

LHC vs. Non-trivial squark spectra

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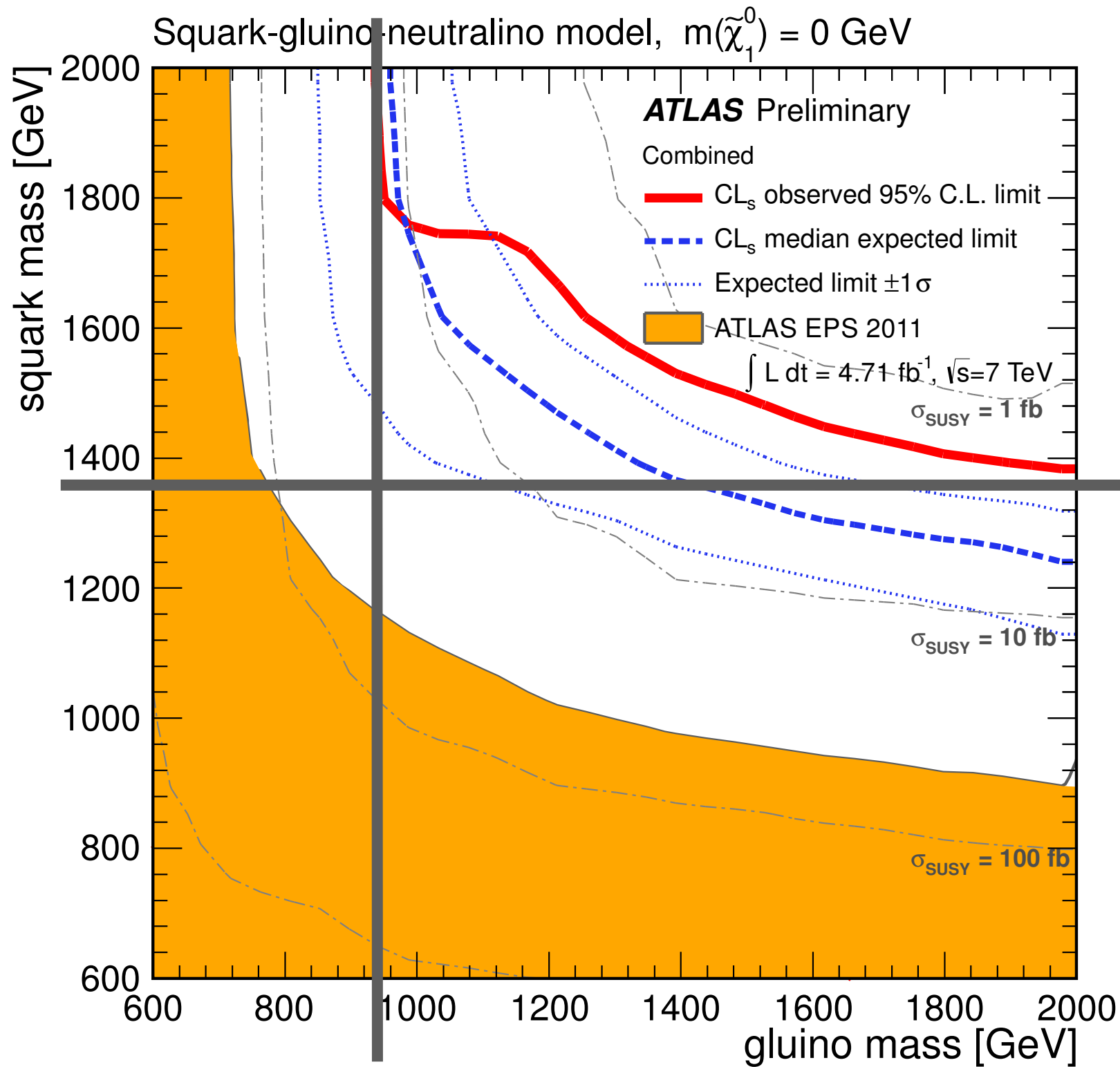
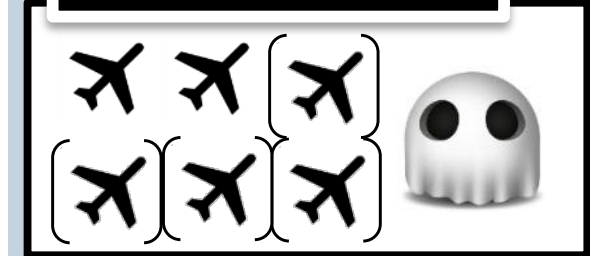
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low p_T

- Flavor input: which squark spectrum is allowed?
- Flavor output: MFV splitting or more? Manage expectations for low p_T observables.

4.7 /fb Susy, post-Moriond

ATLAS-CONF-2012-033



~ 1400 GeV

~ 930 GeV

Avoiding $m_{SUSY} > \text{TeV}^*$

- R-parity violation?
- Stealth susy?
- Compressed susy? (ISR?)
- bottom-up natural spectrum! → this talk
- other options? → also this talk

* colored objects

Light light-flavor squarks

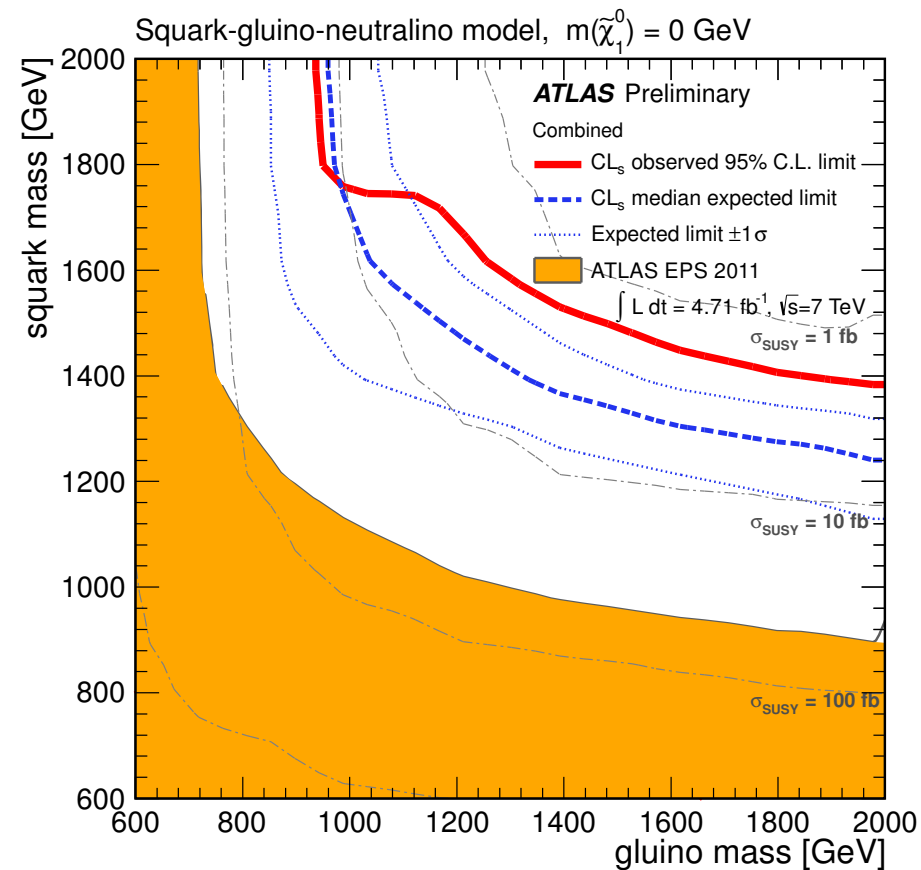
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to appear this month

1st & 2nd generation squark limits



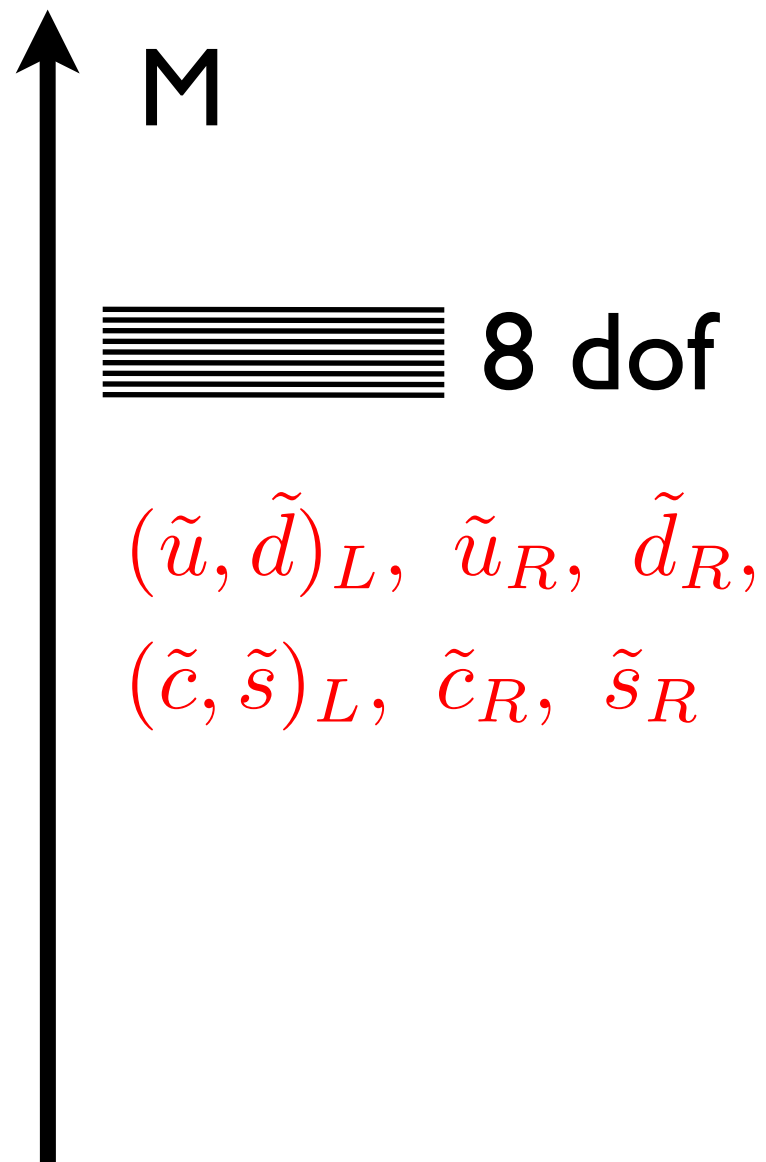
Light squarks $> 1.4 \text{ TeV}$?

Assumptions?

What is driving the limit?

Holes in the net?

Do 1st & 2nd gen' squarks have to be degenerate?



- Because of flavor constraints?
Not really.

spectrum in ATLAS/CMS plots

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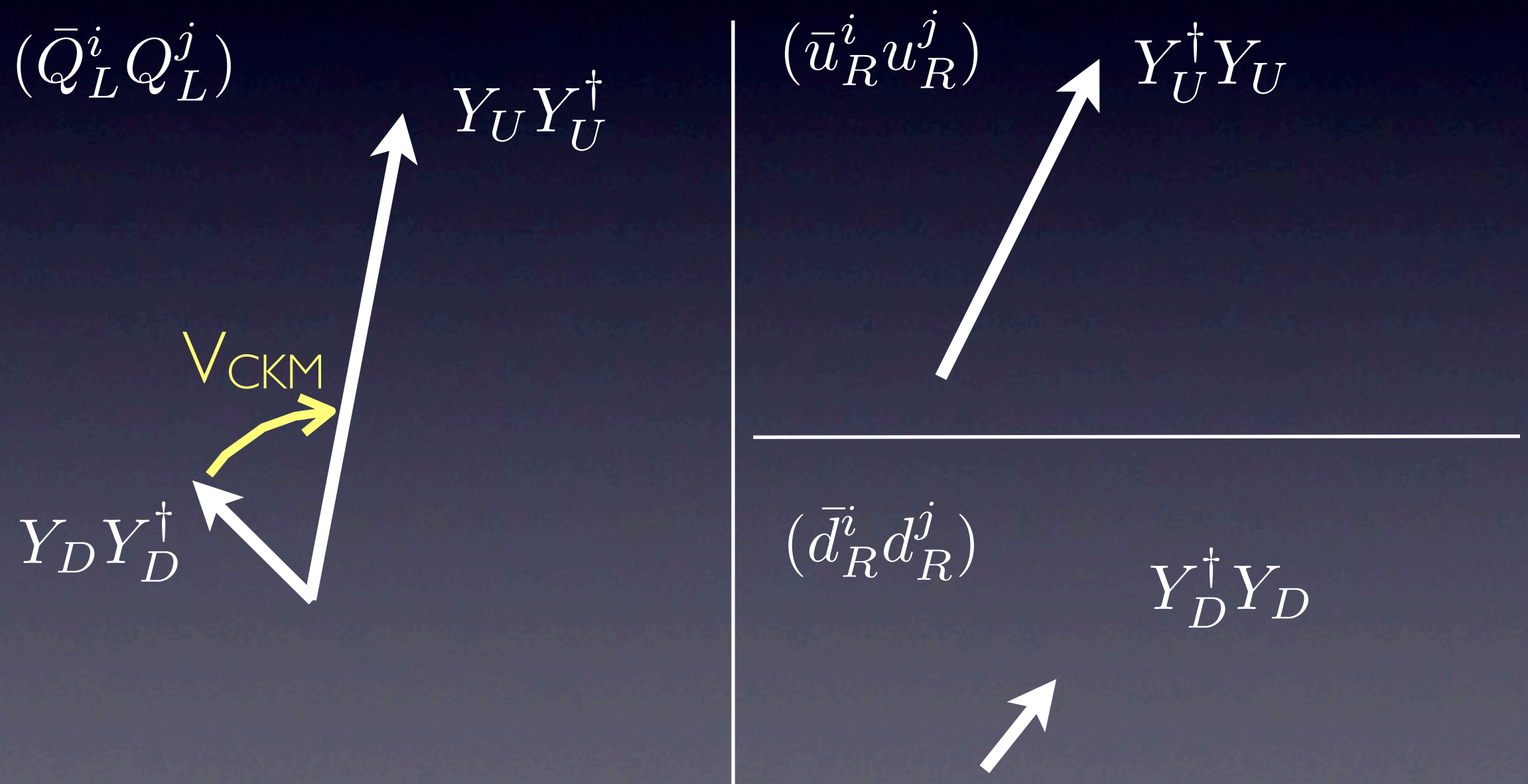
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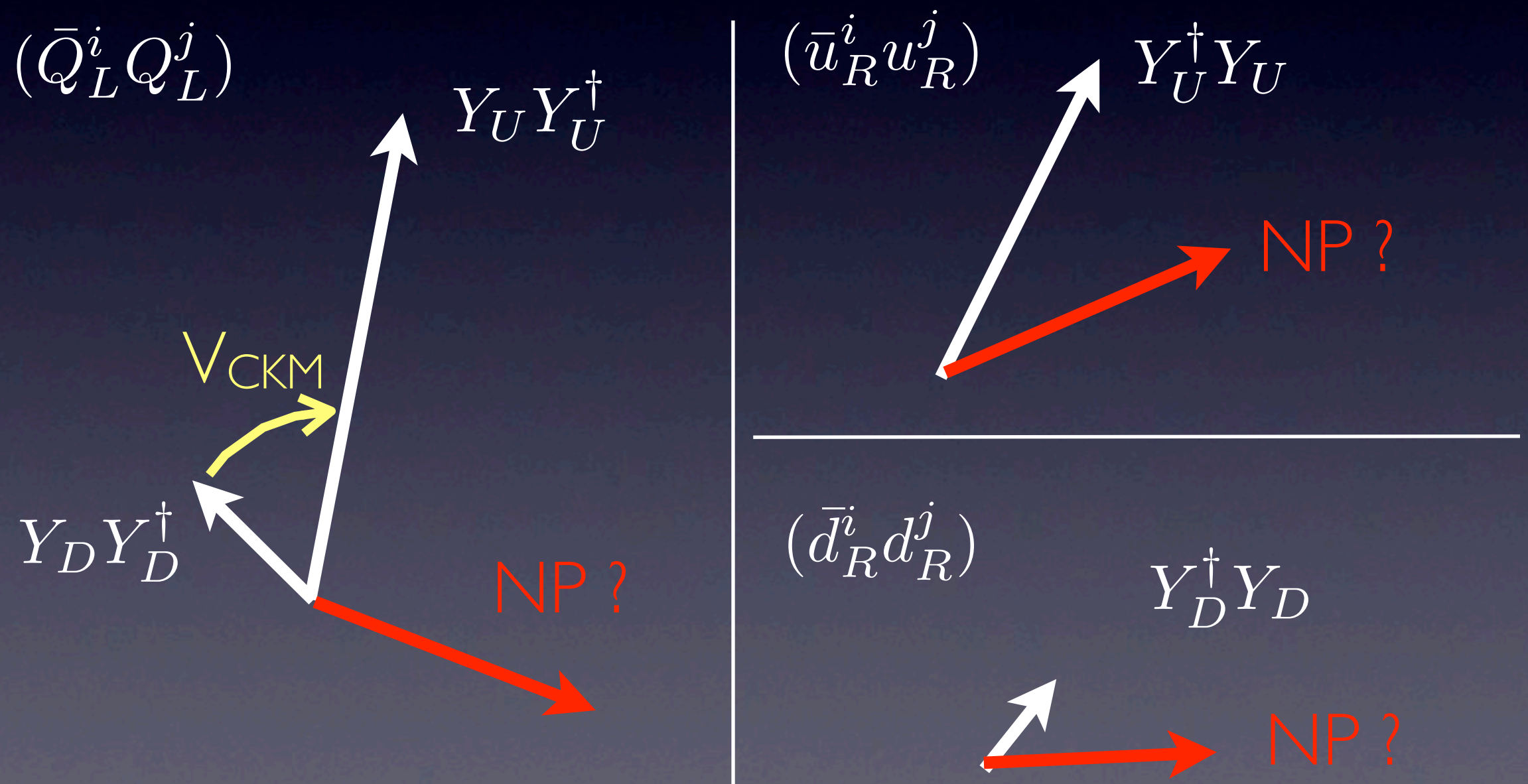
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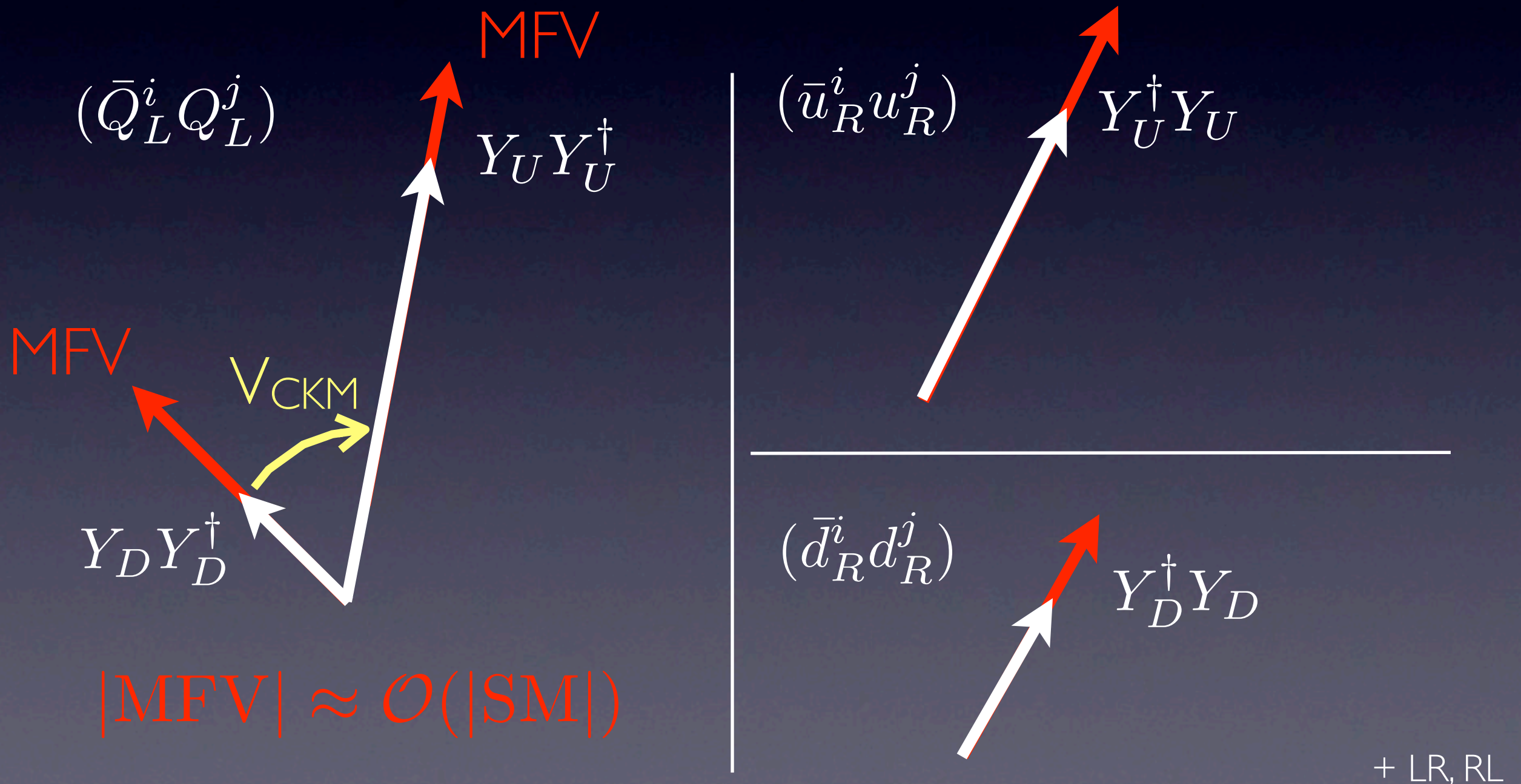
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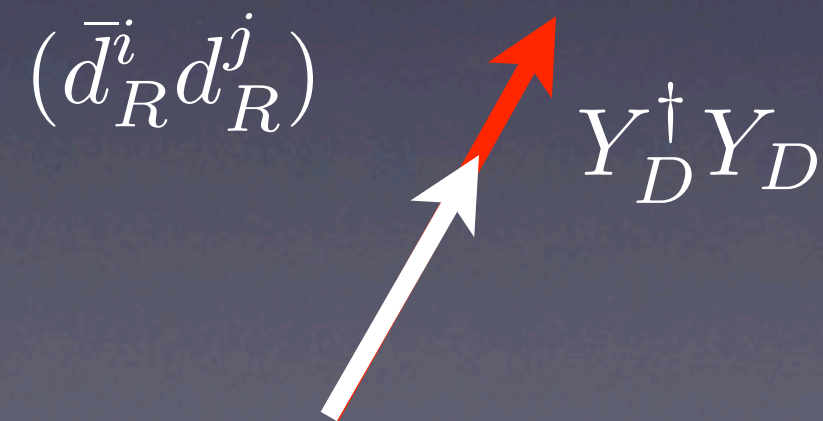
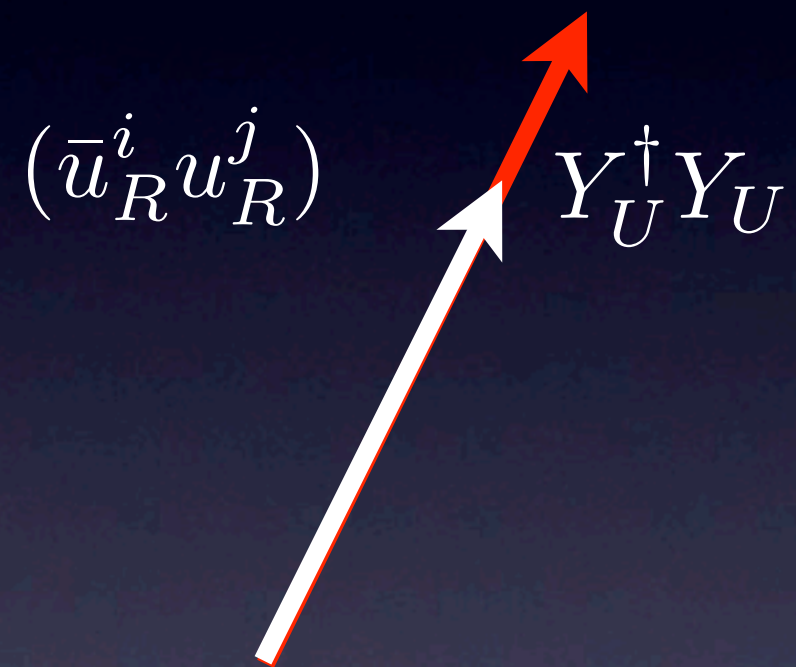
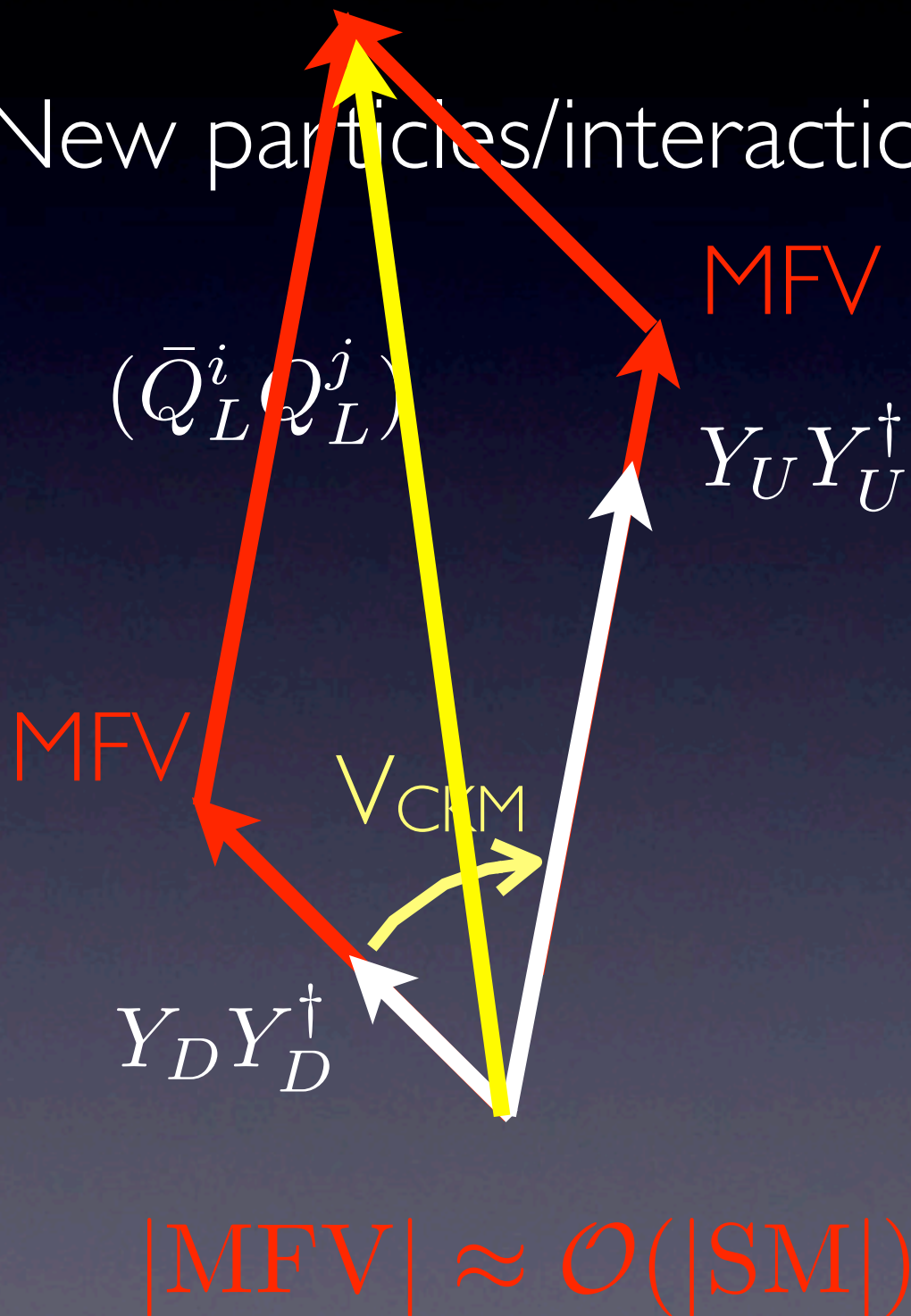
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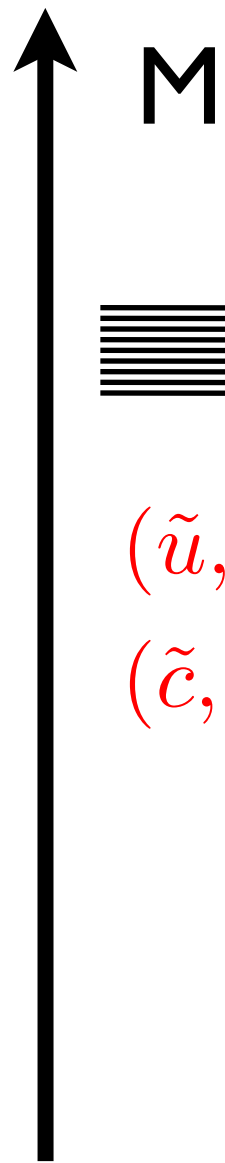
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MFV

