



NNLL resummation for squark-antisquark production

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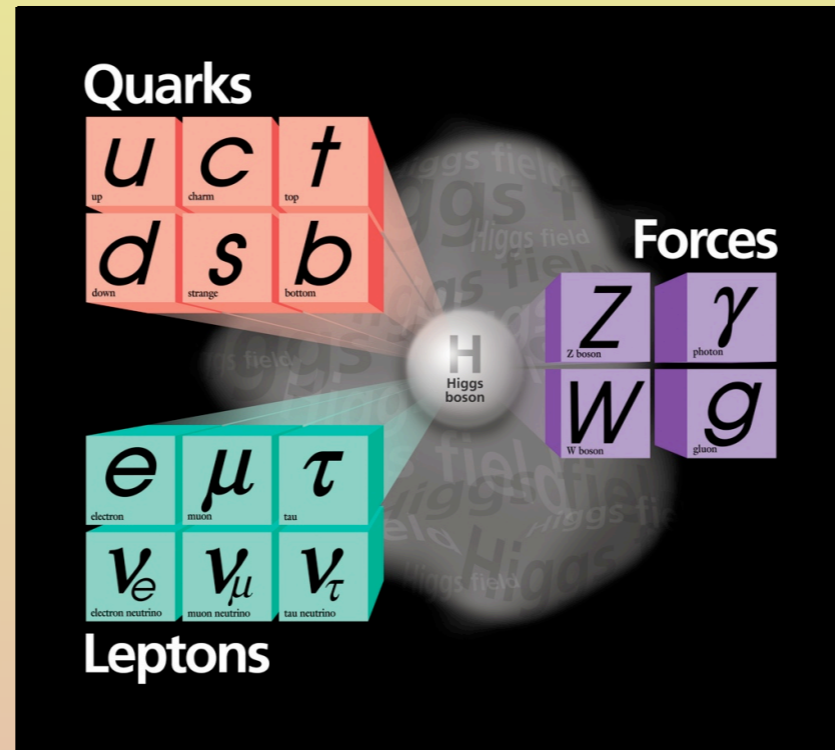
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3. Ingredients for NNLL resummation
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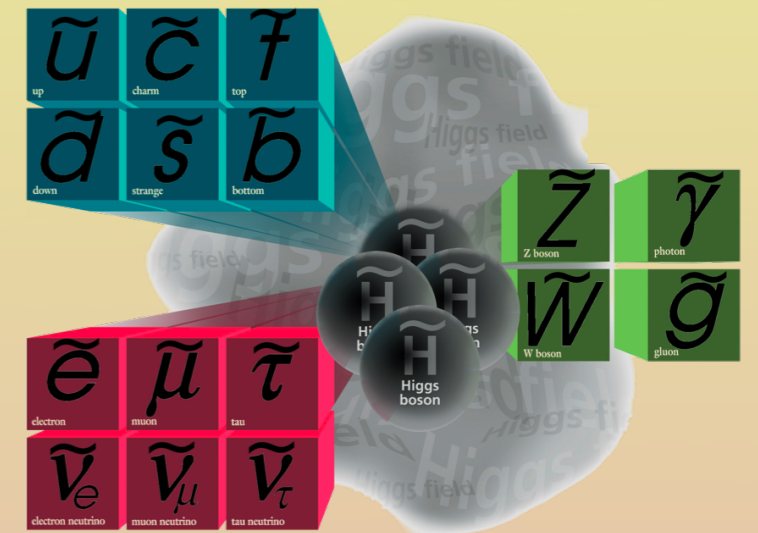
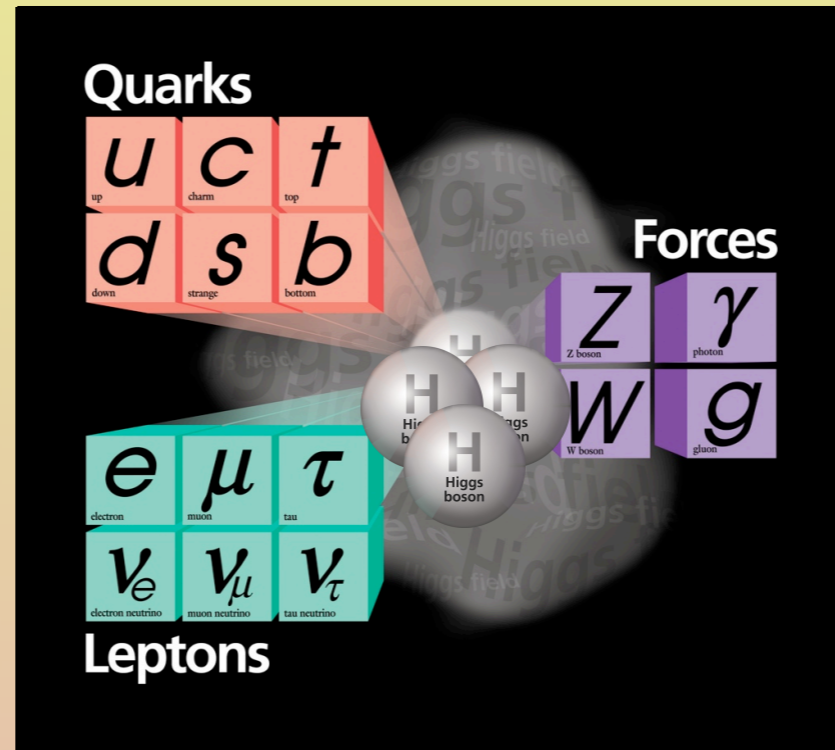
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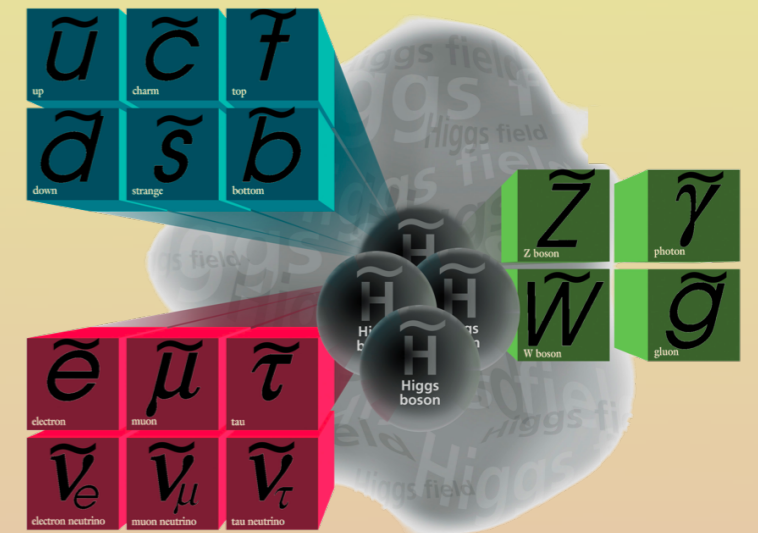
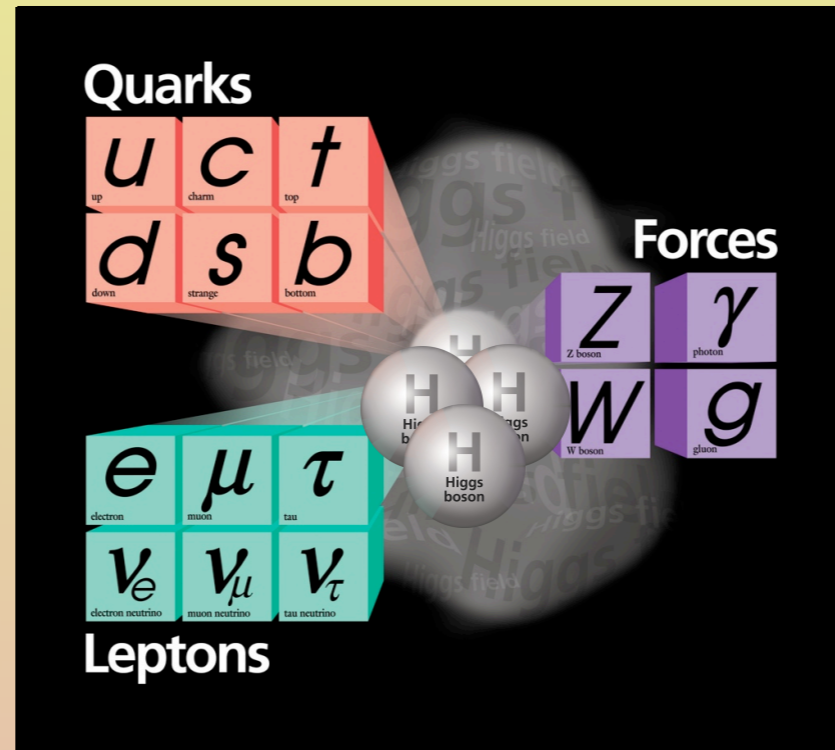
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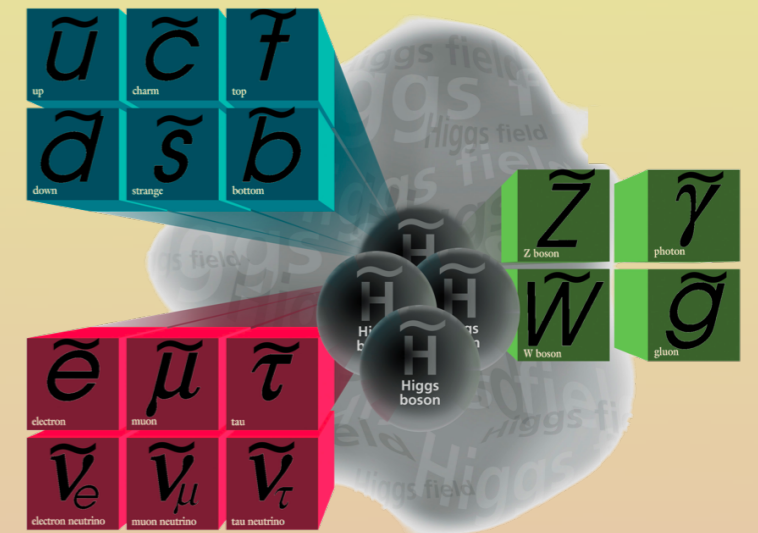
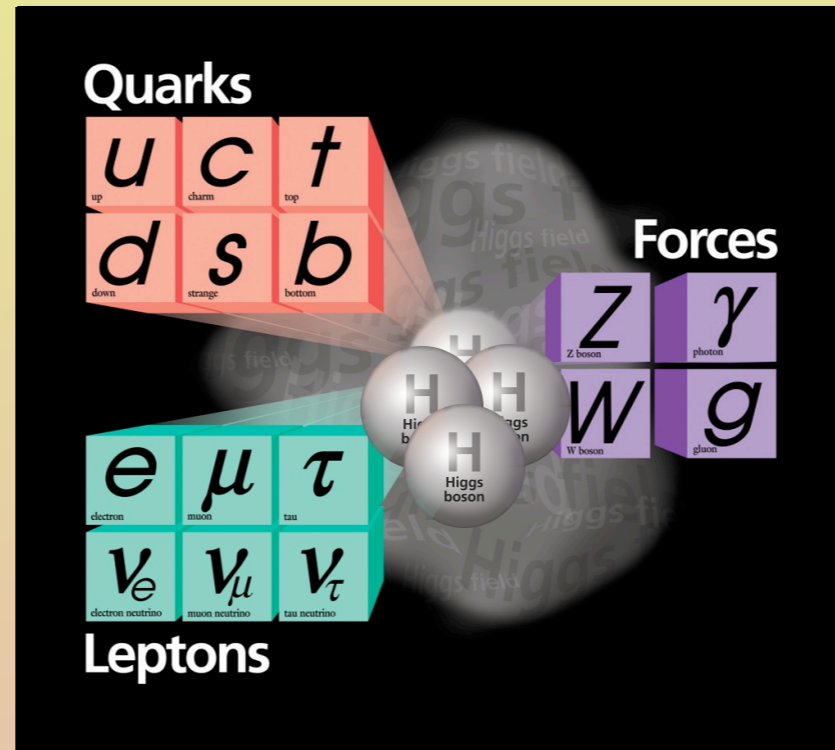
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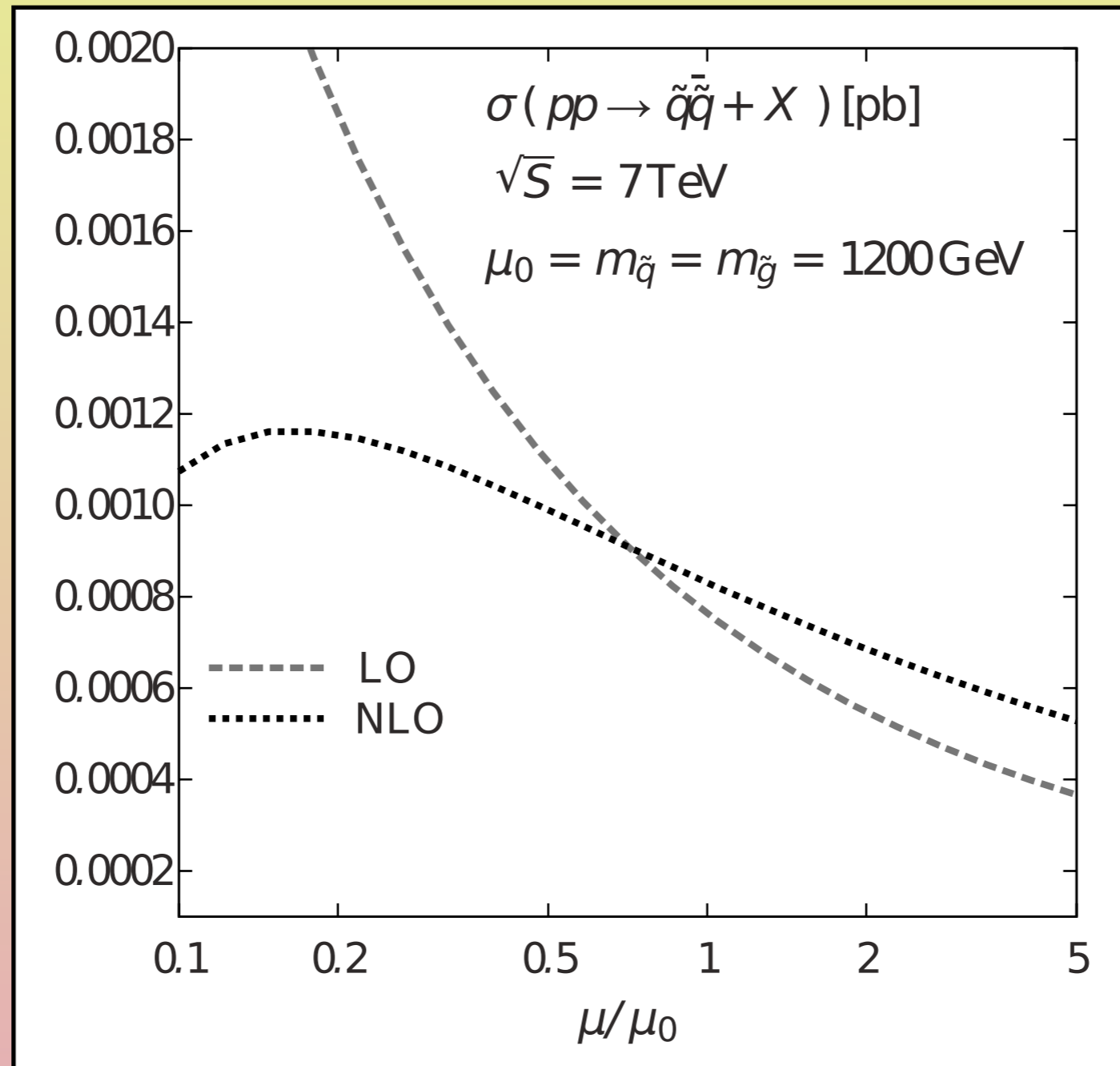
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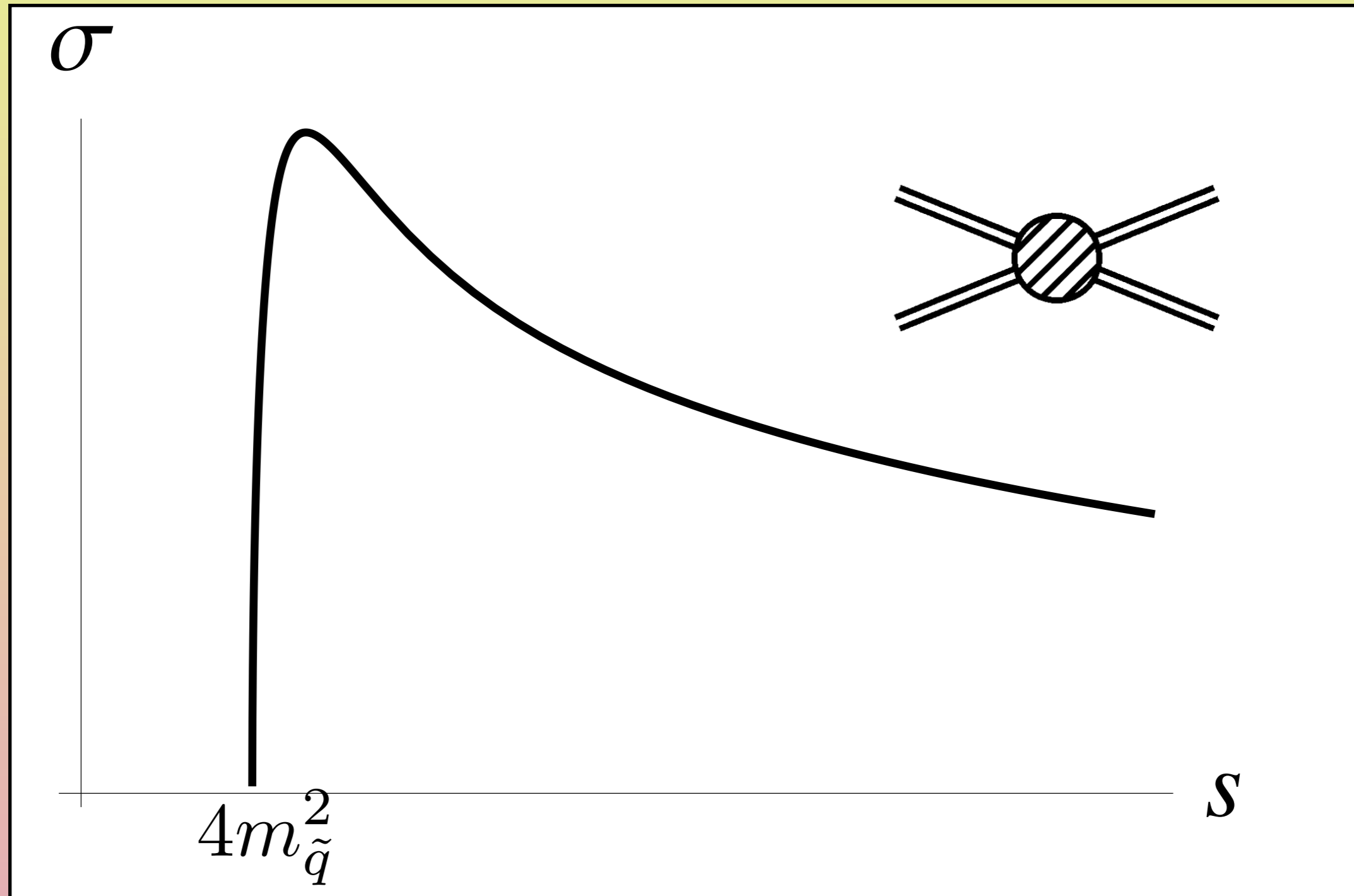


