

# PHENOMENOLOGY OF MODELS WITH ADDITIONAL LEPTON GENERATIONS

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# CHIRAL FOURTH GENERATION

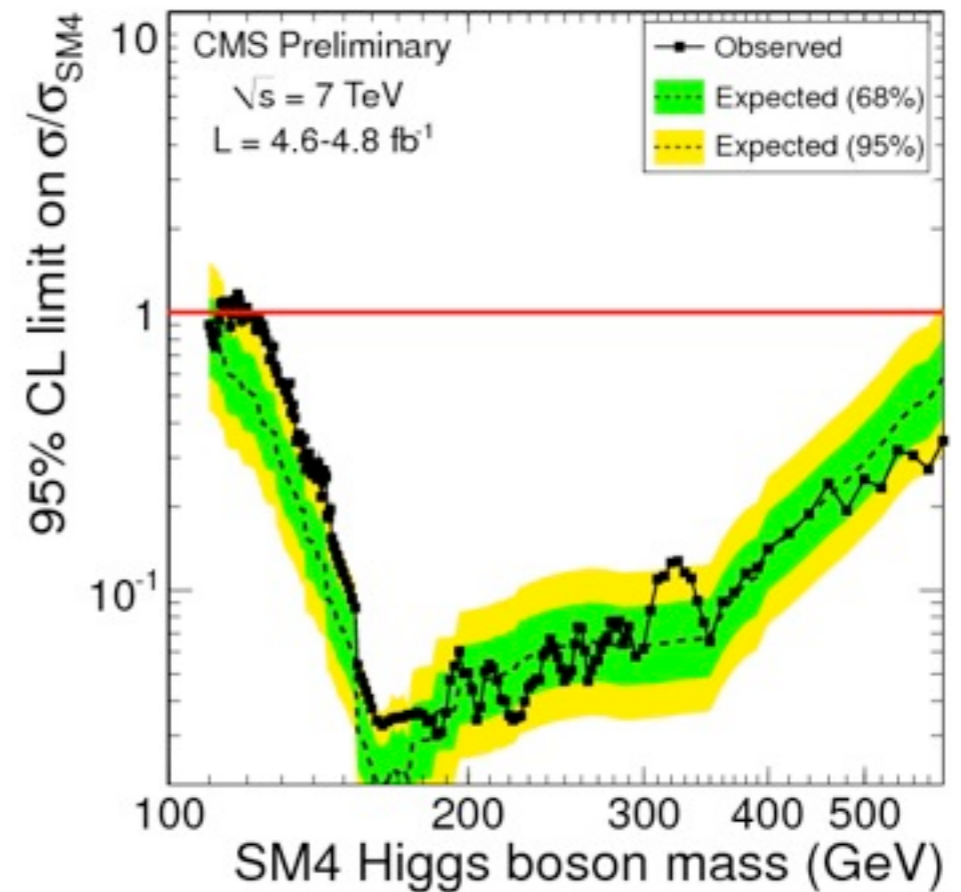
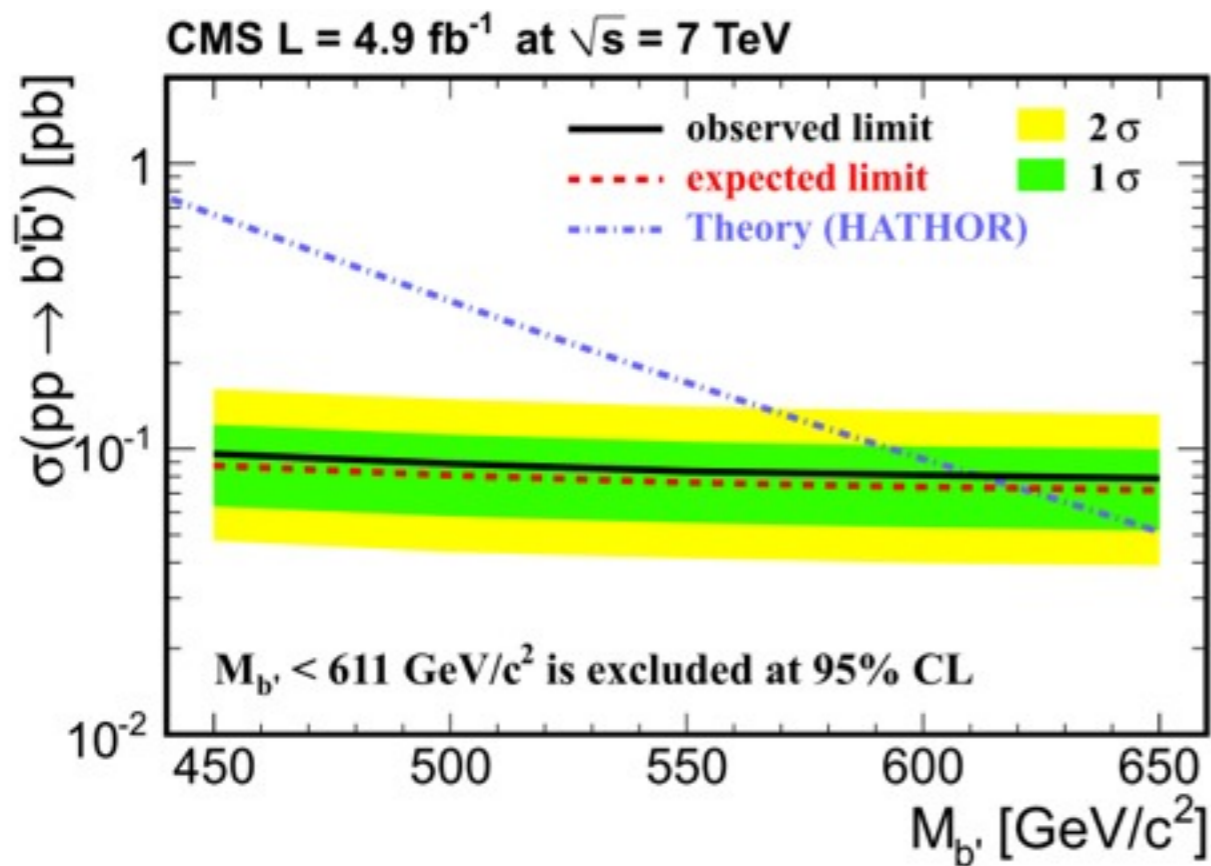
- 4G Quarks strongly constrained