- **Trivial:** Squark masses same for all three generations but split between $\tilde{Q}_L, \tilde{u}_R, \tilde{d}_R$
- Split among generations but split like in SM:
mass-differences $\propto Y_{U,D} \sim (0,0,1)$



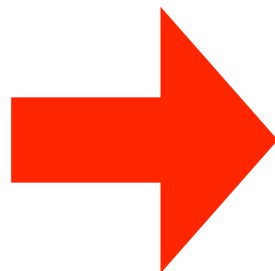
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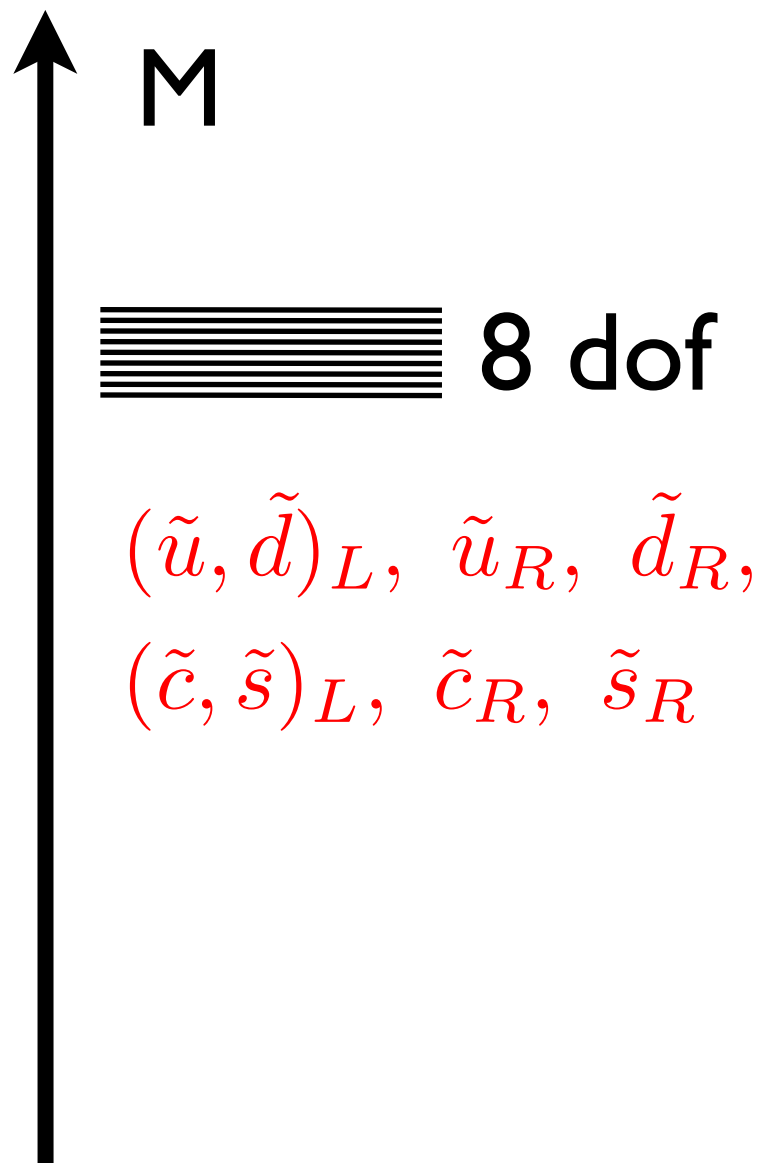
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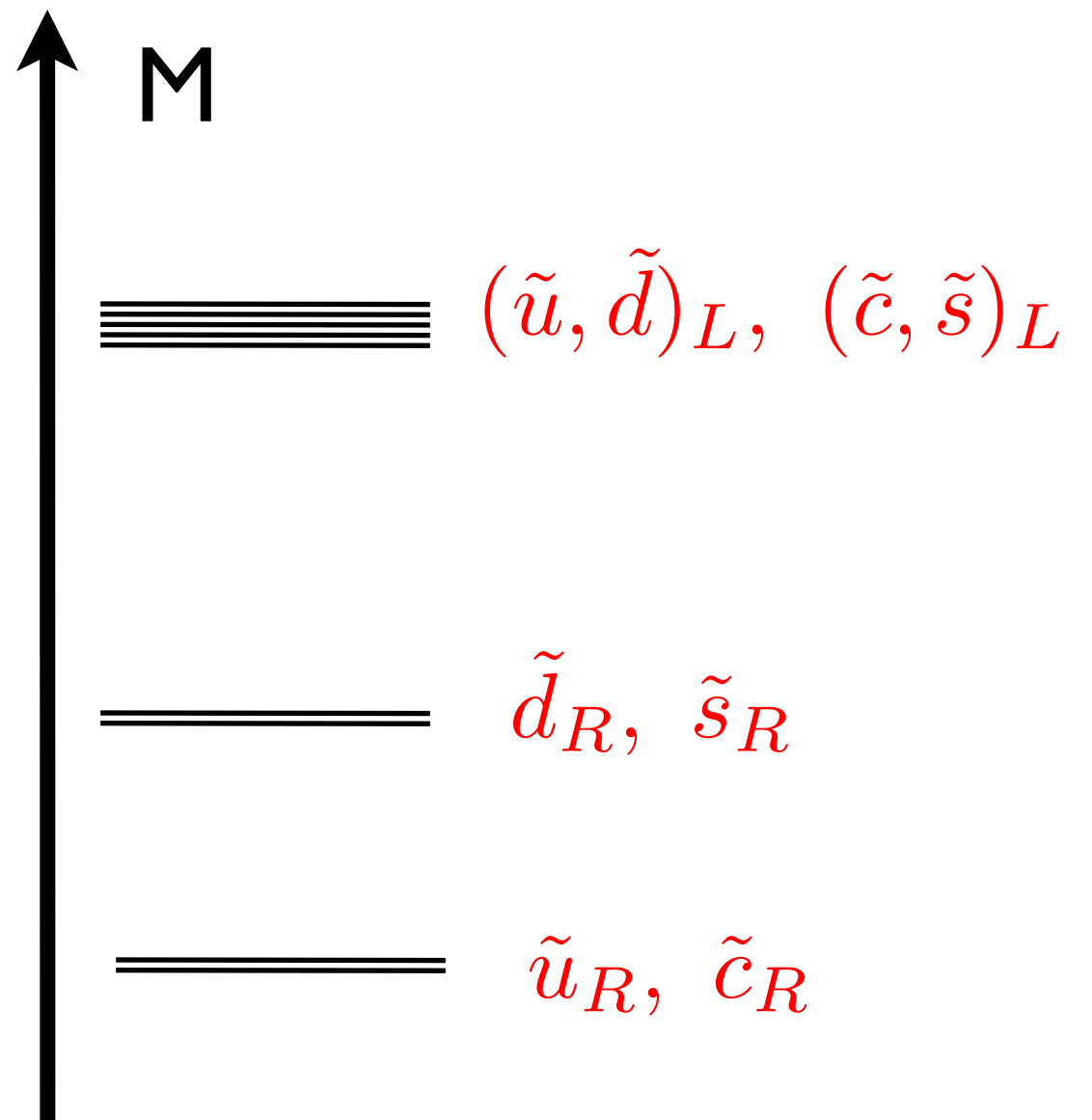
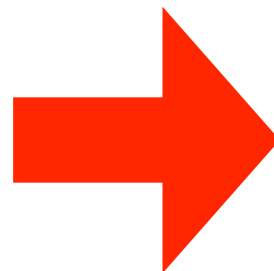
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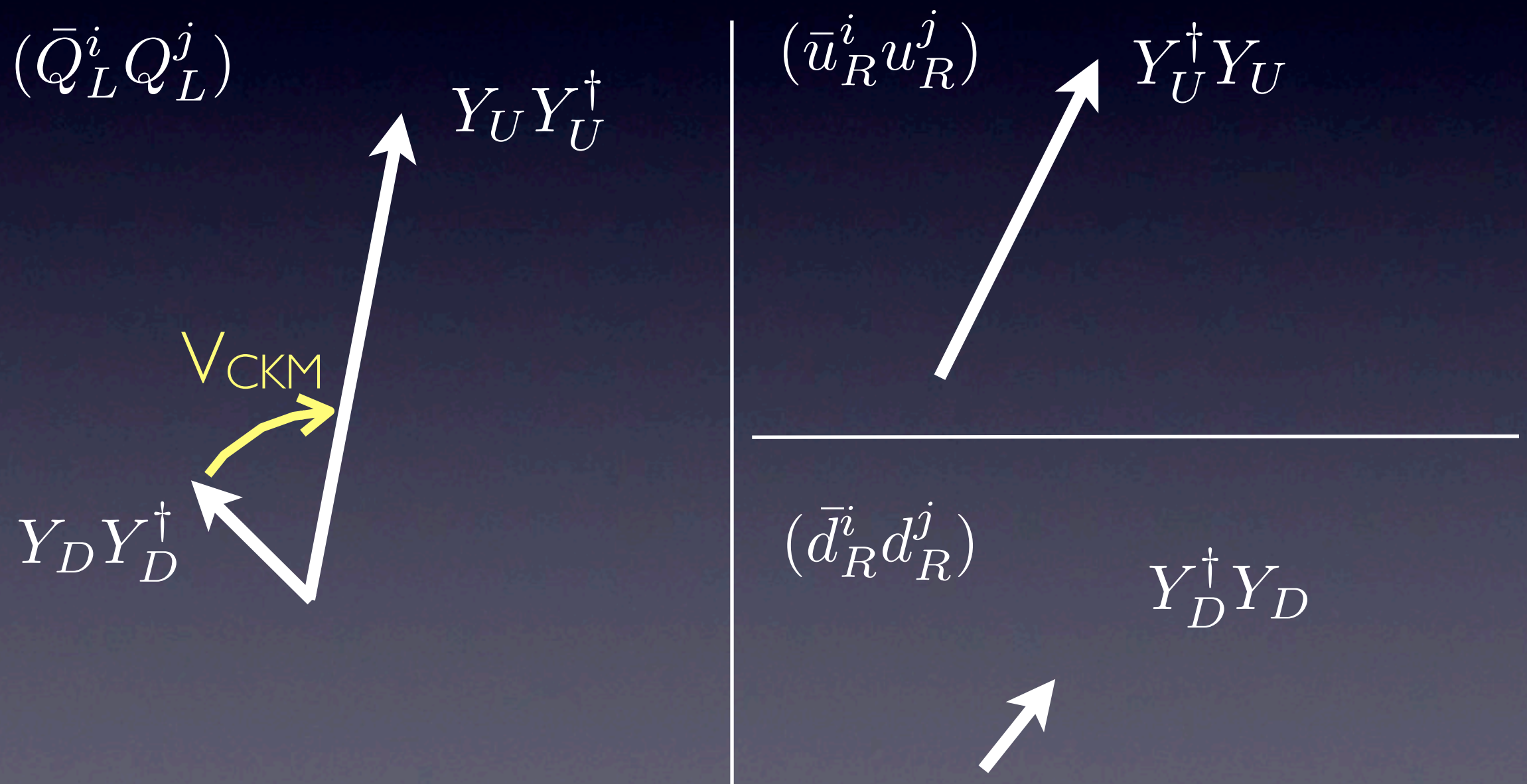
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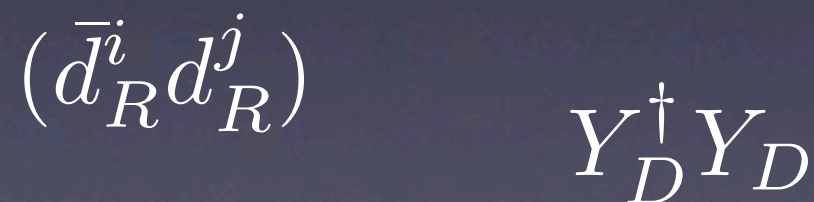
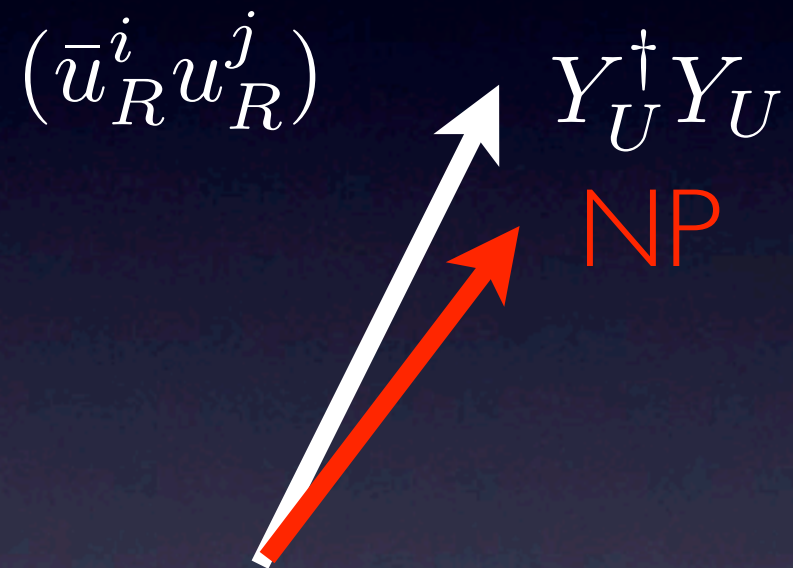
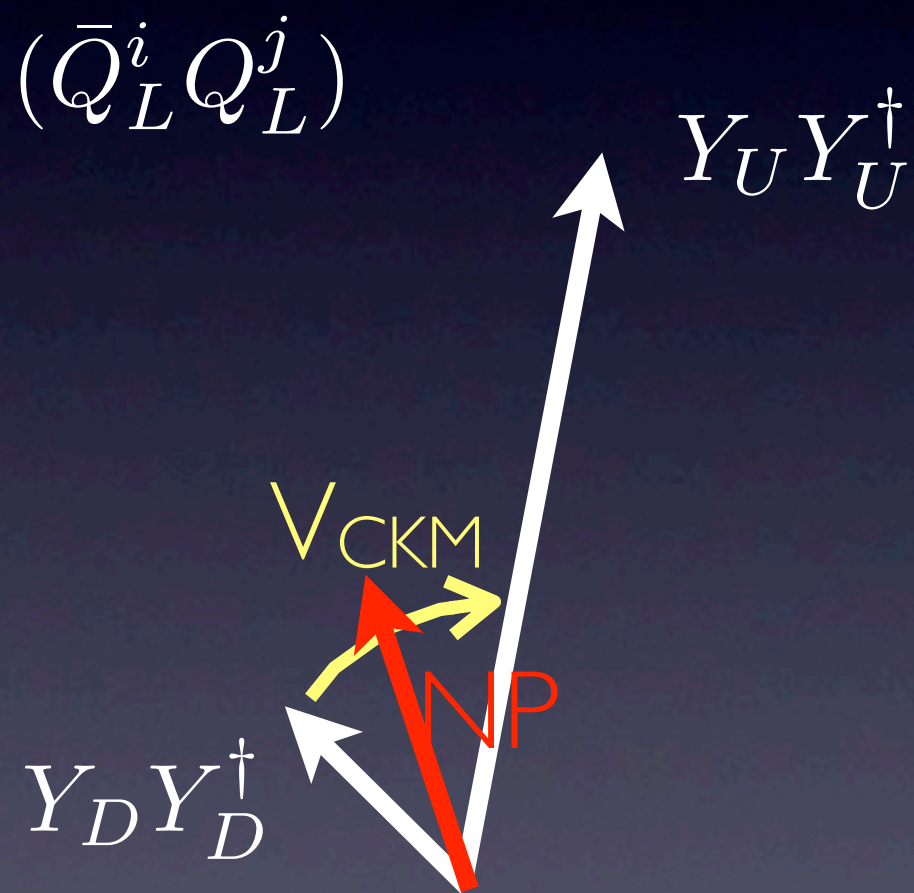
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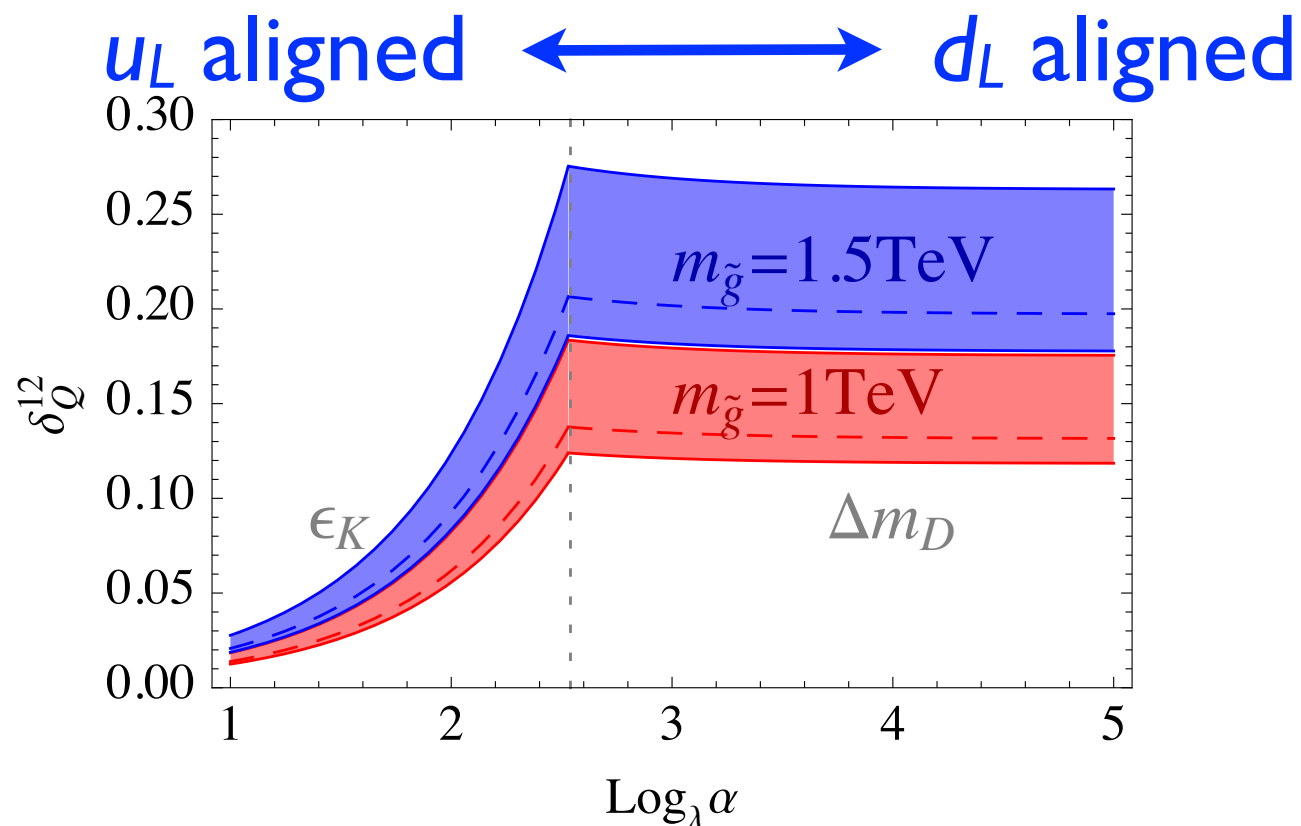
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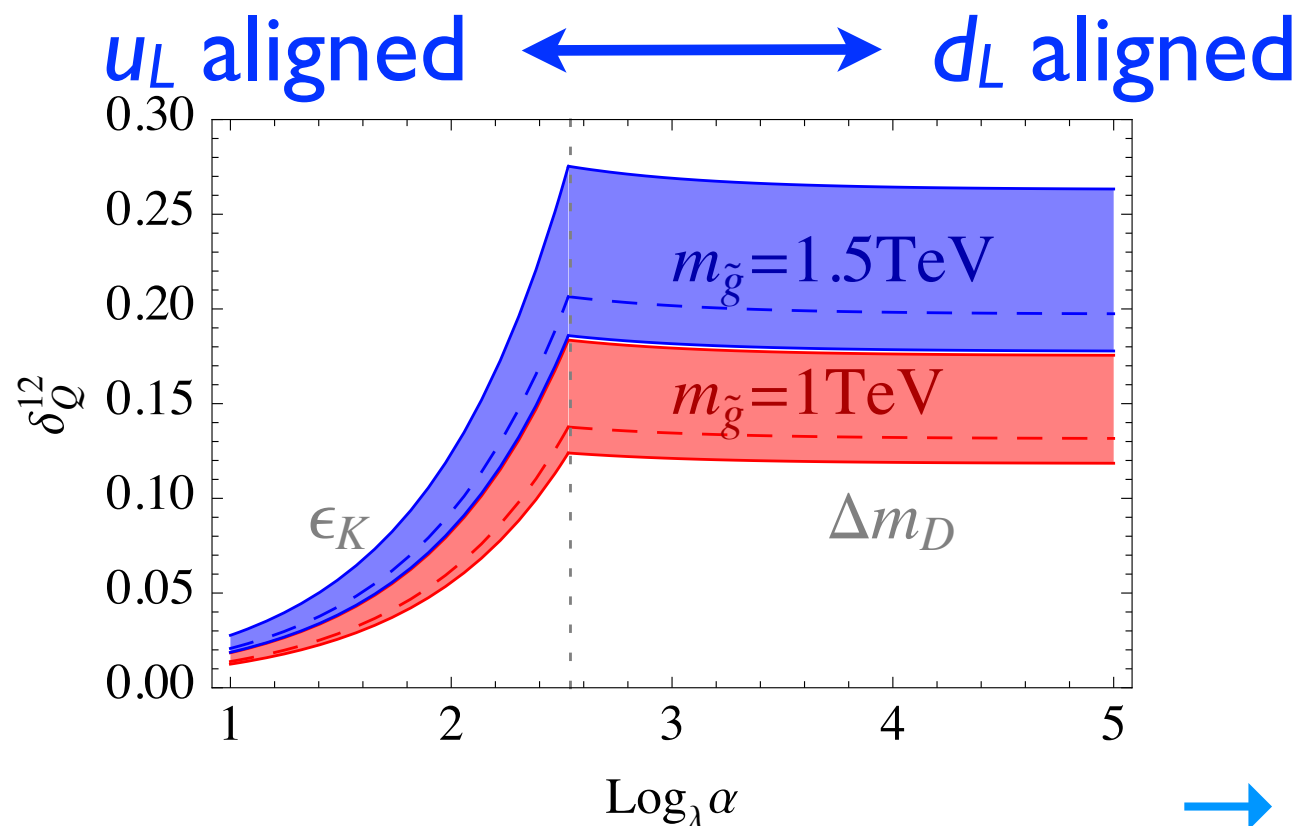


