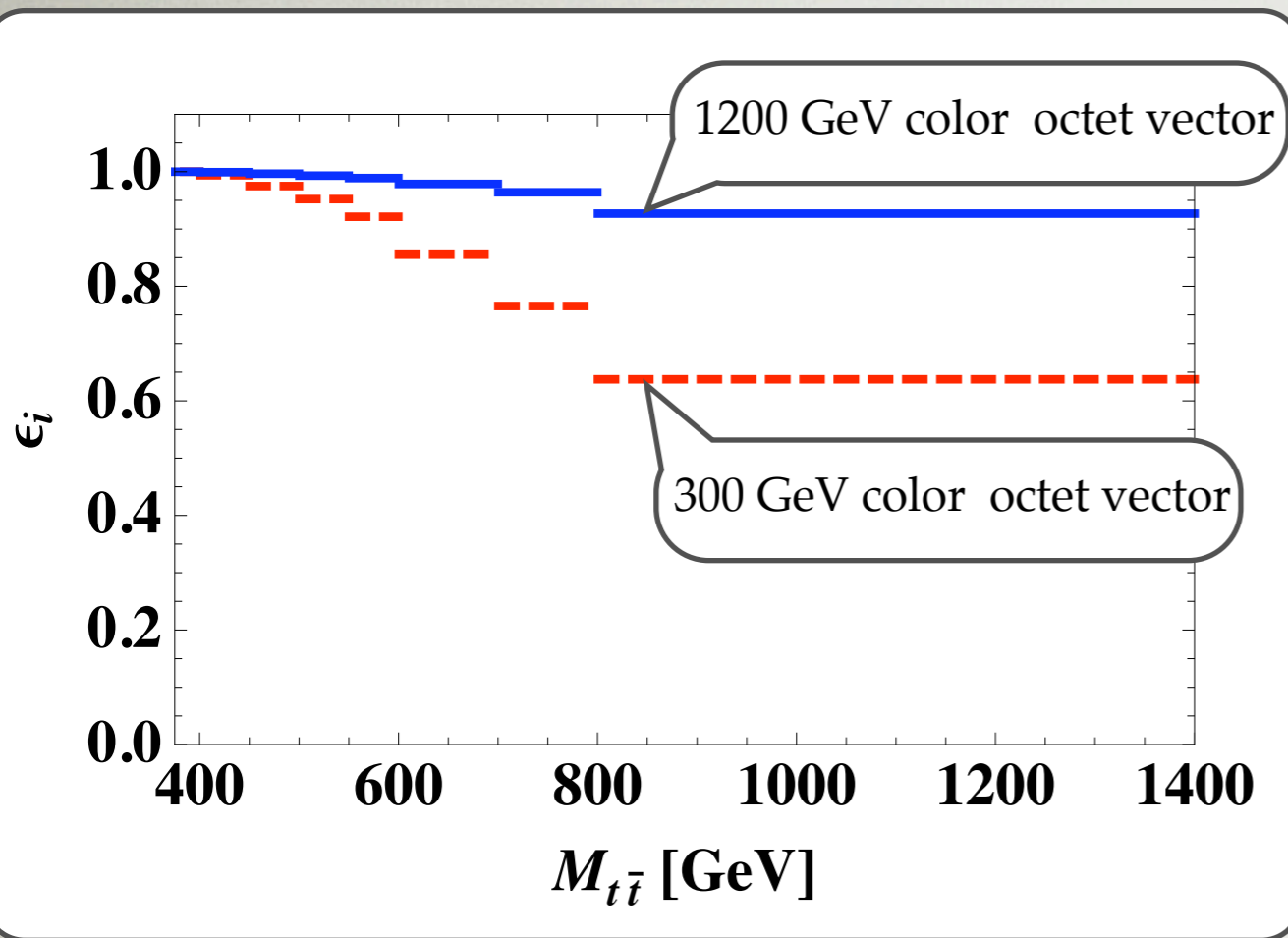
DETAILS

- make a 2D set of bins in $m_{t\bar{t}}$ and Δy
- use Madgraph to generate SM $t\bar{t}b\bar{b}$ partonic cross section
 - but restricted to a particular bin in $m_{t\bar{t}}$ and Δy
 - trick: implement cuts directly in `Subprocesses/cuts.f`
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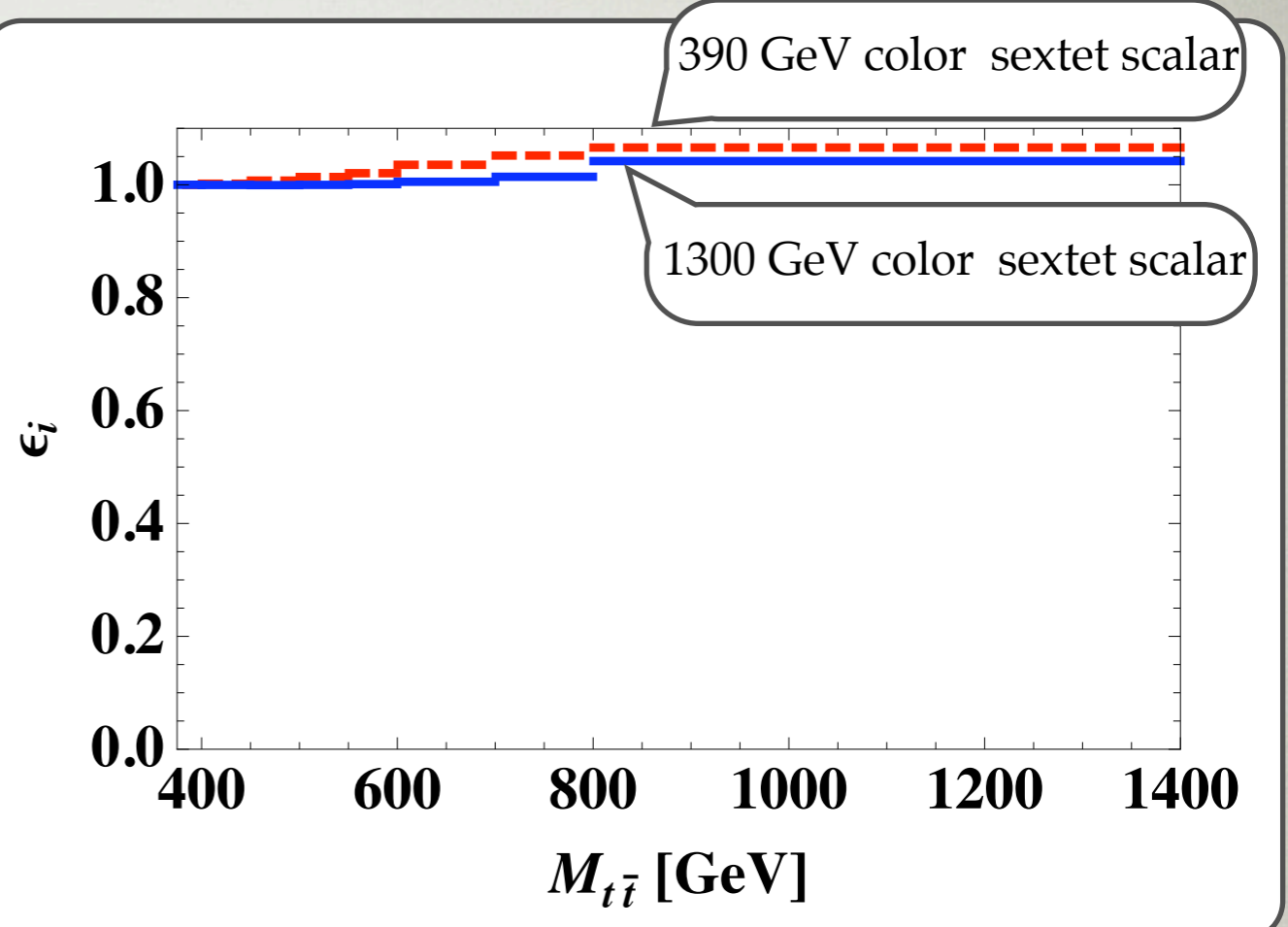
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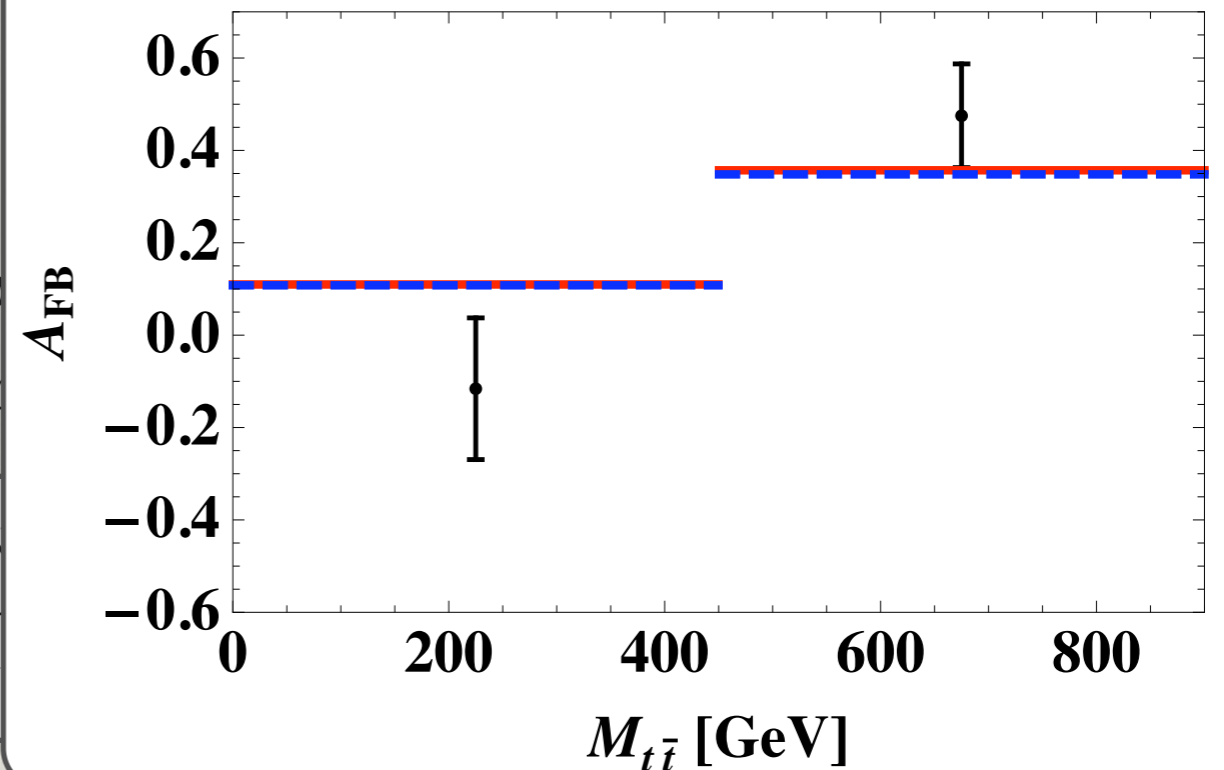
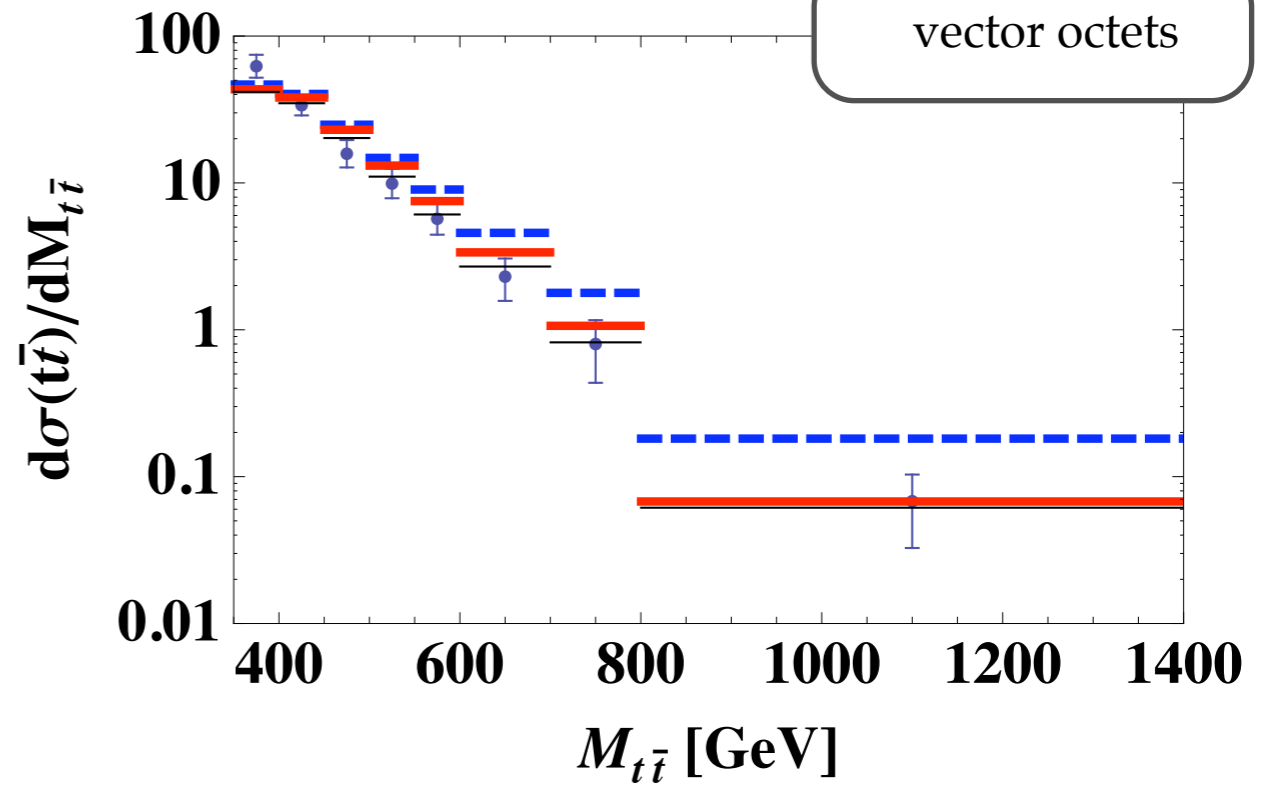
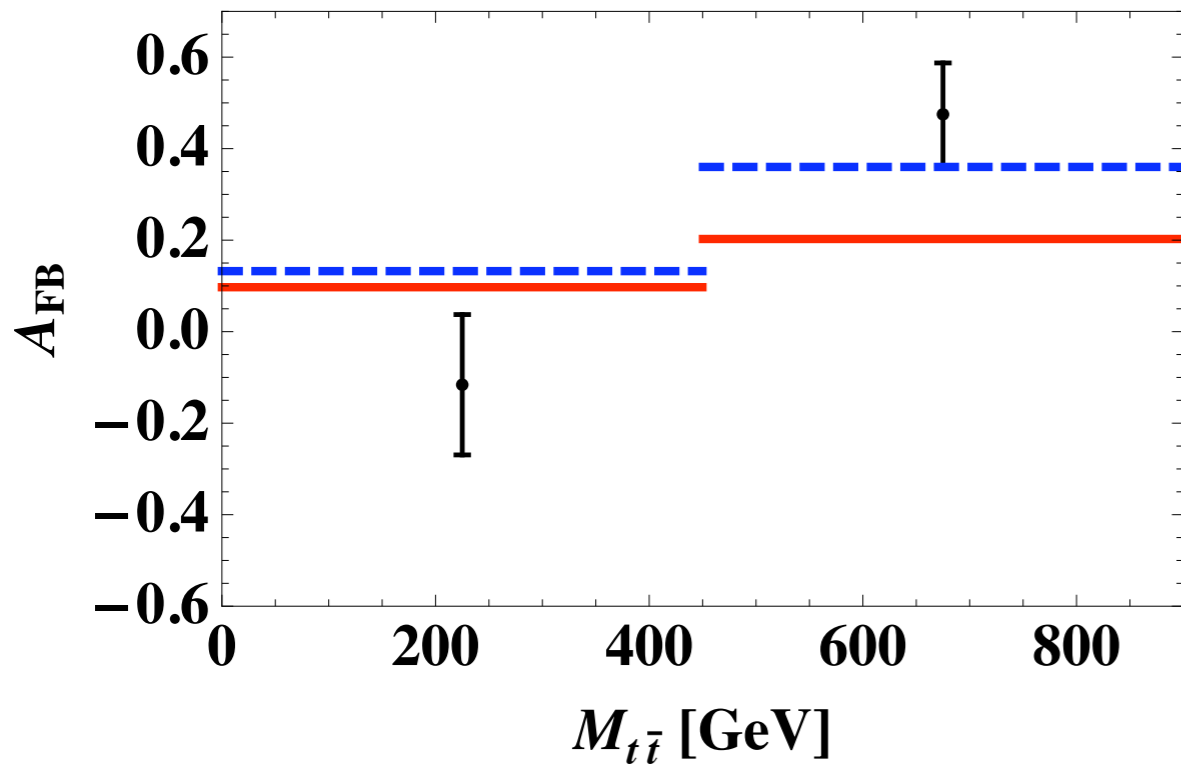
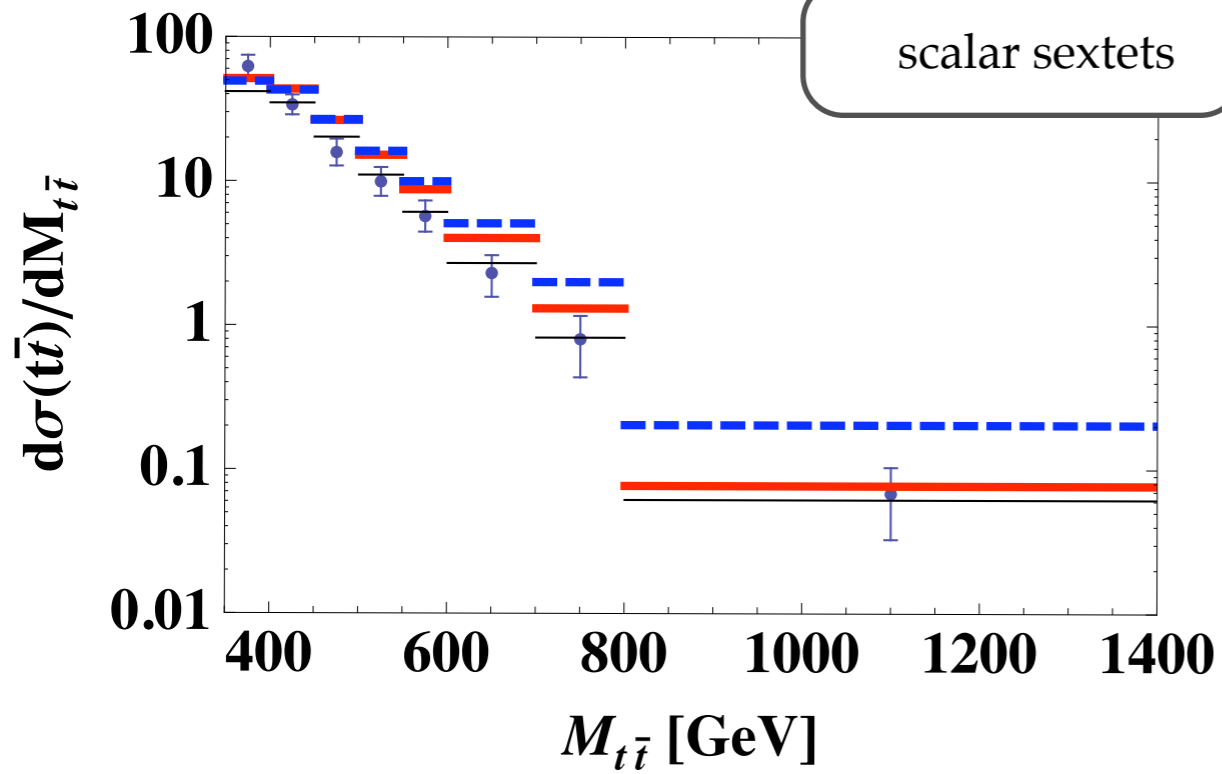