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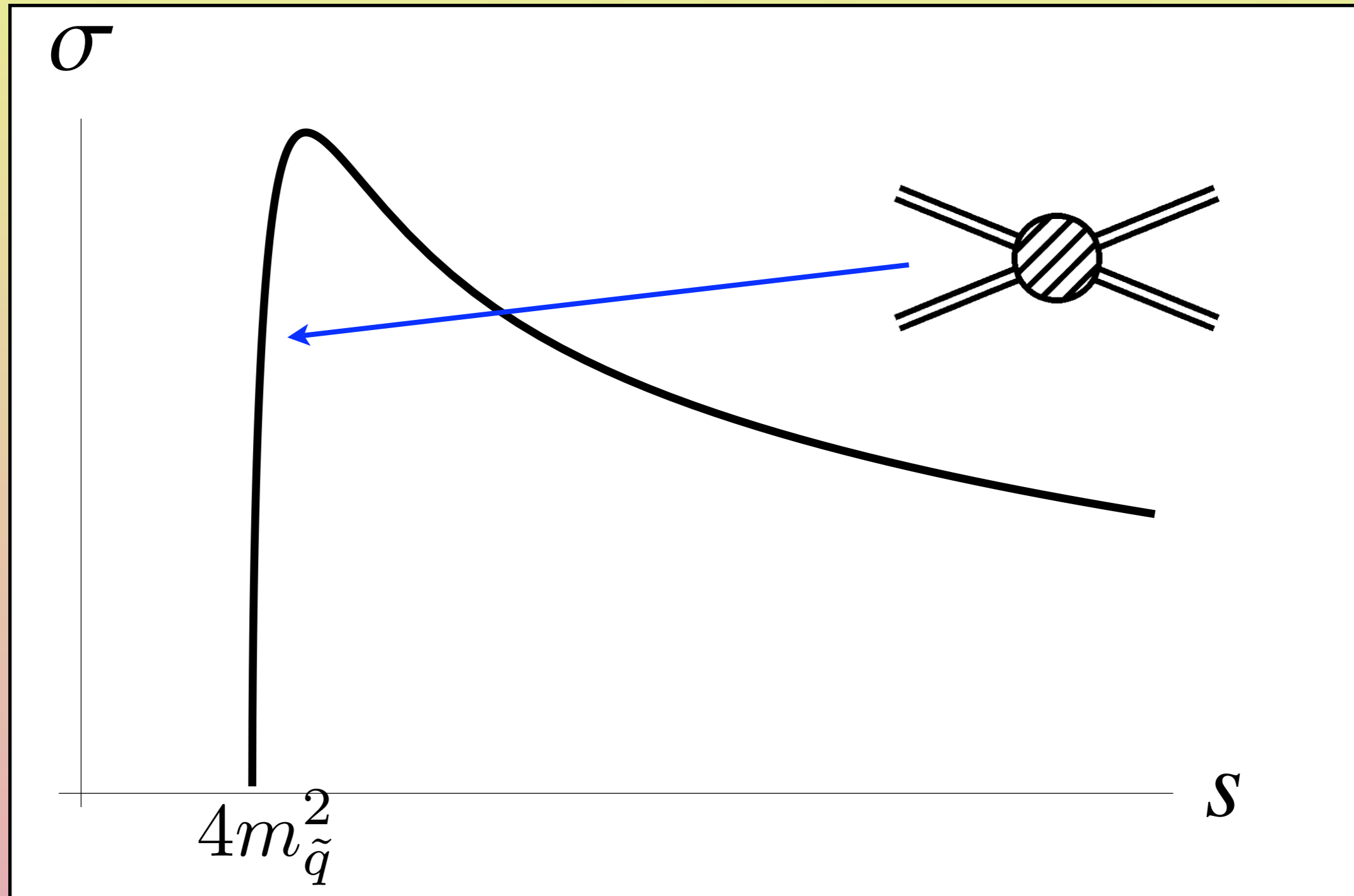