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Example:

$$m_{\text{gluino}} = 1.3 \text{ TeV}$$

$$m_{Q1} = 550 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{Q2} = 950 \text{ GeV}$$

→ see Jernej Kamenik's talk

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If by symmetry: $K_{ij} \sim$ diagonal \Rightarrow $O(1)$ mass splitting allowed!

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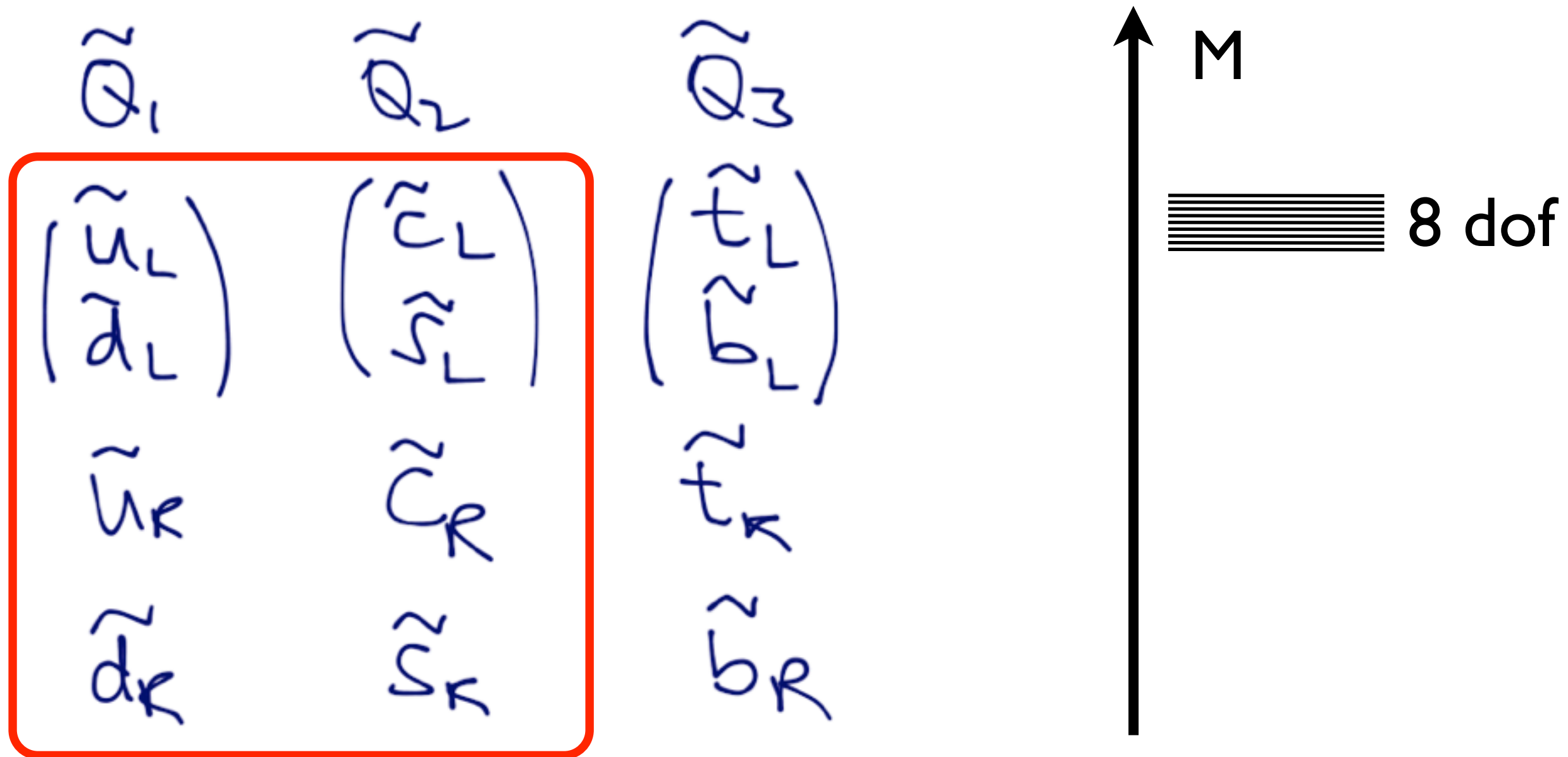
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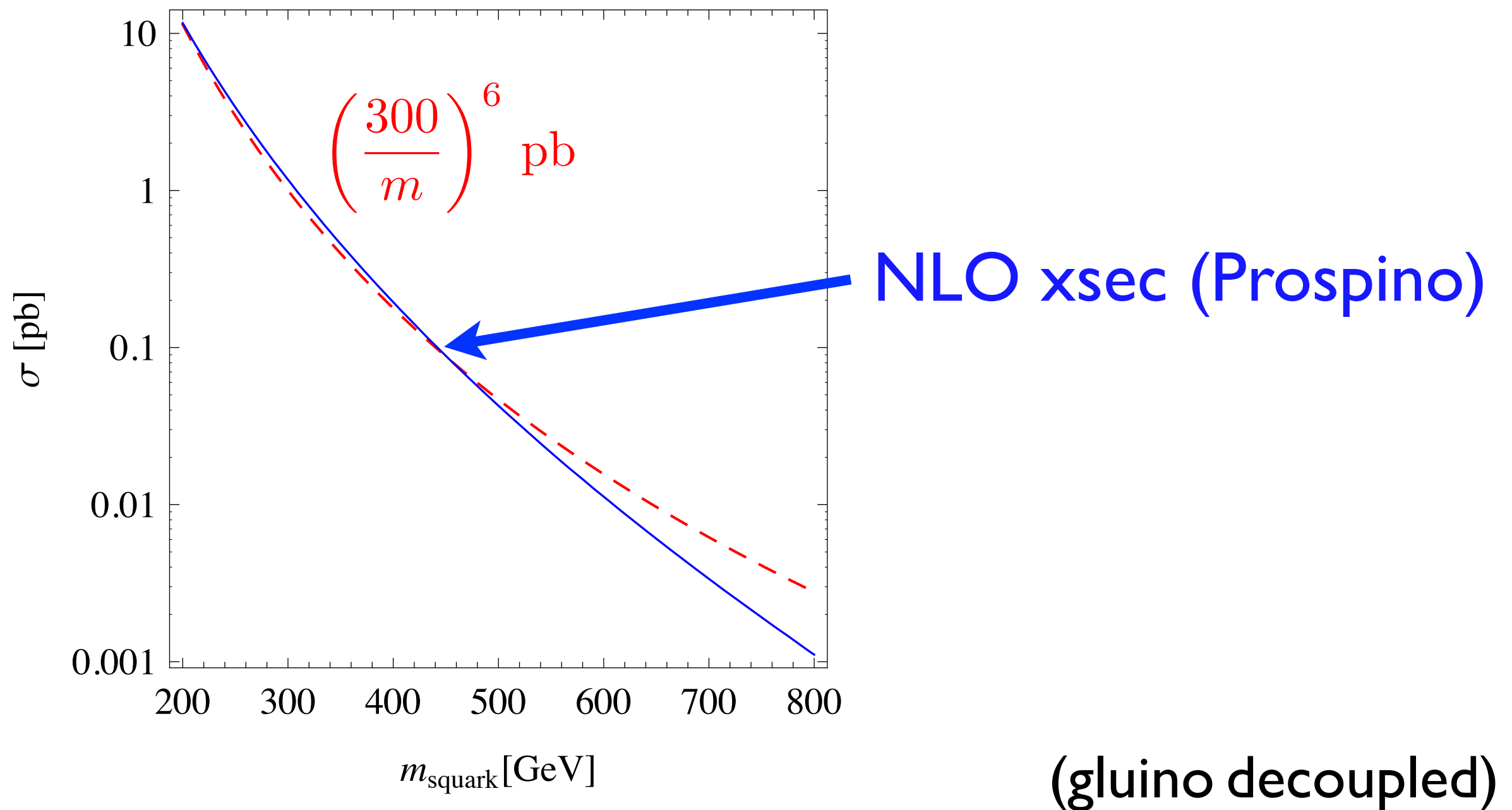
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Does it matter if
we relax the degeneracy
assumption?

Naive answer: **no so much.**

Cross-sections vs. mass

$$\sigma(pp \rightarrow \tilde{u}_R \tilde{u}_R^*) \propto \frac{1}{m^6} \quad (\text{roughly})$$



Back of the envelope estimate



Cross-sections roughly scale like $\sim 1/m^6$.

Example: 8 light squarks \rightarrow 2 light squarks

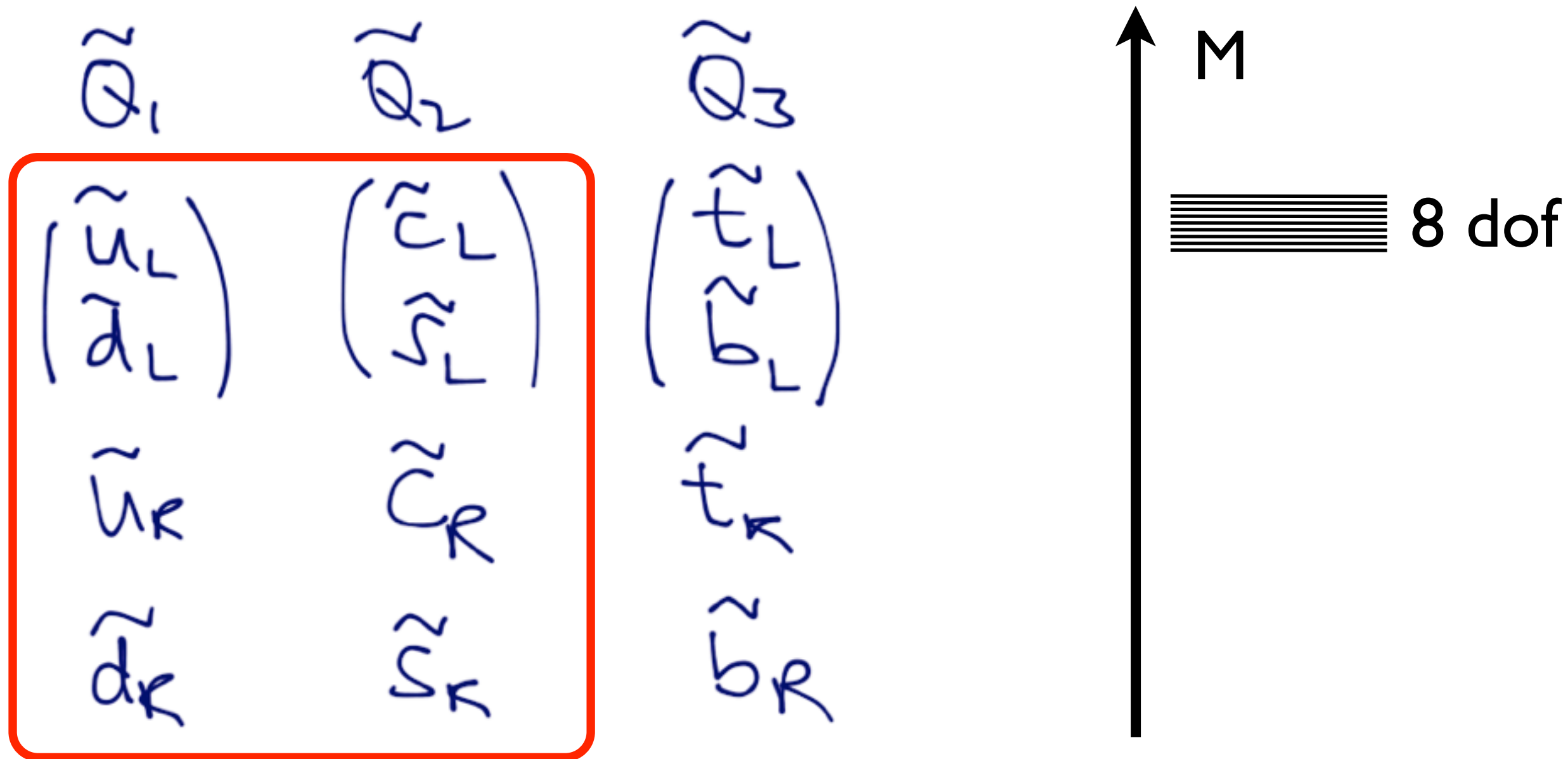
Shift limit only by $\sim 4^{1/6} - 1 \approx 25\%$

\rightarrow **too naive!**

Dedicated study needed because:

- Production cross-section can be **flavor dependent** (if gluino is not fully decoupled)
- Experimental **efficiencies** for light squarks are not very good (ISR, production momentum, geometry ...)

Known case: 1st & 2nd gen' squarks degenerate



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How can we extract limits on non-degenerate 1st and 2nd gen' squarks from experimental searches?

DYI limits

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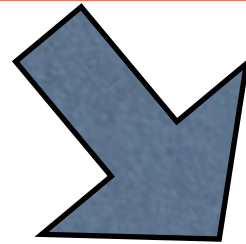
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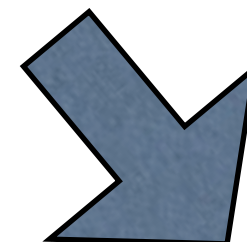
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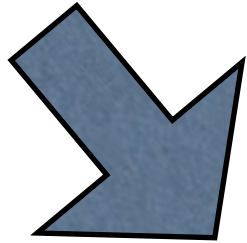


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E_T^{miss}	> 130	> 130	> 130	> 130
Leading jet p_T	> 130	> 130	> 130	> 130
Second jet p_T	> 40	> 40	> 40	> 80
Third jet p_T	–	> 40	> 40	> 80
Fourth jet p_T	–	–	> 40	> 80
$\Delta\phi(\text{jet}, \vec{P}_T^{\text{miss}})_{\text{min}}$	> 0.4	> 0.4	> 0.4	> 0.4
$E_T^{\text{miss}}/m_{\text{eff}}$	> 0.3	> 0.25	> 0.25	> 0.2
m_{eff}	> 1000	> 1000	$> 500/1000$	> 1100

signal bins



Bgd's are left to the experimentalists...
 stay out of **control regions!**



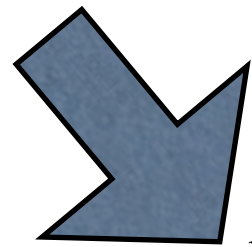
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	$\geq 2\text{-jet}$	$\geq 3\text{-jet}$	$\geq 4\text{-jet},$ $m_{\text{eff}} > 500 \text{ GeV}$	$\geq 4\text{-jet},$ $m_{\text{eff}} > 1000 \text{ GeV}$	High mass
$Z/\gamma\text{+jets}$	$32.3 \pm 2.6 \pm 6.9$	$25.5 \pm 2.6 \pm 4.9$	$209 \pm 9 \pm 38$	$16.2 \pm 2.2 \pm 3.7$	$3.3 \pm 1.0 \pm 1.3$
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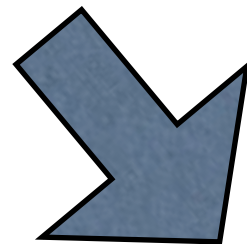
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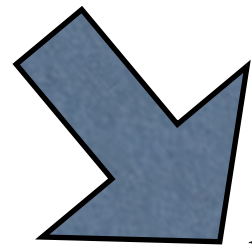


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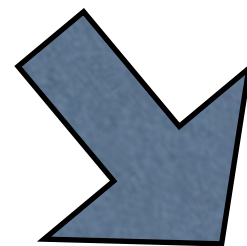
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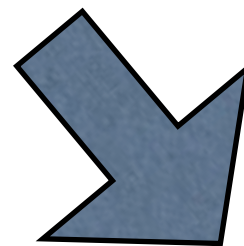


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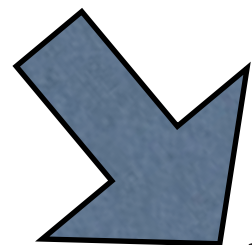
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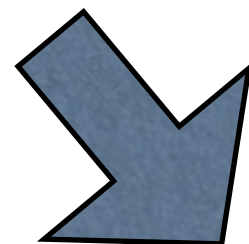
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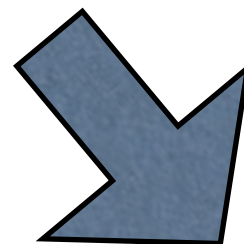


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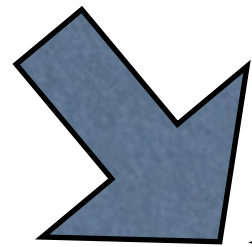
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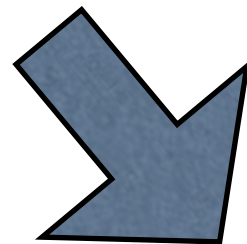
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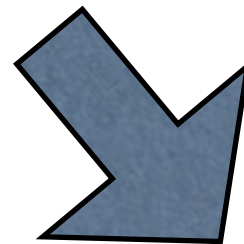