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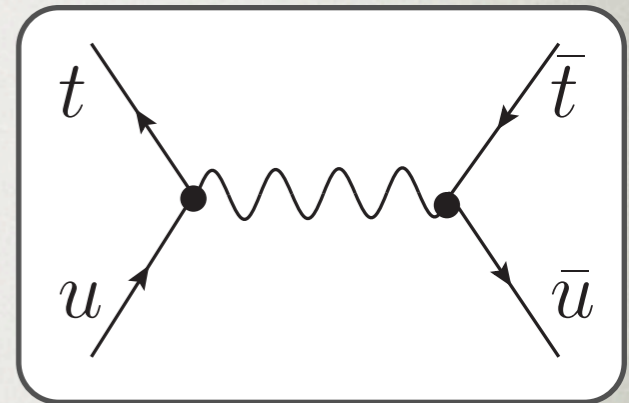
THE MODELS

LARGE FLAVOR VIOLATION

- large flavor violation: e.g. only t - u coupling

[S. Jung, A. Pierce, J. D. Wells 1103.4835](#)

- example: non-Abelian model of Jung et al.



- t_R and u_R are in a doublet of $SU(2)_X$
- W' and Z' gauge bosons of $SU(2)_X$ (EM neutral)
- this avoids same sign tt constraints that kill the Abelian model
- if $SU(2)_X$ broken by a scalar doublet \Rightarrow “ $SU(2)_X$ custodial symmetry” $\Rightarrow m_{W'}=m_{Z'}$
- custodial symm. needs to be broken for viable phenomenology

[S. Jung, H. Murayama, A. Pierce, J. D. Wells, 0907.4112](#)

NON-CUSTODIAL LAGRANGIAN

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{L} = & \frac{g_X}{\sqrt{2}} W'_\mu \left\{ \bar{t}_R \gamma^\mu t_R (-cs) + \bar{u}_R \gamma^\mu u_R (cs) + \bar{t}_R \gamma^\mu u_R (c^2) + \bar{u}_R \gamma^\mu t_R (-s^2) \right\} \\ & + \frac{g_X}{\sqrt{2}} W'_\mu \left\{ \bar{t}_R \gamma^\mu t_R (-cs) + \bar{u}_R \gamma^\mu u_R (cs) + \bar{t}_R \gamma^\mu u_R (-s^2) + \bar{u}_R \gamma^\mu t_R (c^2) \right\} \\ & + \frac{g_X}{2} Z'_\mu \left\{ \bar{t}_R \gamma^\mu t_R (c^2 - s^2) + \bar{u}_R \gamma^\mu u_R (s^2 - c^2) + \bar{t}_R \gamma^\mu u_R (2cs) + \bar{u}_R \gamma^\mu t_R (2cs) \right\}. \end{aligned}$$

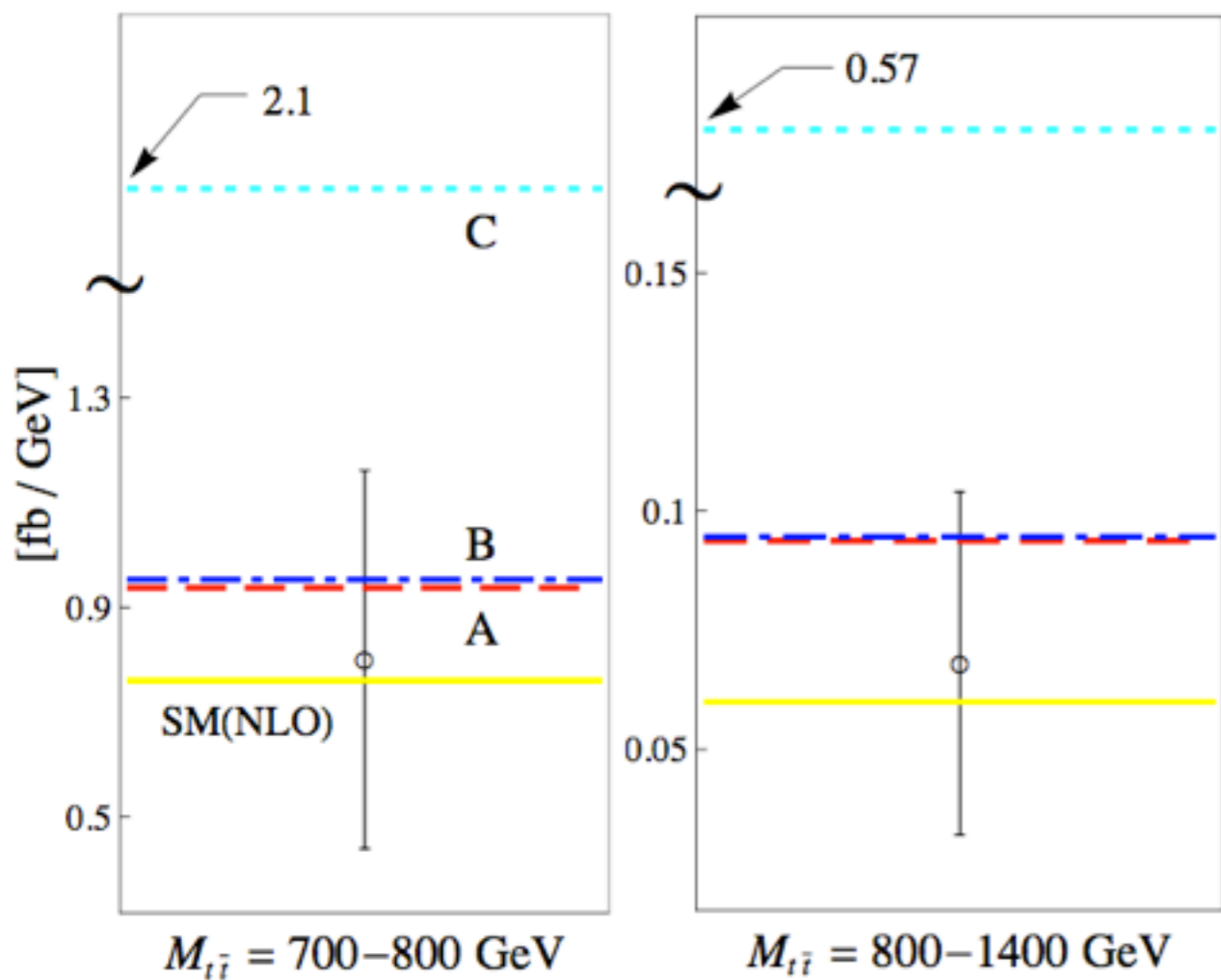
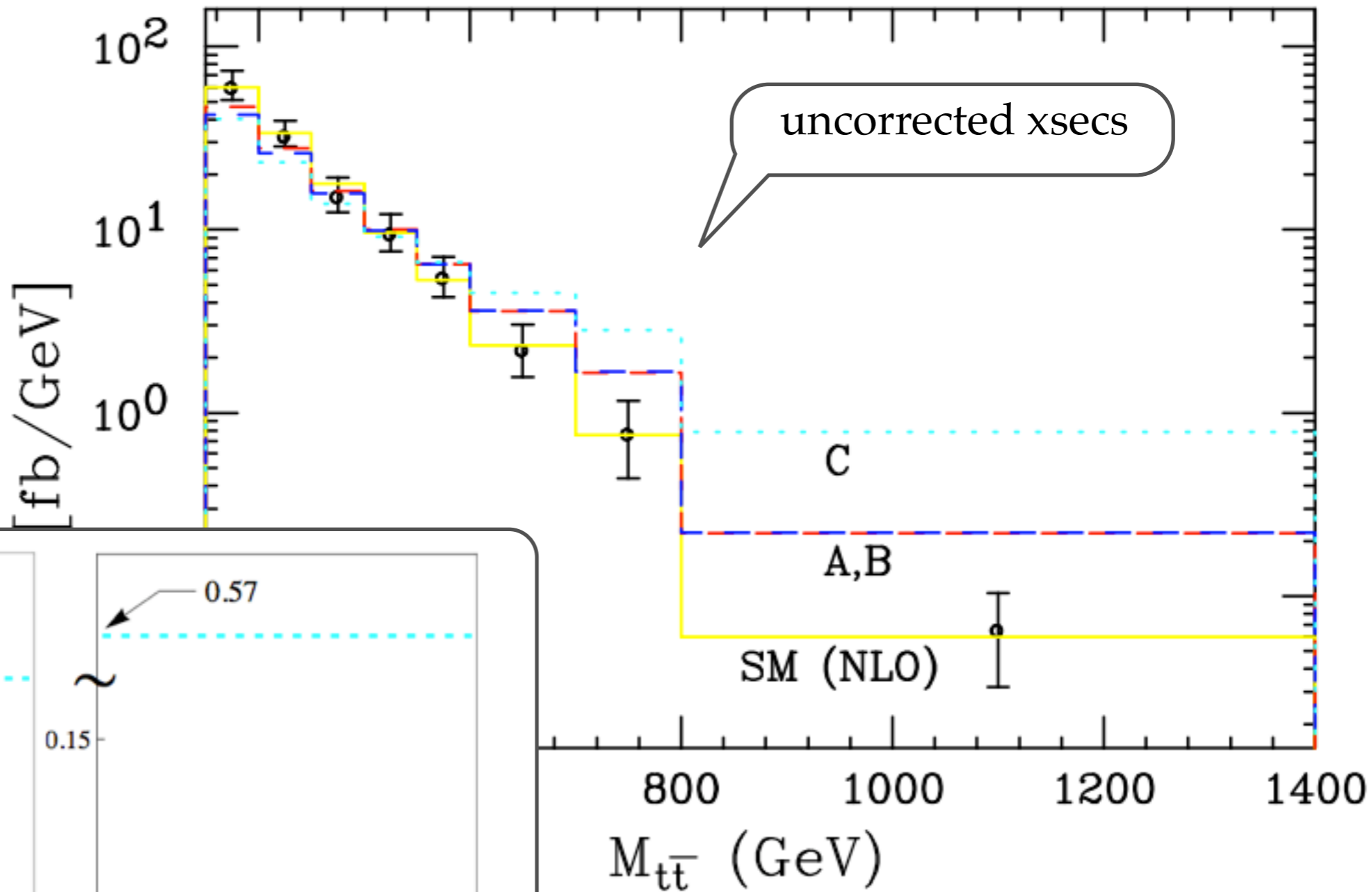
$$c = \cos \theta \text{ and } s = \sin \theta$$

