

# Higgs and SFitter



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- Introduction
- 14TeV results
- new 7TeV results
- Conclusions



Measuring the Higgs Sector, R. Lafaye, T. Plehn, M. Rauch, D. Zerwas, M. Duhrssen  
Published in JHEP 0908 (2009) 009.

Measuring Hidden Higgs and Strongly-  
Interacting Higgs Scenarios.  
S.Bock, R. Lafaye, T. Plehn, M. Rauch, D. Z.,  
P.M. Zerwas  
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# The Higgs sector: SFitter setup

**Gluon fusion and VBF in well defined final states** (many authors and papers)

**Example for  $M_H=120\text{GeV}$**

production	decay	$S + B$	$B$	$S$	$\Delta S^{(\text{exp})}$	$\Delta S^{(\text{theo})}$
$gg \rightarrow H$	$ZZ$	13.4	6.6 ( $\times 5$ )	6.8	3.9	0.8
$qqH$	$ZZ$	1.0	0.2 ( $\times 5$ )	0.8	1.0	0.1
$gg \rightarrow H$	$WW$	1019.5	882.8 ( $\times 1$ )	136.7	63.4	18.2
$qqH$	$WW$	59.4	37.5 ( $\times 1$ )	21.9	10.2	1.7
$t\bar{t}H$	$WW(3\ell)$	23.9	21.2 ( $\times 1$ )	2.7	6.8	0.4
$t\bar{t}H$	$WW(2\ell)$	24.0	19.6 ( $\times 1$ )	4.4	6.7	0.6
inclusive	$\gamma\gamma$	12205.0	11820.0 ( $\times 10$ )	385.0	164.9	44.5
$qqH$	$\gamma\gamma$	38.7	26.7 ( $\times 10$ )	12.0	6.5	0.9
$t\bar{t}H$	$\gamma\gamma$	2.1	0.4 ( $\times 10$ )	1.7	1.5	0.2
$WH$	$\gamma\gamma$	2.4	0.4 ( $\times 10$ )	2.0	1.6	0.1
$ZH$	$\gamma\gamma$	1.1	0.7 ( $\times 10$ )	0.4	1.1	0.1
$qqH$	$\tau\tau(2\ell)$	26.3	10.2 ( $\times 2$ )	16.1	5.8	1.2
$qqH$	$\tau\tau(1\ell)$	29.6	11.6 ( $\times 2$ )	18.0	6.6	1.3
$t\bar{t}H$	$b\bar{b}$	244.5	219.0 ( $\times 1$ )	25.5	31.2	3.6
$WH/ZH$	$b\bar{b}$	228.6	180.0 ( $\times 1$ )	48.6	20.7	4.0

## Experimental Errors

Measurement of luminosity	5 %
Detector efficiency	2 %
Lepton reconstruction efficiency	2 %
Photon reconstruction efficiency	2 %
WBF tag-jets / jet-veto efficiency	5 %
$b$ -tagging efficiency	3 %
$\tau$ -tagging efficiency (hadronic decay)	3 %
Lepton isolation efficiency (decay $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l$ )	3 %

**Duehrssen et al.: Phys.Rev.D70:113009,2004.  
hep-ph/0406323**

**$t\bar{t}H \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ : 50% signal reduction**

**Hbb: J. M. Butterworth, A. R. Davison, M. Rubin, G. P. Salam Phys.Rev.Lett.100:242001,2008  
ATLAS: ATL-PHYS-PUB-2009-088.**

## Theory Errors (flat)

$\sigma$ (gluon fusion)	13 %	$\text{BR}(H \rightarrow ZZ)$	1 %
$\sigma$ (weak boson fusion)	7 %	$\text{BR}(H \rightarrow WW)$	1 %
$\sigma$ ( $VH$ -associated)	7 %	$\text{BR}(H \rightarrow \tau\bar{\tau})$	1 %
$\sigma$ ( $t\bar{t}$ -associated)	13 %	$\text{BR}(H \rightarrow c\bar{c})$	4 %
		$\text{BR}(H \rightarrow b\bar{b})$	4 %
		$\text{BR}(H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$	1 %
		$\text{BR}(H \rightarrow Z\gamma)$	1 %
		$\text{BR}(H \rightarrow gg)$	2 %