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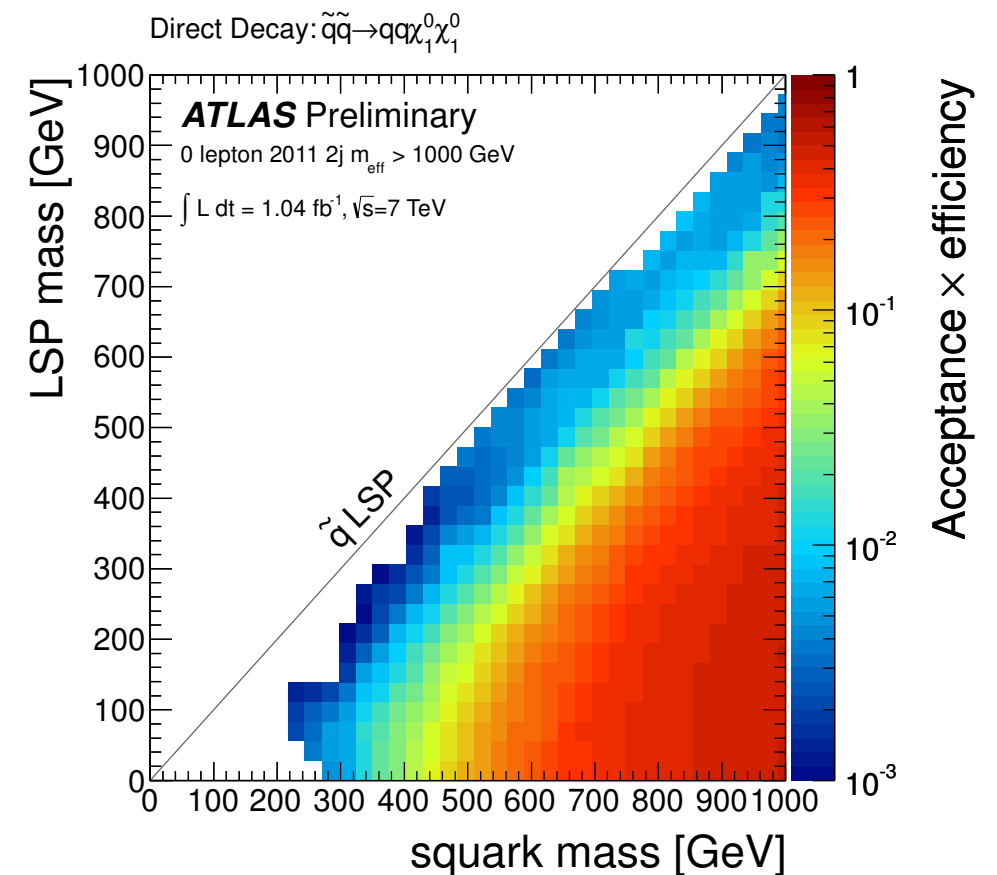
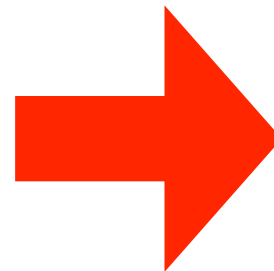
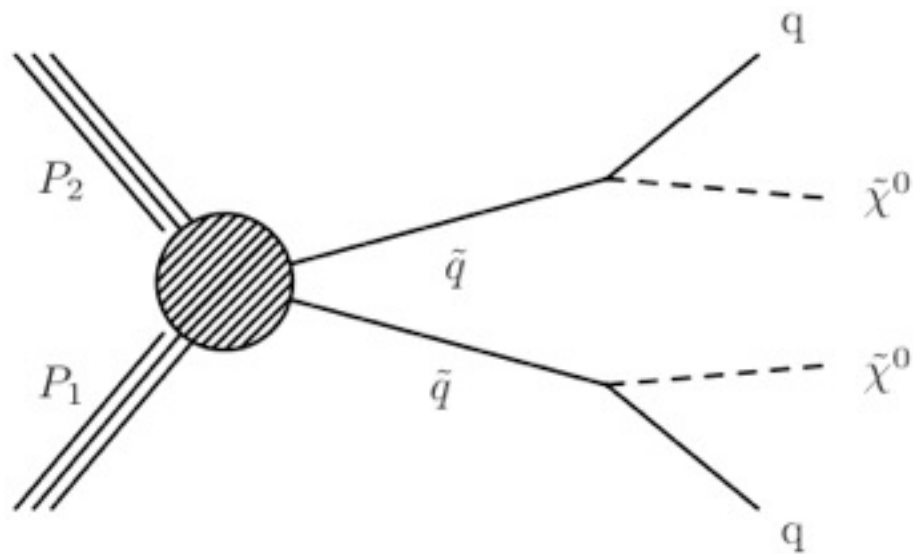


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Simplified Models to the rescue!

- Luckily ATLAS and CMS provide **efficiencies** for **simplified models** (so far only for 1/fb)

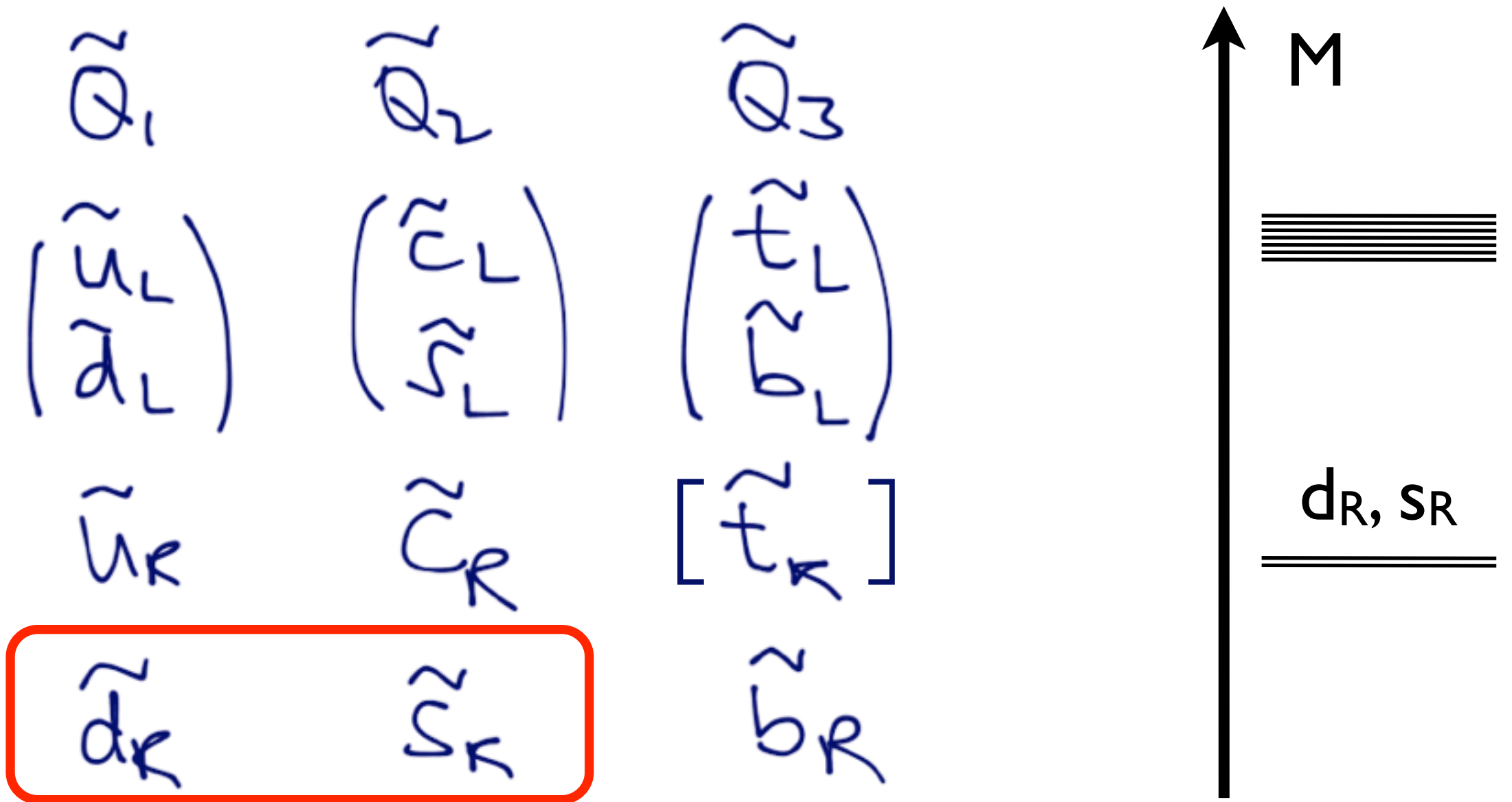


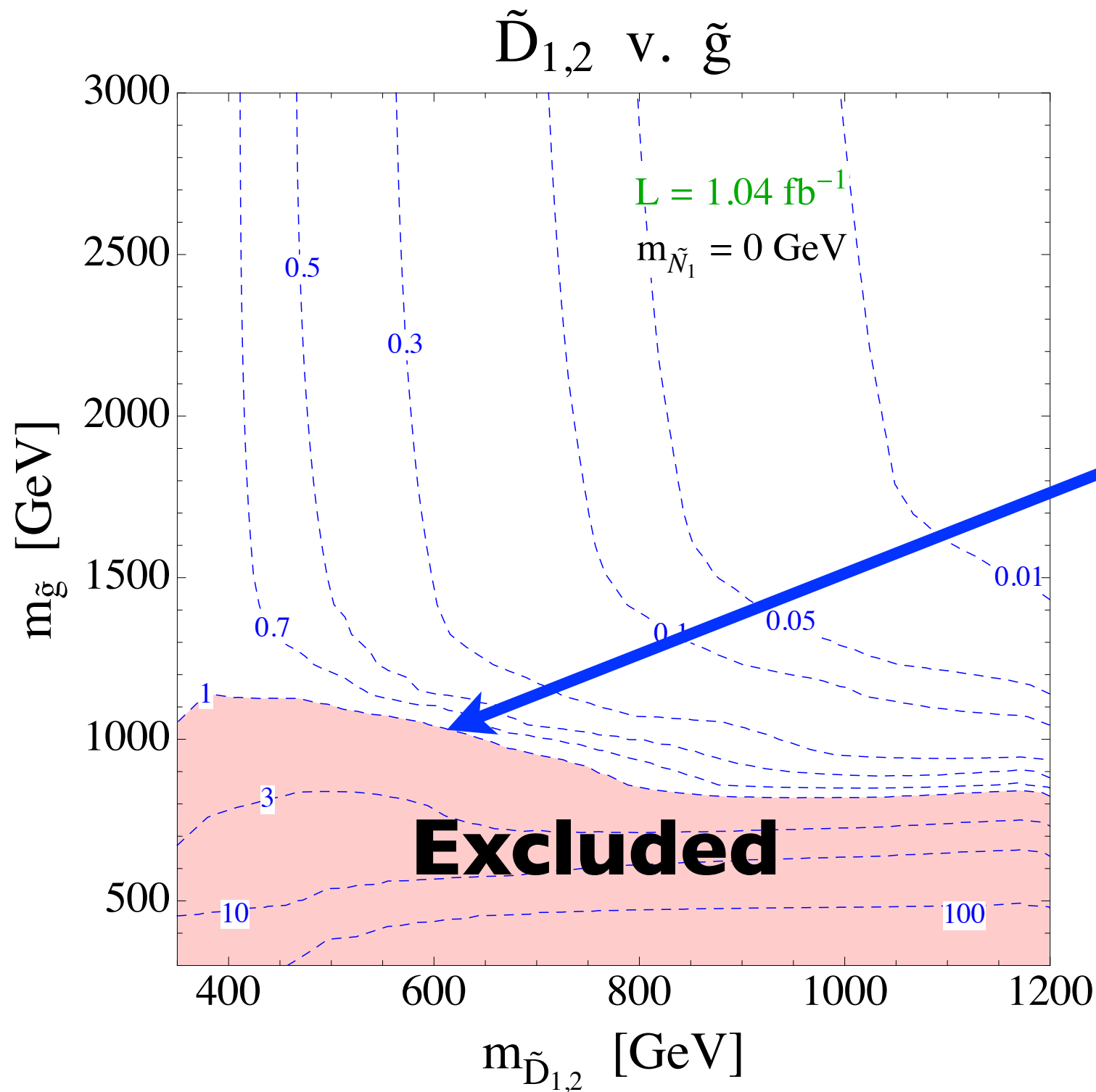
simplified topology

e.g. [CMSPublic/PhysicsResultsSUSY1004](https://arxiv.org/abs/1004.0773) or [ATLAS-CONF-2011-155/](https://arxiv.org/abs/1011.1551)

Thanks for providing root files, HEPDATA,...

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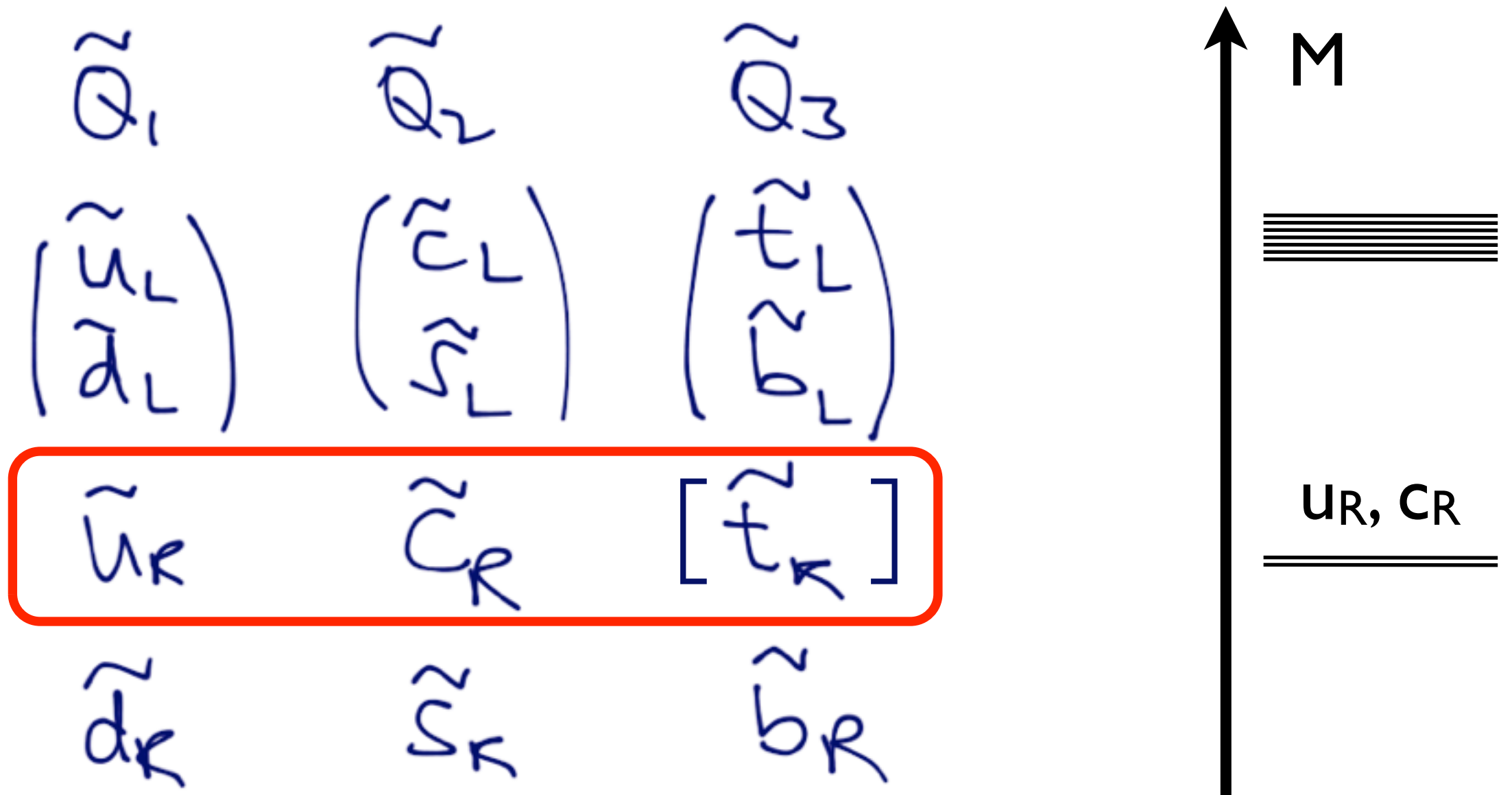
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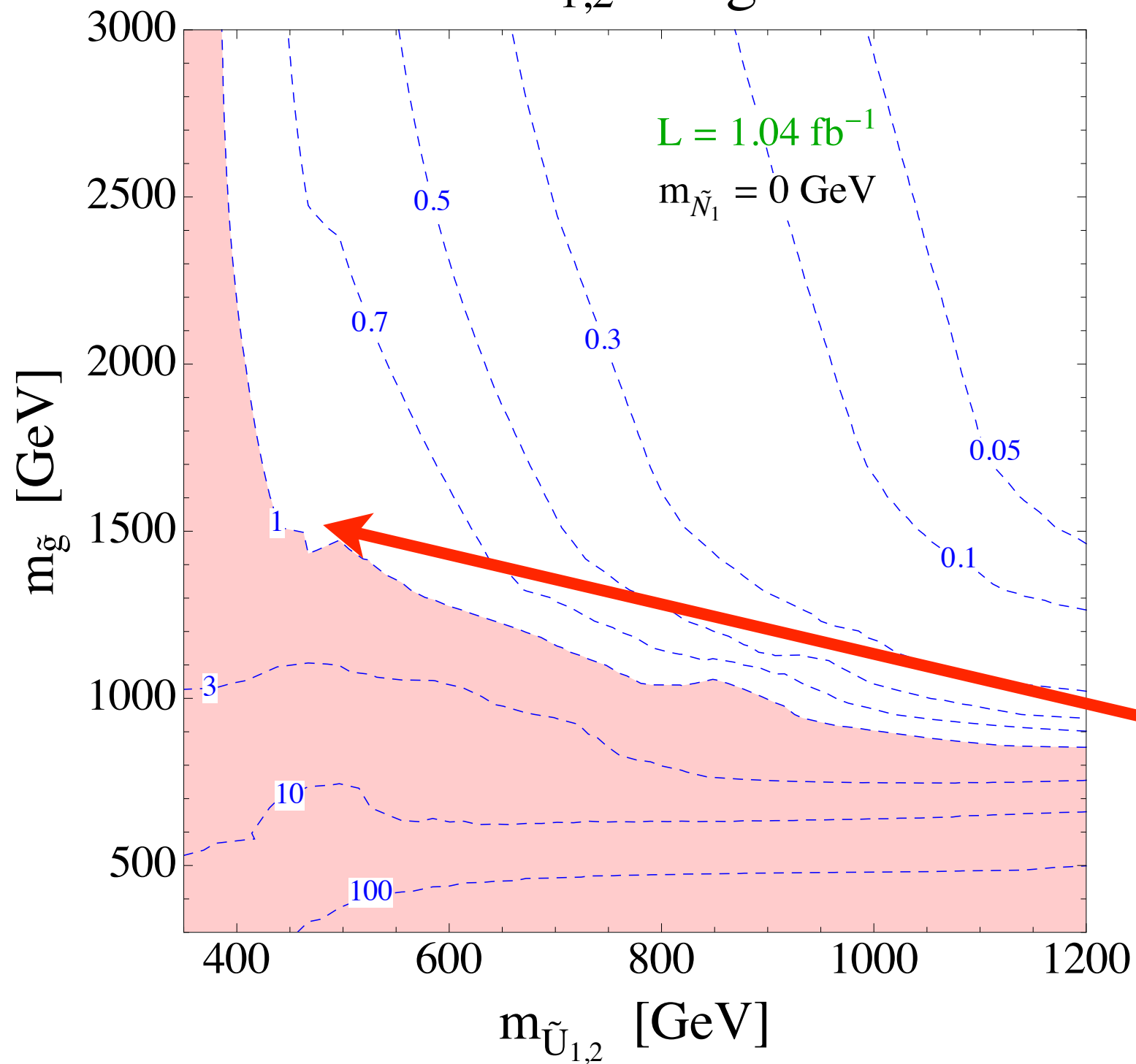
Exclusion (at 95CL)
if this is = 1

For $m_{\text{gluino}} > 1.2 \text{ TeV}$, no limit on squarks masses.

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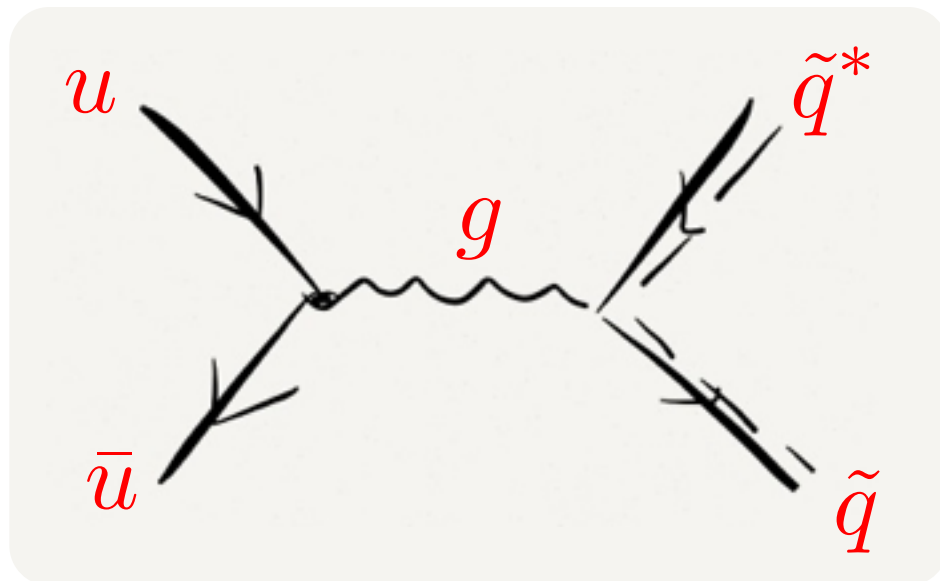


Stronger limits,
later decoupling
of gluino

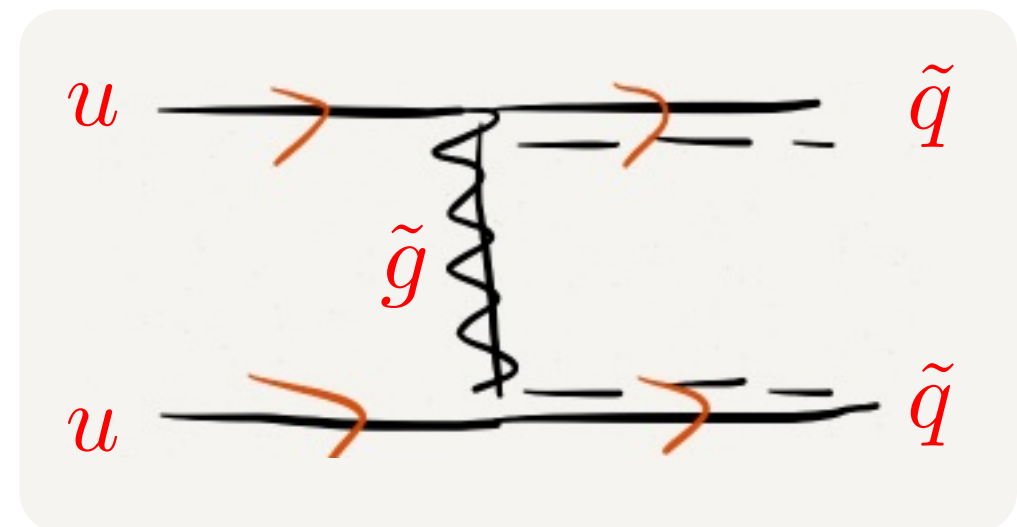
Why much more
sensitive to
gluino mass? →

What is driving the strong ATLAS/CMS limit?