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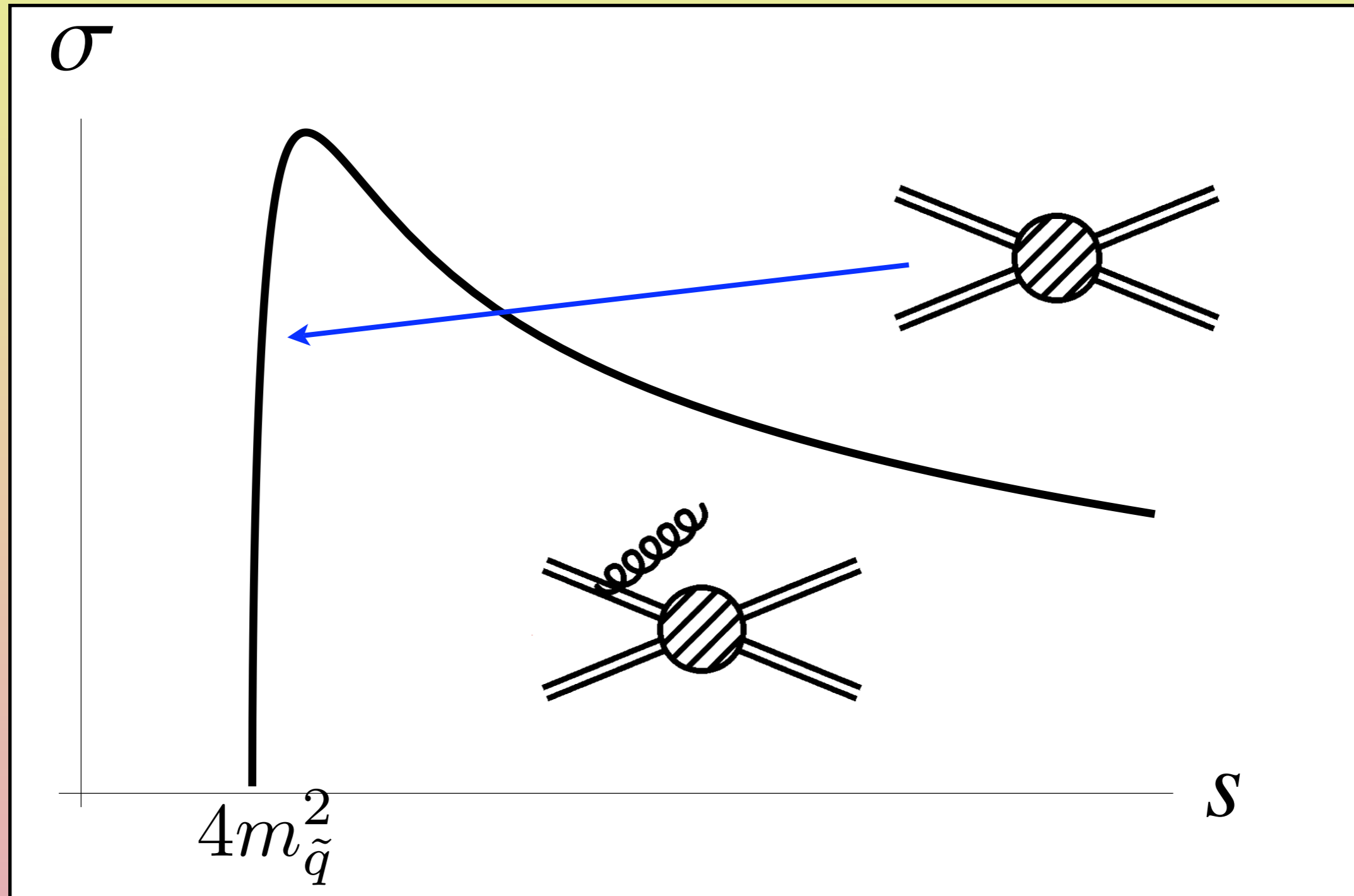


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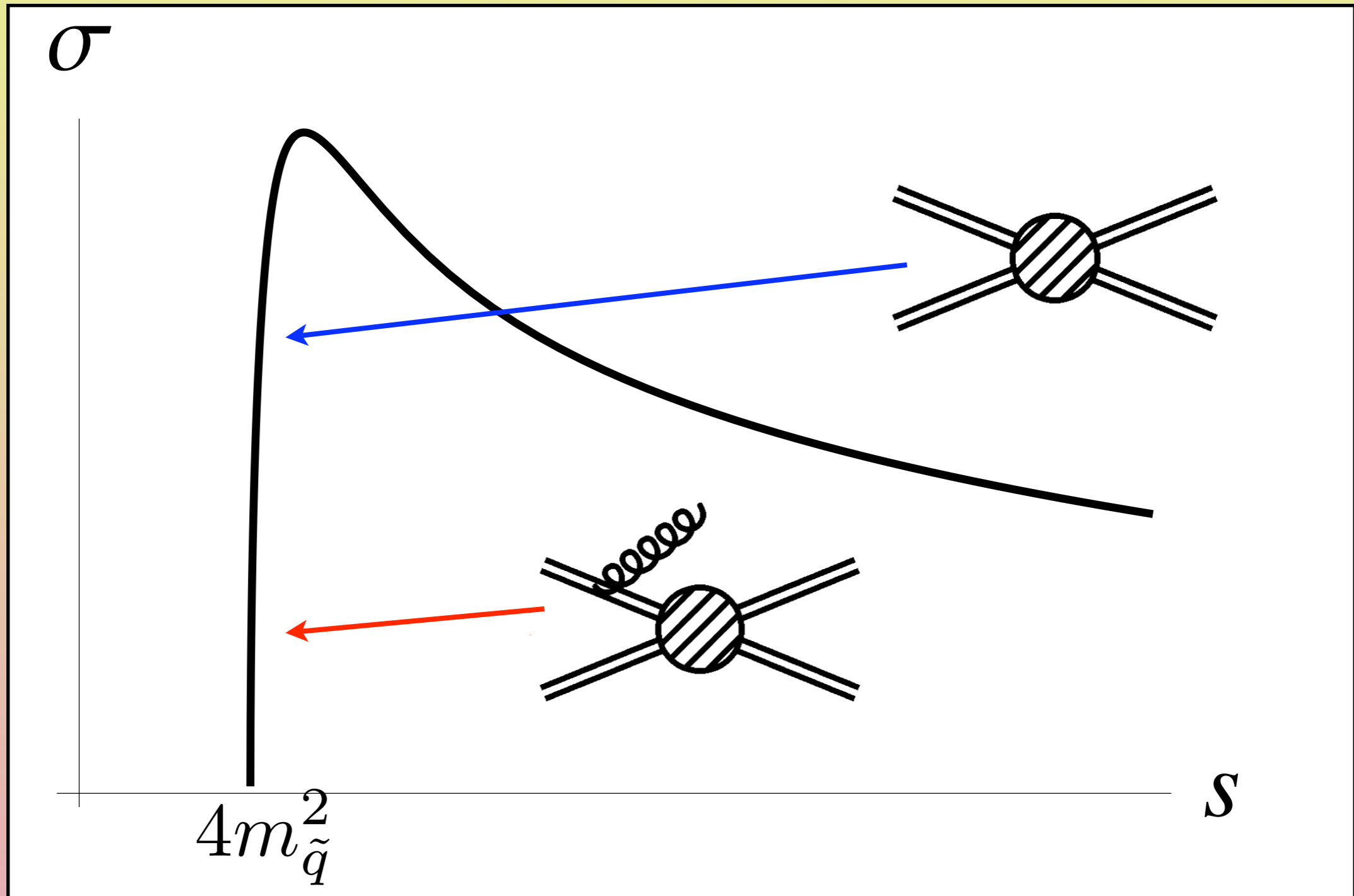