**Correlated measurements and parameters: apply SUSY search techniques for parameter extraction**

**Difficulty to be mastered: convolution of Gaussian+Poisson+Flat errors**

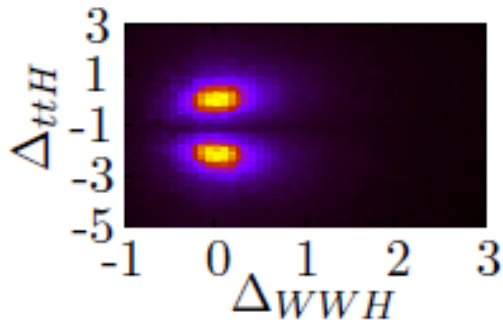
# The Higgs sector: likelihood maps

Definition:  $\Delta_{jjH}$  deviation of  $jjH$  coupling from SM value:

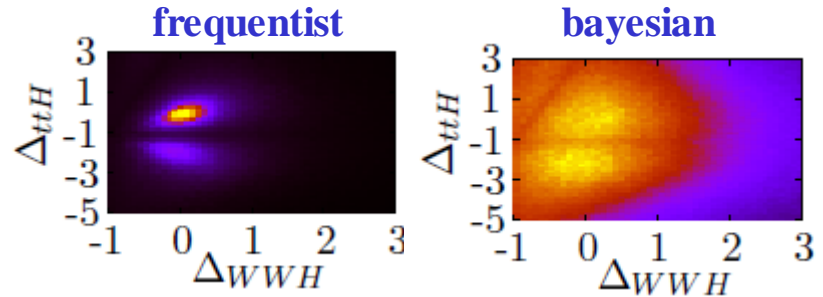
$$g_{jjH} \longrightarrow g_{jjH}^{\text{SM}} (1 + \Delta_{jjH})$$

Loop induced coupling:

$$g_{jjH} \longrightarrow g_{jjH}^{\text{SM}} (1 + \Delta_{jjH}^{\text{SM}} + \Delta_{jjH})$$



Add  $\Delta_{Hgg}$  and  $\Delta_{H\gamma\gamma}$ : sign preference power of  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  disappears

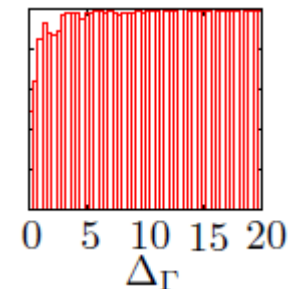
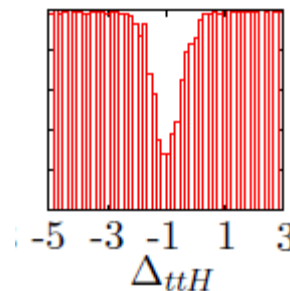


- general positive correlation among non-Hbb couplings due to total width  $\approx Hbb$
- frequentist approach better adapted (no real secondary minima)

Measurements at LHC:

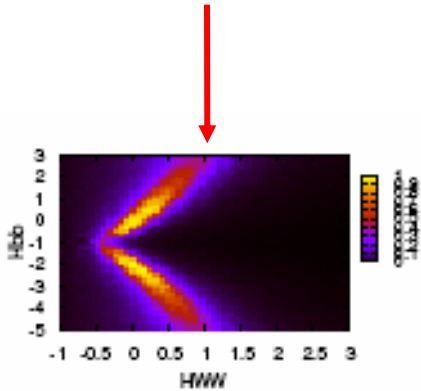
$$\sigma \cdot \text{BR} \cdot L \cdot \sim g^2 \cdot g^2 / \Gamma$$

blind to simultaneous coupling/ $\sqrt{\text{width}}$  changes:

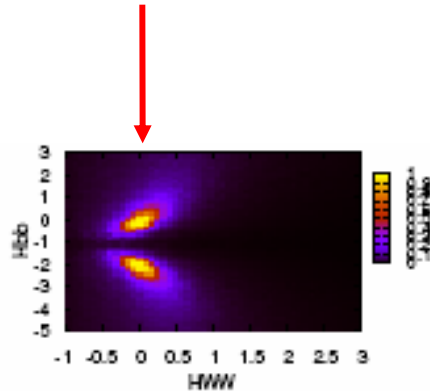


# The Higgs sector: precision

Hbb: without subset



Hbb: full power



Coupling ratios

	with effective couplings		
	$\sigma_{\text{symm}}$	$\sigma_{\text{neg}}$	$\sigma_{\text{pos}}$
$\Delta_{ZZH}/\Delta_{WWH}$	$\pm 0.41$	-0.40	+0.41
$\Delta_{t\bar{t}H}/\Delta_{WWH}$	$\pm 0.51$	-0.54	+0.48
$\Delta_{b\bar{b}H}/\Delta_{WWH}$	$\pm 0.31$	-0.24	+0.38
$\Delta_{\tau\bar{\tau}H}/\Delta_{WWH}$	$\pm 0.28$	-0.16	+0.40
$\Delta_{\gamma\gamma H}/\Delta_{WWH}$	$\pm 0.30$	-0.27	+0.33
$\Delta_{ggH}/\Delta_{WWH}$	$\pm 0.61$	-0.71	+0.46

Profile likelihood 14TeV 30fb-1 theory errors

Coupling	without eff. couplings			including eff. couplings		
	$\sigma_{\text{symm}}$	$\sigma_{\text{neg}}$	$\sigma_{\text{pos}}$	$\sigma_{\text{symm}}$	$\sigma_{\text{neg}}$	$\sigma_{\text{pos}}$
$\Delta_{WWH}$	$\pm 0.23$	-0.21	+0.26	$\pm 0.24$	-0.21	+0.27
$\Delta_{ZZH}$	$\pm 0.50$	-0.74	+0.30	$\pm 0.44$	-0.65	+0.24
$\Delta_{t\bar{t}H}$	$\pm 0.41$	-0.37	+0.45	$\pm 0.53$	-0.65	+0.43
$\Delta_{b\bar{b}H}$	$\pm 0.45$	-0.33	+0.56	$\pm 0.44$	-0.30	+0.59
$\Delta_{\tau\bar{\tau}H}$	$\pm 0.33$	-0.21	+0.46	$\pm 0.31$	-0.19	+0.46
$\Delta_{\gamma\gamma H}$	—	—	—	$\pm 0.31$	-0.30	+0.33
$\Delta_{aaH}$	—	—	—	$\pm 0.61$	-0.59	+0.62

- 30fb-1 precision 30% to 50% (absolute)
- slightly higher precision for ratios (cancellation of errors, but dominated by stat errors)

# Hidden sector/strong Higgs: 14TeV

Higgs portal:

- hidden sector
- all widths modified by the same parameter

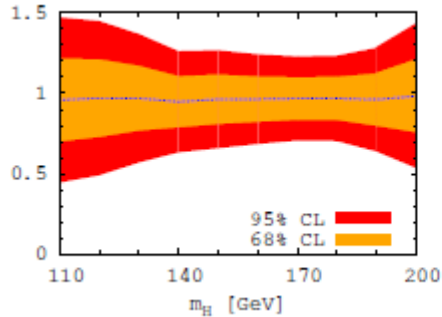
$$\sigma = \cos^2 \chi \sigma^{\text{SM}}$$

Patt, Wilczek

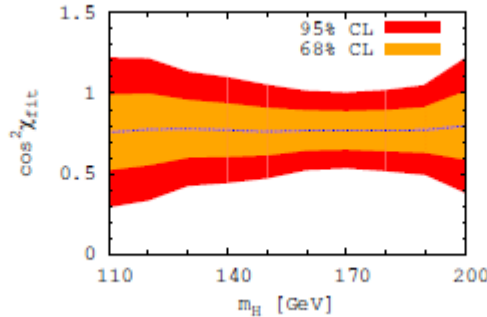
$$\Gamma_{\text{vis}} = \cos^2 \chi \Gamma_{\text{vis}}^{\text{SM}}$$

$$\Gamma_{\text{inv}} = \cos^2 \chi \Gamma_{\text{inv}}^{\text{SM}} + \Gamma_{\text{hid}}$$