Squark - Squark production:

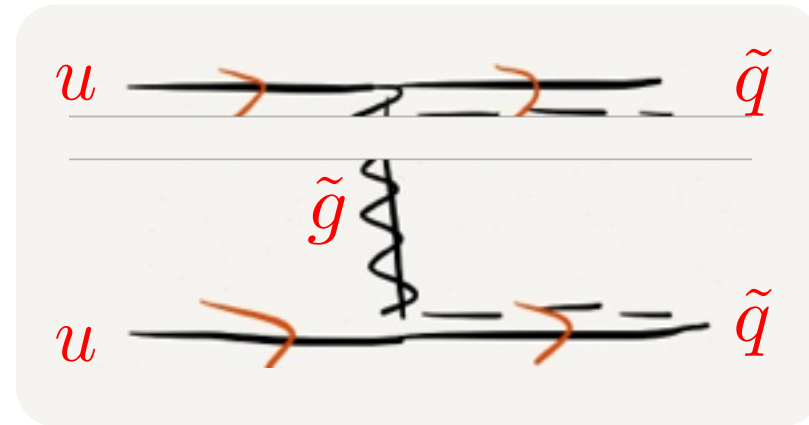
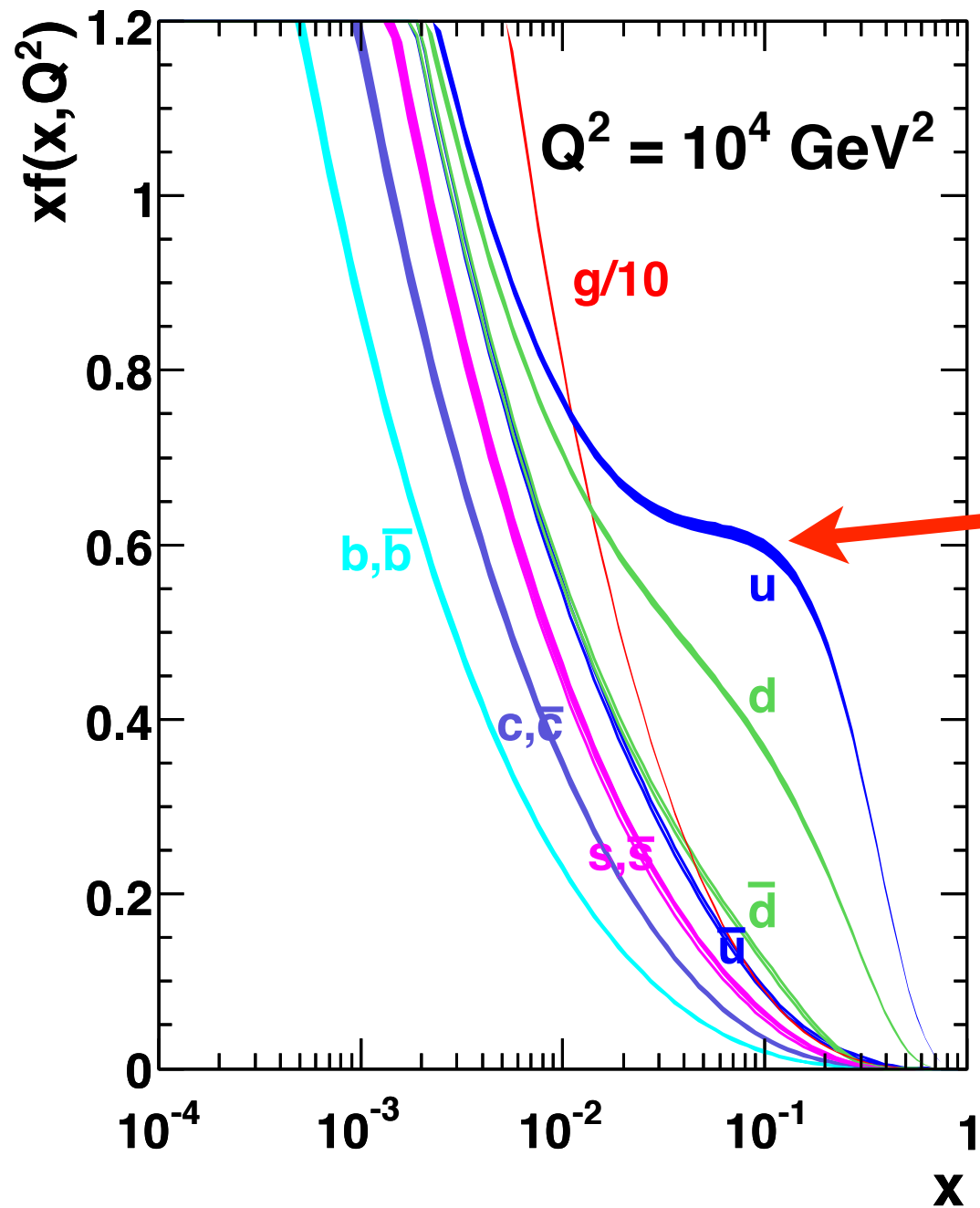


Independent of
squark flavor
(and gluino mass)



Majorana nature of
gluino allows **u u**
initial state!

Simple d.o.f rescaling



access to large **up**
quark pdf

$$E \approx x \cdot 7 \text{ TeV}$$

$$\frac{1}{m_{\tilde{g}}} \tilde{q}\tilde{q} u_R u_R \quad \text{dim5 op.}$$

$$\rightarrow \sigma \sim 1/m_{\tilde{g}}^2$$

slow decoupling

Aligned LH squarks

Squarks

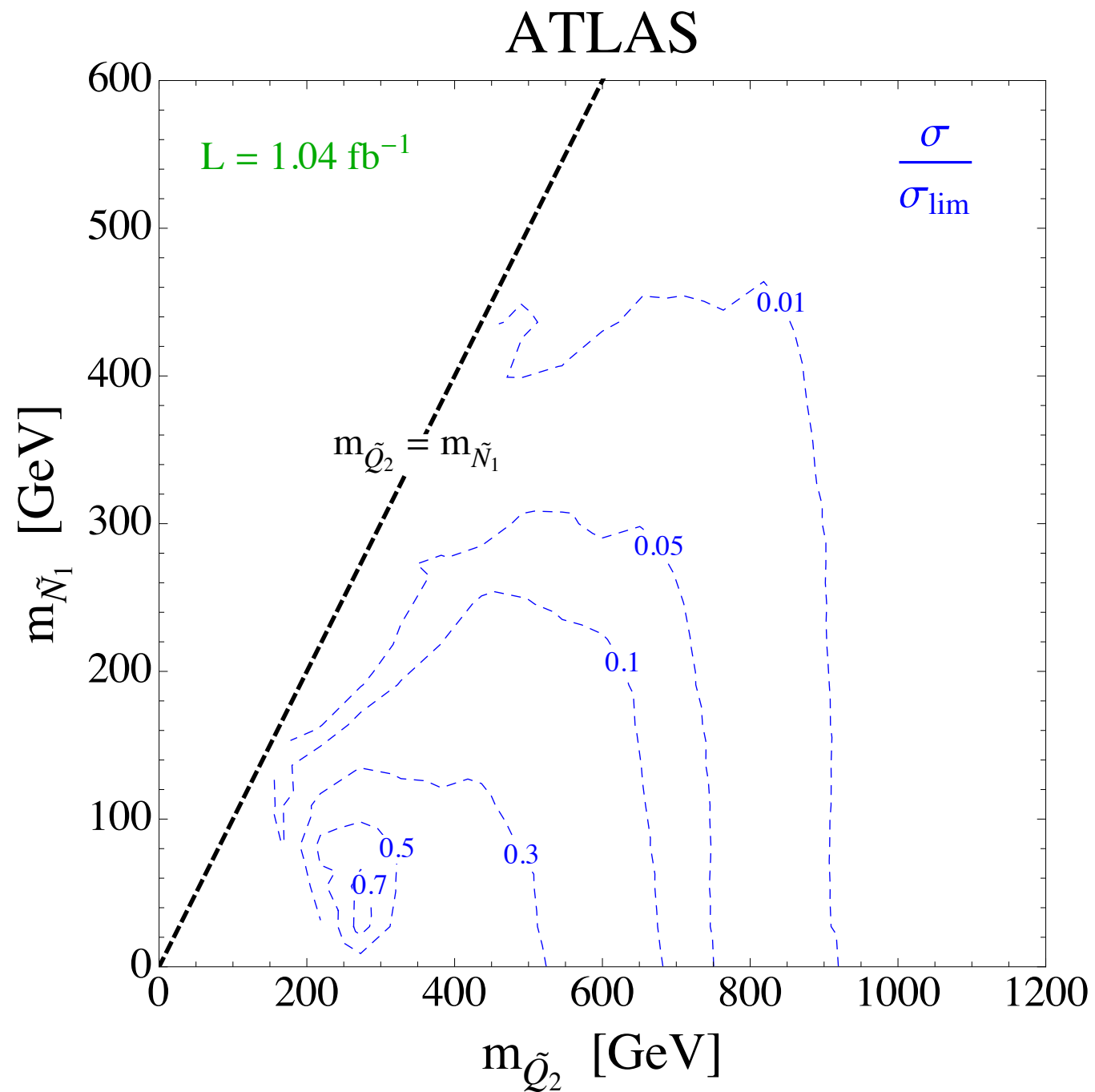
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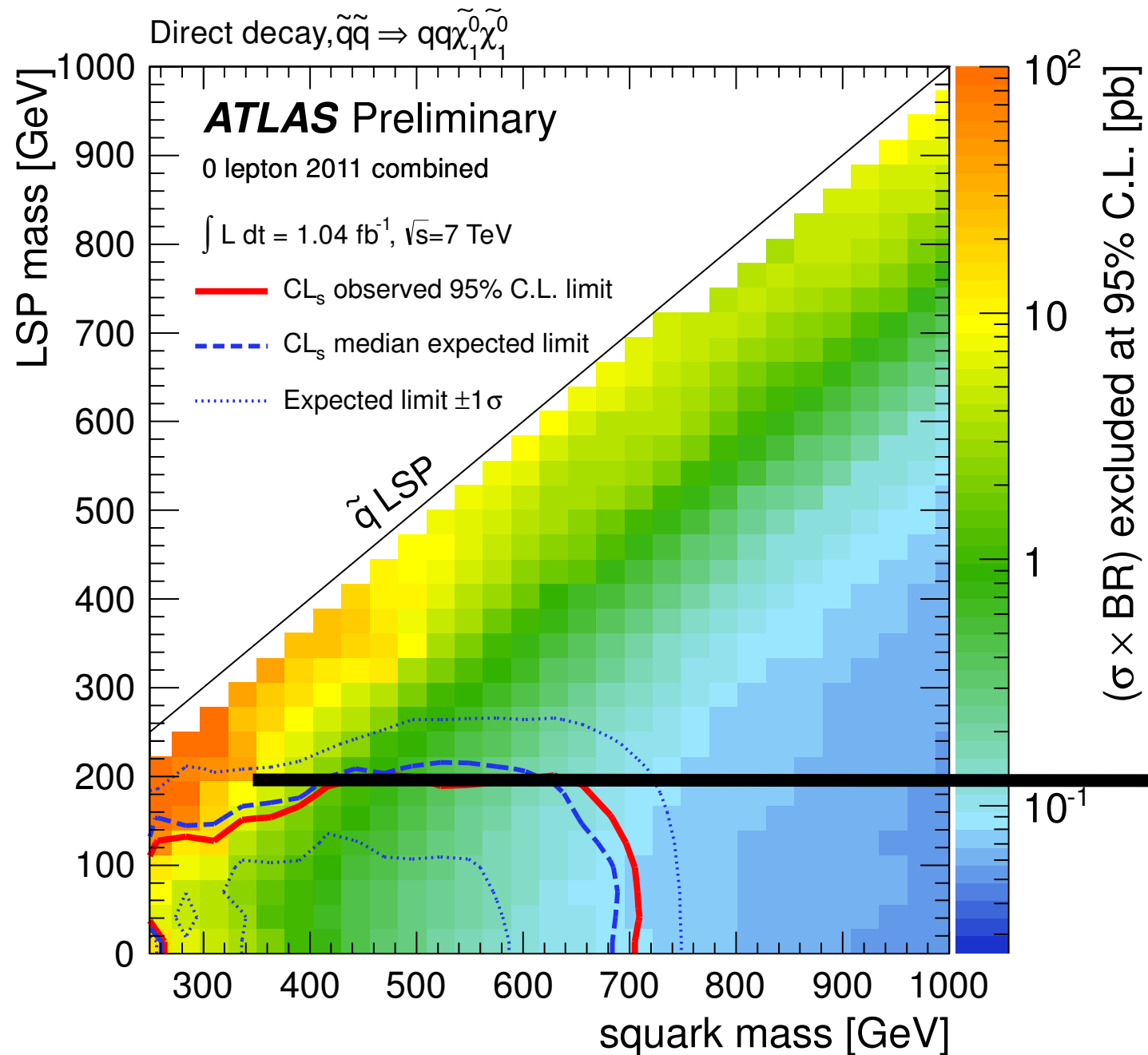
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Is there a 300 GeV squark
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Efficiencies

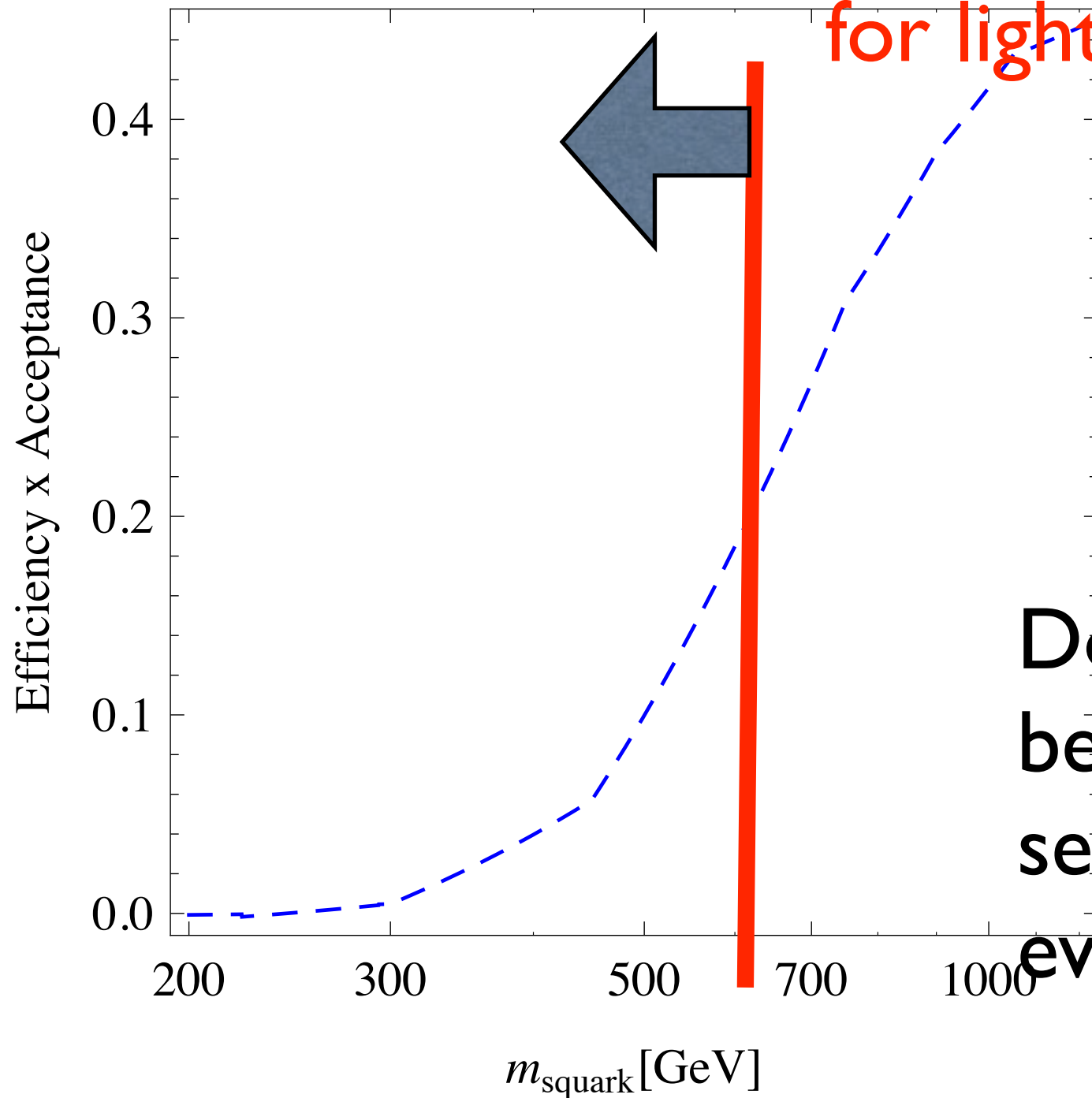
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$$\sigma \times A \times \epsilon \approx const.$$

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Example: ATLAS 1/fb
2jet, $M_{\text{eff}} > 1 \text{ TeV}$,
 $m_{\text{LSP}} = 0 \text{ GeV}$

Do not expect it to be much
better for higher luminosity
searches ($> 5 \text{ /fb}$) b/c
even harder cuts used

Todo

- No efficiency maps available yet for 5 /fb searches. We will **simulate and validate** using monte-carlo mockups (see part 2 on how to do that) to check limits
- We do not expect different conclusions because light squarks increasingly inefficient

work in progress with

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Summary part I

- Squarks spectra can be **vertically** and **horizontally** split.
- Limits for 1st gen' squarks very dependent on gluino mass, for heavy gluino almost no limit
- Are there light squarks hiding in the data?
- **Need dedicated light squark searches!**

Part 2: Natural susy

Everything is natural; if it weren't, it wouldn't be.

M. Bateson

- Bottom-up naturalness reminder
- Current limits?

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stops, sbottom_L

2 loop

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gluino

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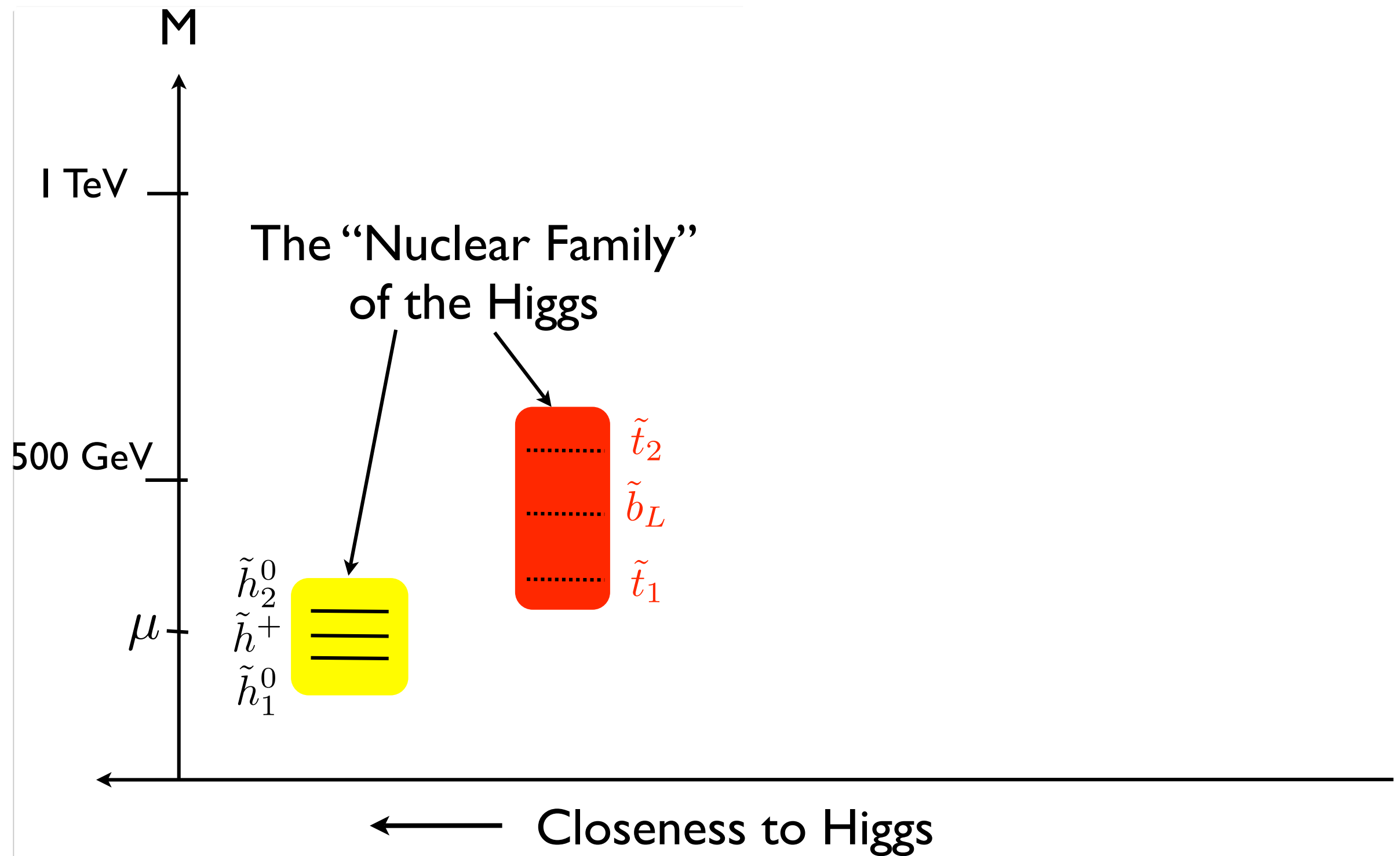