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LL
NLL
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NLO



NNLL Resummation

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The diagram illustrates the NNLL resummation formula with color-coded components:

- LO cross section** (yellow box) points to the $\tilde{\sigma}_{ij \rightarrow \tilde{q}\tilde{q}, I}^{(0)}$ term.
- NLO matching coefficient** (pink box) points to the $C_{ij \rightarrow \tilde{q}\tilde{q}, I}$ term.
- Jet functions** (green box) points to the Δ_i and Δ_j terms.
- Colour sum** (red box) points to the summation index I and the $\tilde{\sigma}_{ij \rightarrow \tilde{q}\tilde{q}, I}^{(0)}$ term.
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$$C^{\text{NNLL}} = \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \mathcal{C}^{\text{Coul},(1)}(N, \{m^2\}, \mu^2)\right) \left(1 + \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \mathcal{C}^{(1)}(\{m^2\}, \mu^2)\right)$$



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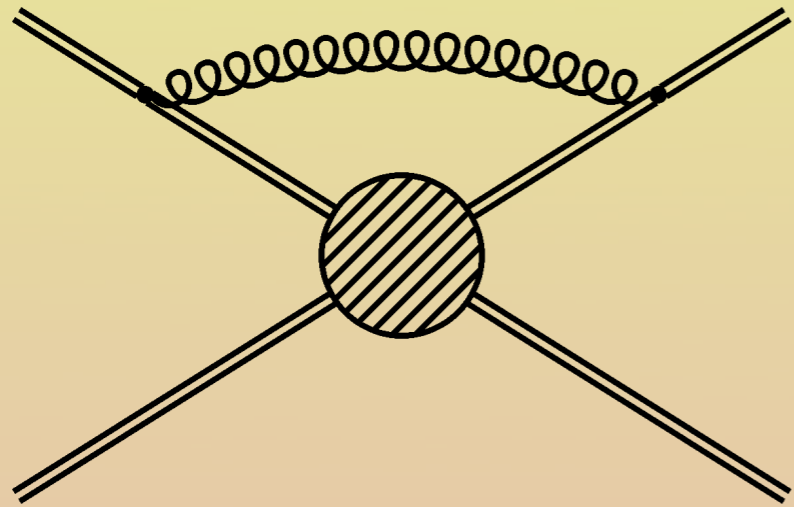
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- rest of the cross section
- linear term in β



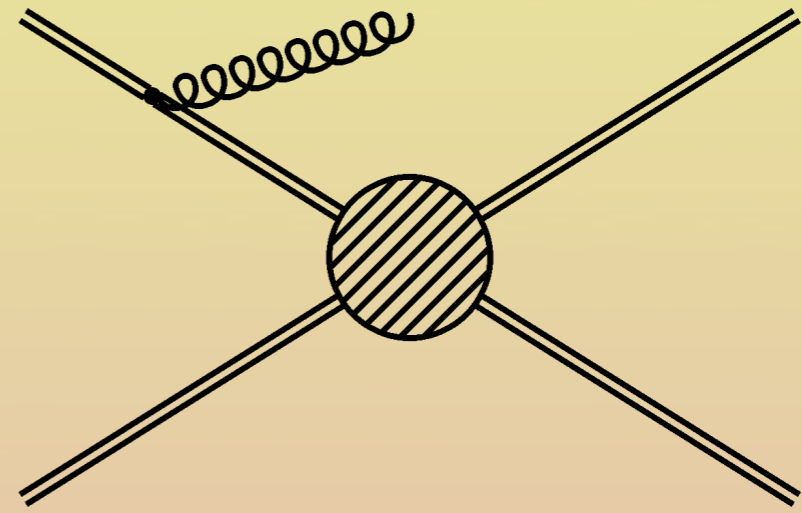
NLO calculation

Virtual



Coulomb terms
Finite terms

Real

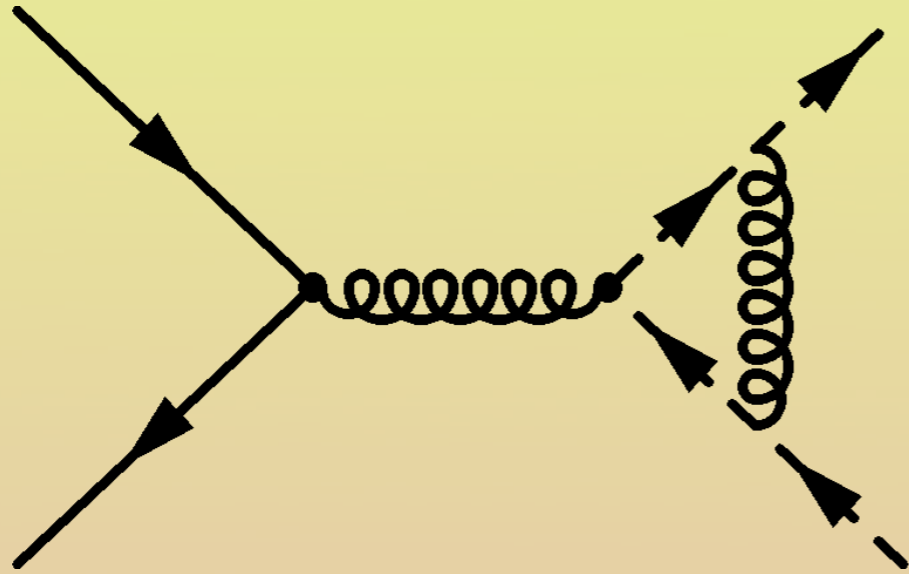


Logarithmic terms
Finite terms

Calculate up to $O(\beta)$



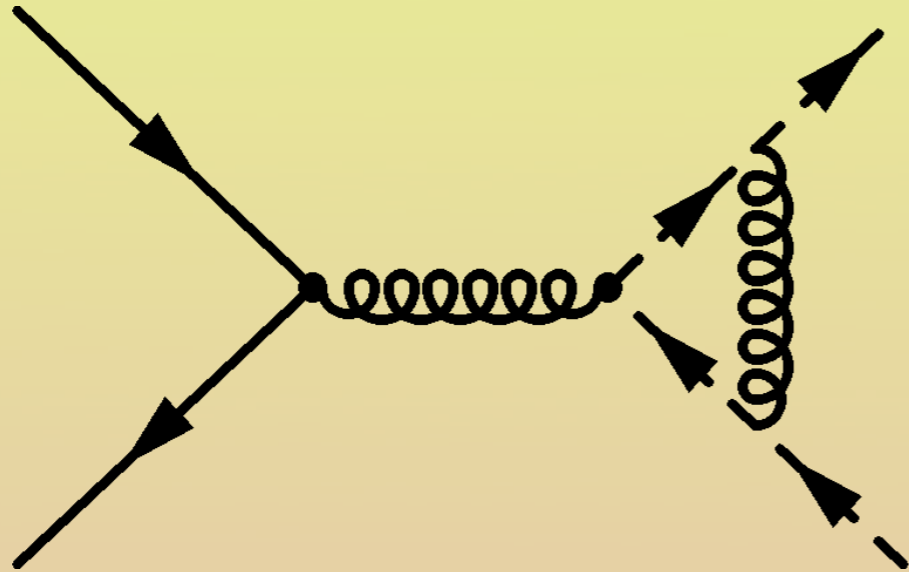
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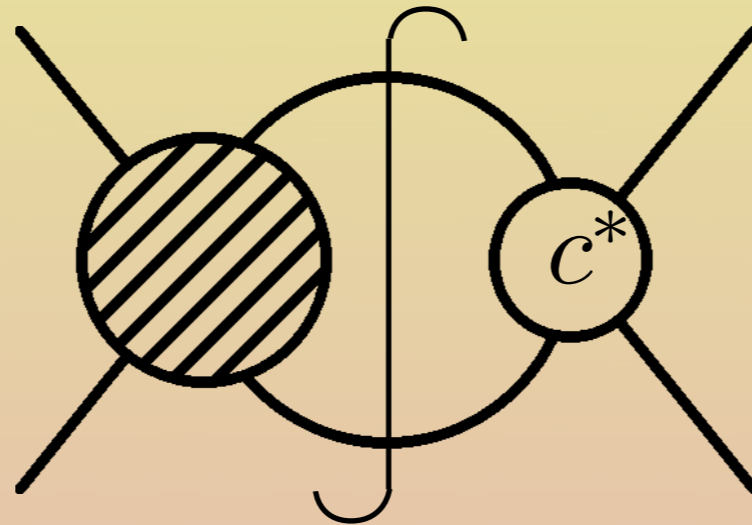
$$\sigma_{ij \rightarrow \tilde{q}\bar{q}, I}^{\text{Coul}, (1)} = -\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \frac{\pi^2}{2\beta} \kappa_{ij \rightarrow \tilde{q}\bar{q}, I} \sigma_{ij \rightarrow \tilde{q}\bar{q}, I}^{(0)}$$

$$\kappa_1 = -\frac{4}{3} \quad \kappa_8 = \frac{1}{6}$$



Virtual corrections

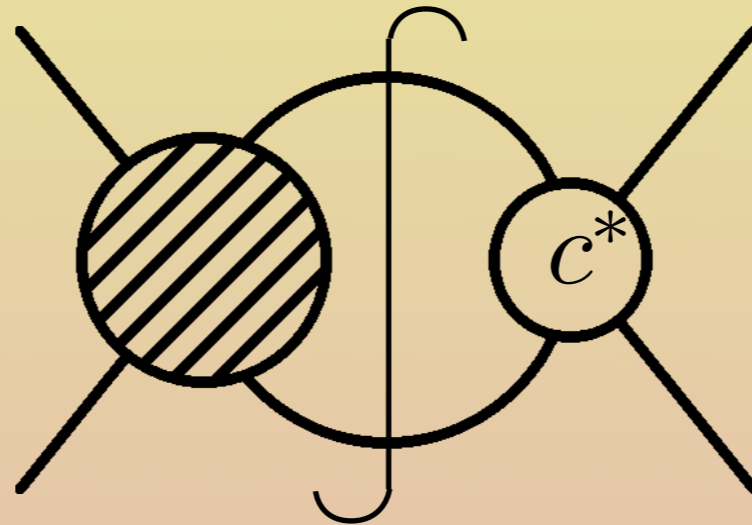
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Linear term in β :