**Direct searches:**

$$M_{b',t'} \gtrsim 600 \text{ GeV}$$

**Indirect Limits:**

$$m_h > 600 \text{ GeV} !$$



# 4G LEPTONS WITHOUT QUARKS

- Full family of quarks and lepton required for anomaly cancellation
- Instead: Introduce a set of mirror leptons with same quantum numbers but opposite chirality

$\ell'_L$	$e'_R$	$\nu'_R$	$\ell''_R$	$e''_L$	$\nu''_L$
$(1,2,1/2)$	$(1,1,1)$	$(1,1,0)$	$(1,2,1/2)$	$(1,1,1)$	$(1,1,0)$



4G Leptons



Mirror Leptons

# LAGRANGIAN/PARAMETERS

- Yukawa couplings within one generation

$$Y'_c(\bar{\ell}'_L H)e'_R + Y'_n(\bar{\ell}'_L \tau H^\dagger)\nu'_R + Y''_c(\bar{\ell}''_R H)e''_L + Y''_n(\bar{\ell}''_R \tau H^\dagger)\nu''_L$$

- Majorana masses for right handed neutrinos

$$\frac{1}{2}M'\nu'\nu' + \frac{1}{2}M''\nu''\nu''$$

- Dirac masses mix generations (mirror parity?)

$$m_\ell \bar{\ell}'_L \ell''_R + m_e \bar{e}''_L e'_R + m_\nu \bar{\nu}''_L \nu'_R$$

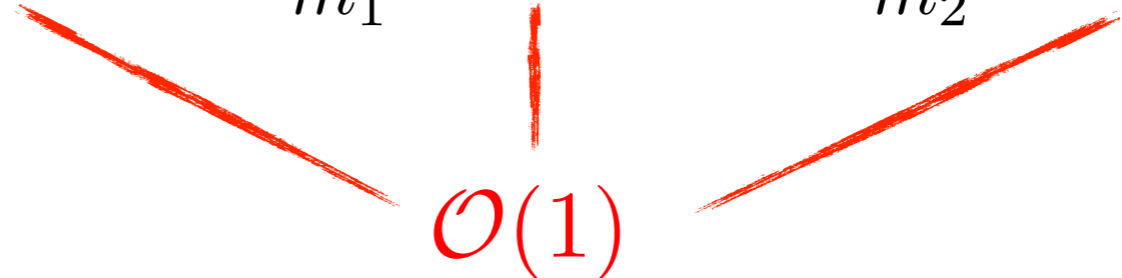
# WITH MIRROR PARITY

- Charged lepton masses purely from Yukawa couplings
- LEP limits  $m_{e'} > 100 \text{ GeV}$ : sizable coupling to Higgs
- Higgs diphoton rate:

$$\Gamma_{h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma} \propto \left| A_1(\tau_w) + \frac{4}{3} A_{1/2}(\tau_t) + \frac{c_{h11} v}{m_1} A_{1/2}(\tau_{e_1}) + \frac{c_{h22} v}{m_2} A_{1/2}(\tau_{e_2}) \right|^2$$

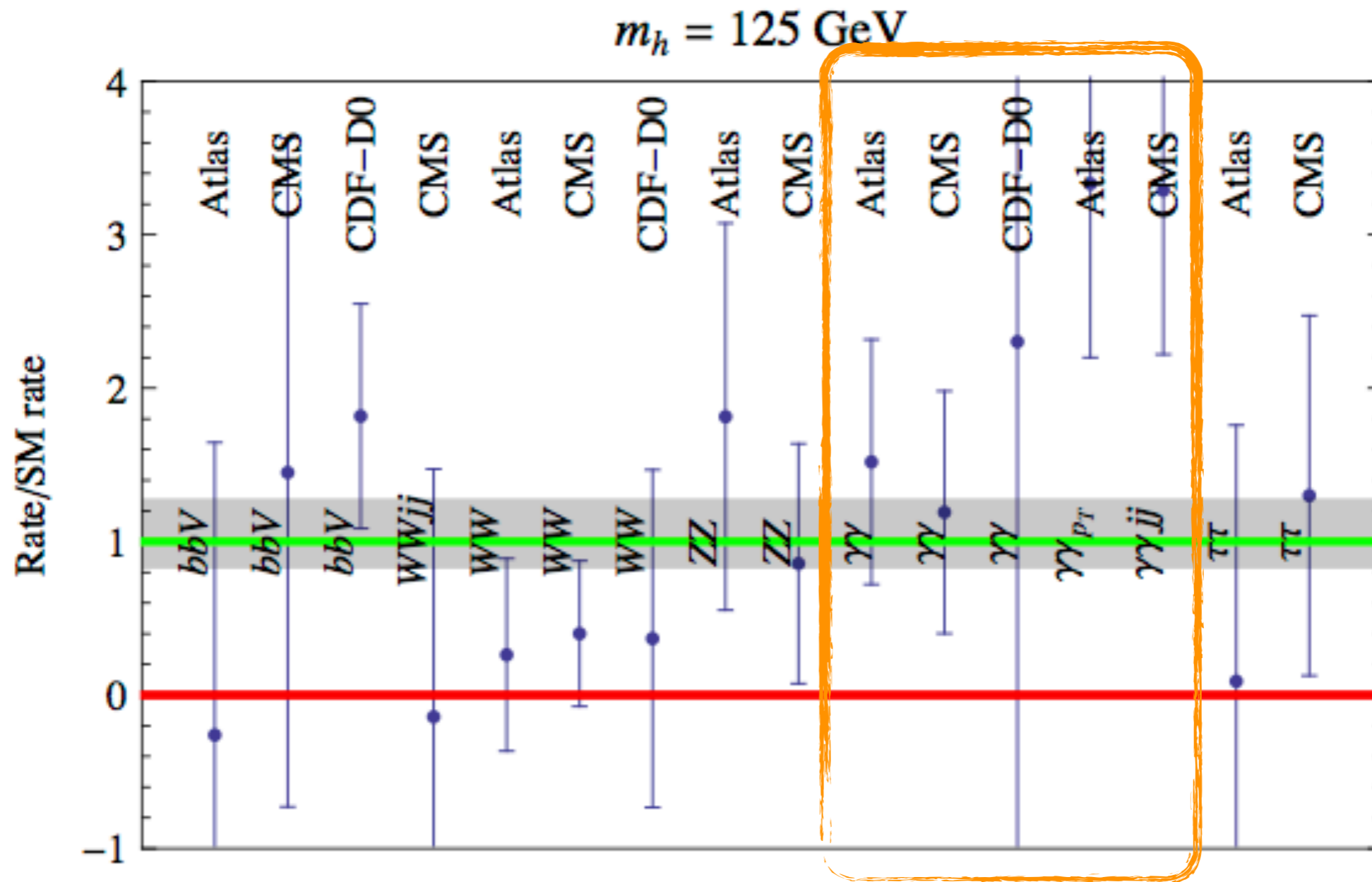
$-8.3$

$\mathcal{O}(1)$



- Large (70%) suppression

# HIGGS "PROPERTIES"



Giardinoa,  
Kannikeb,  
Raidalc,  
Strumia, 2012

No discovery yet!