- $\theta \neq 0 \Rightarrow t_R$ and u_R numbers are broken
- $\cos \theta$ needs to be close to one so that large A_{FB} from u - t - W' and small u - u - W' ($0.92 < \cos \theta$)
- but dijets require $\cos \theta < 1$ so that reduced u - u - Z' coupling
- their preferred choice is

	$M_{W'} \text{ (GeV)}$	$M_{Z'} \text{ (GeV)}$	α_X	$\cos \theta$
A:	200	280	0.060	0.95

- gives $A_{FB}(>450) = 0.22$ (0.30)

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{g_X}{\sqrt{2}} W_\mu^\pm \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \psi + \frac{g_X}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{\psi} \gamma^\mu \psi A_\mu$$



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FLAVOR STRUCTURE

- if there is an $SU(2)_X$ doublet with vev.
- generates (only) top mass from dim 5 operator

S. Jung, A. Pierce, J. D. Wells 1103.4835
another example: Shelton, Zurek 1101.5392

$$\Delta\mathcal{L} \ni \frac{(\lambda'_u)_i}{M} (\bar{Q}_i \cdot h_{SM}) (\phi_D \cdot q).$$

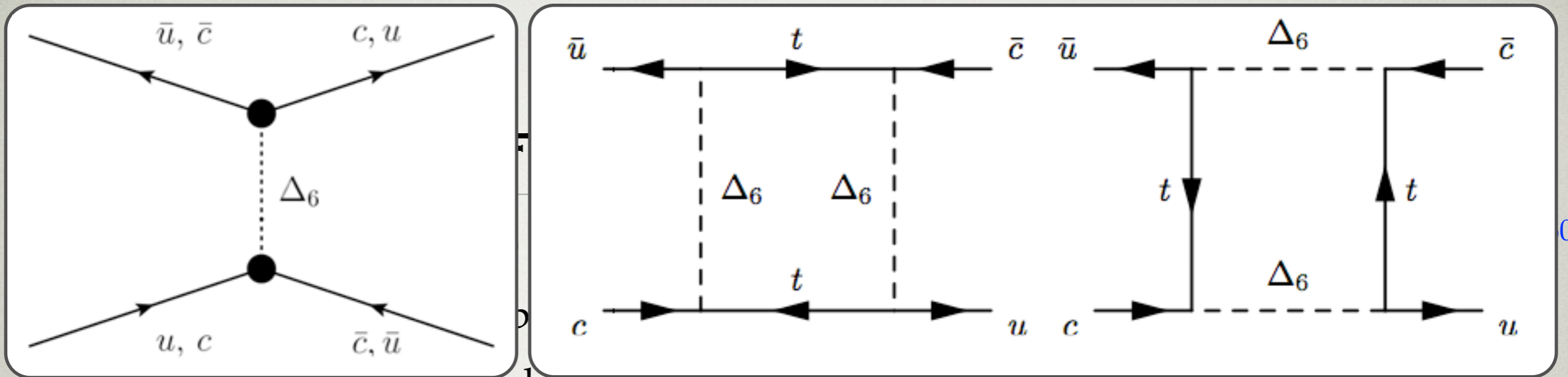
$$q = (t_R, u_R)$$

- unspecified in their paper, but potentially
 - charm quark a mass from dim 4 operator (SM yukawa)
 - u-quark mass from higher dim. ops.?
- vacuum alignment problem:
 - the charm quark direction needs to be aligned finely so that no u_R-c_R-W' or u_R-c_R-Z' couplings
 - the direction of scalars giving mass to $W'-Z'$ need to be aligned with top-quark mass direction to $\sim 5\%$ (note: these are necessarily different scalars)
- also extra states so that the $SU(2)_X$ is not anomalous

A_{FB} FROM GUTS

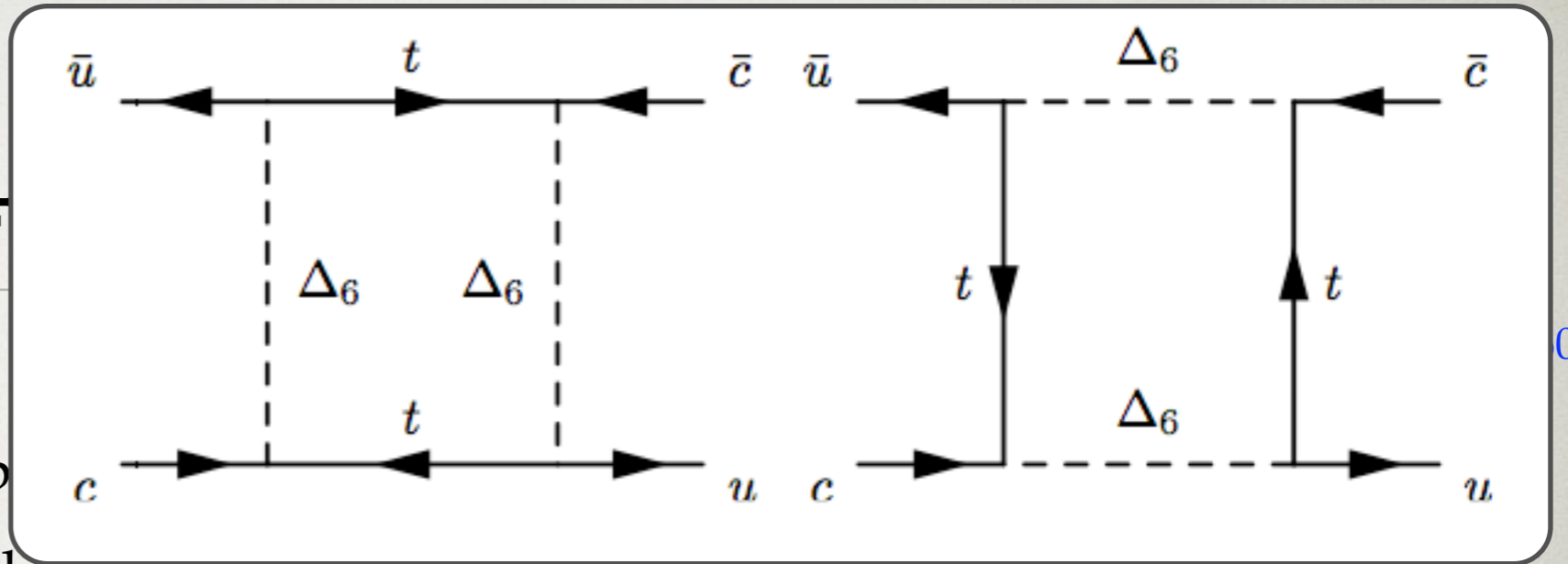
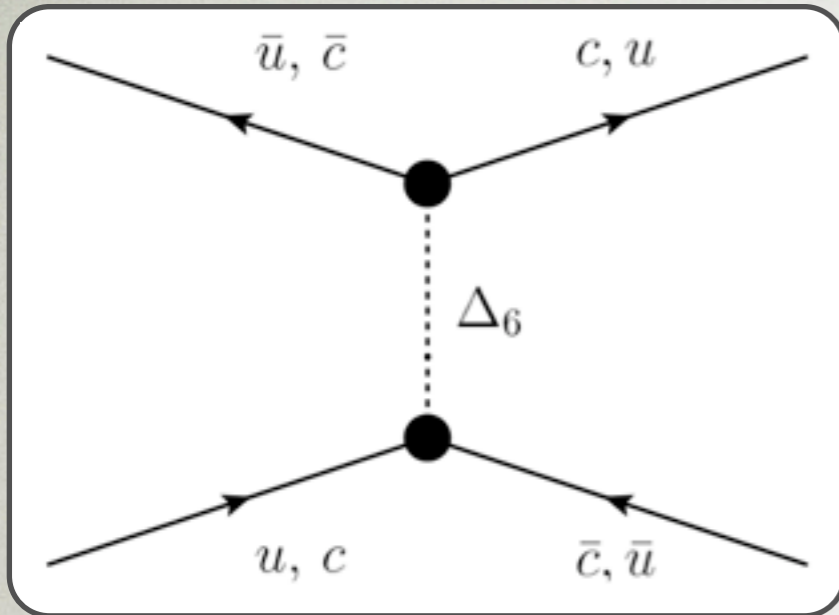
Dorsner, Fajfer, Kamenik, Kosnik, 0912.0972; 1007.2604

- non-SUSY SU(5) model
- 45-dim higgs rep. is split
 - two light scalars at TeV: $\Delta_6 \sim (3, 1, -4/3)$, $\Delta_1 \sim (8, 2, 1/2)$
 - these do not mediate proton decay at tree level
 - the remaining part of the multiplet heavy
- to have gauge coupl. unif.: similar split in 24-dim fermionic multiplet
 - also gives neutrino masses through type I and III see-saw
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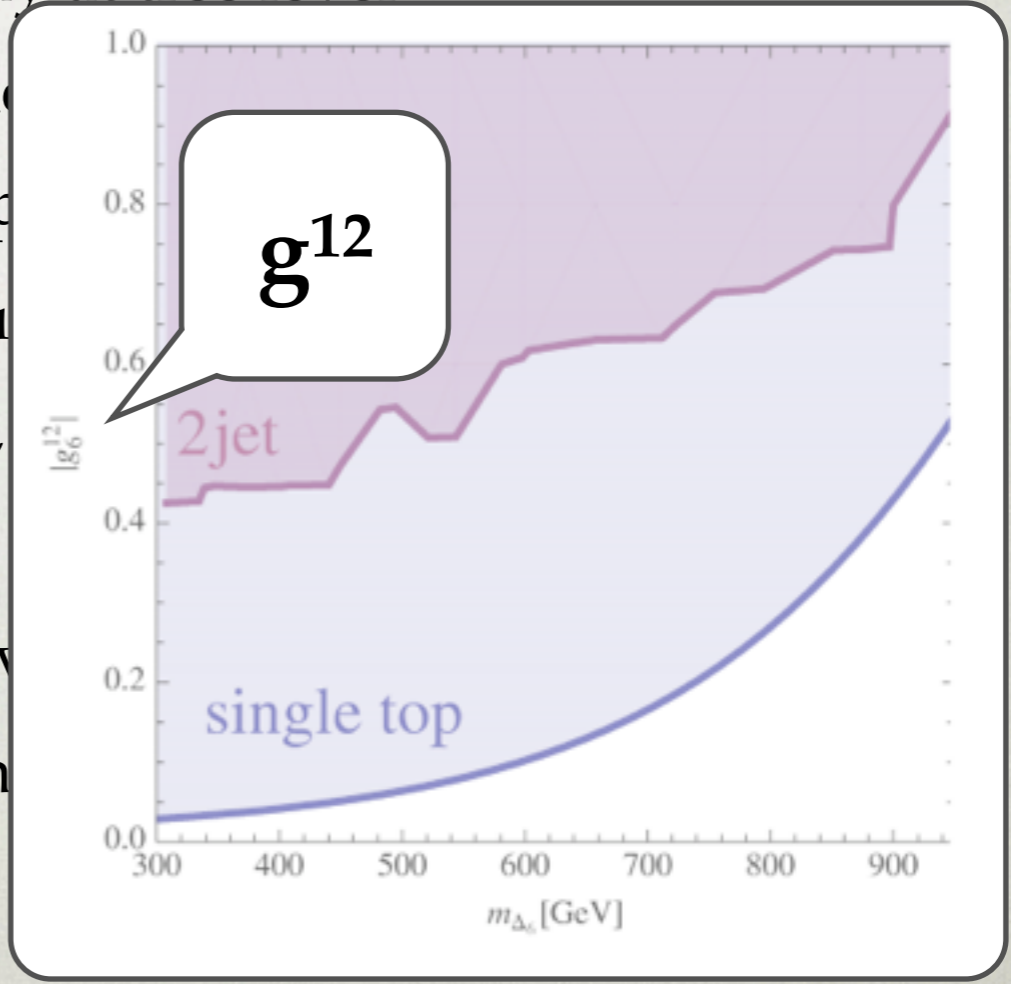