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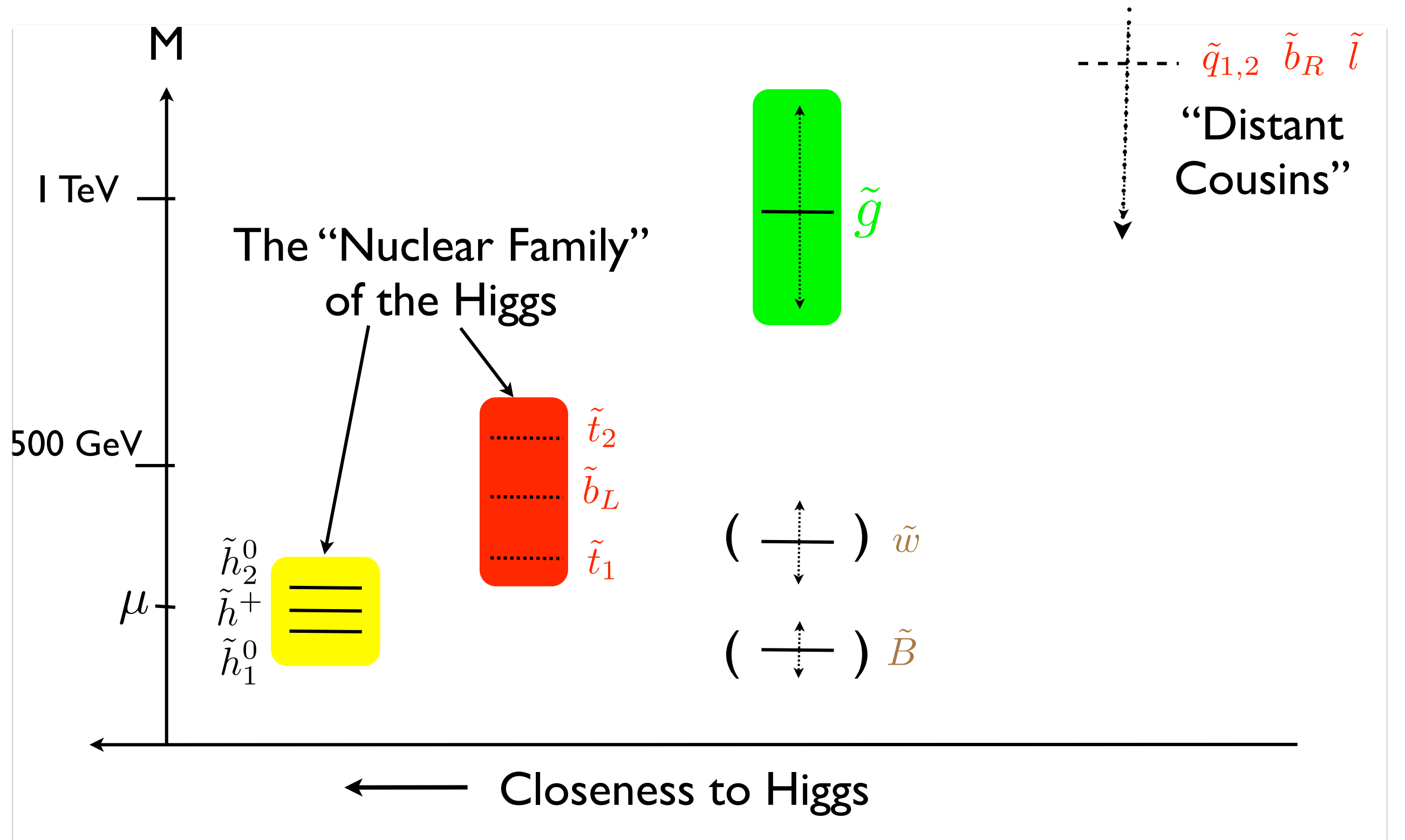


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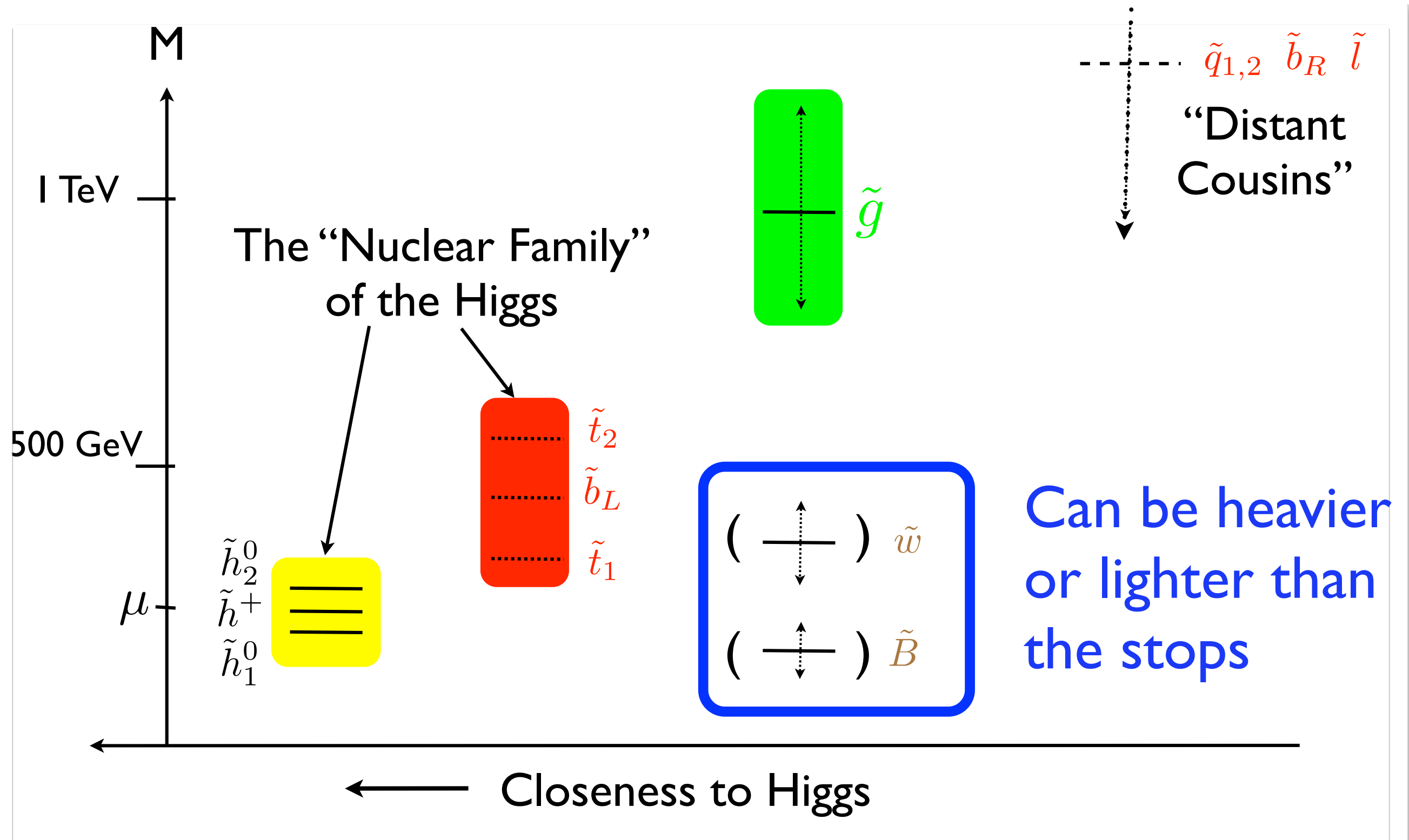
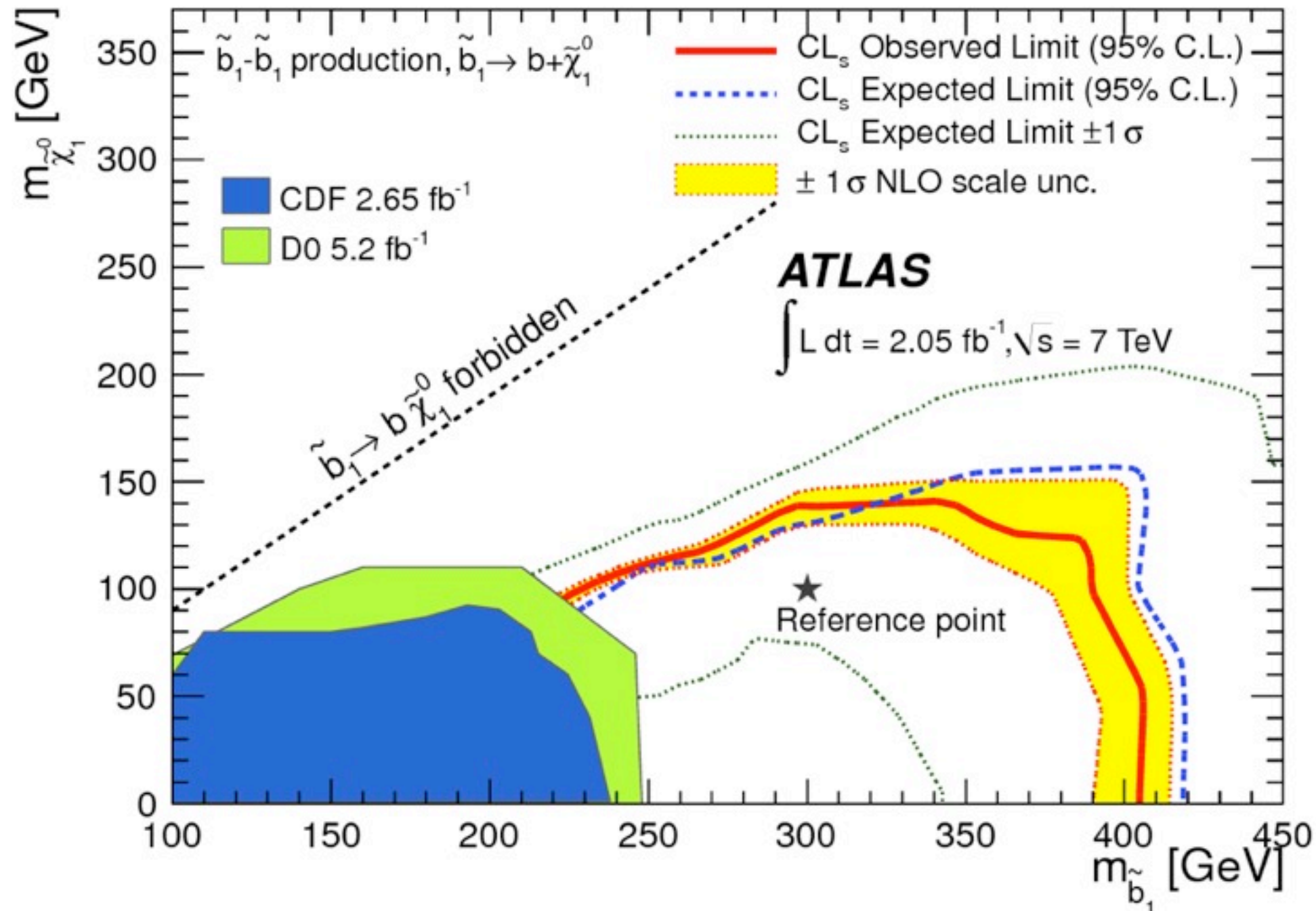
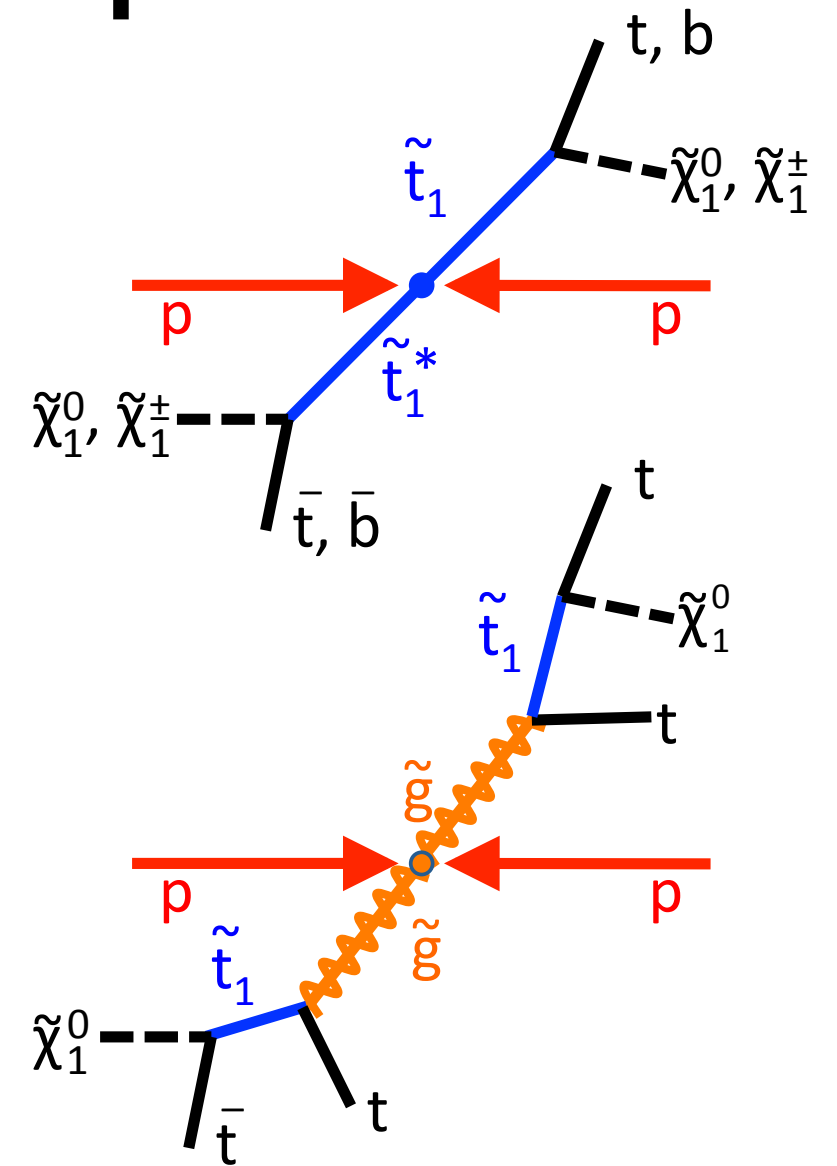
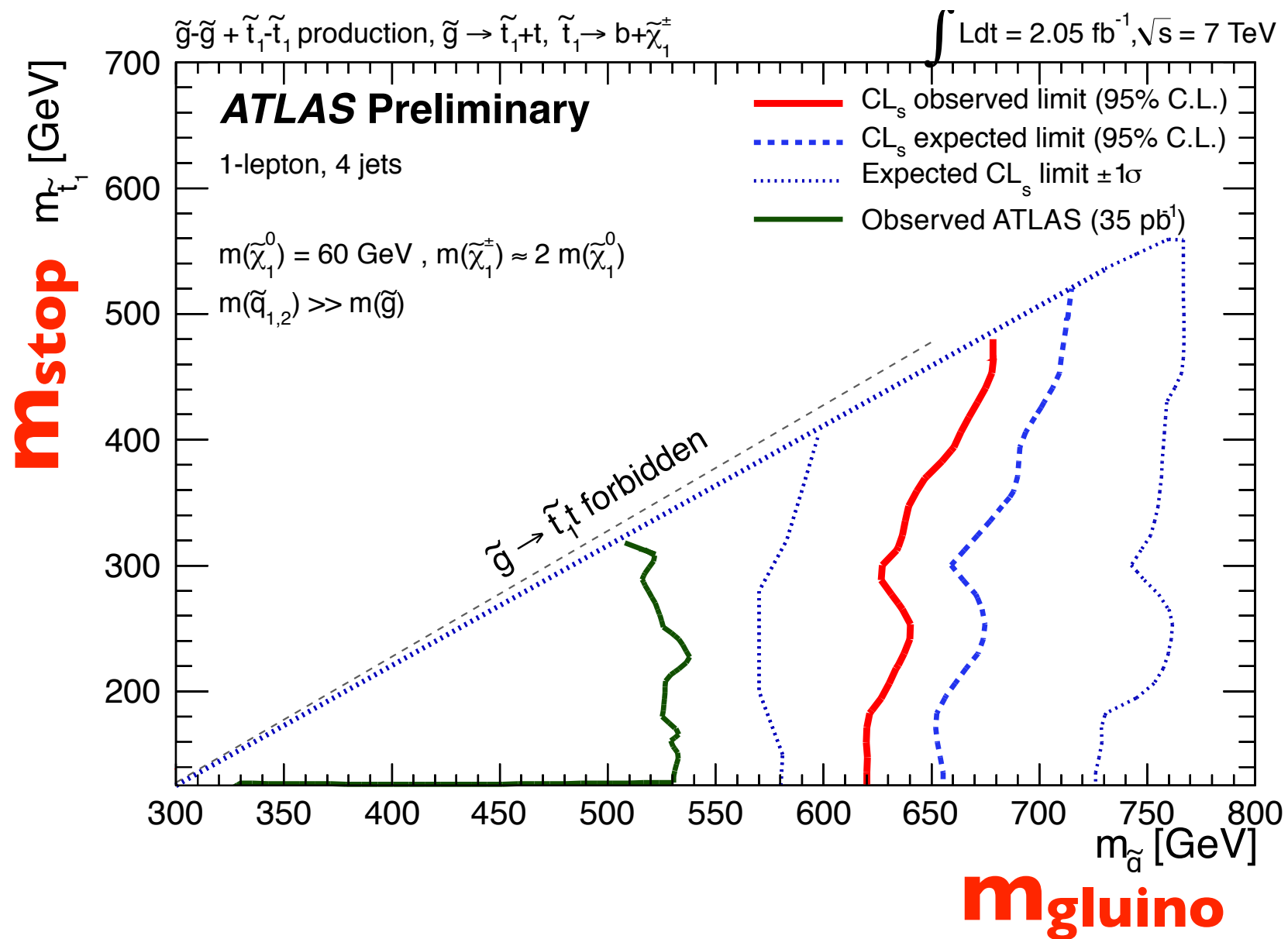