But: Suppression of di-photon rate probably a bad idea

# HIGGS TO PHOTONS, WITH MIXING

- Charged lepton mass matrix

$$\mathcal{L} \supset (\bar{e}'_L \ \bar{e}''_L) \mathcal{M} \begin{pmatrix} e'_R \\ e''_R \end{pmatrix} + \text{h.c.} \quad \text{where} \quad \mathcal{M} = \begin{pmatrix} Y'_c v & m_\ell \\ m_e & Y''_c v \end{pmatrix}$$

- Remember:  $\Gamma_{h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma} \propto \left| A_1(\tau_w) + \frac{4}{3} A_{1/2}(\tau_t) + \frac{c_{h11} v}{m_1} A_{1/2}(\tau_{e_1}) + \frac{c_{h22} v}{m_2} A_{1/2}(\tau_{e_2}) \right|^2$

- Enhancement possible?

$$\sum_i \frac{c_{hii} v}{m_i} = v \frac{d}{dv} \log \det(\mathcal{M}) = \frac{2Y'_c Y''_c v^2}{Y'_c Y''_c v^2 - m_\ell m_e}$$

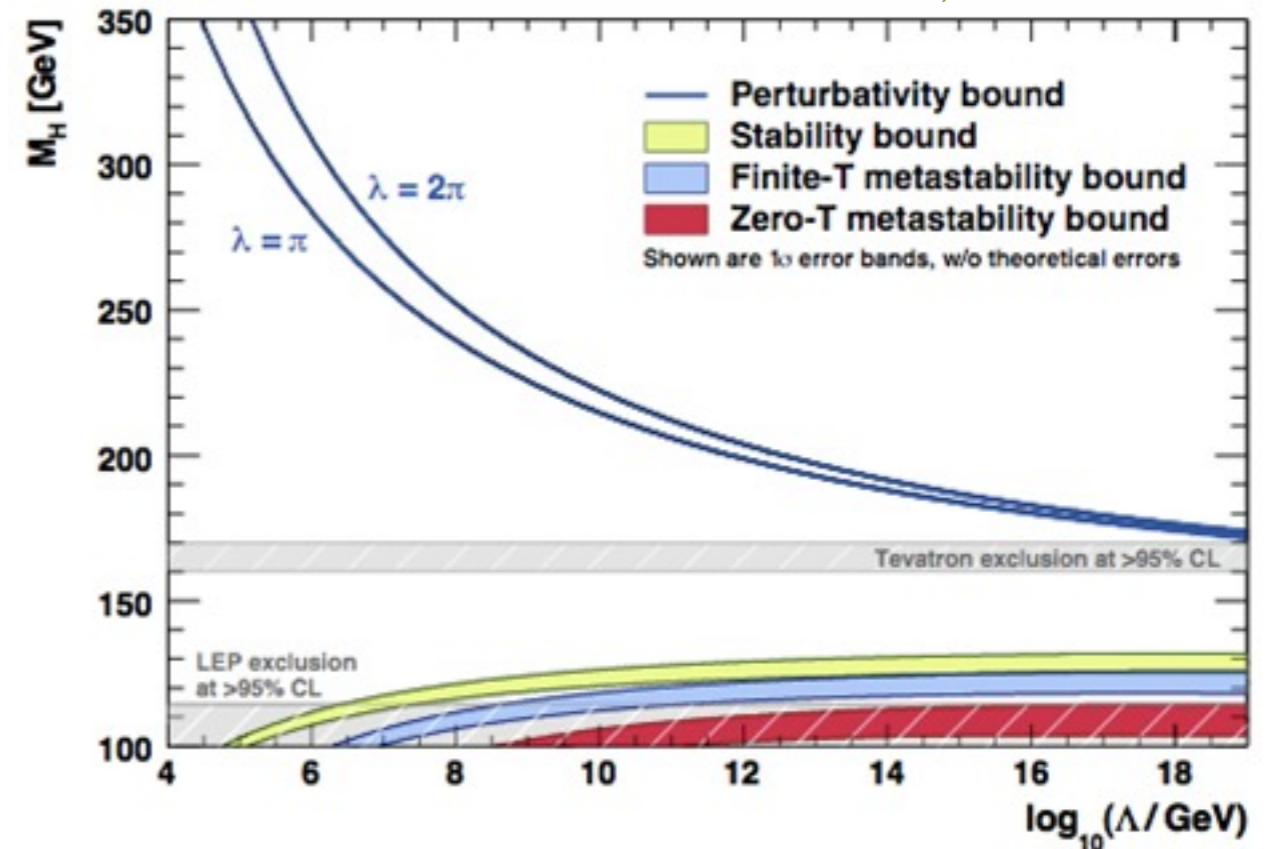
Falkowski, 2008

- Need: both Yukawas nonzero, finite lepton masses

# STABILITY LIMITS

Ellis et al, arXiv:0906.0954

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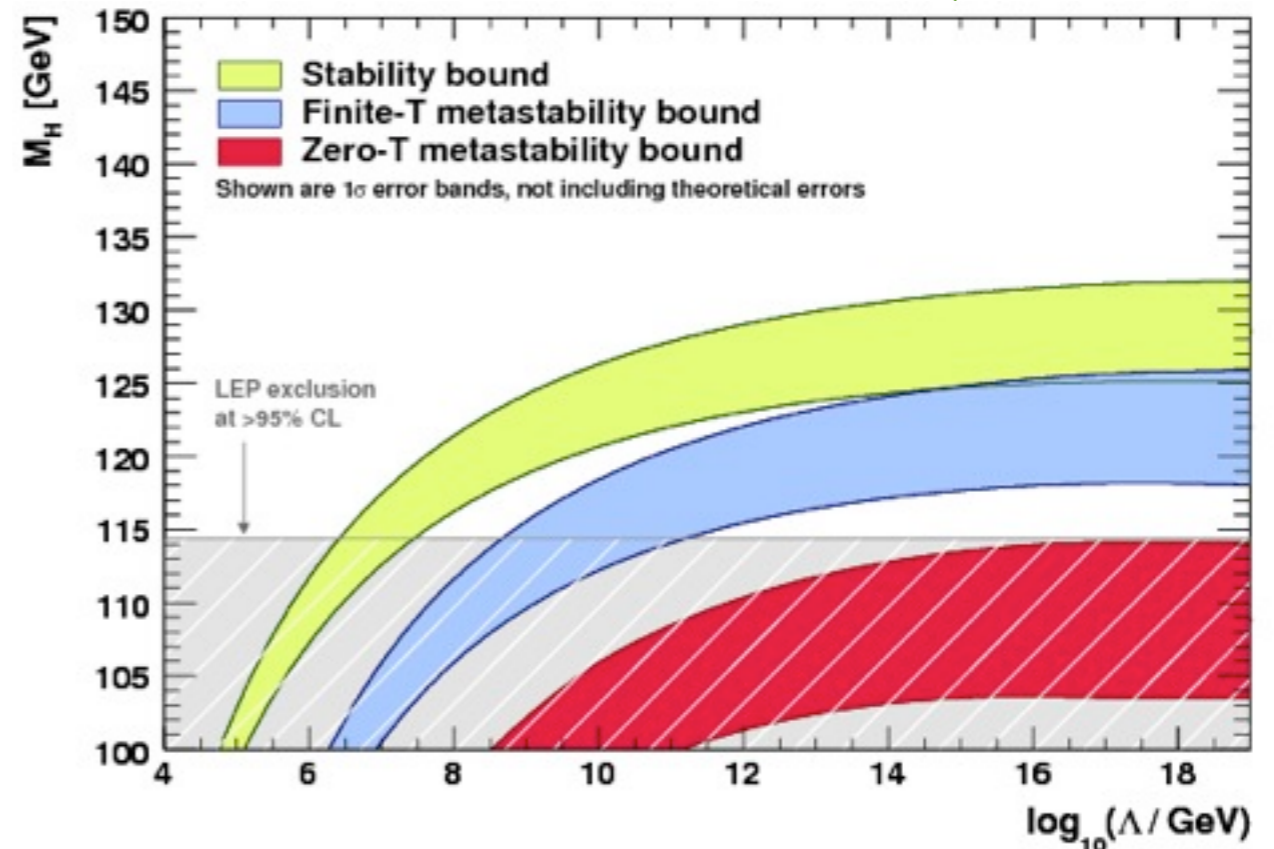




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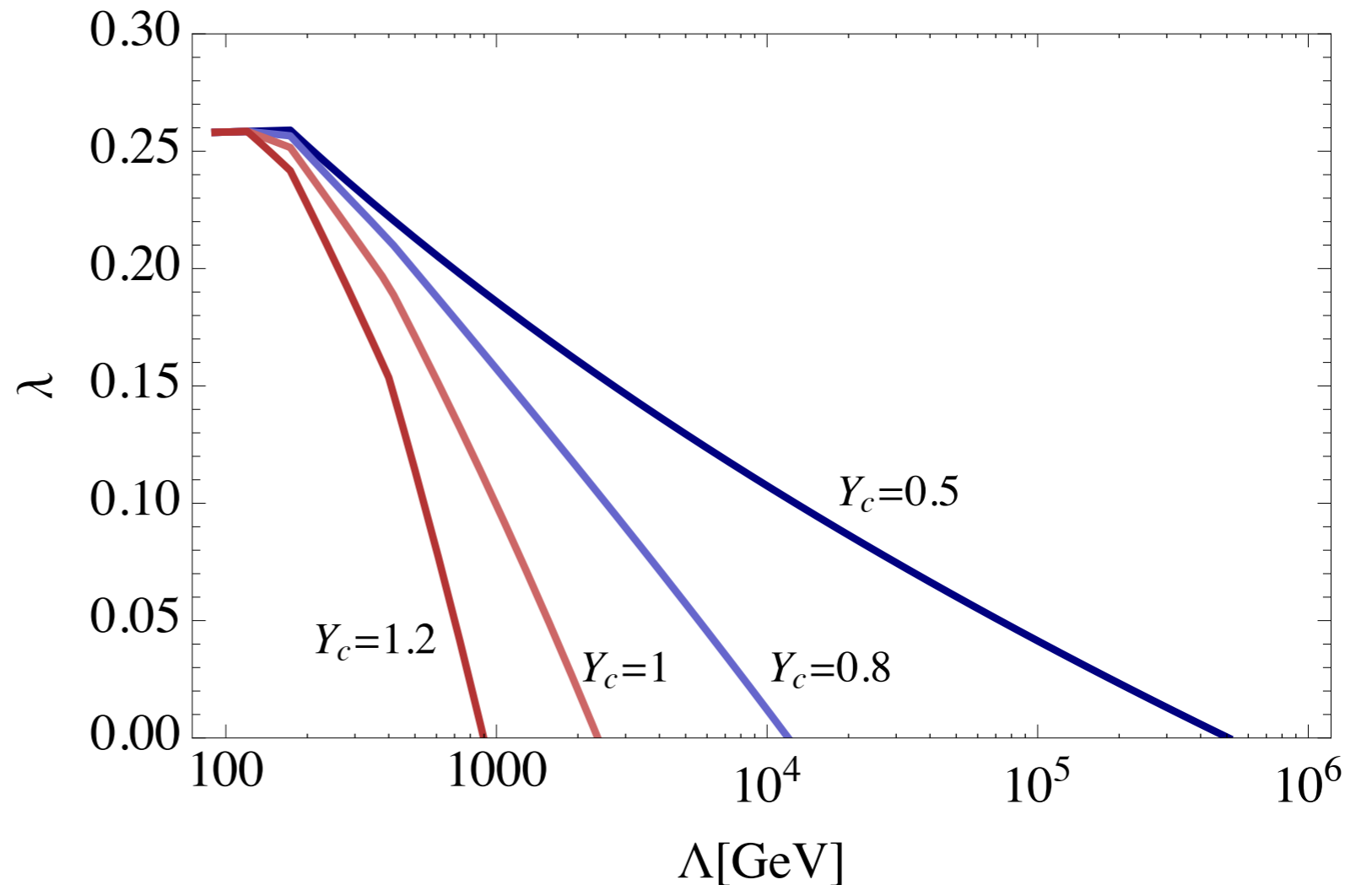
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- One loop RGE of Higgs quartic
- Vanishing neutral Yukawas
- $Y'_c \sim Y''_c \lesssim 1$