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$$|g_6^{13}| = 0.9(2) + 2.5(4) \frac{m_{\Delta_6}}{1 \text{ TeV}}$$

- also gives neutrino masses through
- to have $|g_6^{23}| < 0.0038$ at 10 GeV,
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“FLAVOURFUL PRODUCTION AT HADRON COLLIDERS”

Giudice, Gripaio, Sundrum, 1105.3161

- another example of large flavor violation
- focus on diquarks
- assume that couplings to quarks hierarchical in the same basis as yukawas are hierachical
 - depending on color assignment there may or may not be tree level FCNCs
- for A_{FB} most interesting the diquarks that couple antisymmetrically
 - “perverted hierarchy”
 - one needs “chiral hierarchy”

$$\mathcal{L} = -\sum_{i,j} \left(y_{ij}^u \epsilon_i^q \epsilon_j^{u\bar{i}} \bar{q}_L^i H u_R^j + y_{ij}^d \epsilon_i^q \epsilon_j^{d\bar{i}} \bar{q}_L^i H^c d_R^j \right) + \text{h.c.},$$

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Hierarchy	CKM-like	Chiral hierarchy
Inverted	$(\lambda_3^u)^2 \lesssim 10 (D)$	$(\lambda_3^u)^2 \lesssim 90 (D)$
Normal	$(\lambda_1^u)^2 \lesssim 0.03 (D)$	$(\lambda_1^u)^2 \lesssim 0.7 (D)$
Perverted	$(\lambda_2^u)^2 \lesssim 0.03 (D)$	$(\lambda_2^u)^2 \lesssim 0.7 (D)$
Inverted	$(\lambda_3^d)^2 \lesssim 2 (B_d)$	$(\lambda_3^d)^2 \lesssim 0.06 (K)$
	$\lambda_3^d \lesssim 1 (B \rightarrow \phi\pi)$	$\lambda_3^d \lesssim 0.3 (B \rightarrow \phi\pi)$
Normal, Perverted	$(\lambda_{1,2}^d)^2 \lesssim 0.01 (K)$	$(\lambda_{1,2}^d)^2 \lesssim 0.01 (K)$
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TABLE III: Bounds (with the process in parentheses) on the largest diquark coupling in units of M/TeV , for each of the three hierarchies, for CKM-like mixing and Chiral Hierarchy. The couplings are defined in eq'ns (8,12).

- one needs “chiral hierarchy”

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FLAVOR CONSERVING MODELS

- $t\bar{t}$ production is not flavor violating
 - so why flavor violating models?
- in **s-channel**: to have $A_{FB} > 0 \Rightarrow$ coupl. to $q\bar{q}$ opposite to $t\bar{t}$
 - Cao, McKeen, Rosner, Shaughnessy, Wagner, 1003.3461 Bai, Hewett, Kaplan, Rizzo, 1101.5203
 - is flavor diagonal but not flavor universal!
 - so inherent flavor violation to the model is likely
- in **t-channel**: large $u-t$ ($d-t$) couplings
 - in concrete models one has to worry about FCNCs
 - Dörsner, Fajfer, Kamenik, Kosnik, 1007.2604 Shelton, Zurek, 1101.5392
 - option 1): make $c-t$ and $u-c$ coupls. small
 - Jung, Pierce, Wells, 1103.4835 Jung, Murayama, Pierce, Wells, 0907.4112 Gresham, Kim, Zurek, 1102.0018
 - option 2): protected by flavor symmetry
 - Grinstein, Kagan, Trott, JZ, 1102.3374 Delaunay, Gedalia, Lee, Perez, Ponton, 1101.2902 Babu, Frank, Kumar Rai, 1104.4782 Ligeti, Schmaltz, Tavares, 1103.2757

GENERALLY

[Grinstein, Kagan, Trott, JZ, 1102.3374](#)

- a quick general analysis:
 - assume SM flavor symmetries
 - list all possible scalar and vector fields that can couple to quarks renormal.
- vectors: 22 possibilities
- scalars: 14 possibilities
- most of these could contribute to/generate A_{FB}
- will focus only on two
 - vector color octet, octet of flavor
 - scalar color sextet, sextet of flavor
- for concreteness for flavor breaking we can assume MFV
 - the exact form not really essential, just that is small

MFV scalars

Case	$SU(3)_c$	$SU(2)_L$	$U(1)_Y$	$SU(3)_{U_R} \times SU(3)_{D_R} \times SU(3)_{Q_L}$	Couples to
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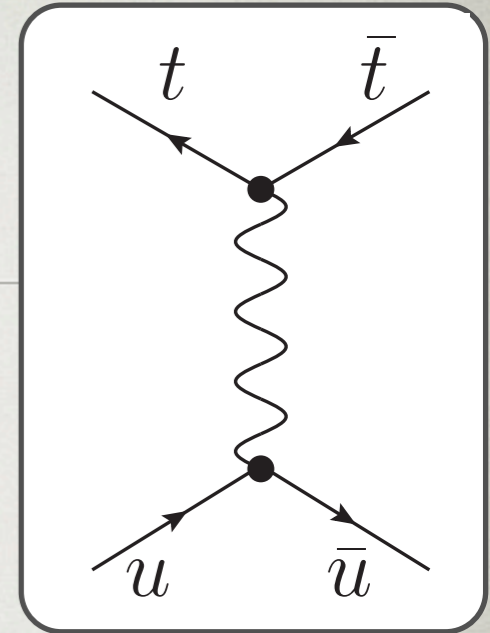
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MFV vectors

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III _{s,o}	1,8	1	0	$(1,1,1)$	$\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu Q_L$
IV _{s,o}	1,8	3	0	$(1,1,1)$	$\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu Q_L$
V _{s,o}	1,8	1	0	$(1,8,1)$	$\bar{d}_R \gamma^\mu d_R$
VI _{s,o}	1,8	1	0	$(8,1,1)$	$\bar{u}_R \gamma^\mu u_R$
VII _{s,o}	1,8	1	-1	$(3,3,1)$	$\bar{d}_R \gamma^\mu u_R$
VIII _{s,o}	1,8	1	0	$(1,1,8)$	$\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu Q_L$
IX _{s,o}	1,8	3	0	$(1,1,8)$	$\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu Q_L$
X _{$\bar{3},6$}	$\bar{3},6$	2	-1/6	$(1,3,3)$	$\bar{d}_R \gamma^\mu Q_L^c$
XI _{$\bar{3},6$}	$\bar{3},6$	2	5/6	$(3,1,3)$	$\bar{u}_R \gamma^\mu Q_L^c$

FORWARD BACKWARD ASYMMETRY



- these fields have $O(1)$ coupls. to quarks (all gens.)
- an example: **flavor singlet vector (s-channel)**

$$\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu Q_L V_\mu = \bar{t}_L \gamma^\mu t_L + \bar{u}_L \gamma^\mu u_L + \dots$$

- need breaking : yukawas can flip the sign of $t\bar{t}$ coupling

$$\bar{Q}_L \gamma^\mu Y_U^\dagger Y_U Q_L V_\mu = y_t^2 \bar{t}_L \gamma^\mu t_L$$

- our example: **flavor octet vector (s-channel)**

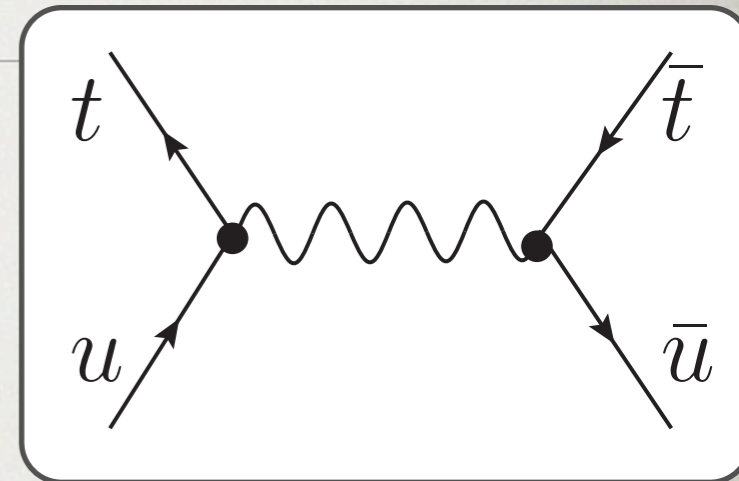
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- the sign of coupl. to top pair is opposite to the one for u, c
- this is without any flavor violation (no yukawa insertions)

FORWARD BACKWARD ASYMMETRY

- **flavor octet: t -channel**

$$(\bar{Q}_L T^A \gamma^\mu Q_L) V_\mu^A = (V_\mu^4 - iV_\mu^5) (\bar{t}_L \gamma^\mu u_L) + \dots$$



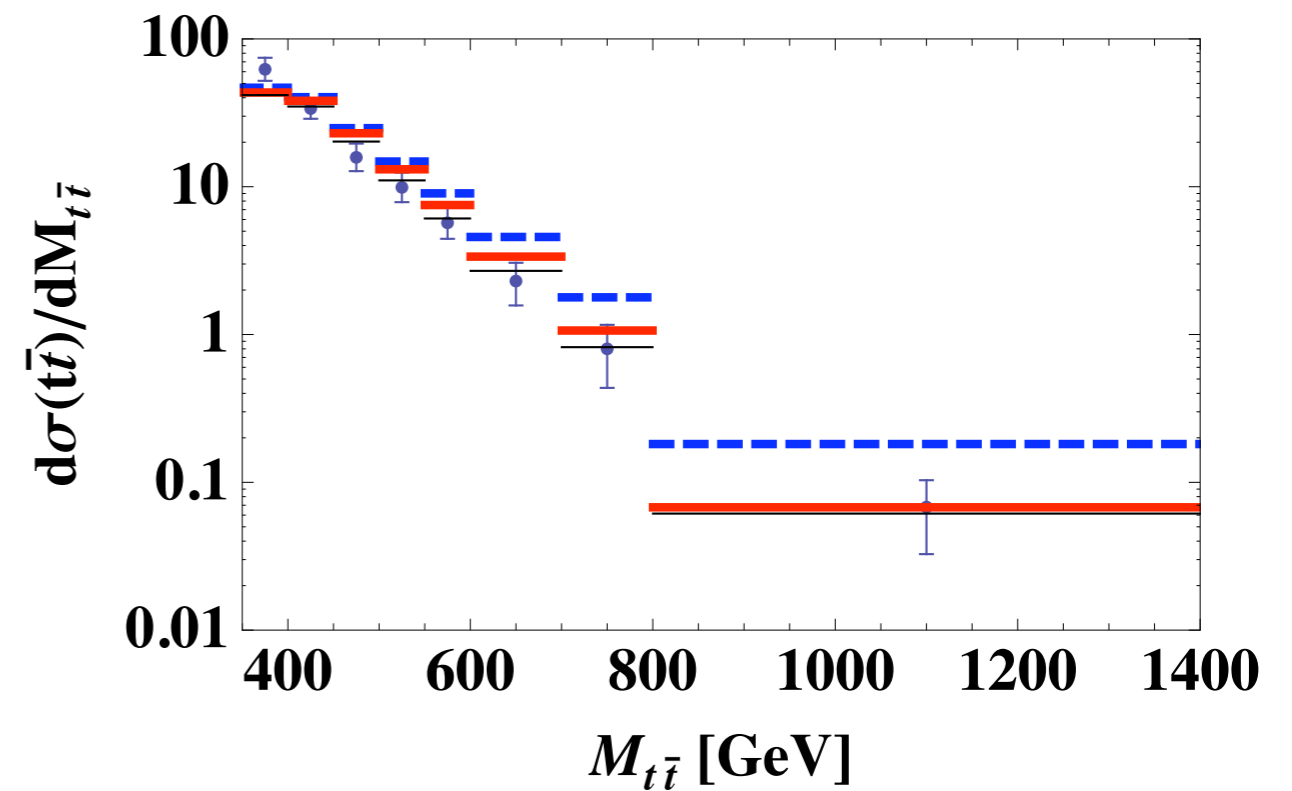
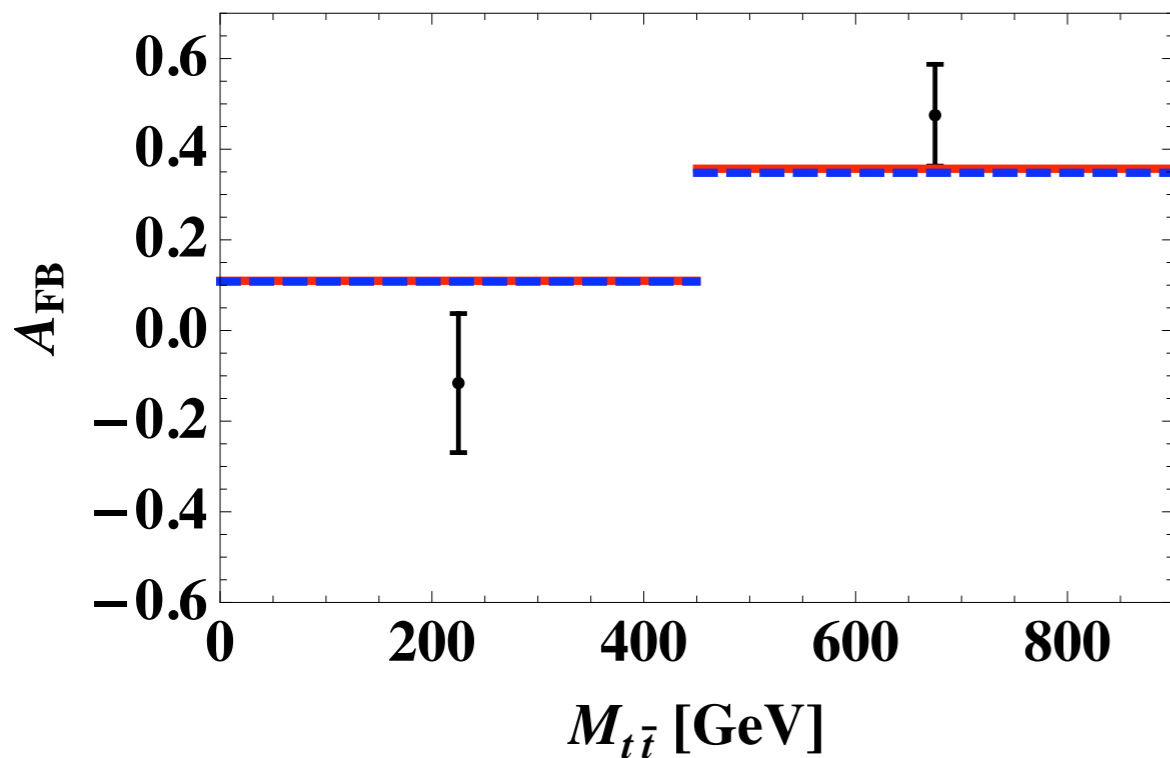
- $O(1)$ flavor changing term (no CKMs)
- so why no FCNCs?
- in the flavor symmetric limit the propagator

$$(\bar{q}_i q_j \rightarrow \bar{q}_l q_k) \propto \dots \delta_{ij} \delta_{lk} + \dots \delta_{il} \delta_{jk}$$