- Most scalar integrals: $\beta = 0$
- Coulomb integrals: expand in β



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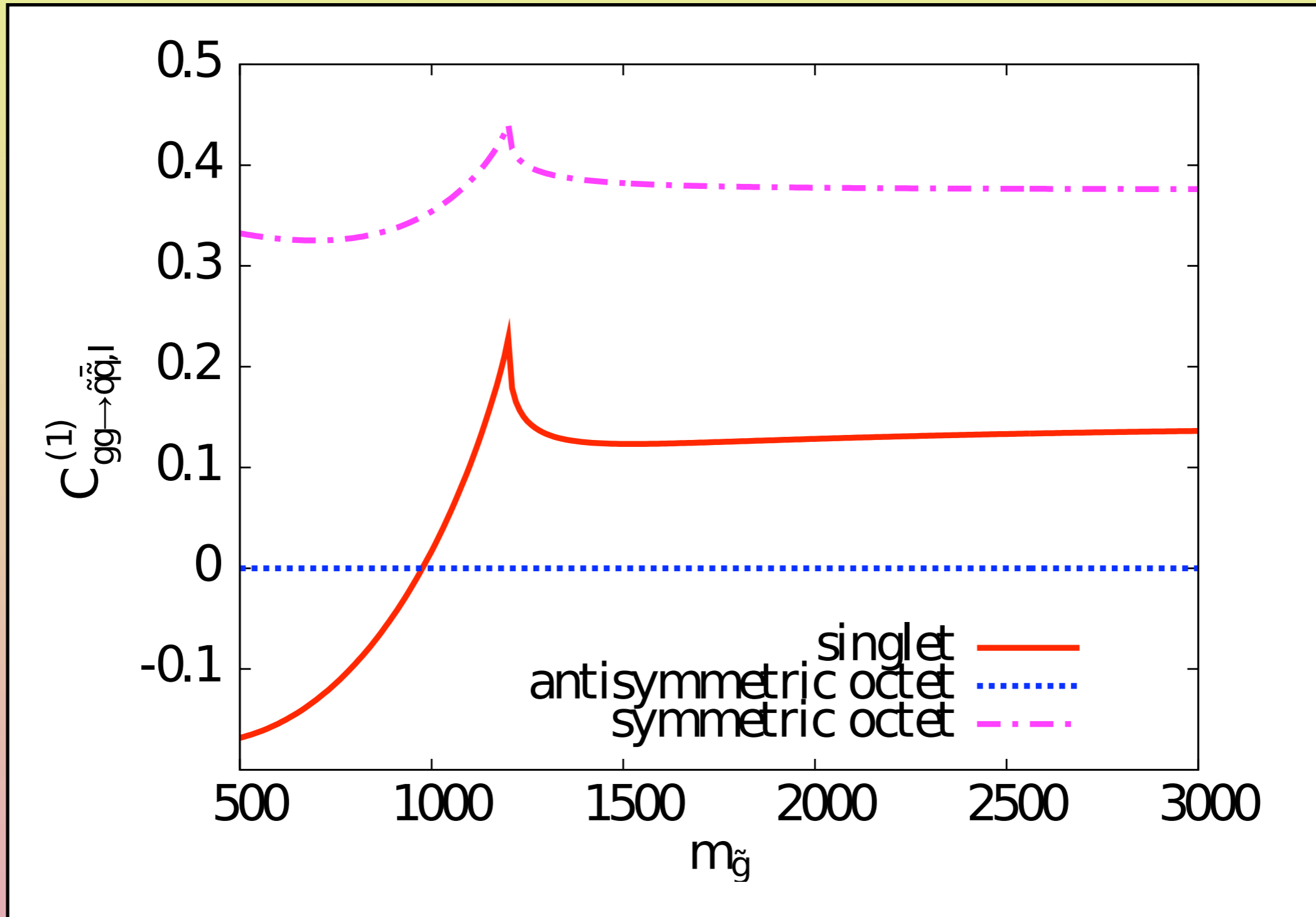


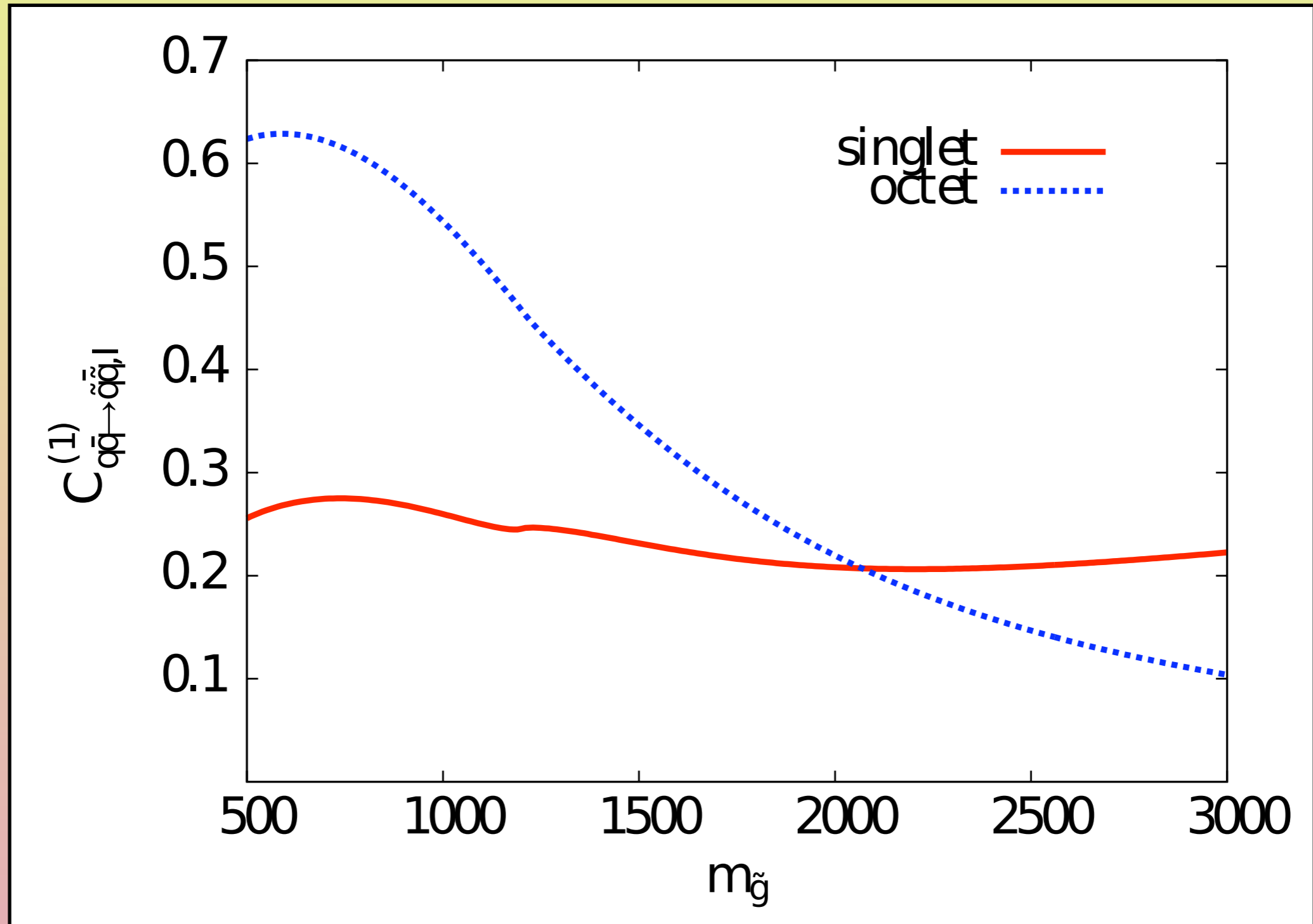
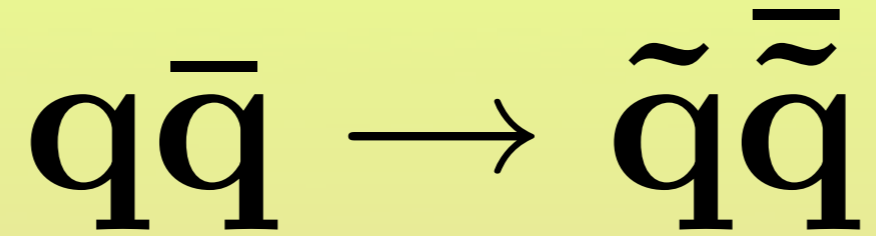
Result for $gg \rightarrow \tilde{q}\tilde{q}$

$$\begin{aligned}
 C_{gg \rightarrow \tilde{q}\tilde{q}, I}^{(1)} = & \operatorname{Re} \left\{ \pi^2 \left(\frac{5N_c}{12} - \frac{C_F}{4} \right) + \gamma_g \log \left(\frac{\mu_R^2}{\mu_F^2} \right) \right. \\
 & - \frac{m_{\tilde{g}}^2 N_c}{2m_{\tilde{q}}^2} \log^2 (x_{\tilde{g}\tilde{g}}(4m_{\tilde{q}}^2)) + C_F \left(\frac{m_+^2 m_-^2}{2m_{\tilde{q}}^4} \log \left(\frac{m_+^2}{m_-^2} \right) - \frac{m_{\tilde{g}}^2}{m_{\tilde{q}}^2} - 3 \right) \\
 & + \frac{m_+^2 N_c}{2m_{\tilde{q}}^2} \left(\operatorname{Li}_2 \left(-\frac{m_{\tilde{q}}^2}{m_{\tilde{g}}^2} \right) - \operatorname{Li}_2 \left(\frac{m_{\tilde{q}}^2}{m_{\tilde{g}}^2} \right) \right) \\
 & + \left[\frac{\pi^2}{8} - \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Li}_2 \left(-\frac{m_{\tilde{q}}^2}{m_{\tilde{g}}^2} \right) + \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{Li}_2 \left(\frac{m_{\tilde{q}}^2}{m_{\tilde{g}}^2} \right) + \frac{m_{\tilde{g}}^2}{4m_{\tilde{q}}^2} \log^2 (x_{\tilde{g}\tilde{g}}(4m_{\tilde{q}}^2)) \right] C_2(I) \\
 & \left. + 2C_A \left(\gamma_E^2 - 2\gamma_E \log(2) + \gamma_E \log \left(\frac{\mu_F^2}{m_{\tilde{q}}^2} \right) \right) + (2 + \gamma_E) C_2(I) \right\}
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$$gg \rightarrow \tilde{q}\tilde{q}^*$$