- Or, add new physics at TeV scale to improve UV behavior

# DI-PHOTON RATE

- Ratio

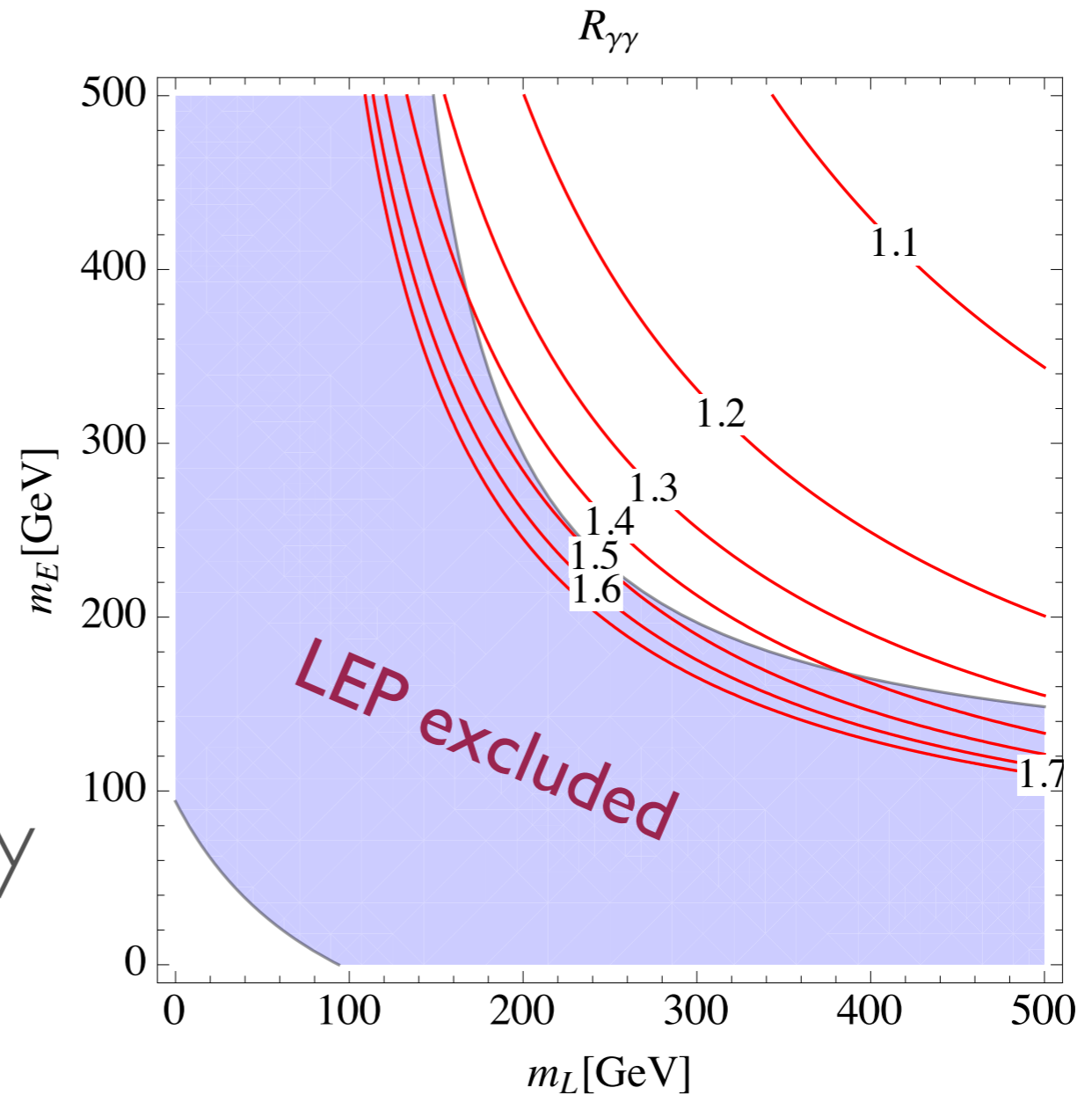
$$R_{\gamma\gamma} = \frac{\Gamma(h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)}{\Gamma(h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)_{\text{SM}}}$$