- there are no $\Delta F=2$ amplitudes unless G_F broken
- e.g. for B_s mixing would need $(\bar{s}b)^2$

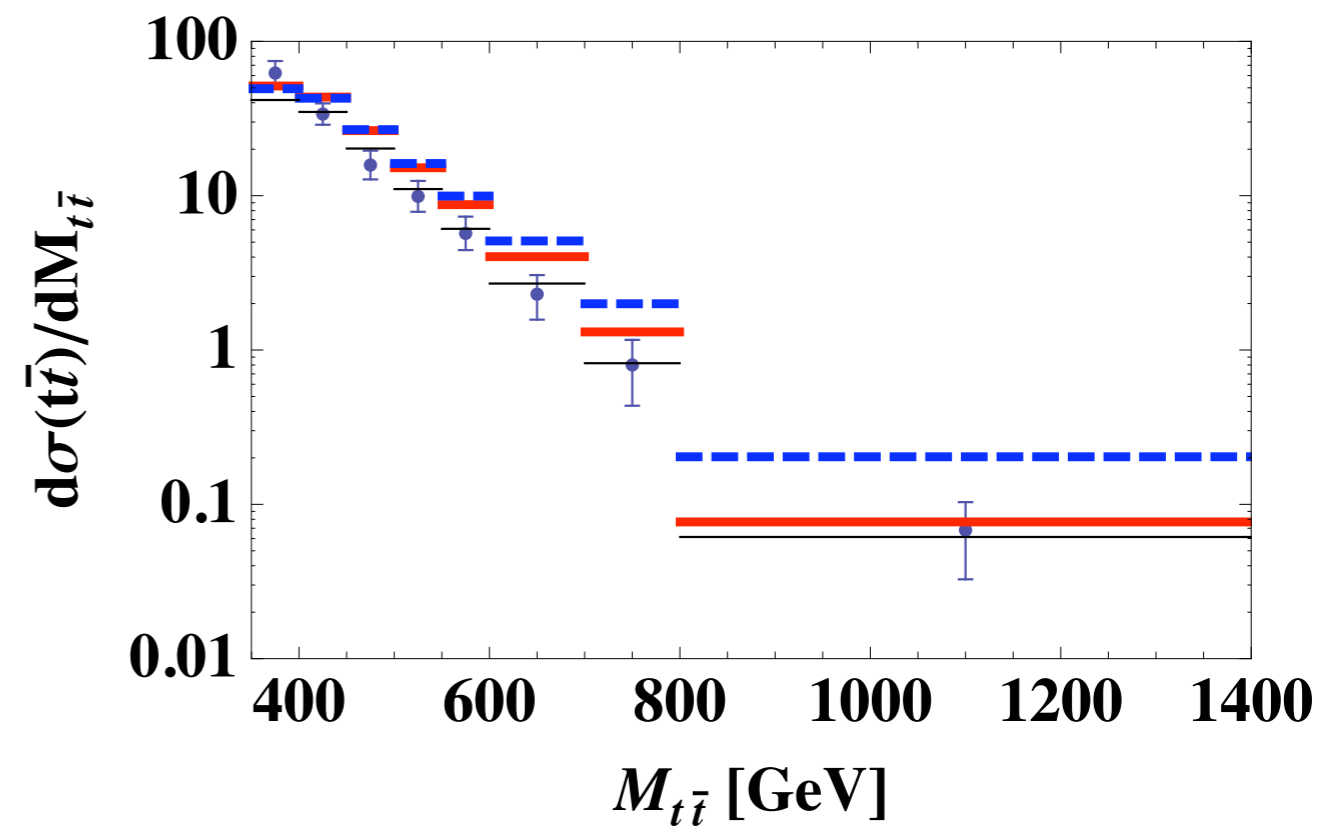
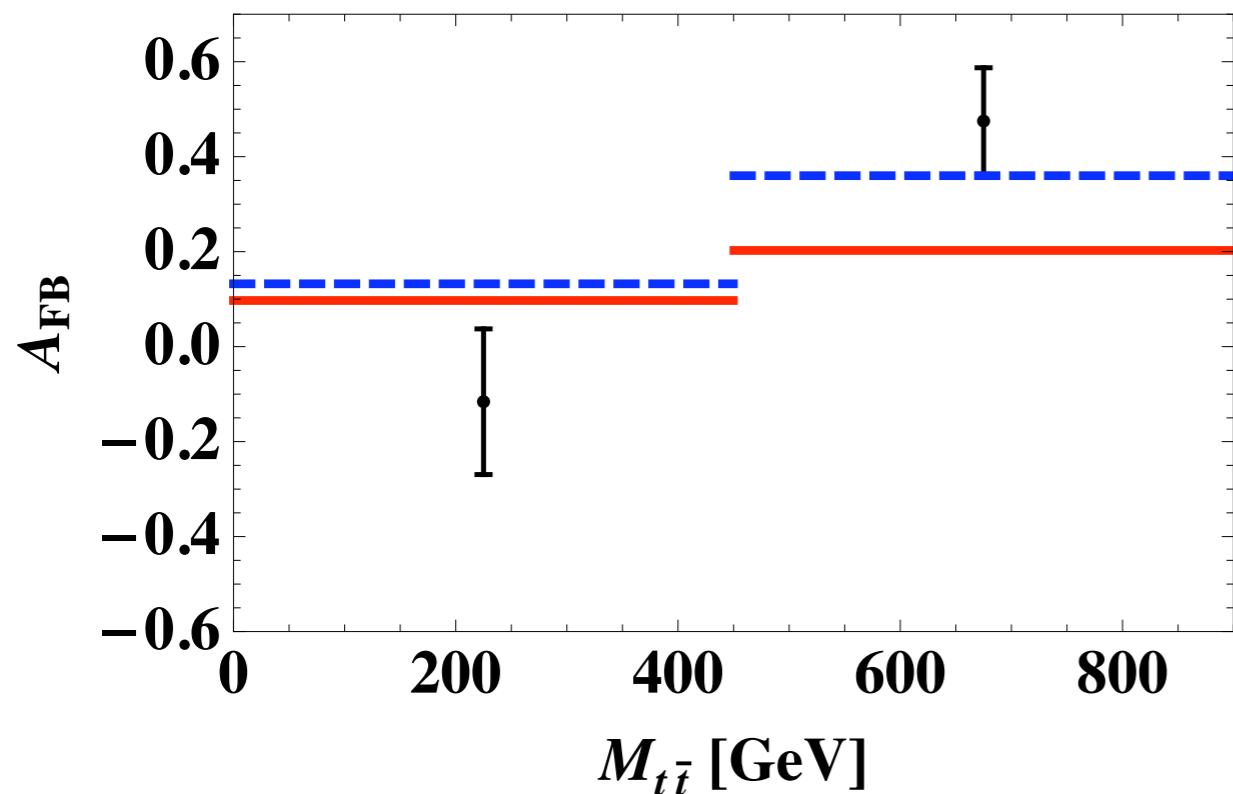
VECTOR OCTET

- an example: vector, octet of color, $(8,1,1)$ of flavor (couples to $\bar{u}_R u_R$)
- plots $(m_V, (\eta_{ab}\eta_{33})^{1/2}, \eta_{a3}, \Gamma_V/m_V)$:
 - $(300 \text{ GeV}, 1, 1.33, 0.08)$; $(1200 \text{ GeV}, 2.2, 4.88, 0.5)$
- note: no large hierarchy in couplings
 - the difference natural due to y_t breaking



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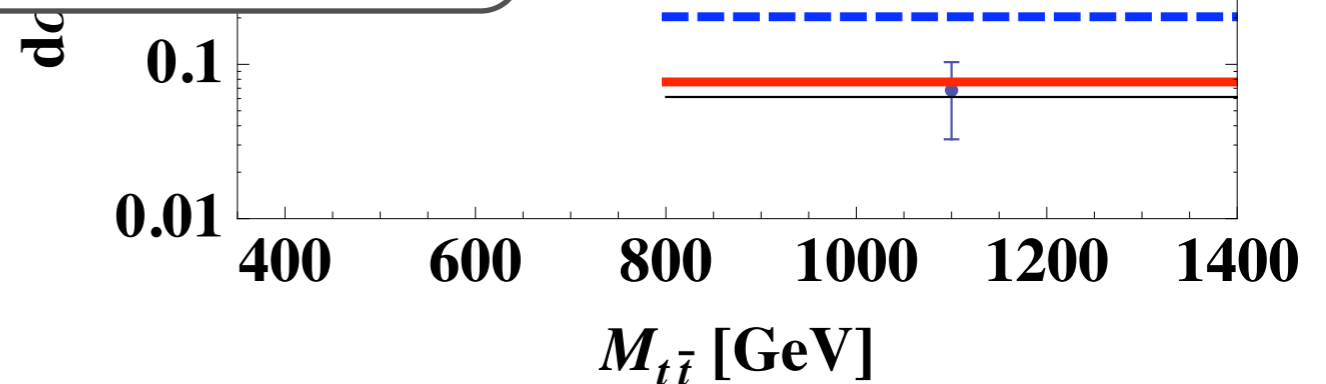
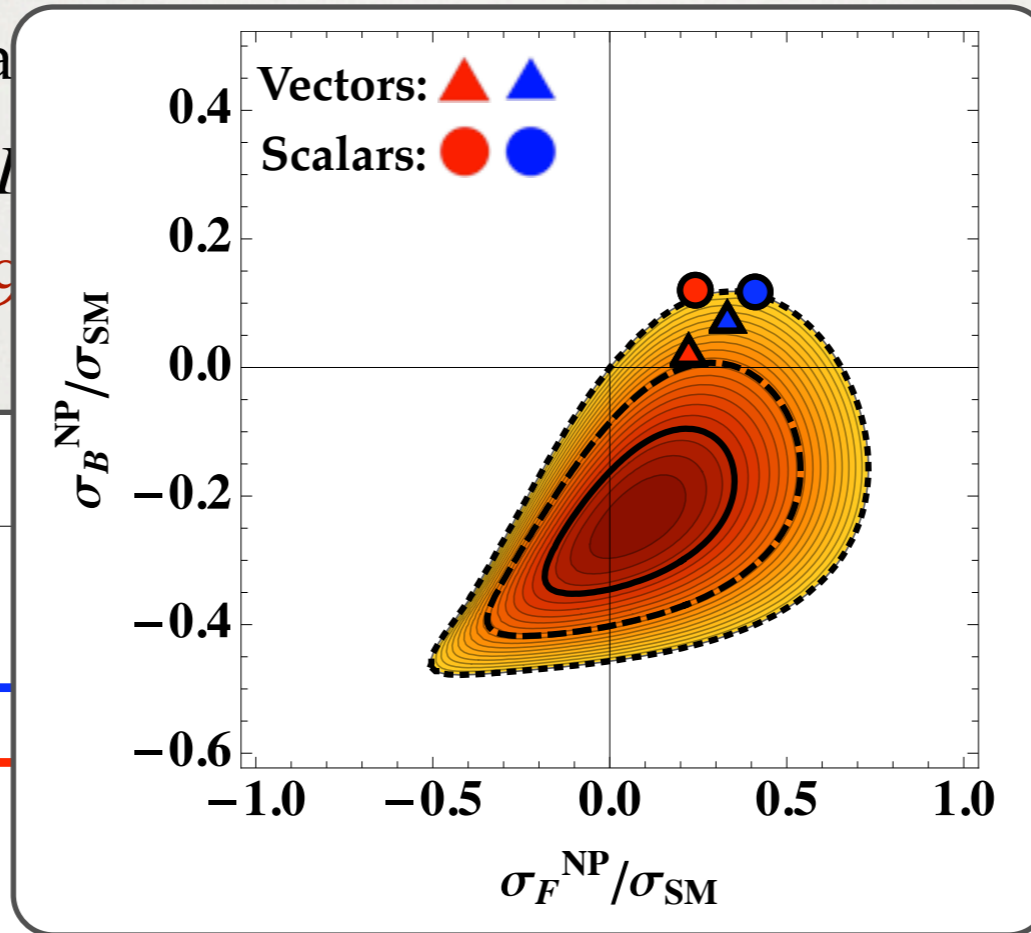
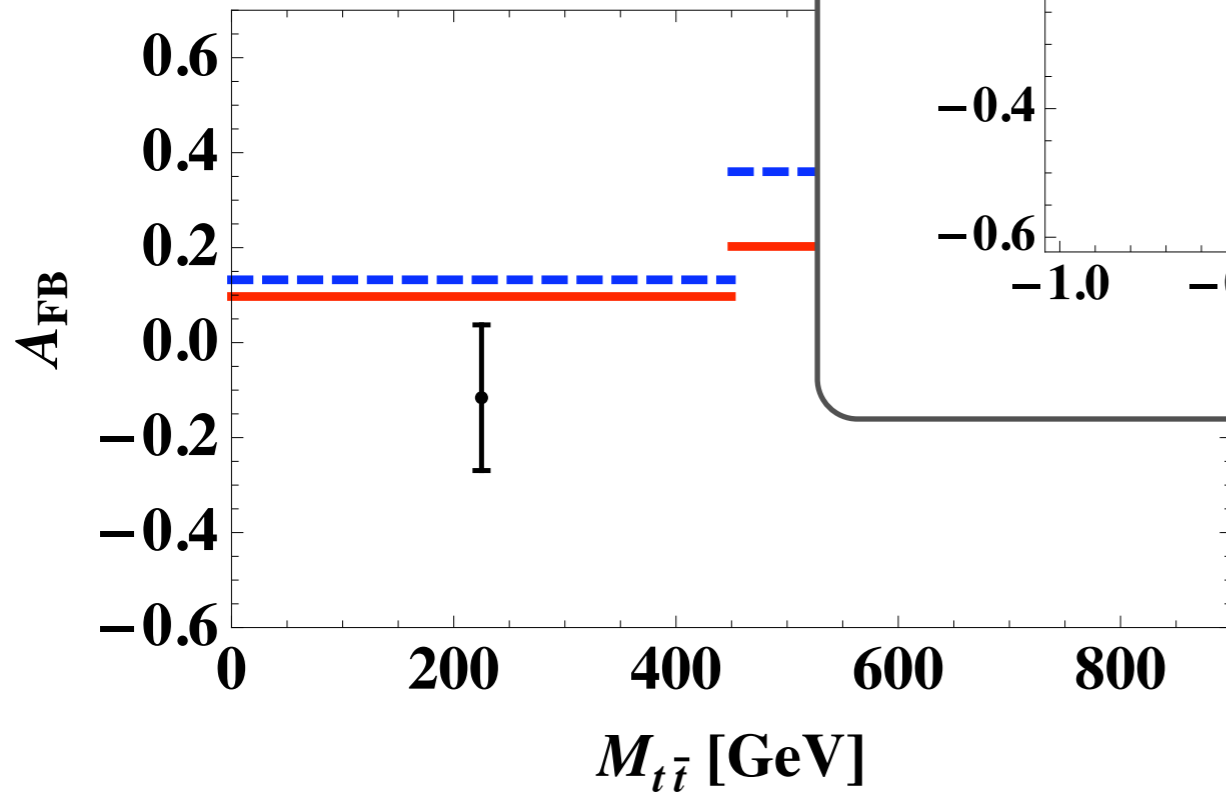
- an example: scalar, sextet of color, $(6,1,1)$ of flavor (couples to $\bar{u}_R u_R$)
- plots $(m_S, \eta_{a3}, \Gamma_S/m_S)$:
 - $(390 \text{ GeV}, 1.95, 0.1)$; $(1300 \text{ GeV}, 4.9, 0.5)$