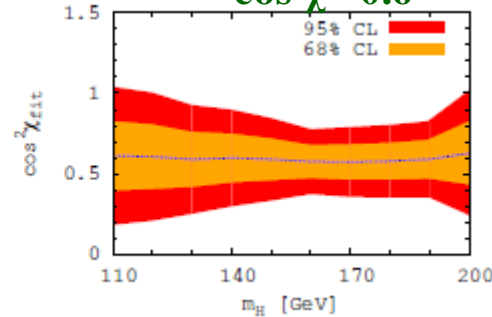
$\cos^2 \chi = 1$



$\cos^2 \chi = 0.8$



$\cos^2 \chi = 0.6$



Typical precision:  
10-20%  
better than cpl

well reconstructed (step=10GeV)

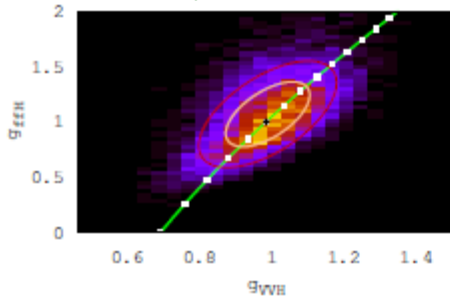
Strongly interacting light Higgs:

$$\kappa_V = 1 - [1(3) - 2 \text{BR}_f^{\text{SM}}] \xi \quad \text{EW (GF)}$$

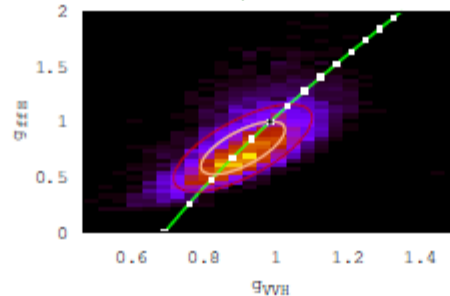
Giudice, Pomarol, Rattazzi,  
Espinosa, Grojean, Mühlleitner