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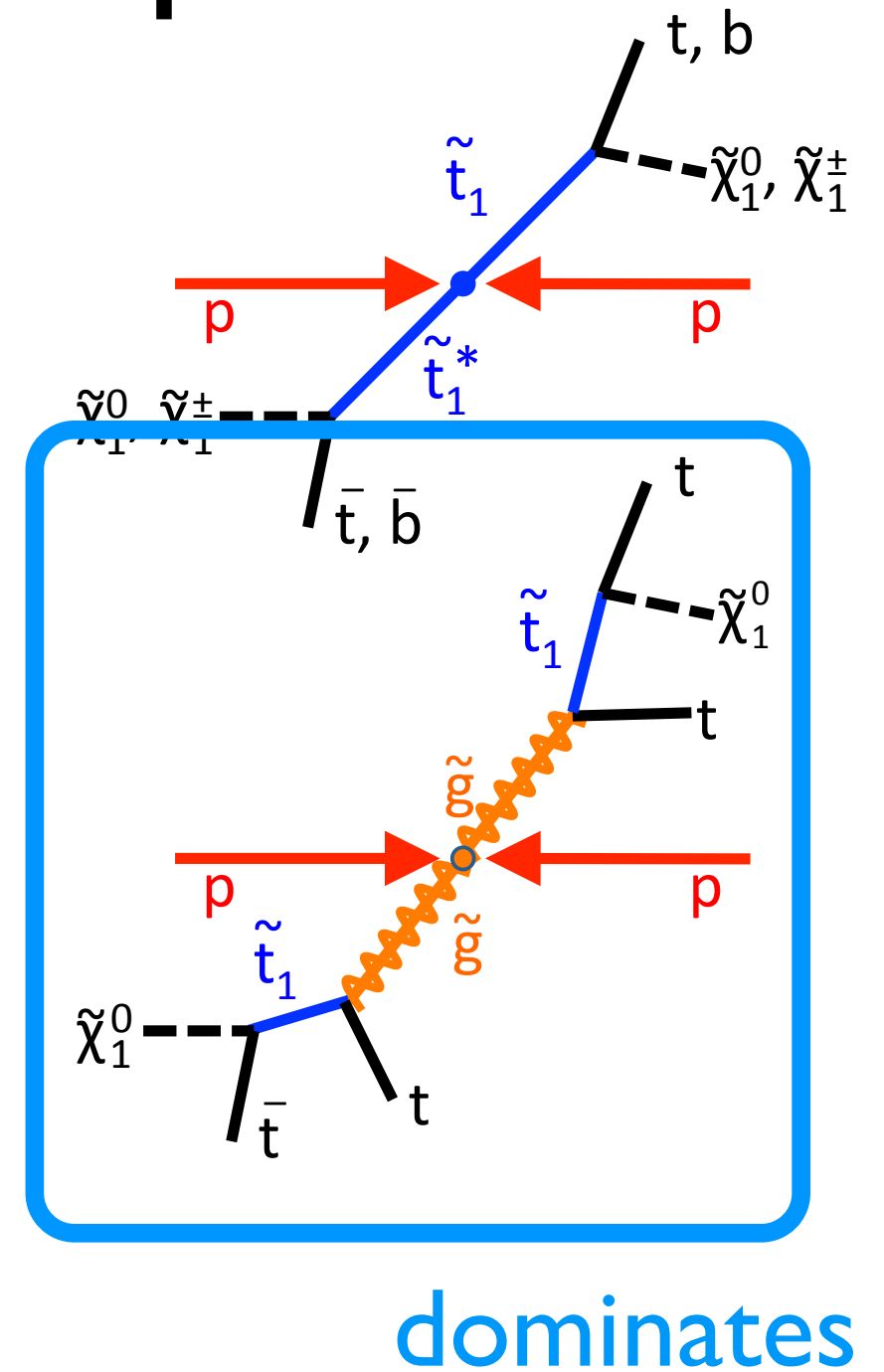
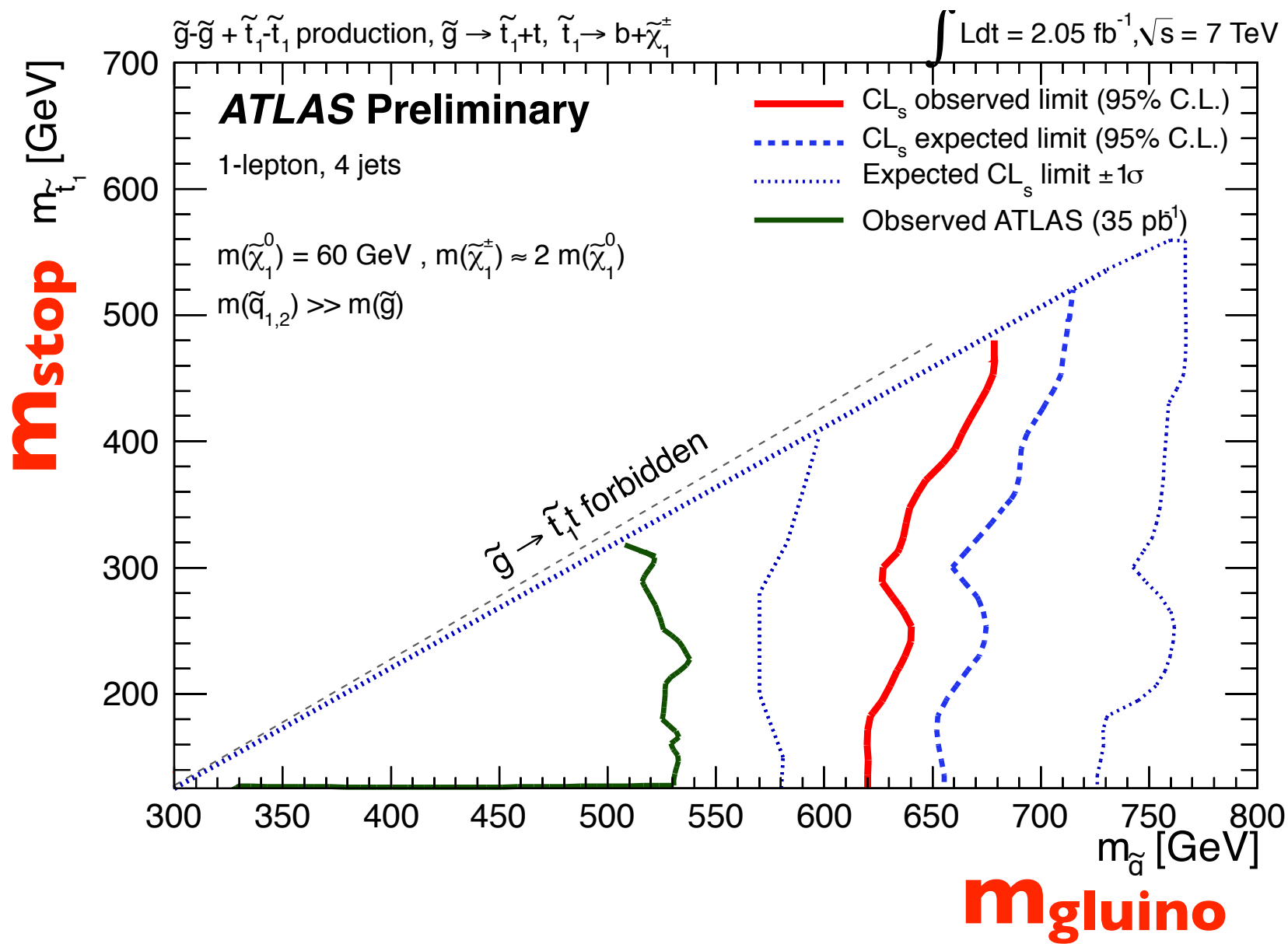
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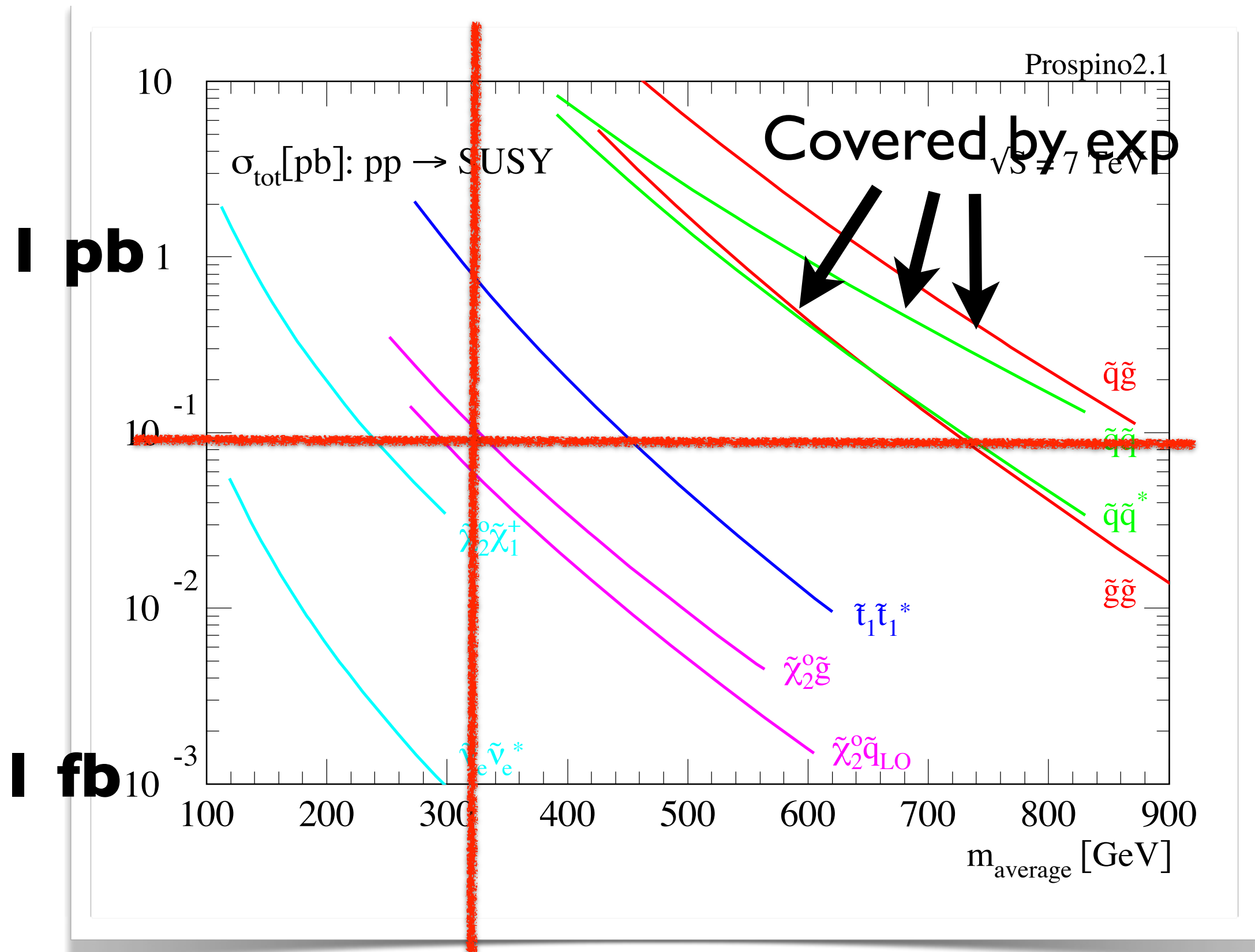
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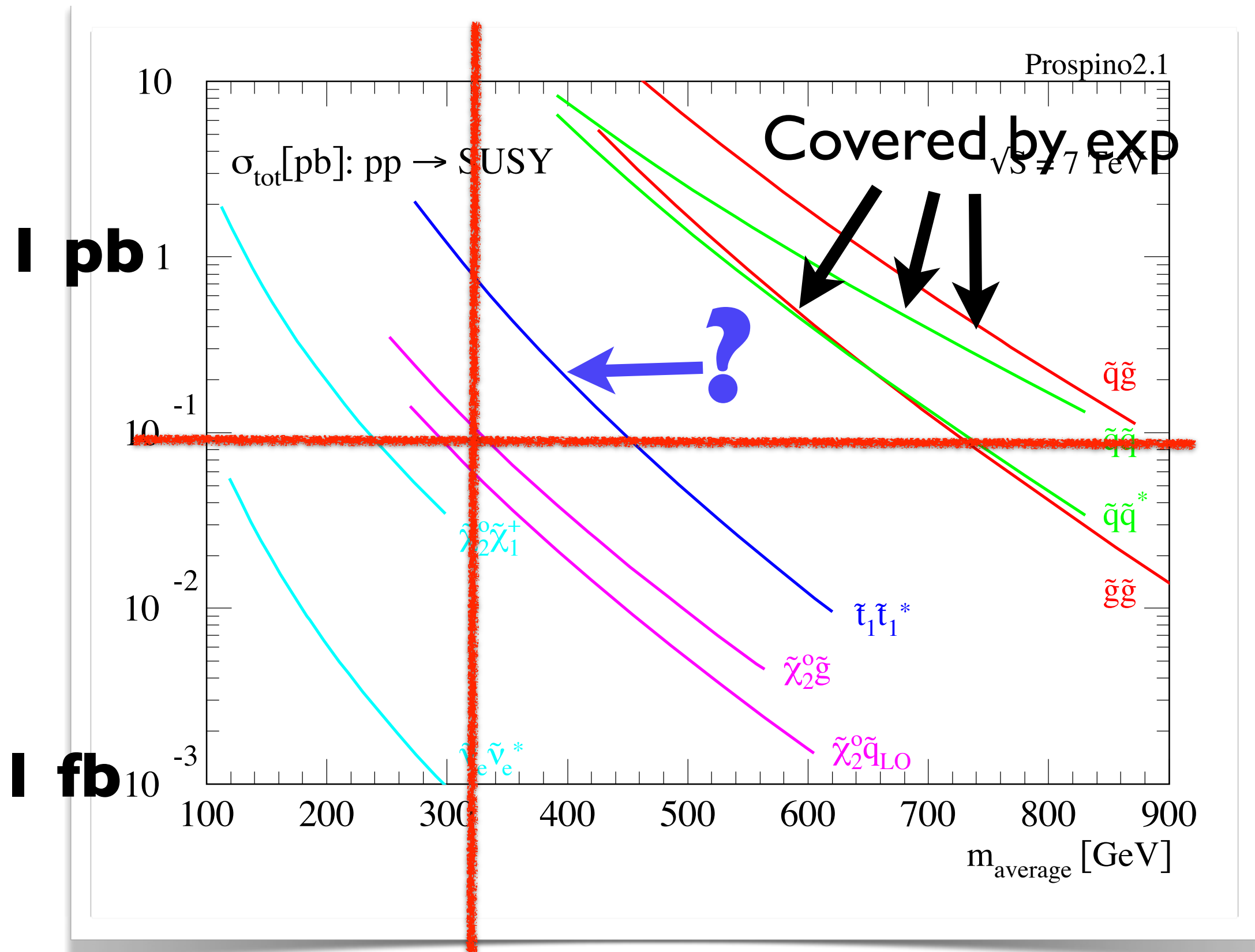
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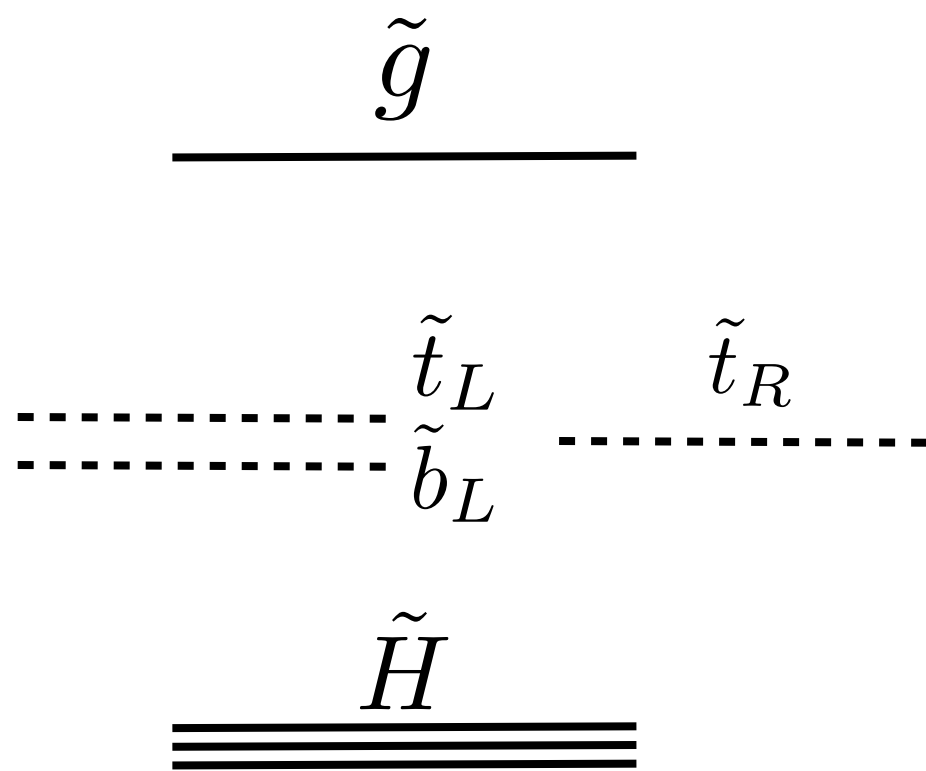


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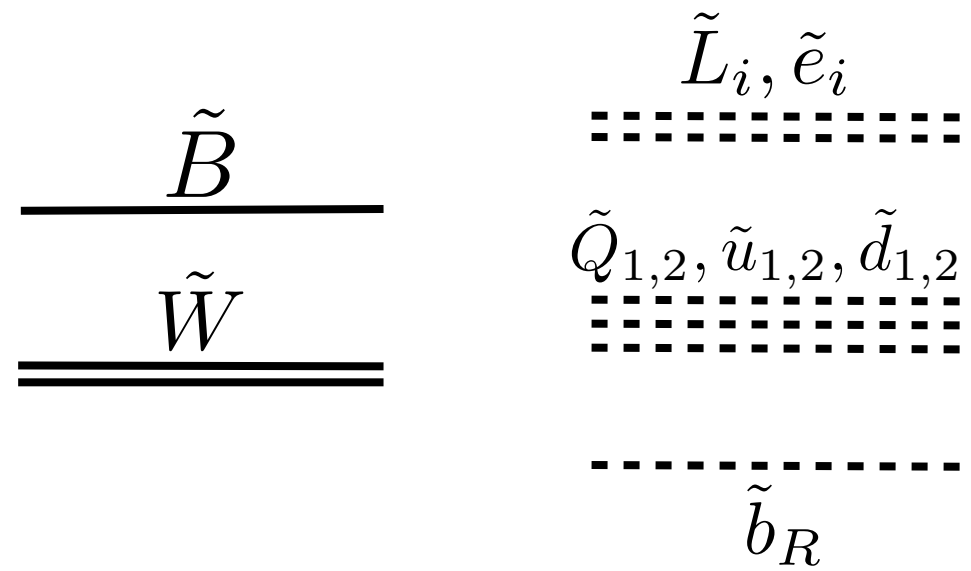


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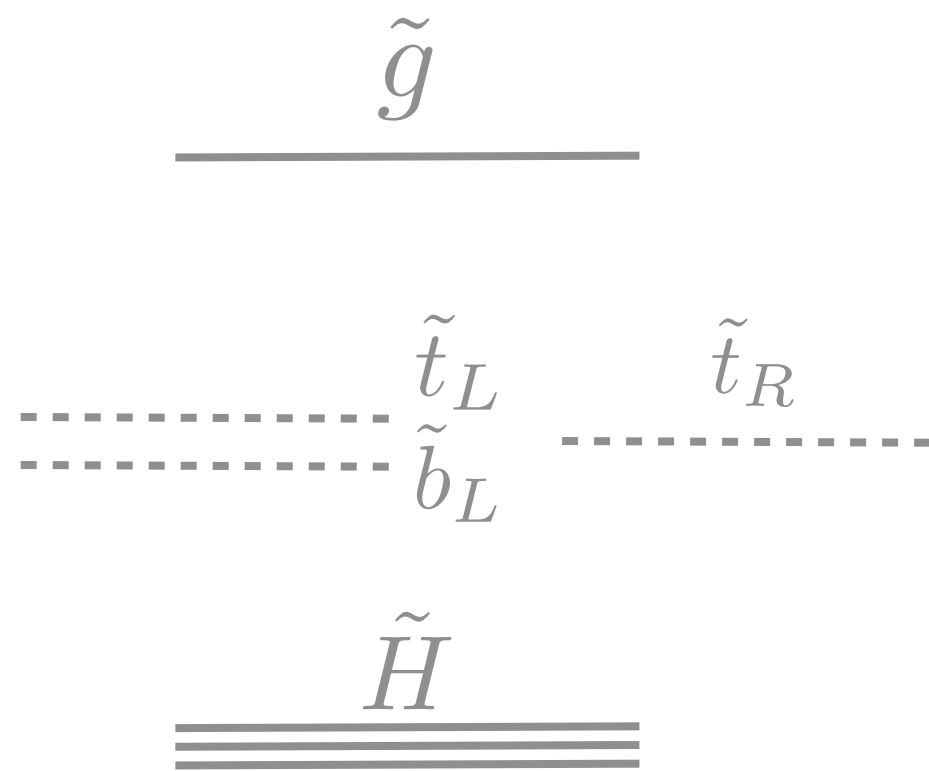
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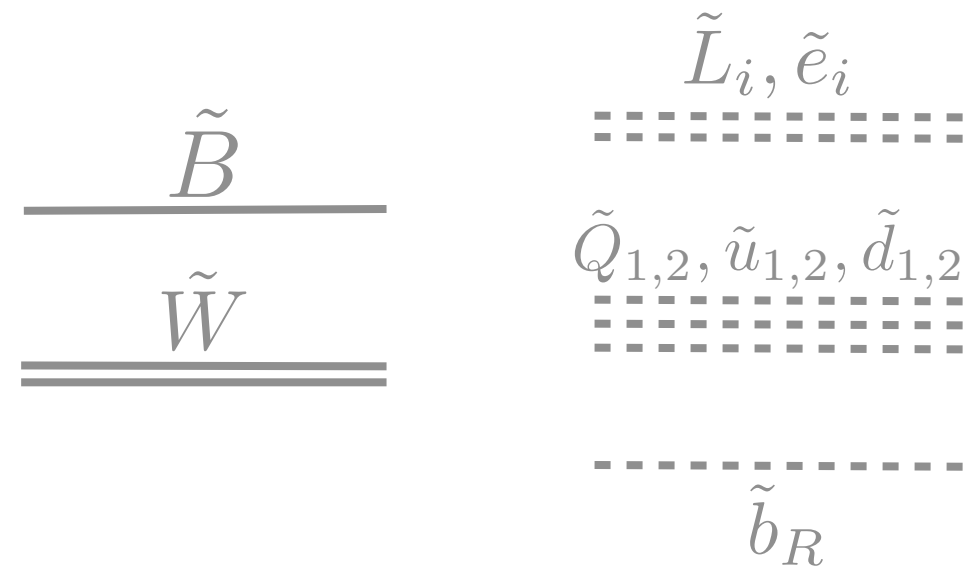
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decoupled SUSY

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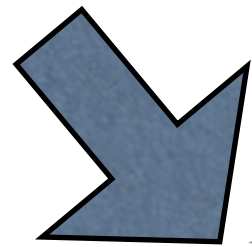
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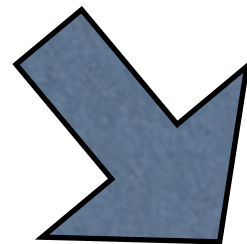
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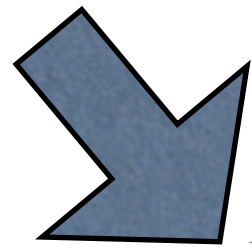
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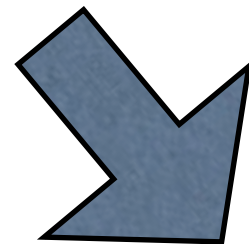
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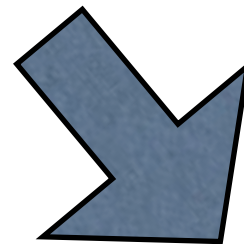


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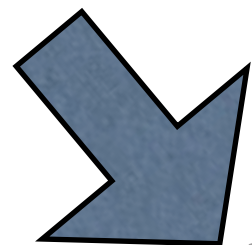
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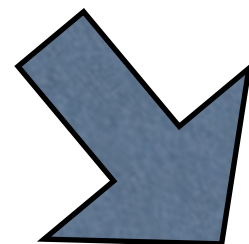
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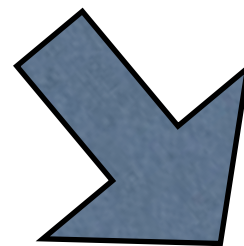