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- an example: scalar
- plots (m_S, η_{a3}, L)
- (390 GeV, 1.9)

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OTHER OBSERVATIONS

Grinstein, Kagan, Trott, JZ, 1102.3374

- if V, S in nontrivial flavor representation \Rightarrow no like-sign top pairs (t -channel)
- since $O(1)$ couplings to all generations: dijet constraints are potentially important
 - but small enough/below bounds
 - need some flavor breaking for the sextet scalars
- can we explain B_s mixing anomaly?
 - using just one set of fields?
 - need to couple to Q_L

Ligeti, Schmaltz, Tavares, 1103.2757

B_s MIXING

Grinstein, Kagan, Trott, JZ, in preparation

- the set of models that involve Q_L : possible to generate B_s mixing anomaly
- need flavor breaking (here from MFV)
 - these MFV theories are protected against large FCNCs
 - effects naturally of the right order
 - need large $\tan\beta$ (i.e. $y_b \sim O(1)$) for large phase
 - flavor universal phases needed

TYPICAL SCALES

- three classes of models

- type-I operators: universal B_d and B_s

$$h_{d,s} e^{i2\sigma_{d,s}} \sim 0.2 \left(\frac{\eta}{0.1} \right)^2 \left(\frac{1\text{TeV}}{m_V} \right)^2$$

- type-II operators: contribute just to B_s

- linear in y_s

$$h_s e^{i2\sigma_s} \sim \eta^2 \left(\frac{y_s}{0.02y_b} \right) \left(\frac{500\text{GeV}}{m_V} \right)^2$$

- quadratic in y_s

$$h_s e^{i2\sigma_s} \sim 0.05 \eta^2 \left(\frac{y_s}{0.02y_b} \right)^2 \left(\frac{500\text{GeV}}{m_V} \right)^2$$

- the couplings are different than in $t\bar{t}$ production

INCOHERENT PRODUCTION

- A_{FB} due to incoherent production of $t\bar{t}$ +invisible Isidori, Kamenik, 1103.0016
 - at present cannot give better than 2σ agreement with exp.
 - somewhat comparable with other t -channel models
 - one needs large A_{FB} in new sector (ideally $\sim 100\%$)
 - necessarily from light t -channel
 - stop (200 GeV) + $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ singlet (2 GeV)
- $$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{SM} + (D_\mu \tilde{t})^\dagger (D^\mu \tilde{t}) - m_{\tilde{t}}^2 \tilde{t}^\dagger \tilde{t} + \bar{\chi}^0 (i\gamma_\mu D^\mu) \chi^0 - m_\chi \bar{\chi}_c^0 \chi^0 + \sum_{q=u,c,t} (\tilde{Y}_q \bar{q}_R \tilde{t} \chi^0 + \text{h.c.}),$$
- the production process is $p\bar{p} \rightarrow \tilde{t}\tilde{t}^\dagger \rightarrow t\bar{t}\chi^0\chi^0$
 - extra MET changes $t\bar{t}$ spectrum, could be used for detection - at present not sensitive yet
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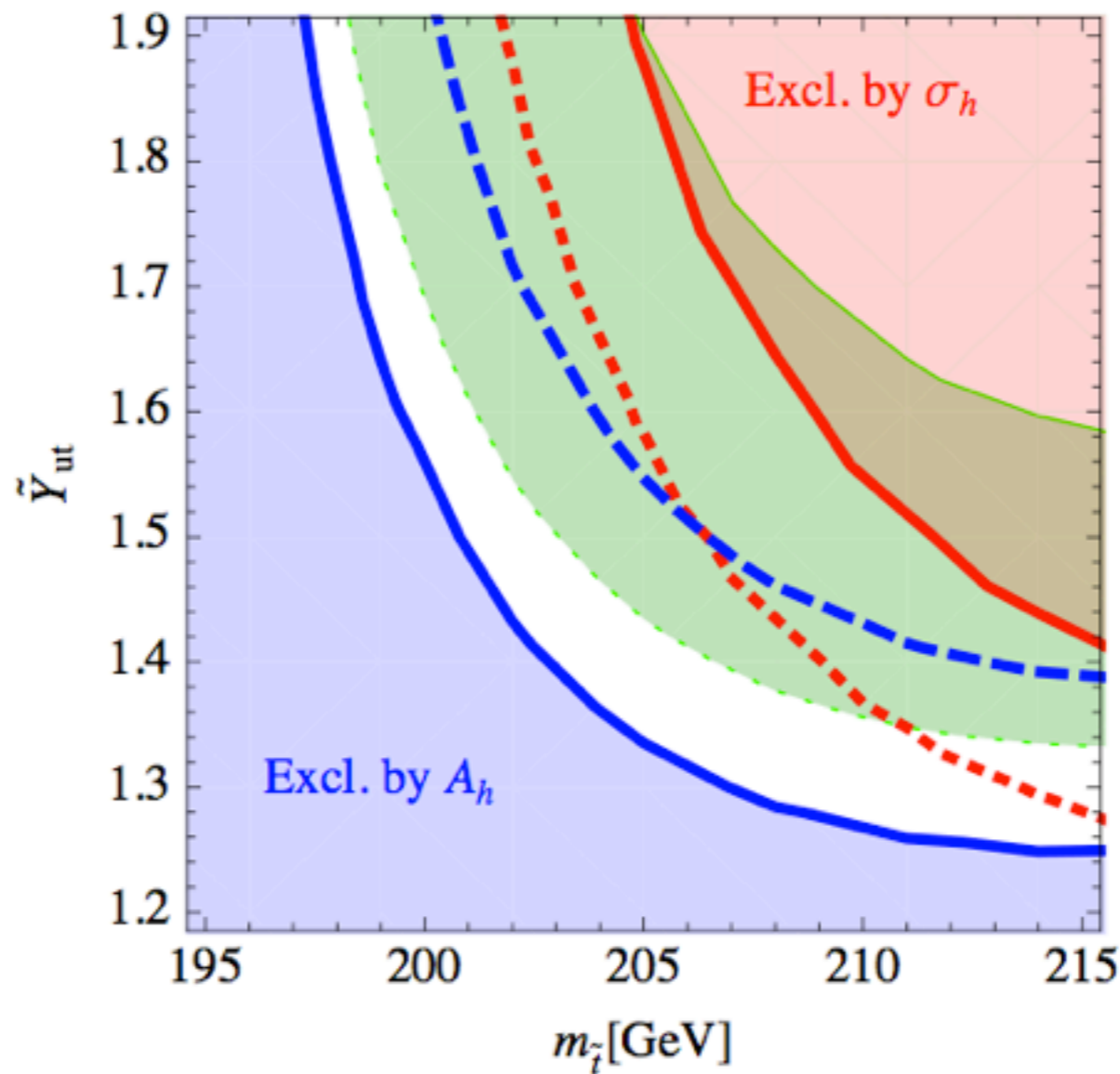
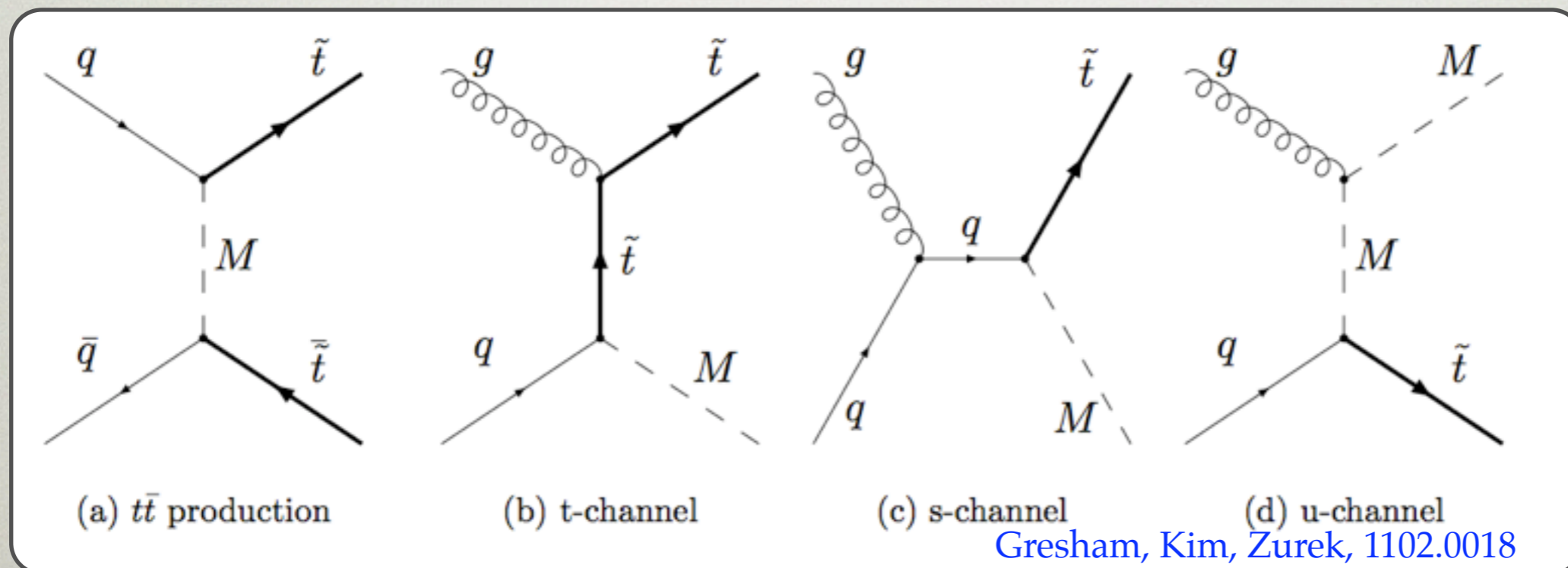


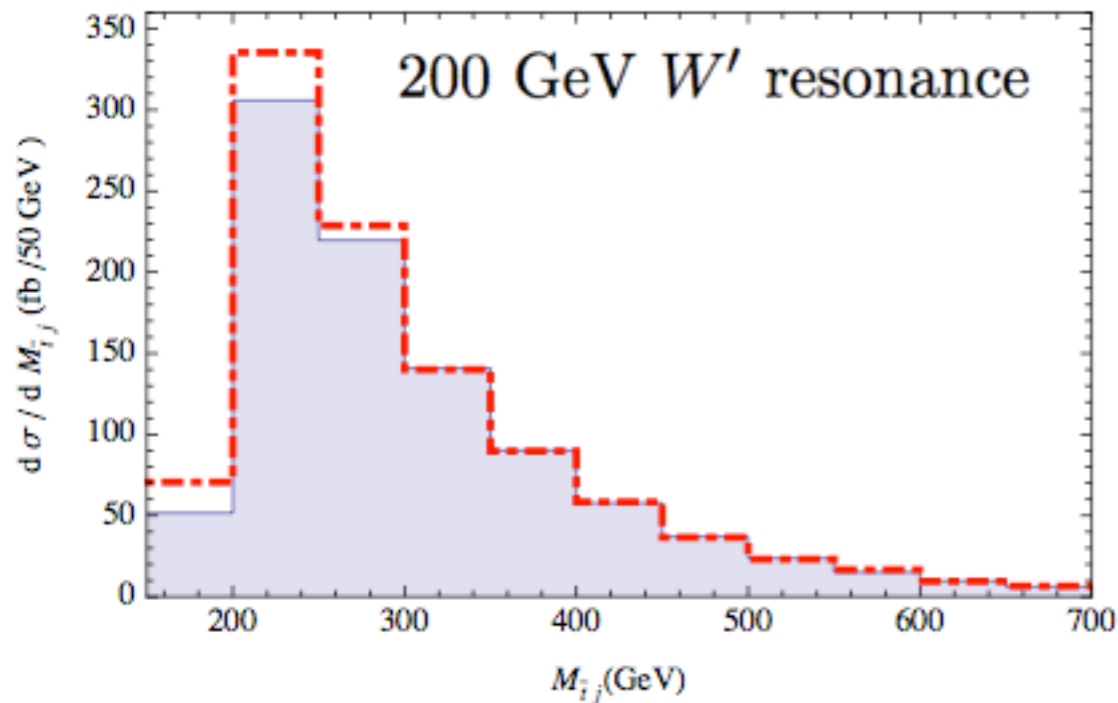
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ADDITIONAL SIGNALS AT COLLIDERS