$$\kappa_f = 1 - [3(5) - 2 \text{BR}_f^{\text{SM}}] \xi$$

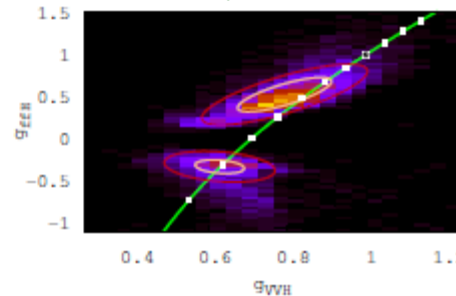
$\xi = 0$



$\xi = 0.2$



$\xi = 0.6$



Model prediction in steps of 0.1

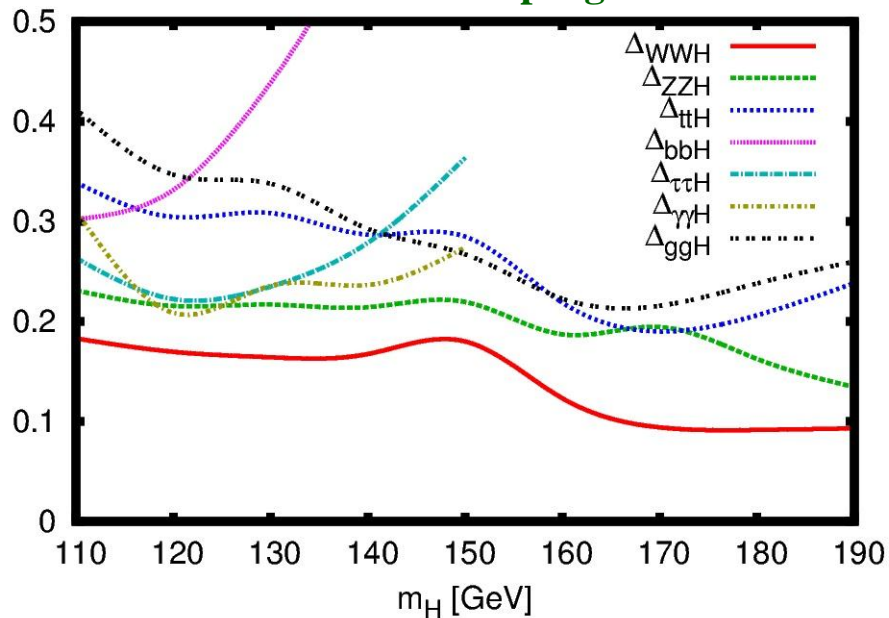
Fermions: ambiguity small/large  $\xi$

## From 14TeV to 7TeV

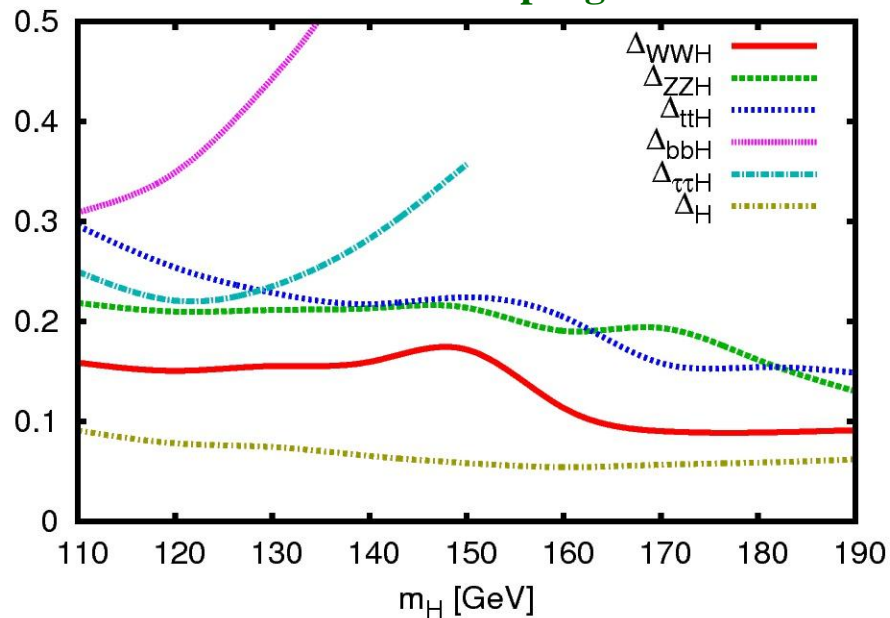
### Higgs sector:

- no effective couplings
- signal cross sections from LHC Xsection WG
- Background cross sections: scaled with SHERPA

### 14TeV with effective couplings:

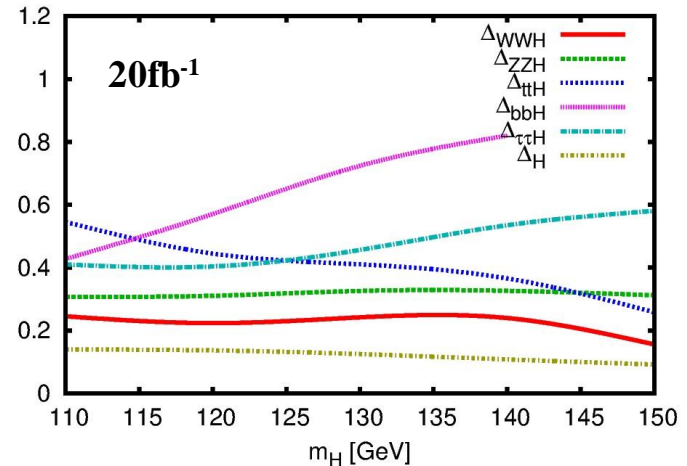
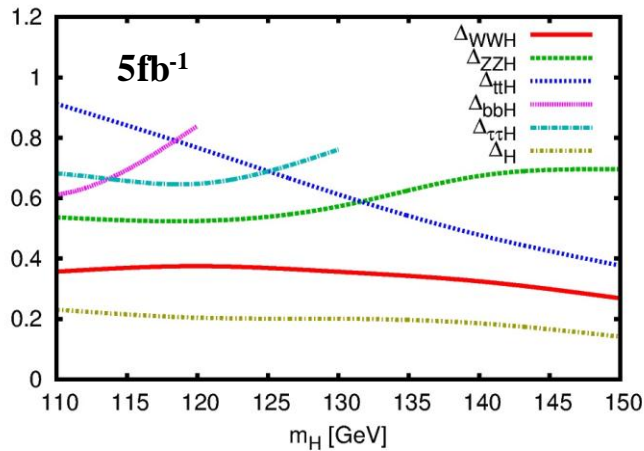