- Yukawas

$$Y'_c = Y''_c = 0.8$$

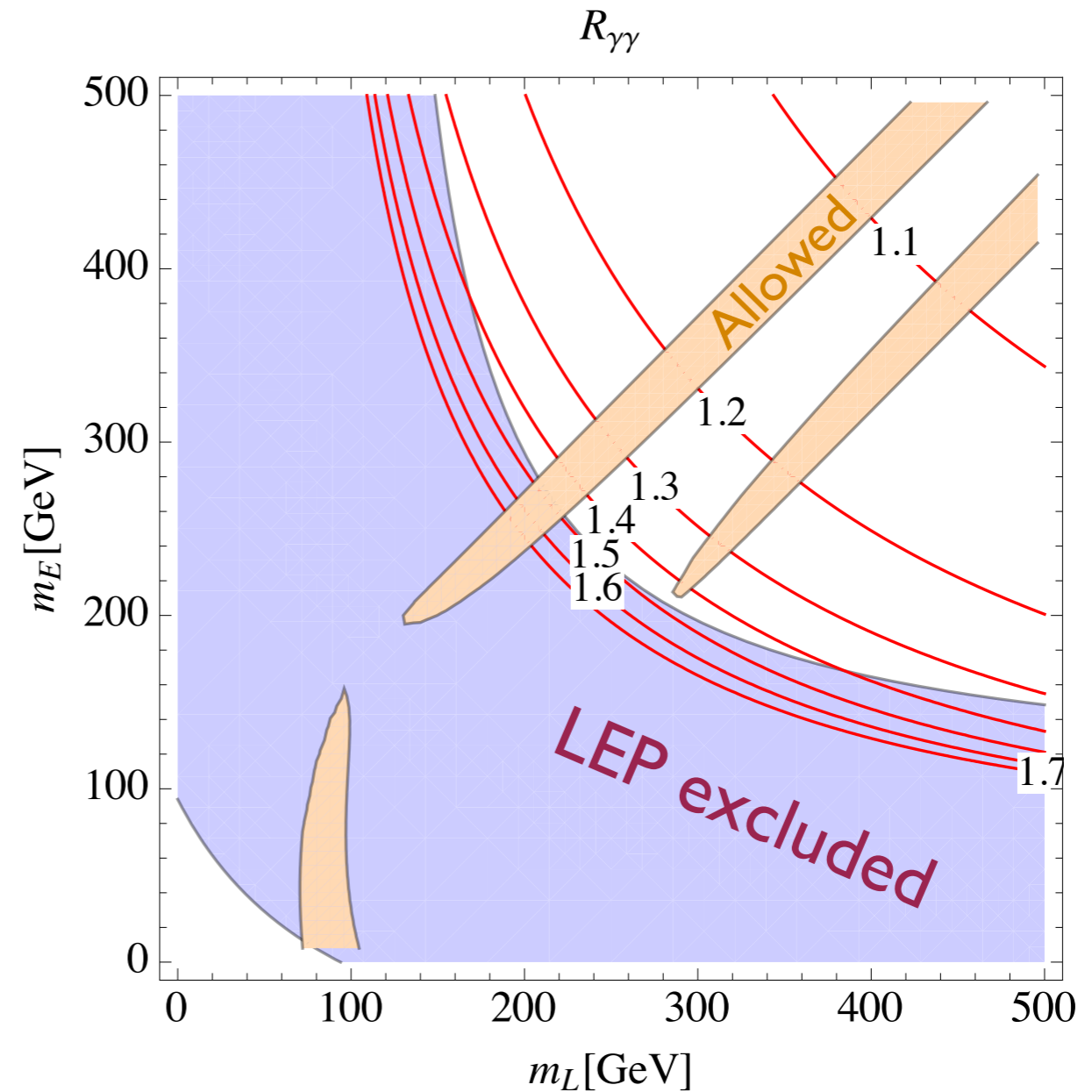
- 50% enhancement easy

- More enhancement:  
increase Yukawas, or have to evade LEP limit



# PRECISION CONSTRAINTS

- Add electroweak constraints
- Orange: allowed by S & T parameters at 95% CL



# OTHER PHENOMENOLOGY

- Assume no mixing with SM leptons

- ▶ Lightest neutrino is dark matter candidate

- ▶ Generic decays  $e' \rightarrow W\nu'$        $\nu'' \rightarrow Z\nu'$

- ▶ Simplified model for

$$pp \rightarrow WW + \cancel{E} \rightarrow 2\ell + \cancel{E}$$

$$pp \rightarrow WZ + \cancel{E} \rightarrow 3\ell + \cancel{E}$$

$$pp \rightarrow ZZ + \cancel{E} \rightarrow 4\ell + \cancel{E}$$

- ▶ Weak production, LHC only starts being sensitive

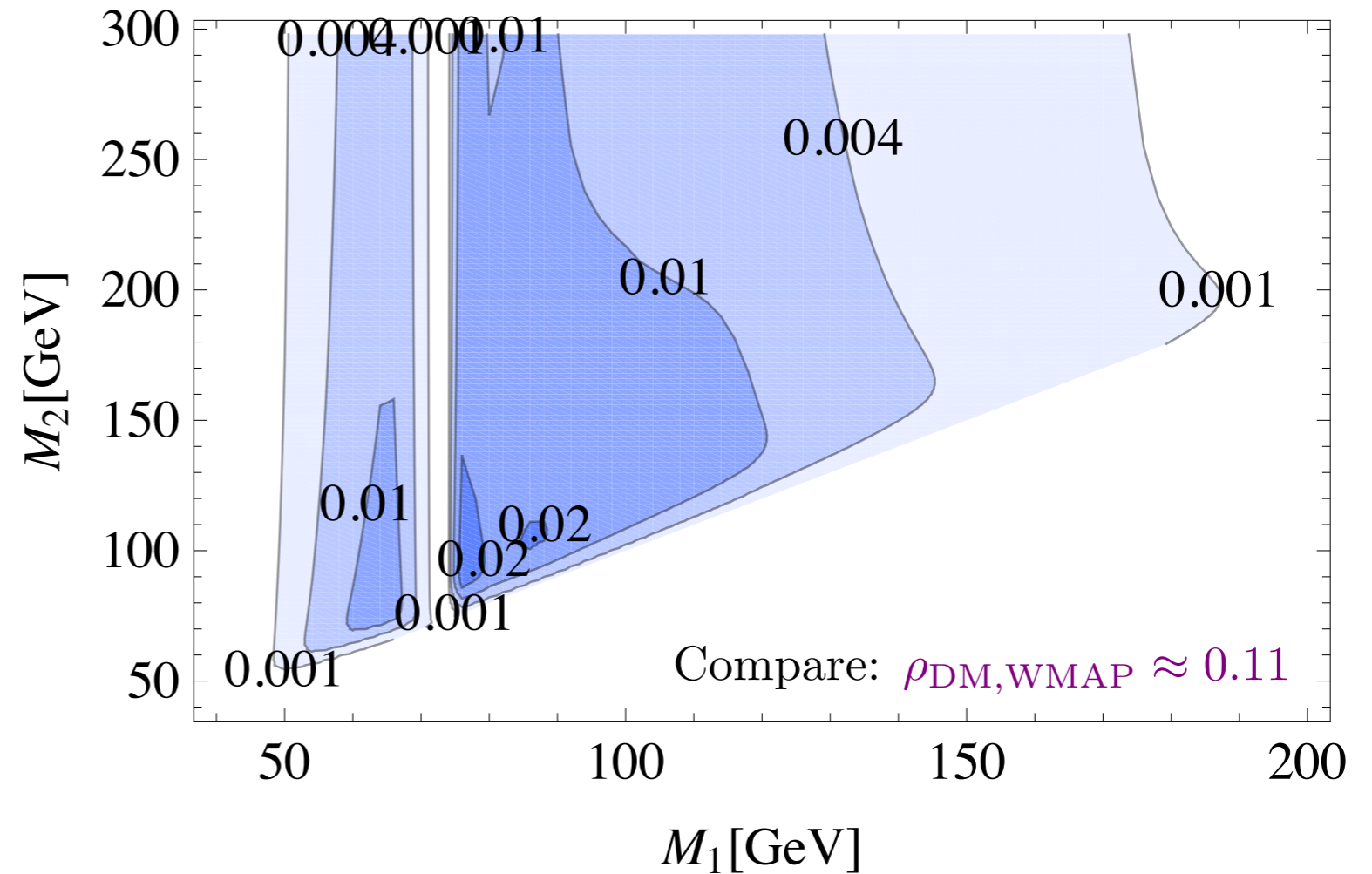
# CONCLUSIONS

- New leptons are interesting!
- Possible explanation for modified Higgs BRs, consistent with EWPT, stability
- Rich collider and dark matter phenomenology

THANK YOU!