- some signals are quite generic for many t -channel models
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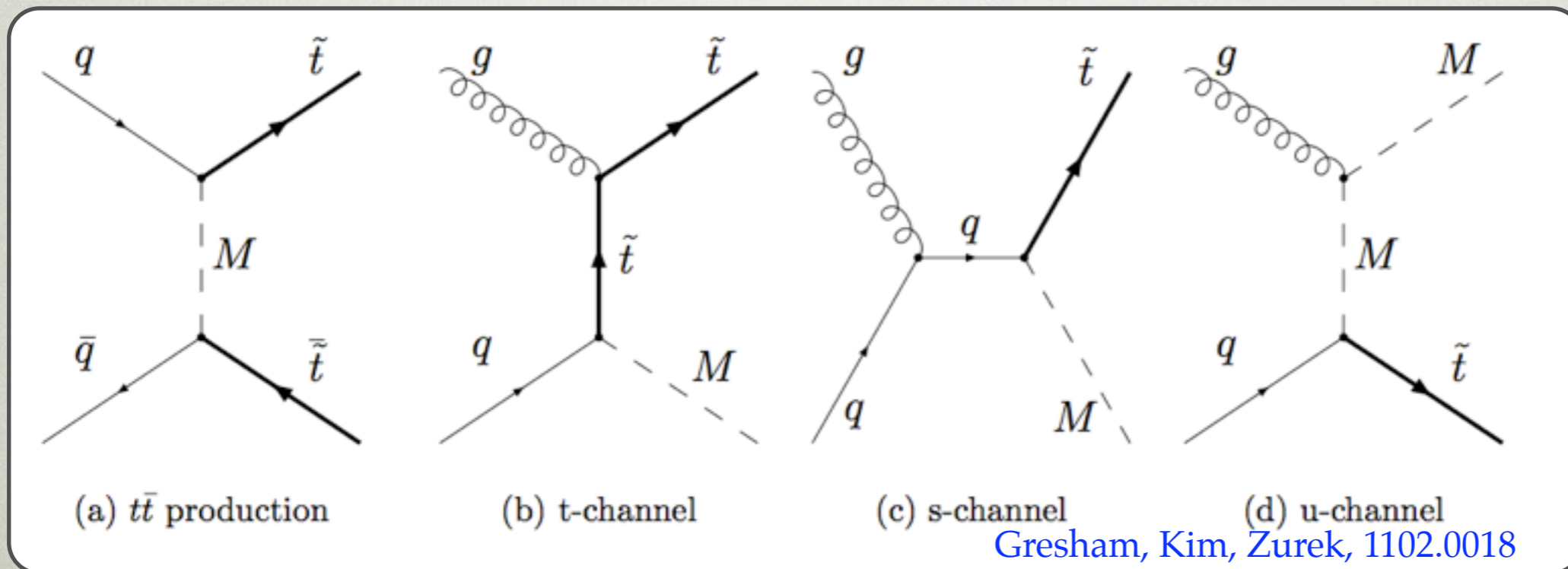
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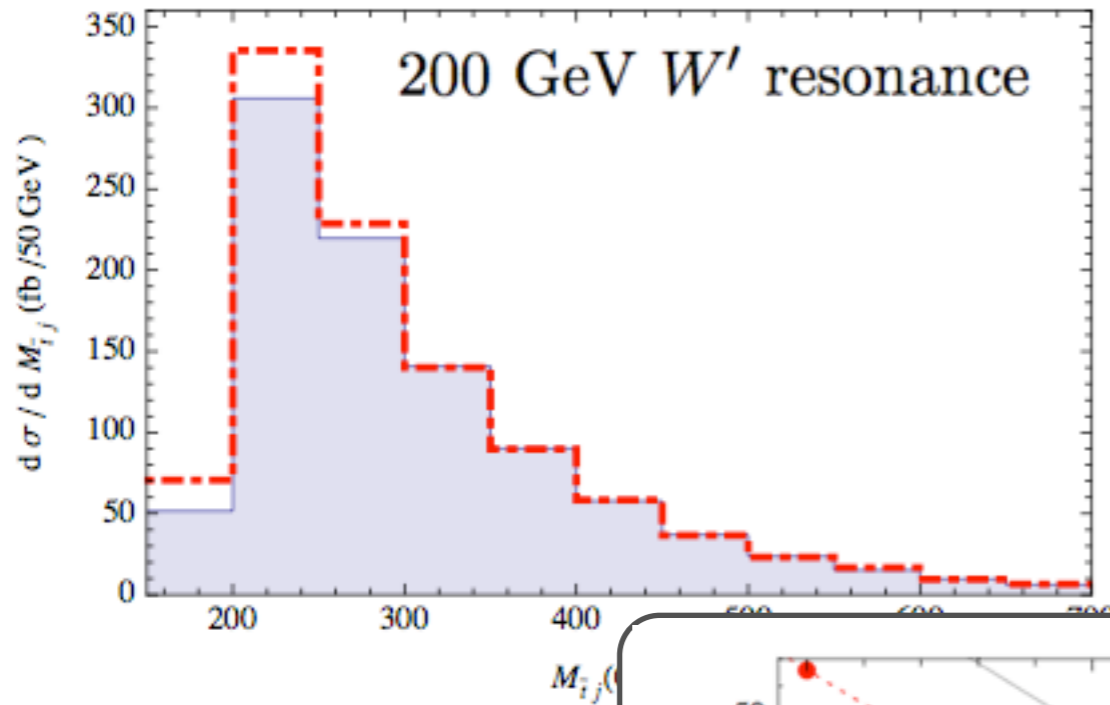
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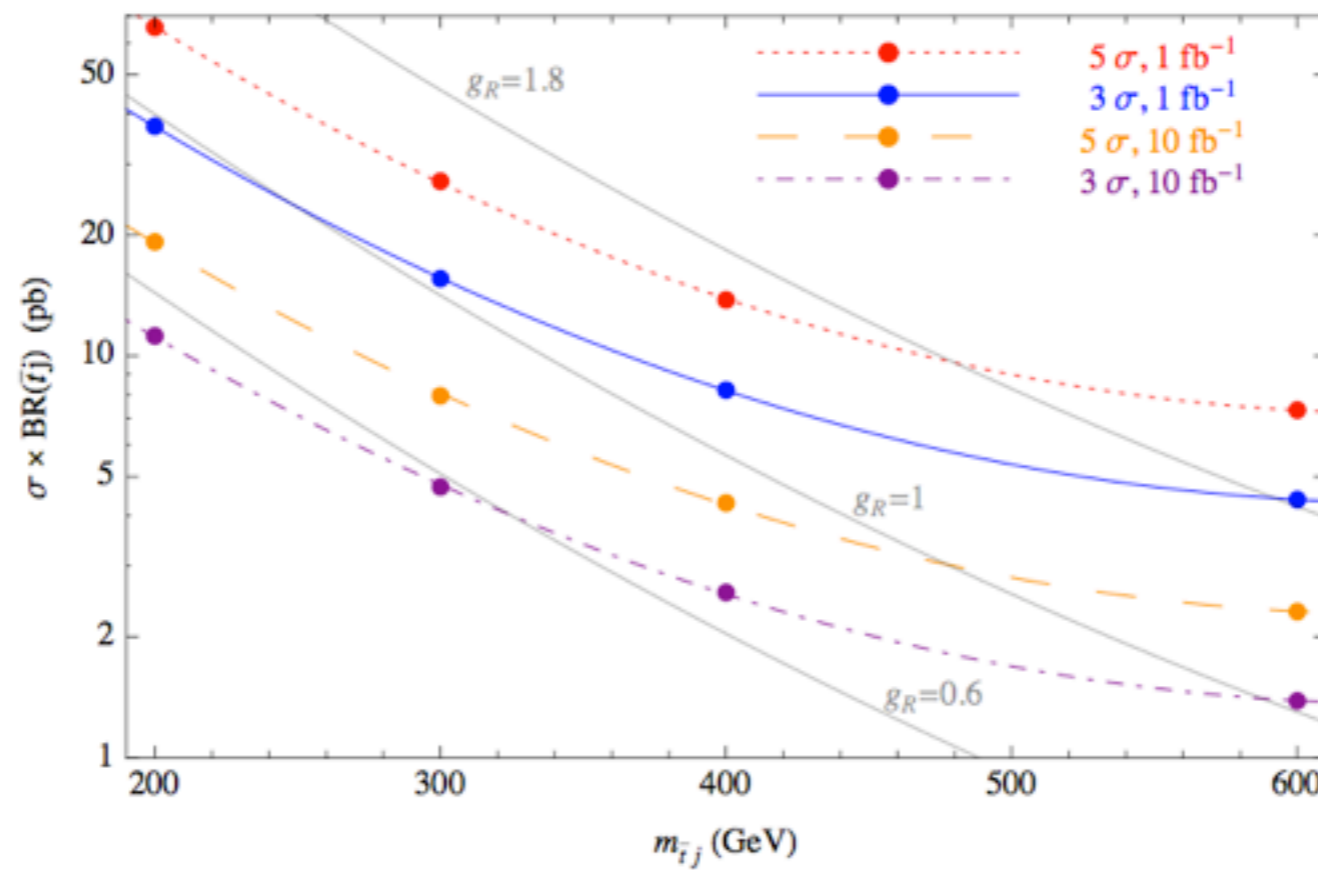
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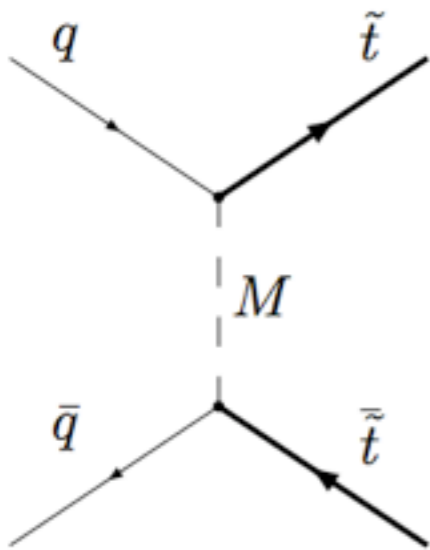
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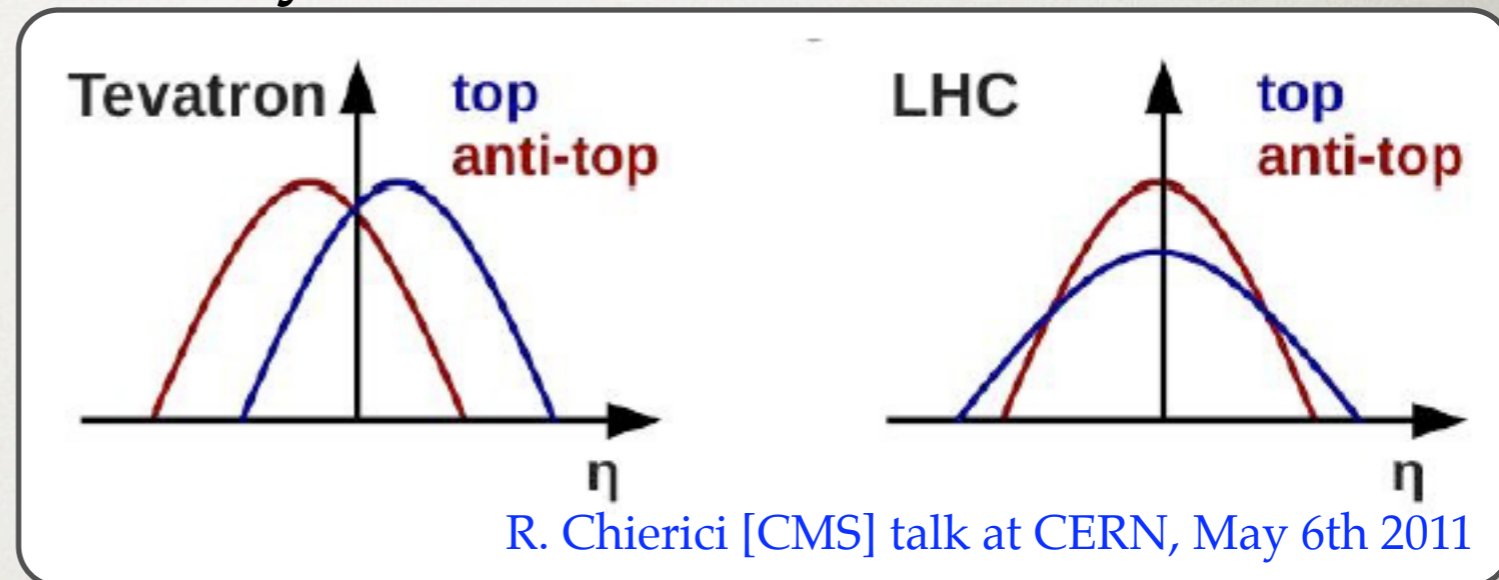
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ADDITIONAL SIGNALS AT COLLIDERS