### 14TeV no effective couplings:



- no effective couplings lead to a slight increase of precision
- coupling precision in general better than about 0.3
- portal precision better than 0.1

# The Higgs sector precision: 7TeV



## 5fb<sup>-1</sup>:

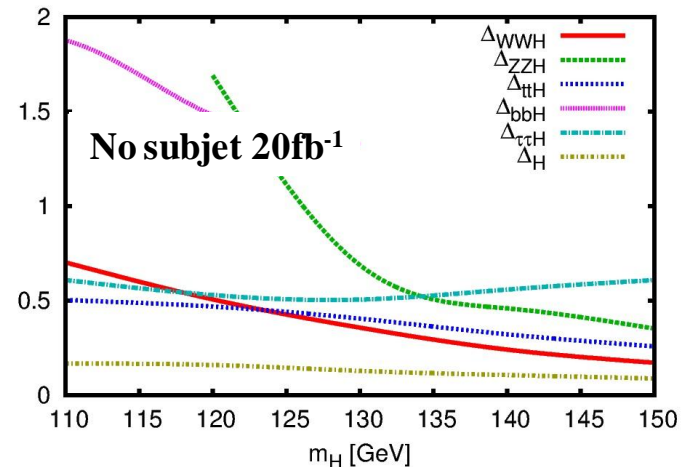
- all errors on couplings < 1
- portal precision: 20%

## 20fb<sup>-1</sup>

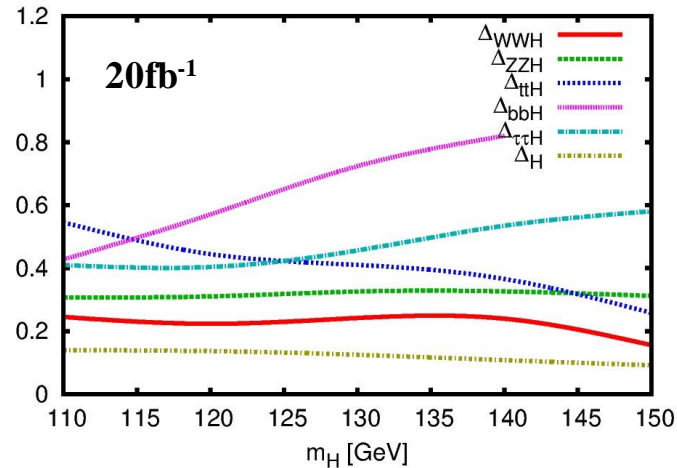
- most errors on couplings < 0.5
- portal precision 10%
- scaling roughly statistical as expected

## 20fb-1 without subjet

- precision similar for most couplings
- b-coupling (decay side) undetermined
- Z coupling (production side) undetermined



# Conclusions



- 2012: Higgs between 115-140GeV
- couplings known to better than 0.5 ☺
- portal precision: 10%

Non-discovery of Higgs (<140GeV) does not mean non-existence (Englert et al, Phys.Lett. B703 (2011) 298-305):

	# observable Higgs bosons	
$\sin^2 \chi \lesssim 0.2$	1	SM-type Higgs $H_1$ ( $\sigma_{H_1} \geq 3, \sigma_{H_2} \leq 1$ )
$0.3 \lesssim \sin^2 \chi \lesssim 0.4$	0	neither SM-type nor hidden-type Higgs $H_1, H_2$ ( $\sigma_{H_1, H_2} < 3$ )
$0.4 \lesssim \sin^2 \chi \lesssim 0.6$	2	SM + hidden-type Higgs $H_1, H_2$ ( $\sigma_{H_1, H_2} \geq 3$ )
$\sin^2 \chi \gtrsim 0.6$	1	hidden-type Higgs $H_2$ ( $\sigma_{H_1} \leq 1, \sigma_{H_2} \geq 3$ )