# RELIC DENSITY

- ▶ at most 20% of “observed” dark matter
- ▶ Higgs mass 150 GeV
- ▶ Co-annihilation near  $M_2 = M_1$
- ▶ full density only with modified thermal history



e.g. Kainulainen et. al. 2007



# DM: CONSTRAINTS

- ▶ Thermal relic density - annihilation rate

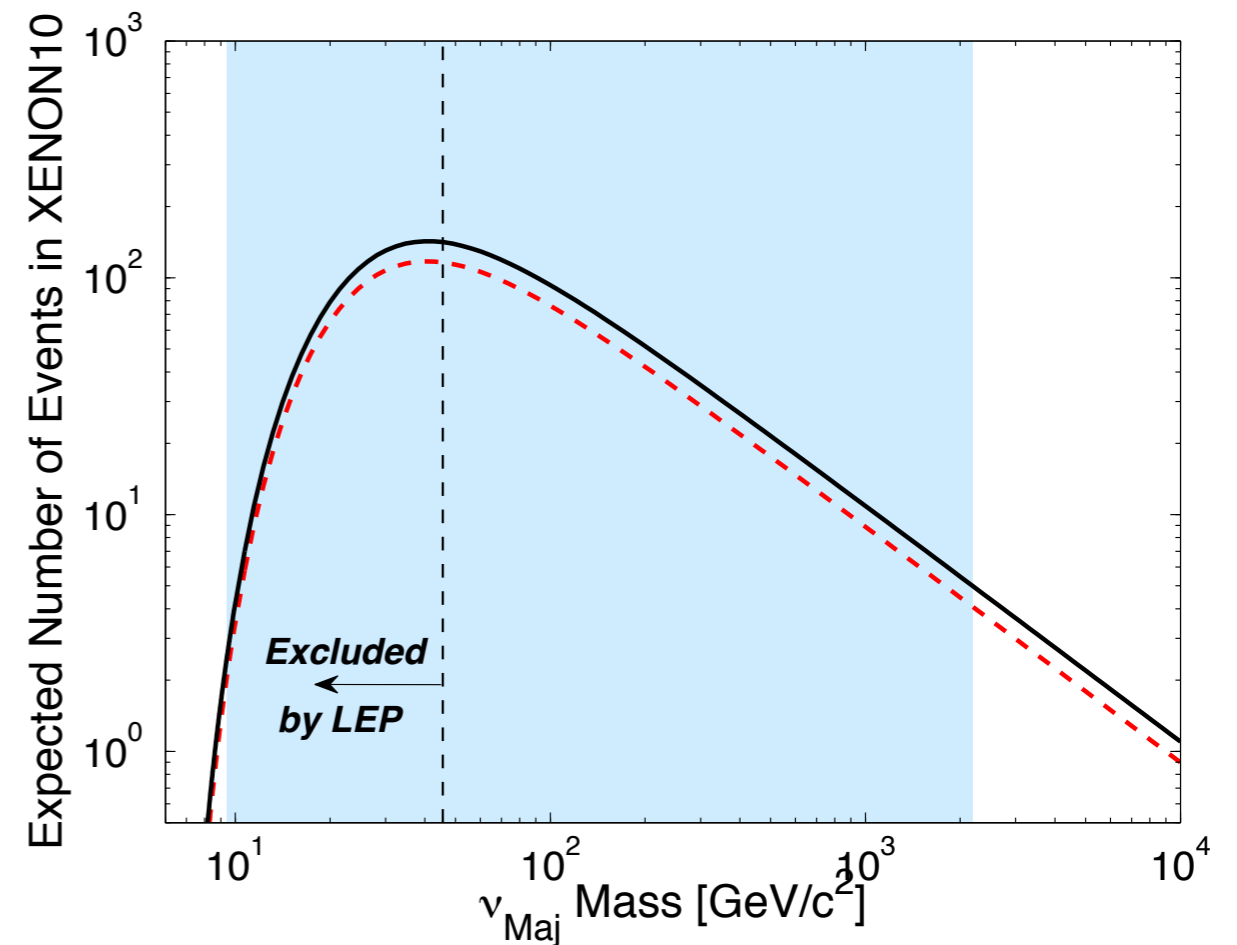
**small, but non-negligible  
for Majorana  $N_1$**

- ▶ Direct detection rates

- ▶ Dirac: Spin-independent scattering unsuppressed  
excluded 20 years ago
- ▶ Majorana: SI scattering suppressed by light quark masses.  
Consider both SI and SD scattering

# DIRECT DETECTION: SD LIMITS

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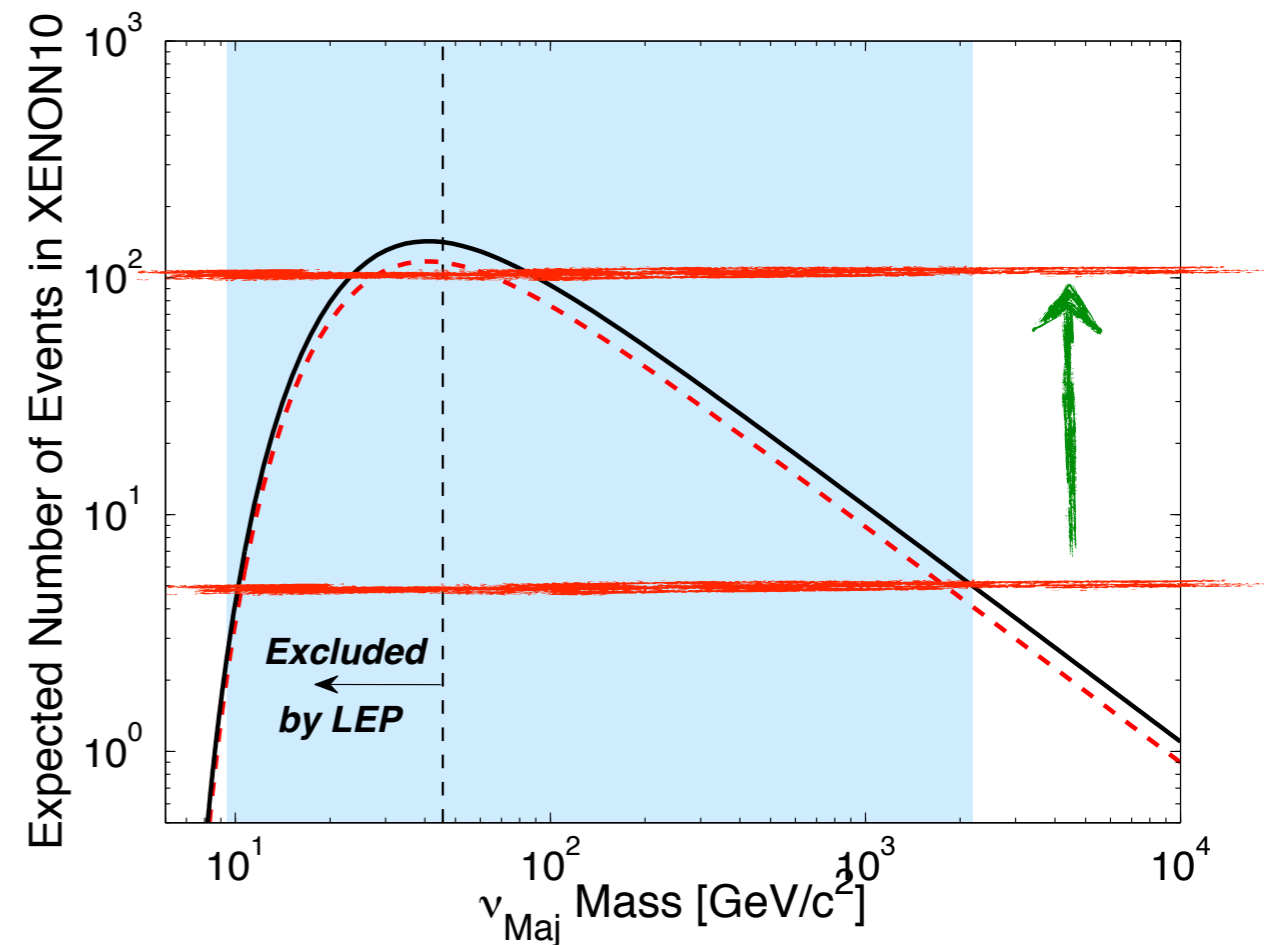
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- ▶ Event rate scales with relic density