- measurement of the $\sim A_{\text{FB}}$ directly at LHC

- LHC: symmetric init. state
- but the distribution in η is different



- so one can define charge asymmetry in the central region

$$A_C(y_C) = \frac{N_t(|y| \leq y_C) - N_{\bar{t}}(|y| \leq y_C)}{N_t(|y| \leq y_C) + N_{\bar{t}}(|y| \leq y_C)}$$

- Theory prediction for Standard Model (G. Rodrigo):
 $A_C = 0.0130(11)$
 → only small asymmetry from NLO effects
 → only due to qqbar induced initial states
- An axigluon with mass $> 1\text{TeV}$ would yield
 $A_C - A_C^{\text{SM}} \sim -0.02, -0.03$

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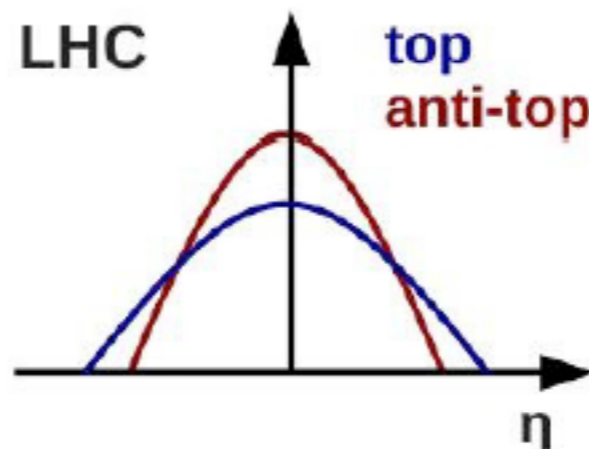
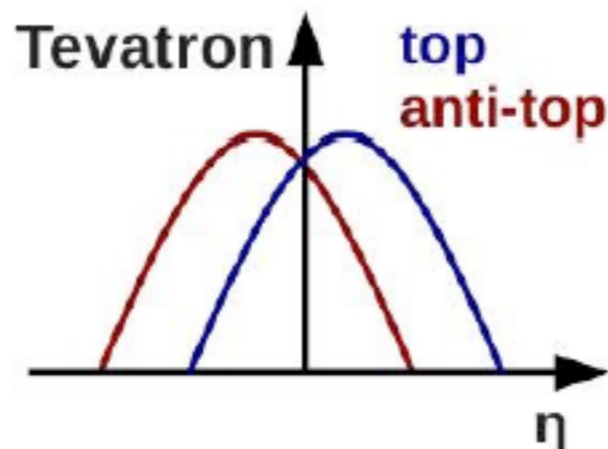
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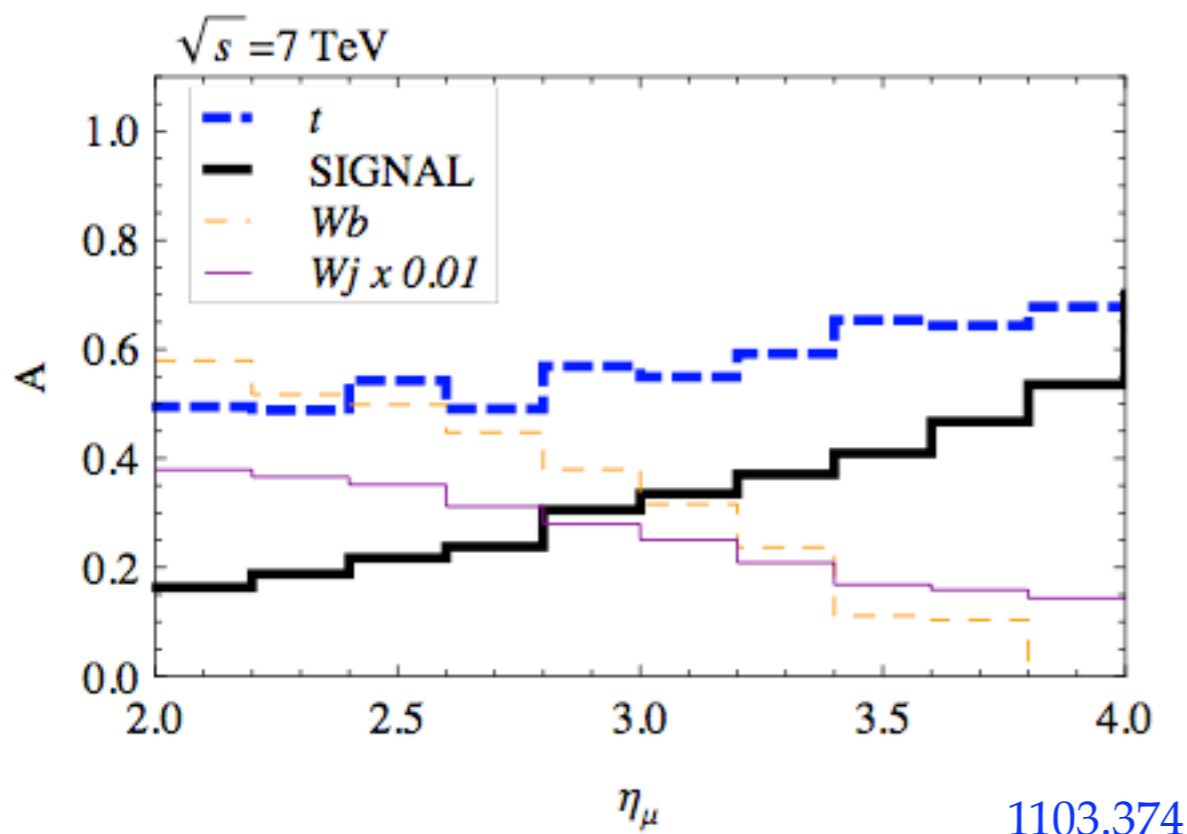


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ADDITIONAL SIGNALS

- other signals that may depend on the models
 - pair production of new states
 - single top production
 - if the states very light: top decays
 - potential for a signal in the presently constraining observables
 - dijets
 - like-sign tops
 - FCNCs
 - $t \bar{t} + X$ (e.g. $t \bar{t} + MET$)

CONCLUSIONS

- if A_{FB} due to light $O(300 \text{ GeV})$ states
 - vectors slightly preferred
- models with large flavor breaking and flavor conserving models

BACKUP SLIDES

FORWARD-BACKWARD ASYMMETRY

- CDF announced evidence for FBA in $\text{prod.}_{t\bar{t}}$

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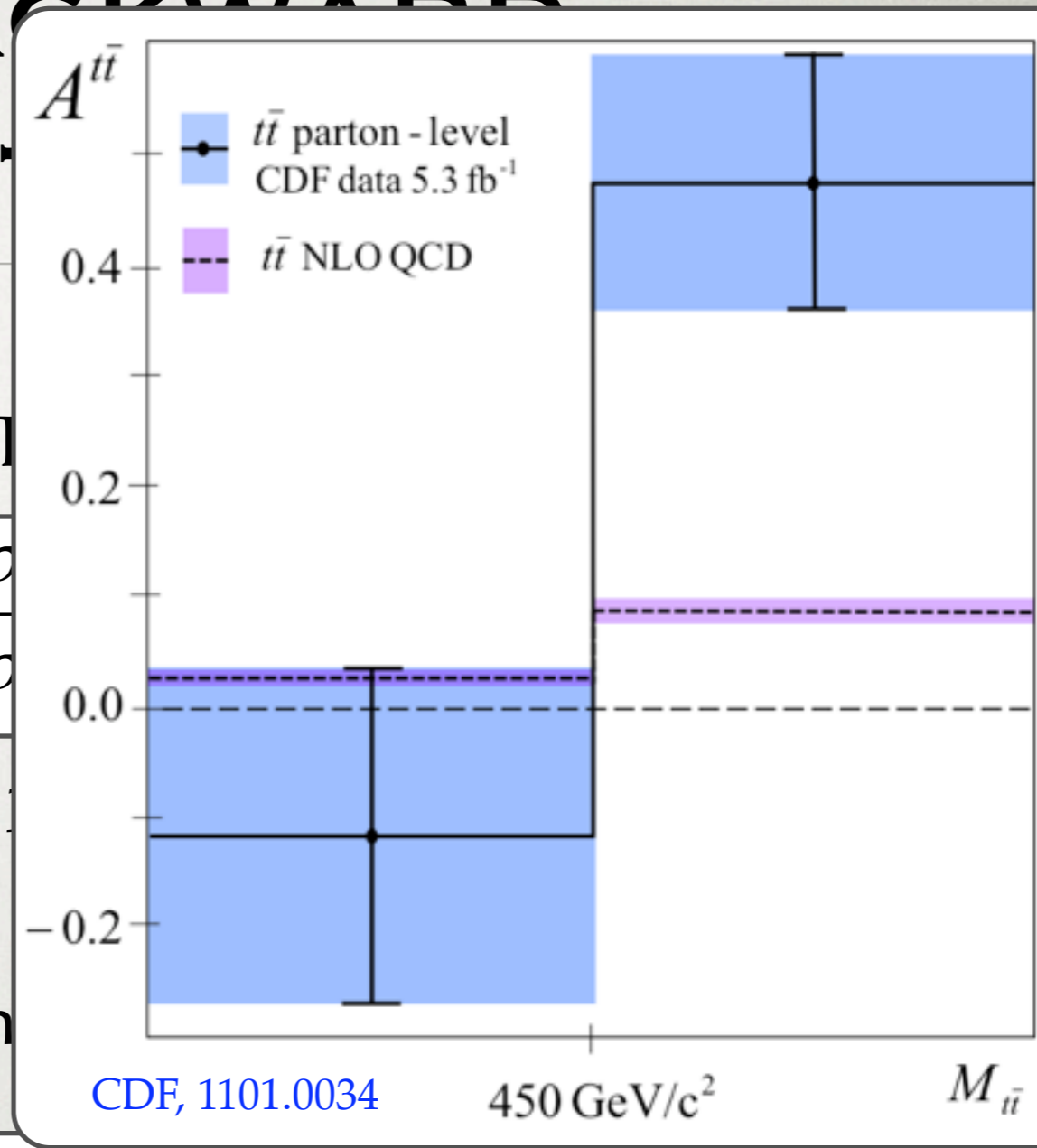
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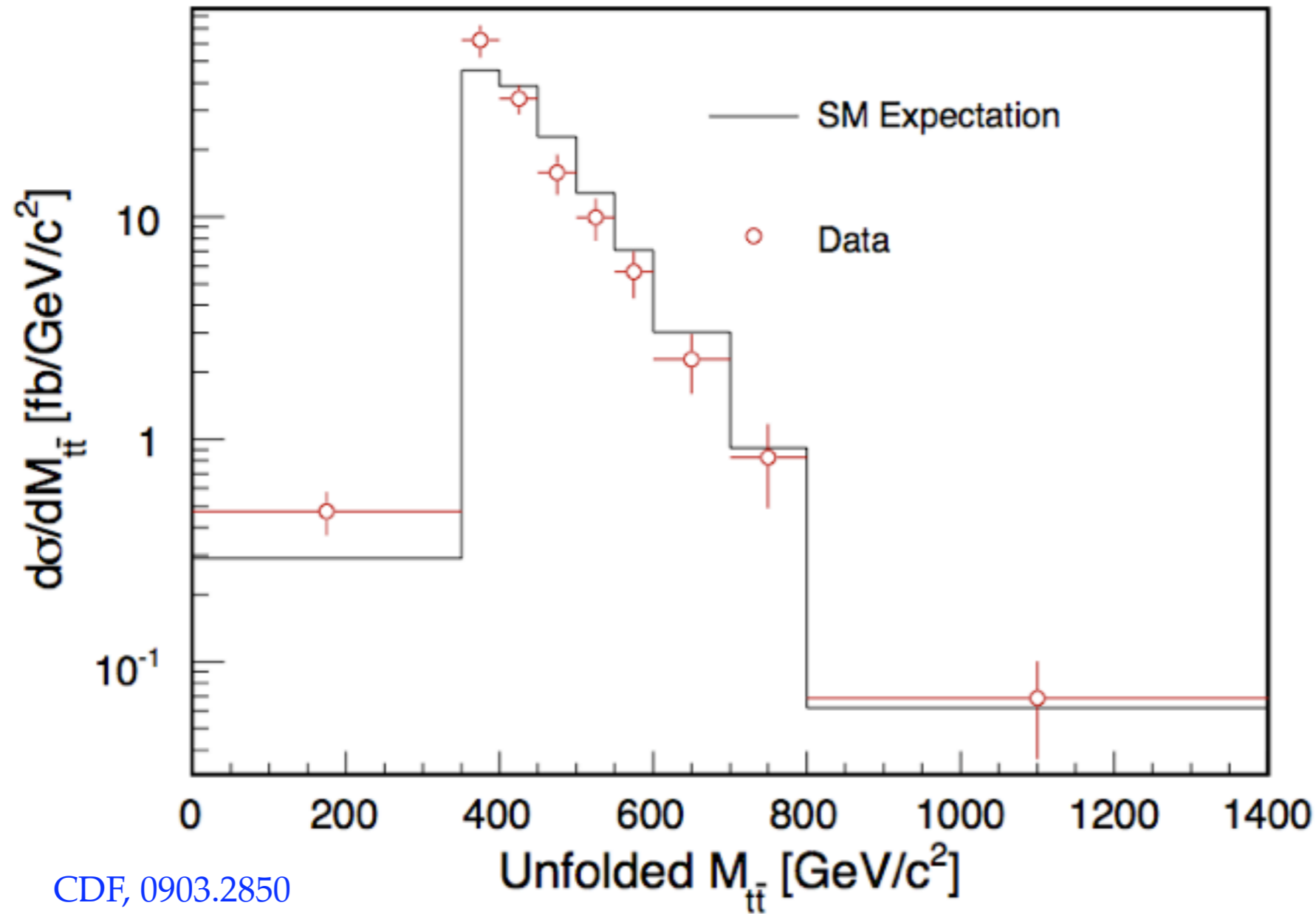
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