Matching to NLO

$$\begin{aligned}
 & \sigma_{h_1 h_2 \rightarrow \tilde{q} \bar{q}}^{(\text{NNLL+NLO matched})}(\rho, \{m^2\}, \mu^2) = \sigma_{h_1 h_2 \rightarrow \tilde{q} \bar{q}}^{(\text{NLO})}(\rho, \{m^2\}, \mu^2) \\
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 & \times \left[\tilde{\sigma}_{ij \rightarrow \tilde{q} \bar{q}}^{(\text{res, NNLL})}(N, \{m^2\}, \mu^2) - \tilde{\sigma}_{ij \rightarrow \tilde{q} \bar{q}}^{(\text{res, NNLL})}(N, \{m^2\}, \mu^2) \Big|_{(\text{NLO})} \right]
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Matching to NLO

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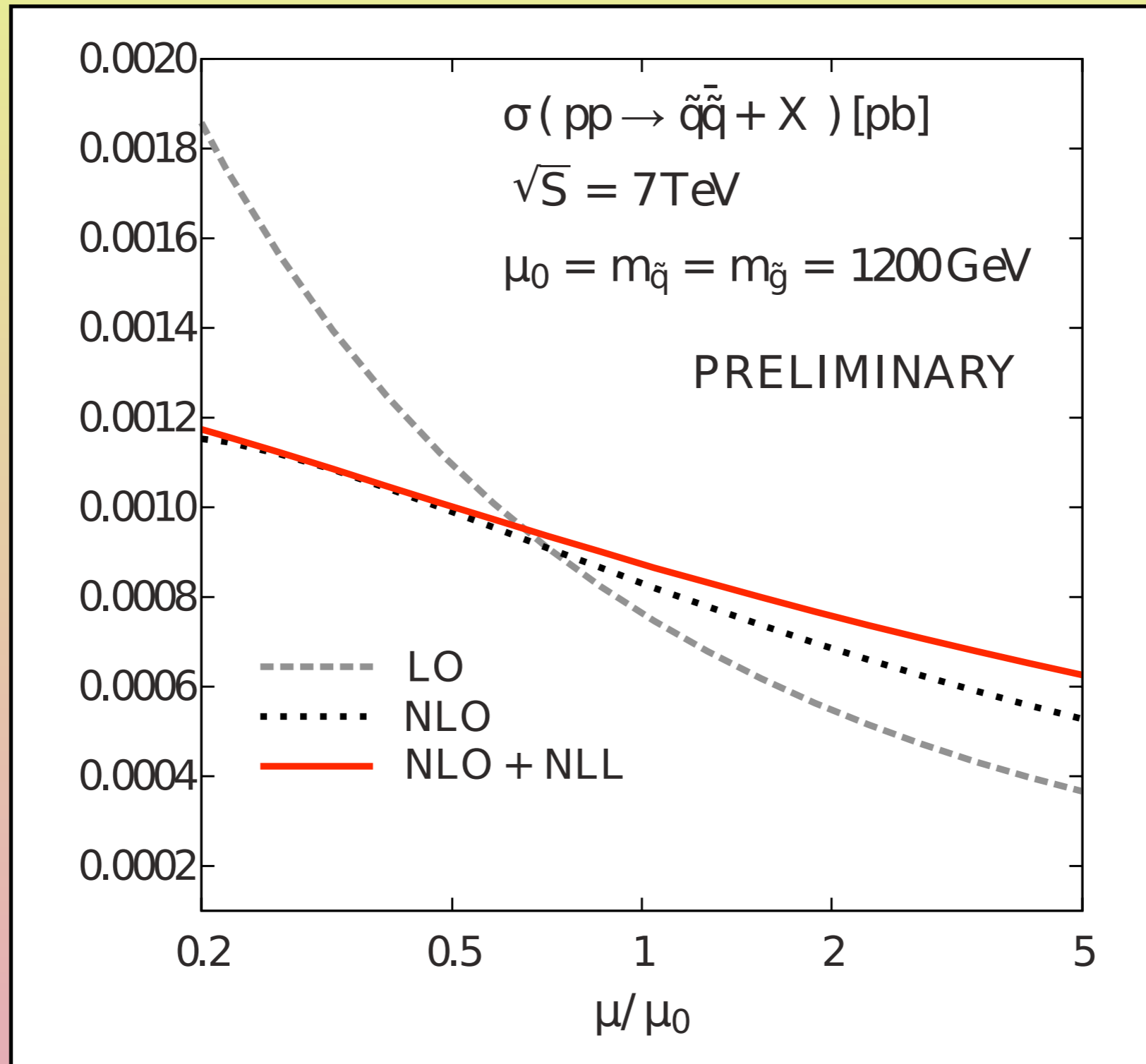


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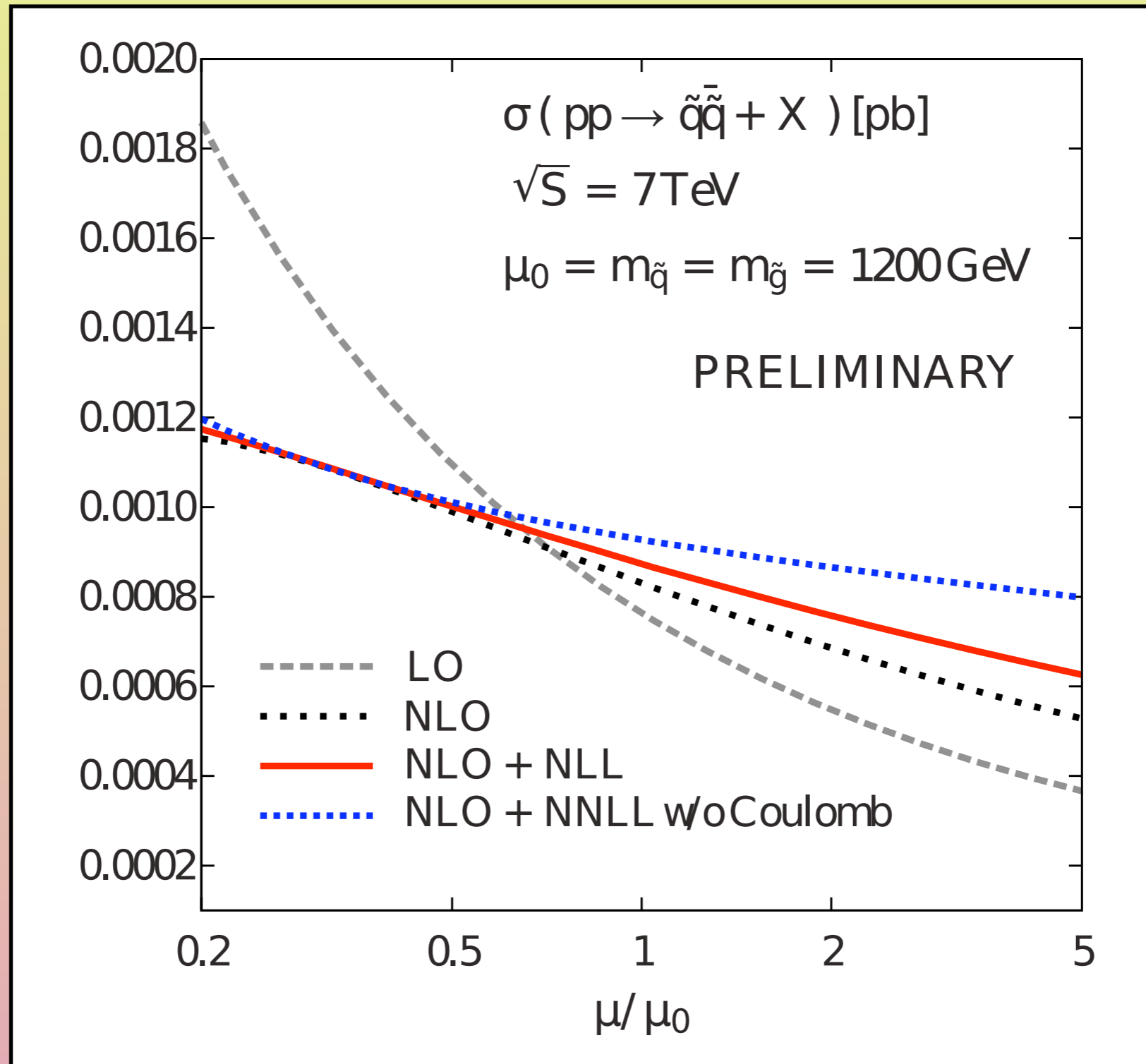


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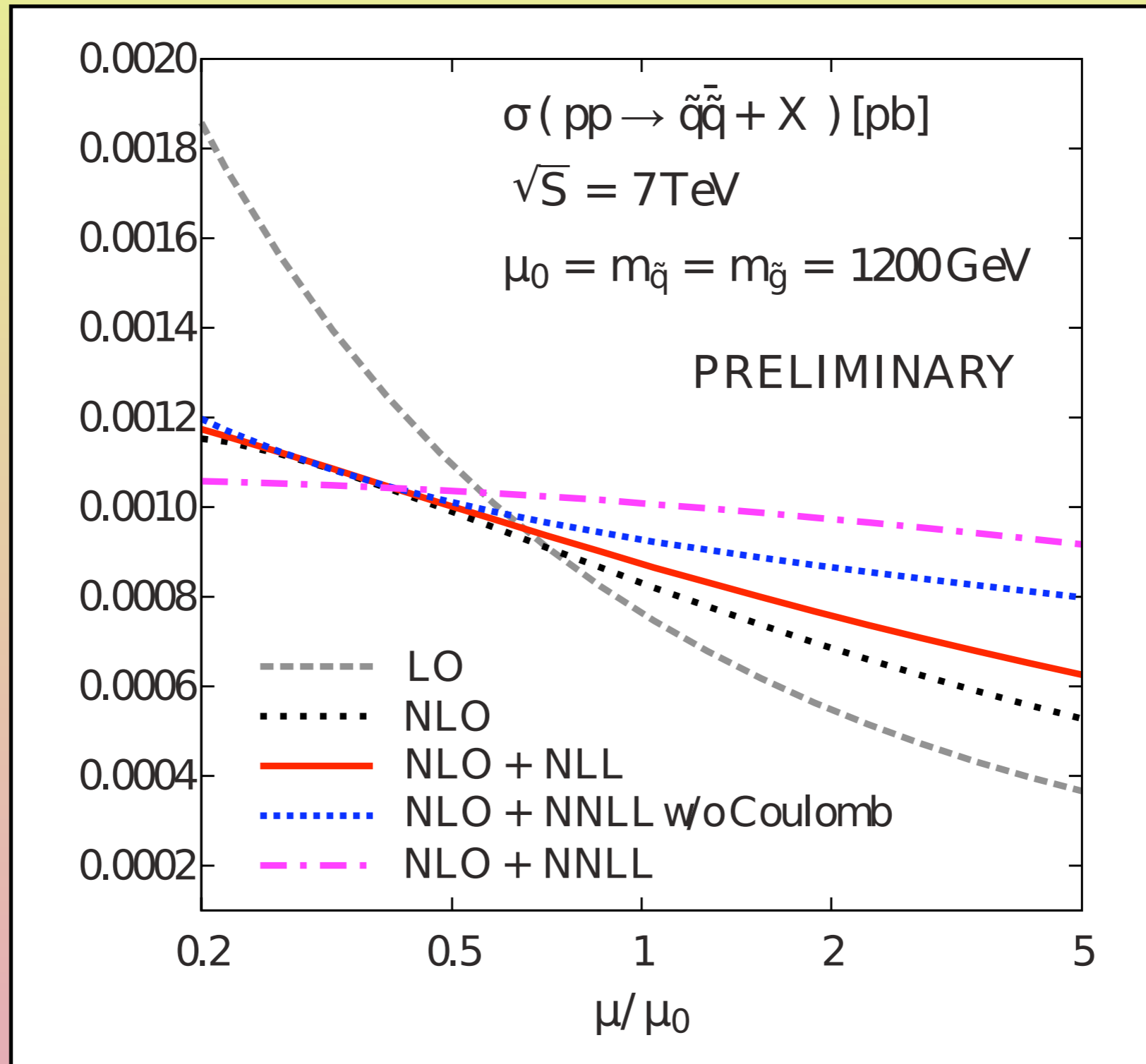