$$\propto \rho_{N_1} / \rho_{\text{WMAP}}$$

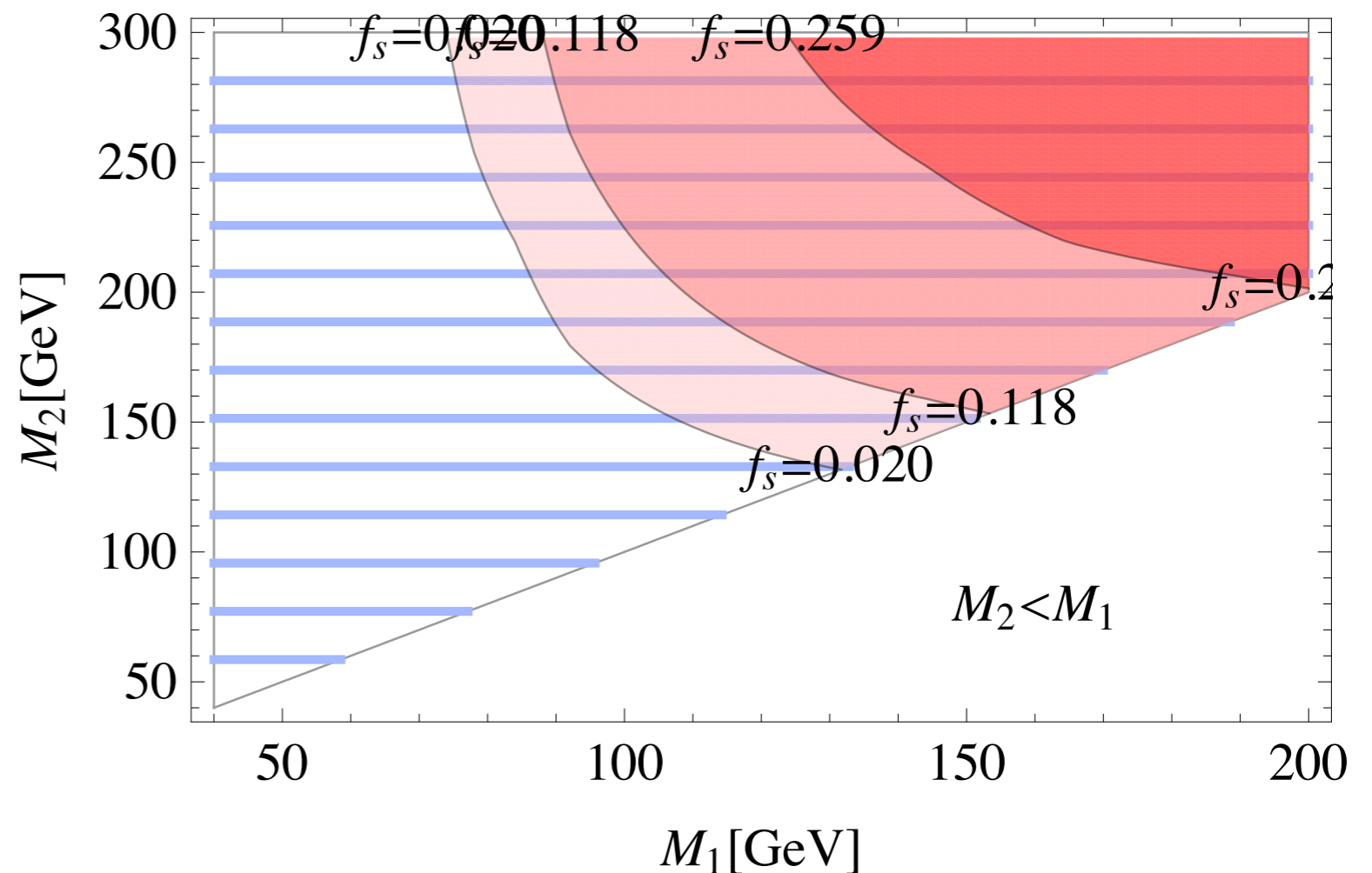
- ▶ Stable  $N_1$  allowed if  $\rho_{N_1} / \rho_{\text{WMAP}} < 5\%$

this is what we expect for a thermal relic  $N_1$



# ADD IN SPIN INDEPENDENT LIMIT

- ▶ Red: Excluded by Xenon 100 2010 data
- ▶ Blue hatched: Excluded by Xenon 10



- ▶ Both limits assuming full relic density. No exclusion (yet) for thermal relic density

# HOW TO GENERATE A BARYON ASYMMETRY?

Sakharovs conditions (1967):

- Baryon number violation
- CP violation
- Departure from equilibrium

SM:



(B+L)!



4G: New CP phases



4G: Low scale  
Leptogenesis

# PREVENT (B+L) WASHOUT

Murayama et al, 2010

- ▶ Assume initial (B+L) asymmetry
- ▶ Problem: Erased by weak sphalerons
- ▶ Long lived 4G quarks/leptons: Additional, approximate quantum numbers  $B_4$ ,  $L_4$

- ▶ Prevents complete washout:

Murayama et al, 2010