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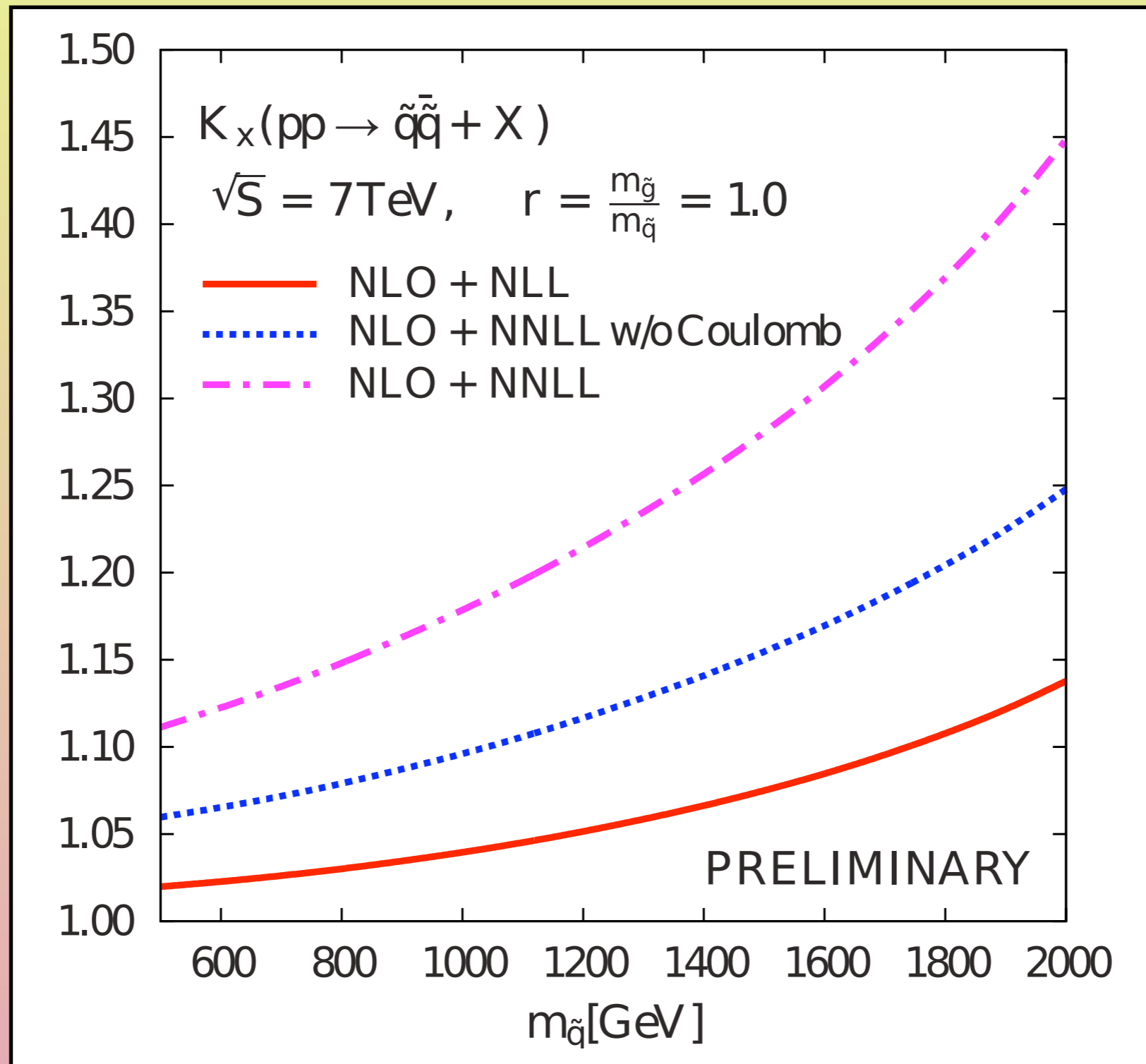


Scale dependence





K factor @ central scale





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Still to do:

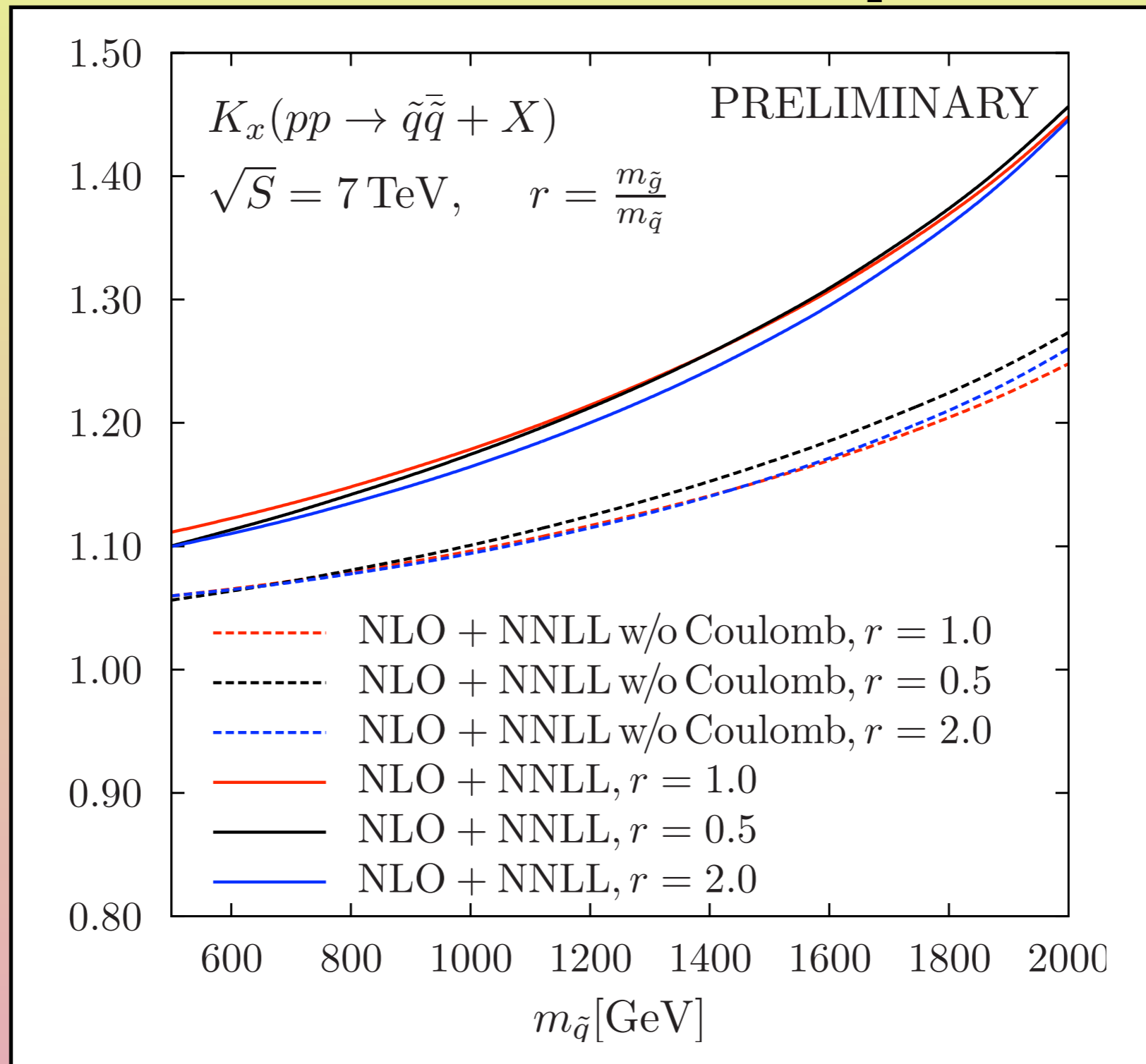
- Include other processes
- Apply this to exclusion bounds



Backup

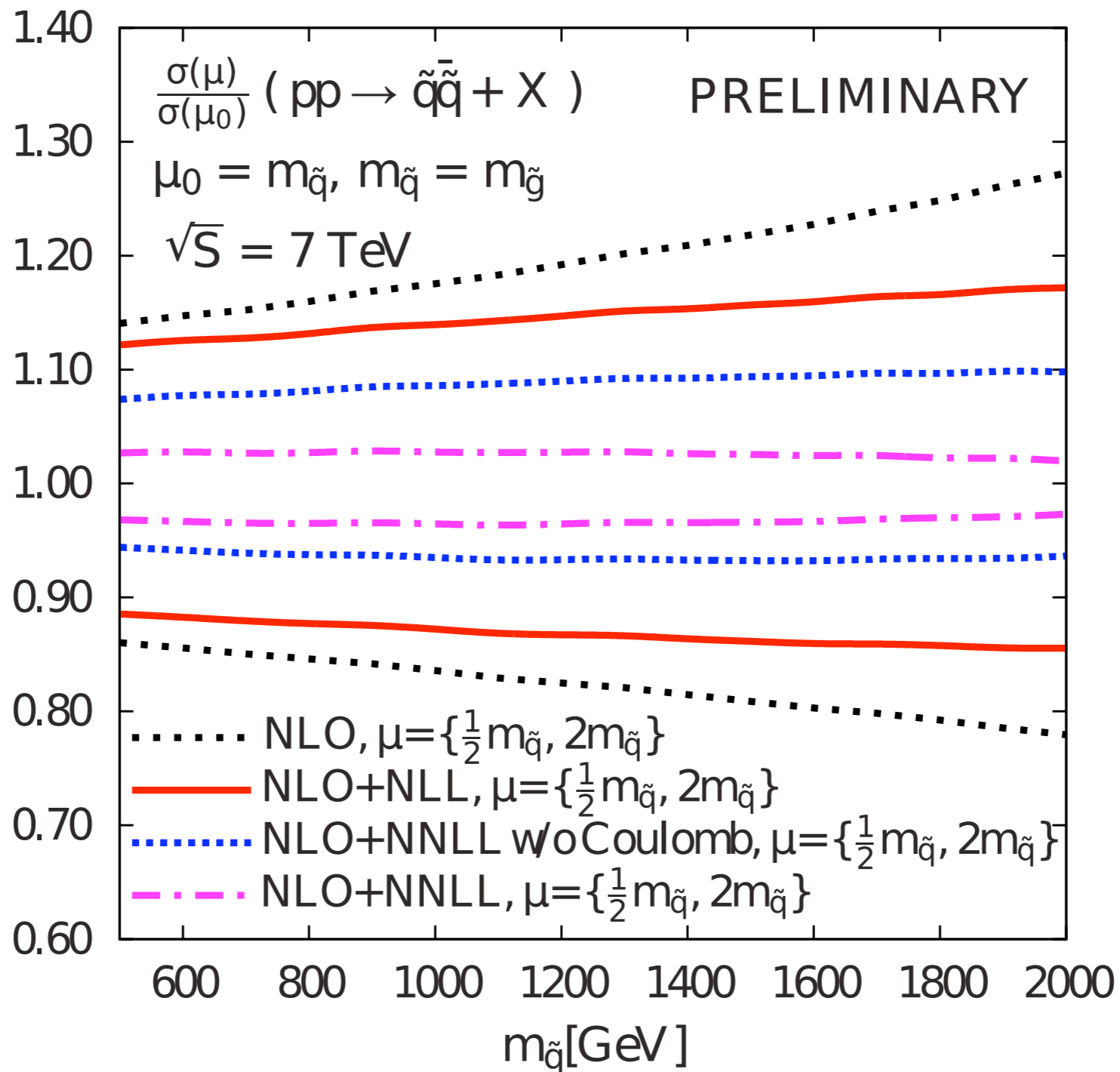


Gluino mass dependence



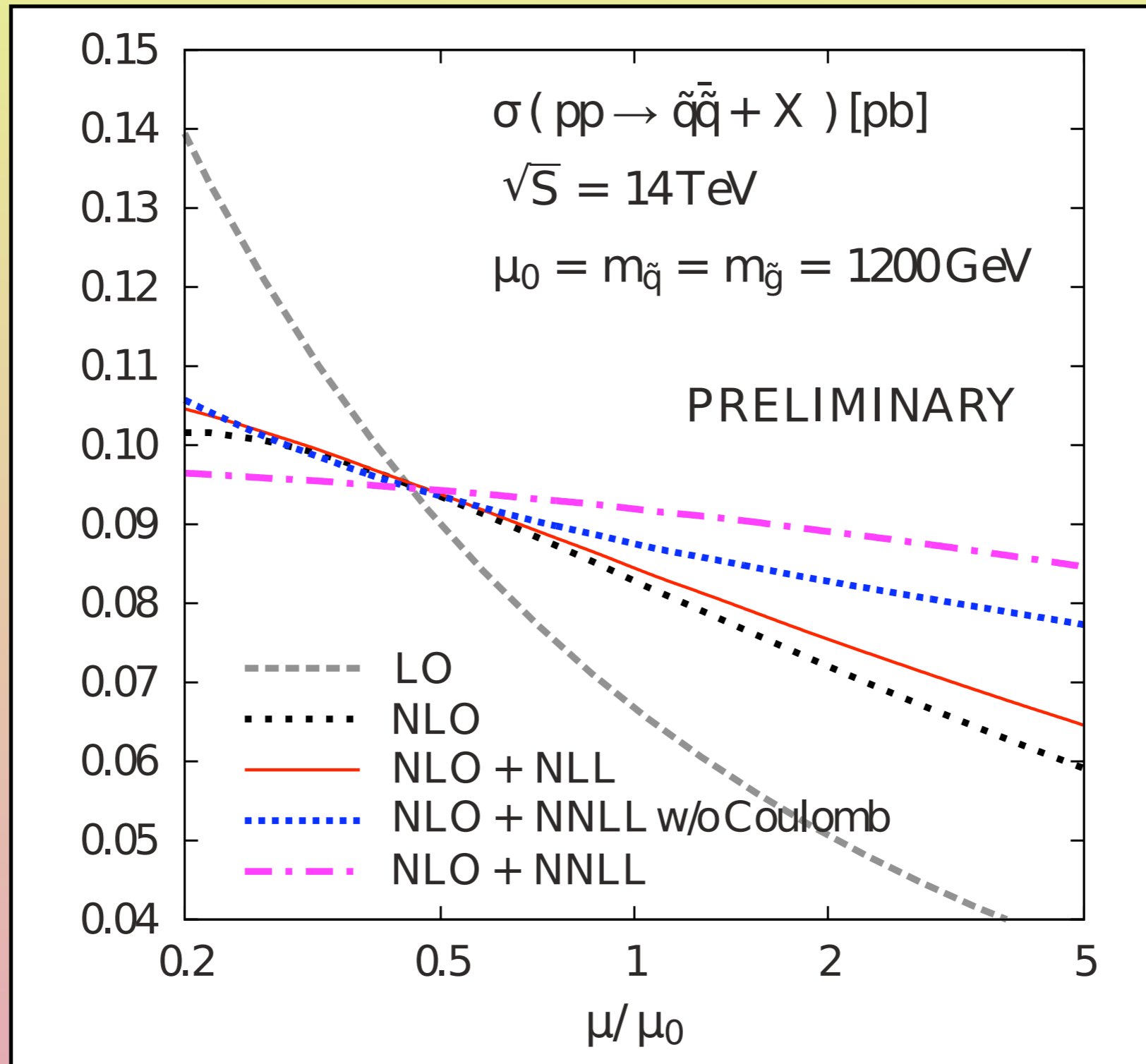


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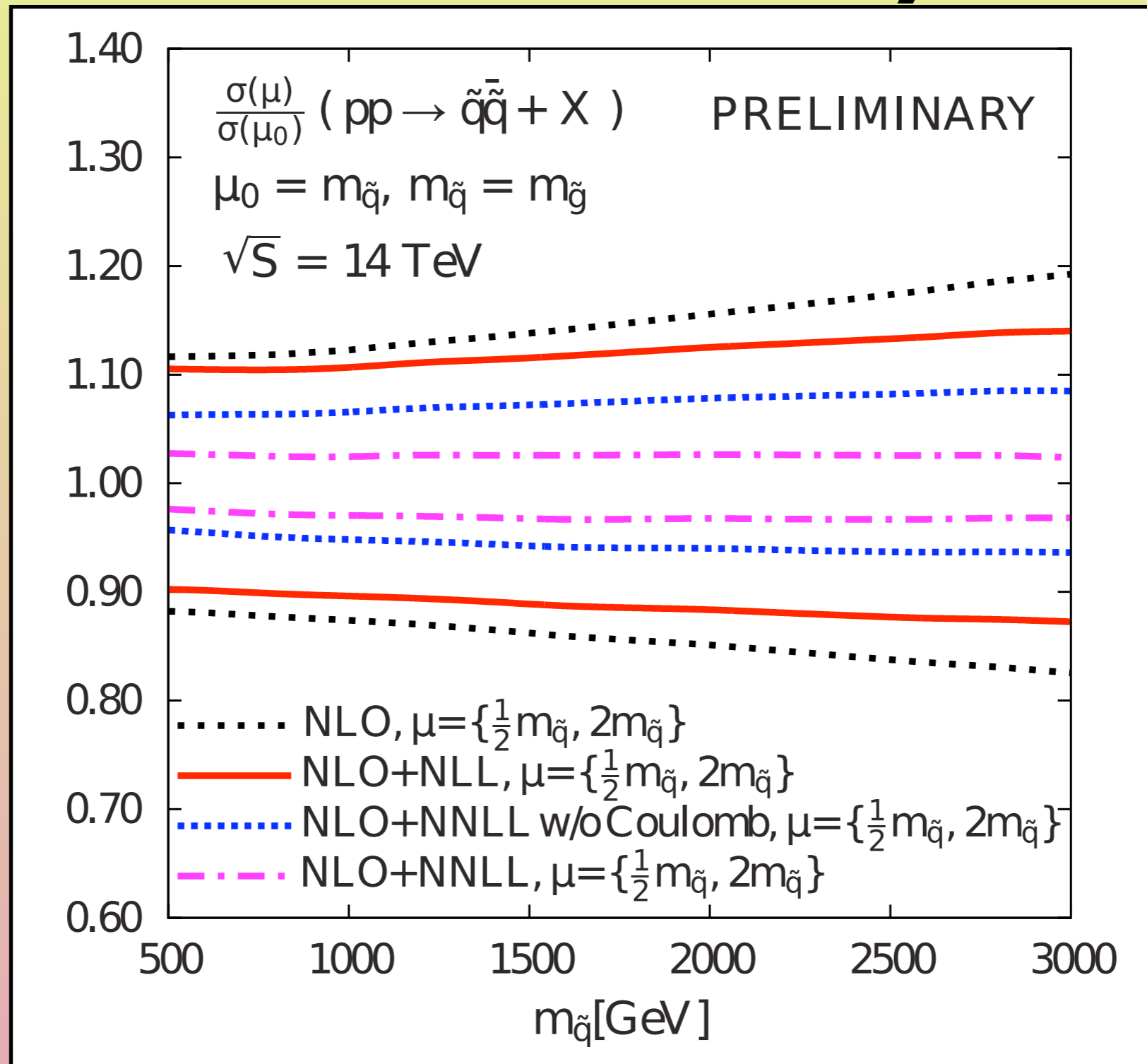


Scale dependence | 4 TeV





Scale uncertainty | 4 TeV





K factor 14 TeV