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our pipelines

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public code soon

pythia / herwig / etc

+prospino

fastjet

truth leptons / photons /b's

- l/gamma iso
- parameterized efficiencies

checks sensitivity of cut & leakage in control region

pgs

pythia

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crude detector sim

cone jets

truth
muons/b's

- parameterized efficiencies

crude
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ATOM

an **A**utomated **T**ester **O**f **M**odels

(soon to be) Public Tool developed by

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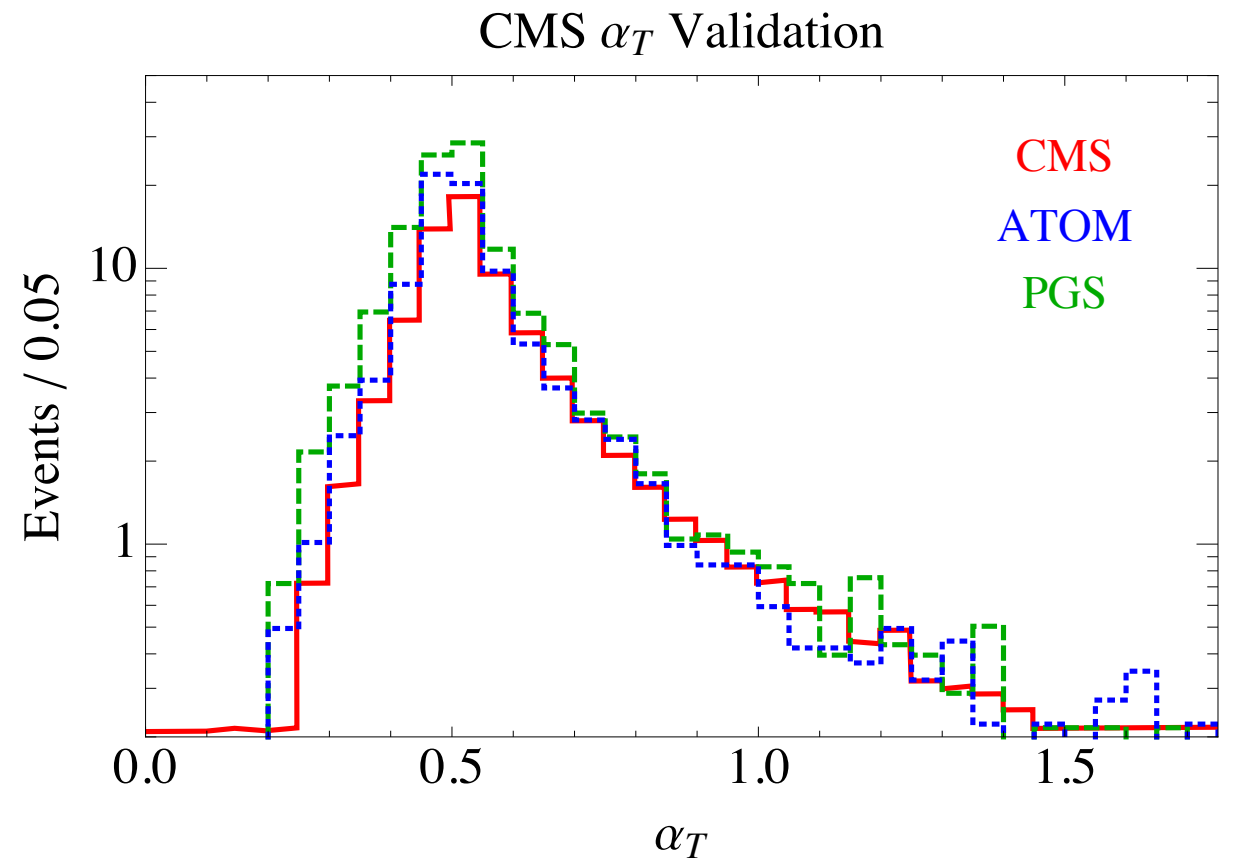
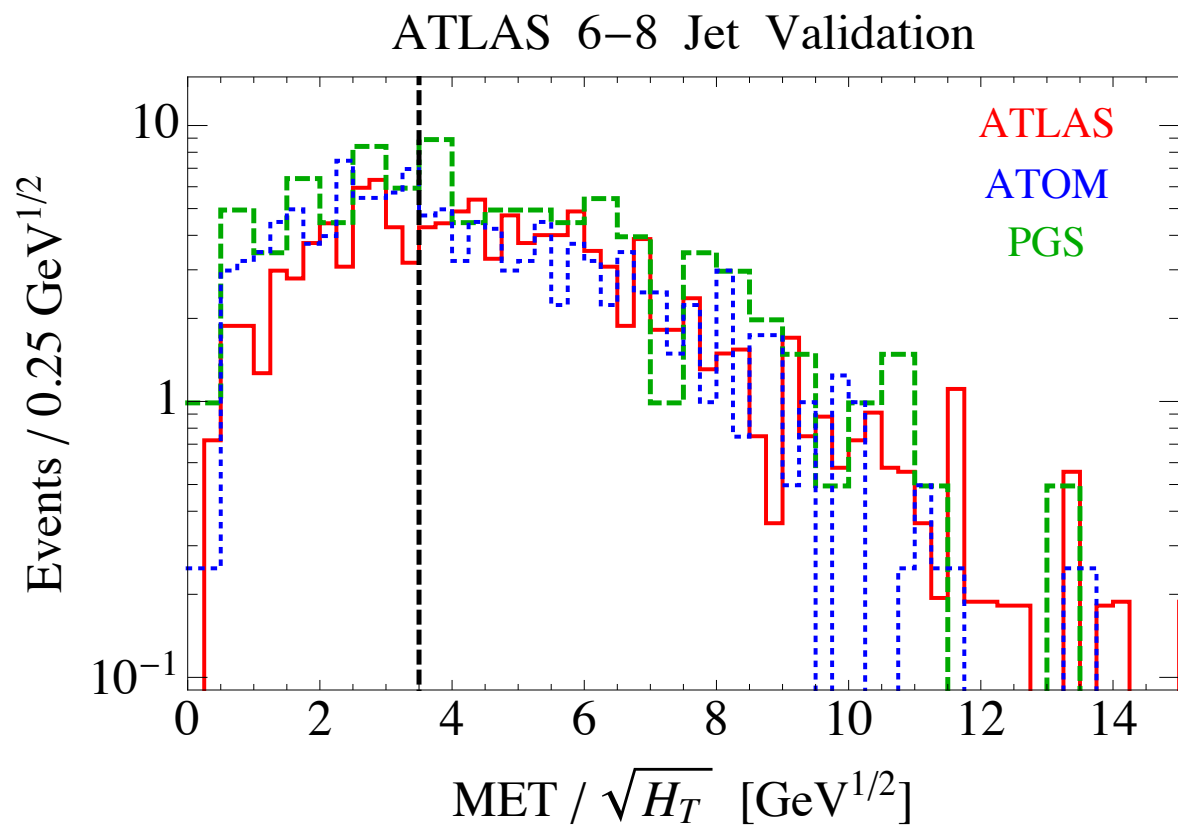
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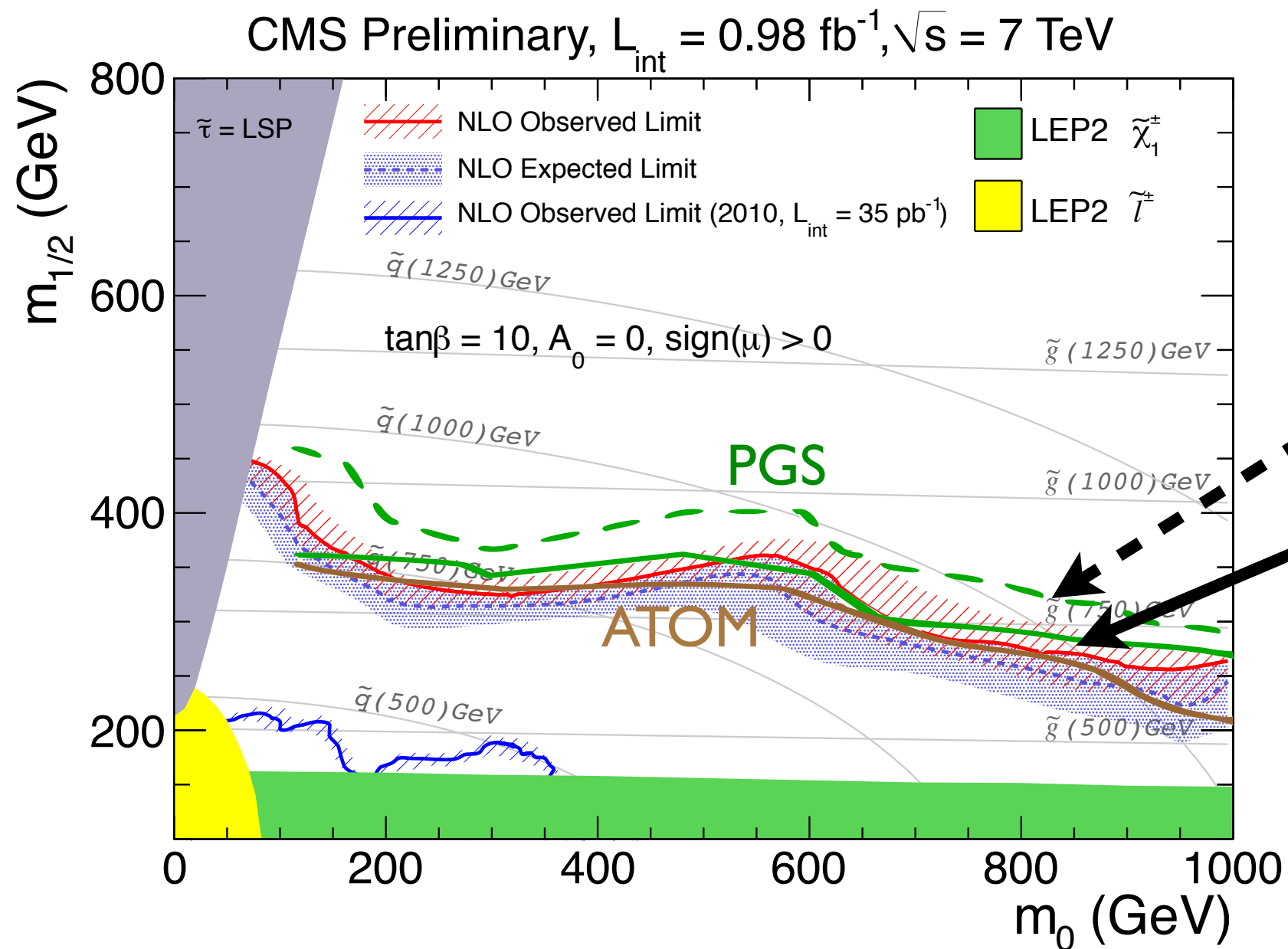
- kinematic distortions (**shape**)
- signal $\epsilon \times \mathcal{A}$ (**normalization**)

+ compare to all available limit plots...

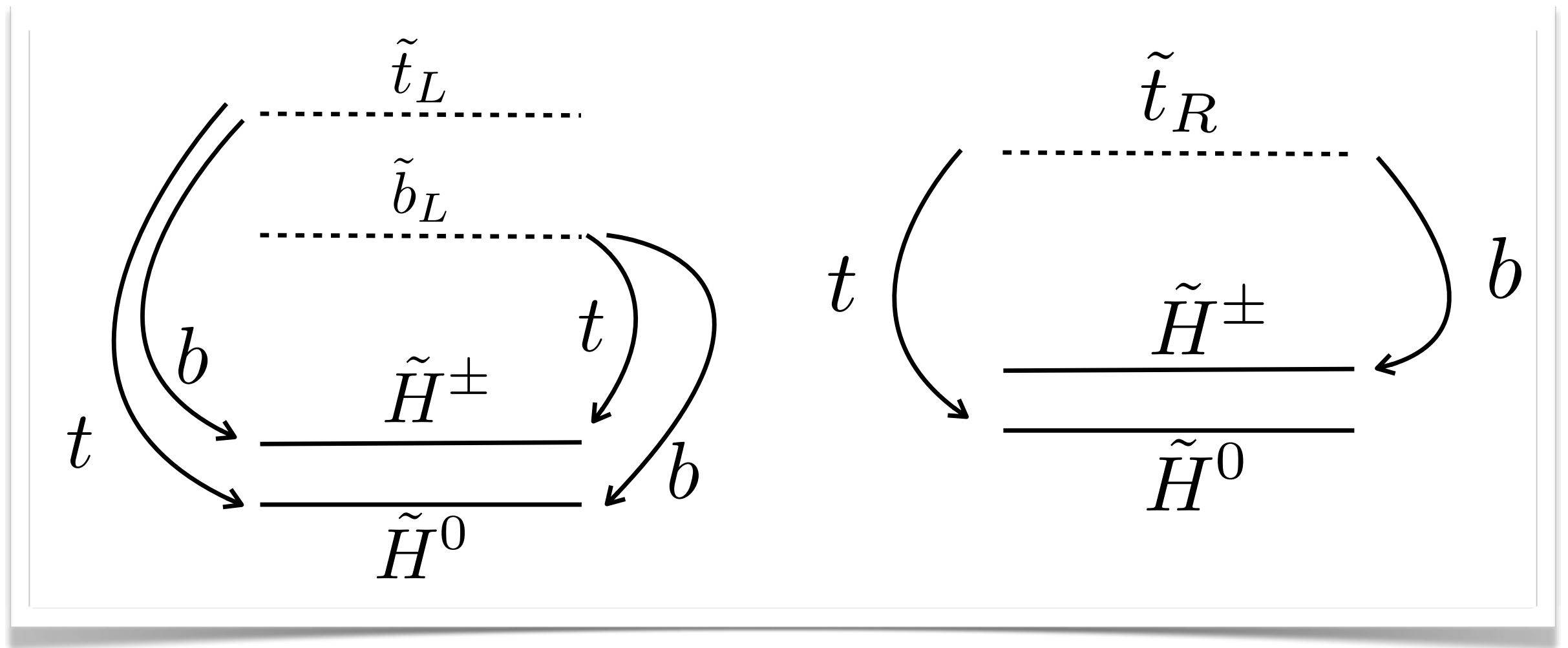
~ 50 GeV accuracy (usually better)

Compare limits

Example: Same-Sign dilepton by CMS



Stops (sbottom) + Higgsinos

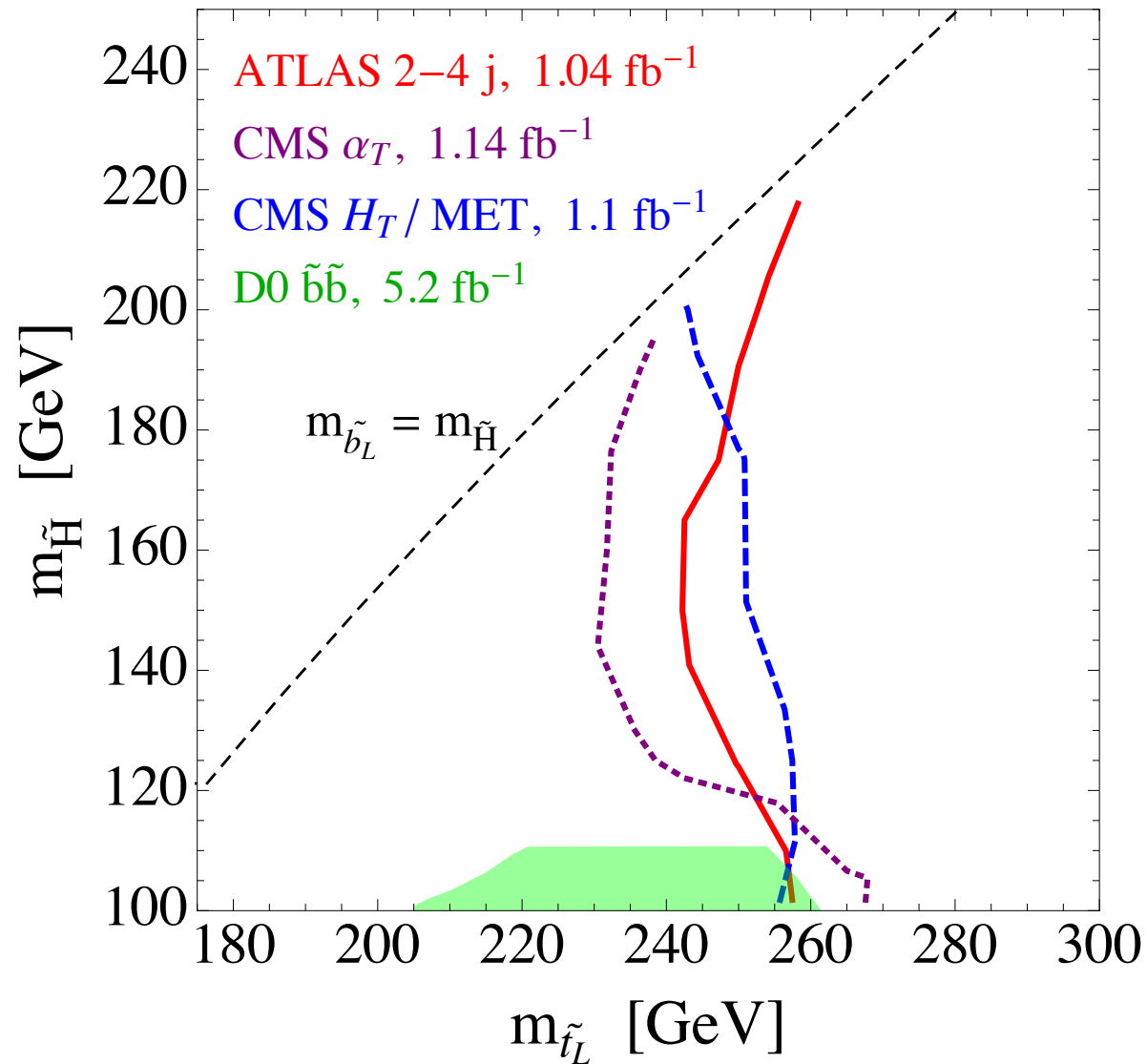


Stops can act as “sbottom” (bjet+ χ) !

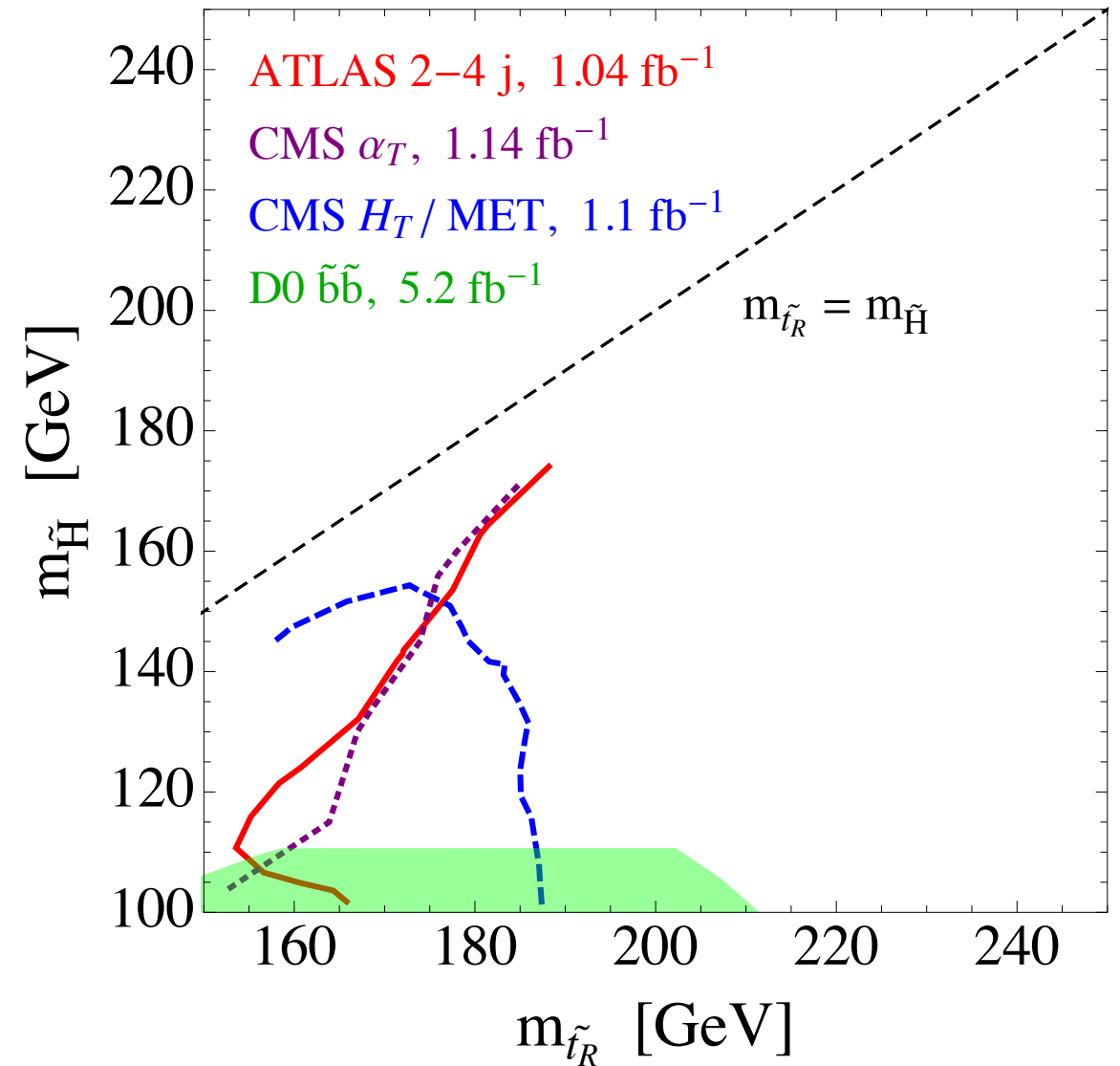
Chargino-neutralino splitting irrelevant for present searches

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Left-Handed Stop / Sbottom



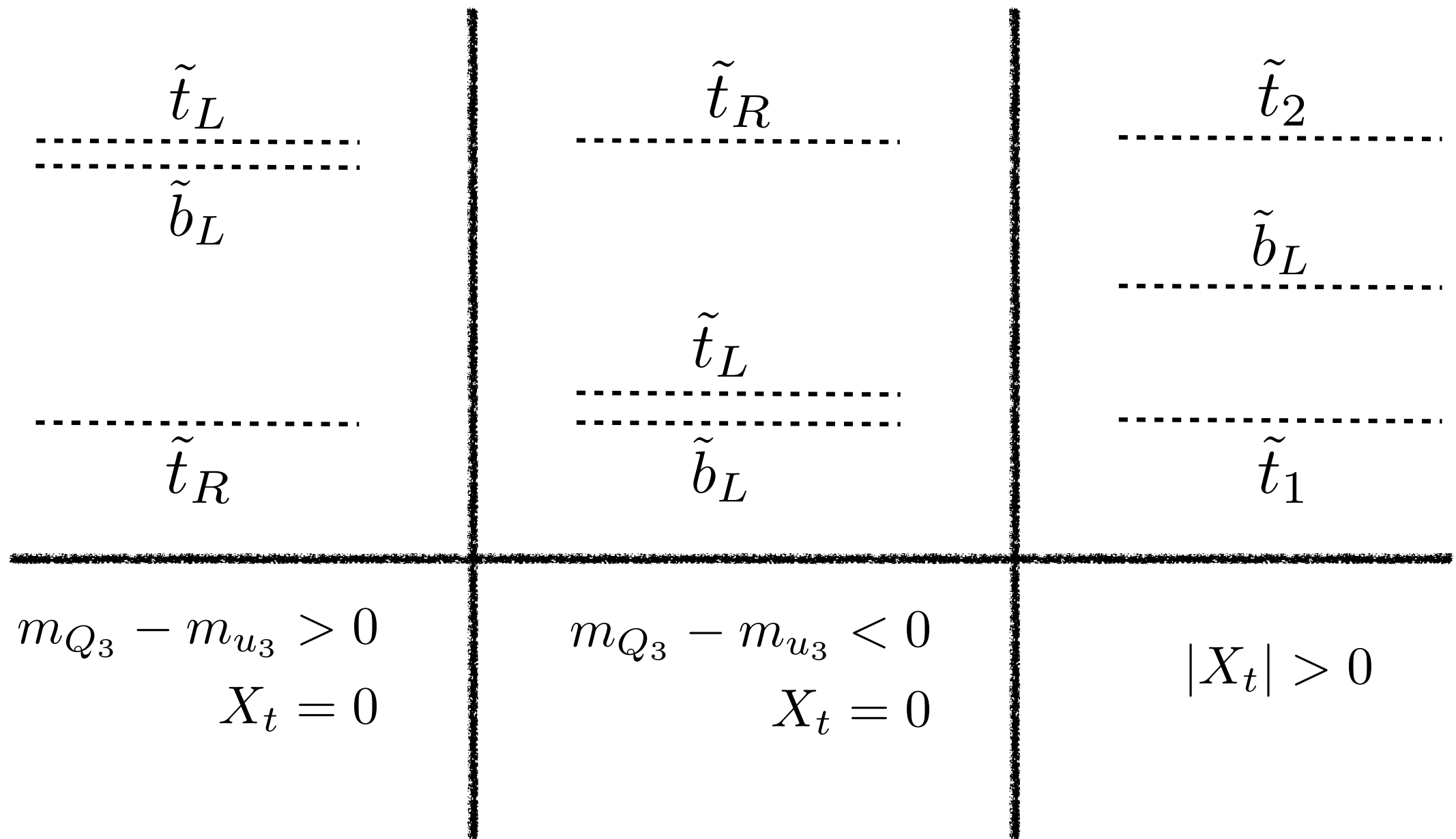
Right-Handed Stop



LHC surpasses Tevatron:

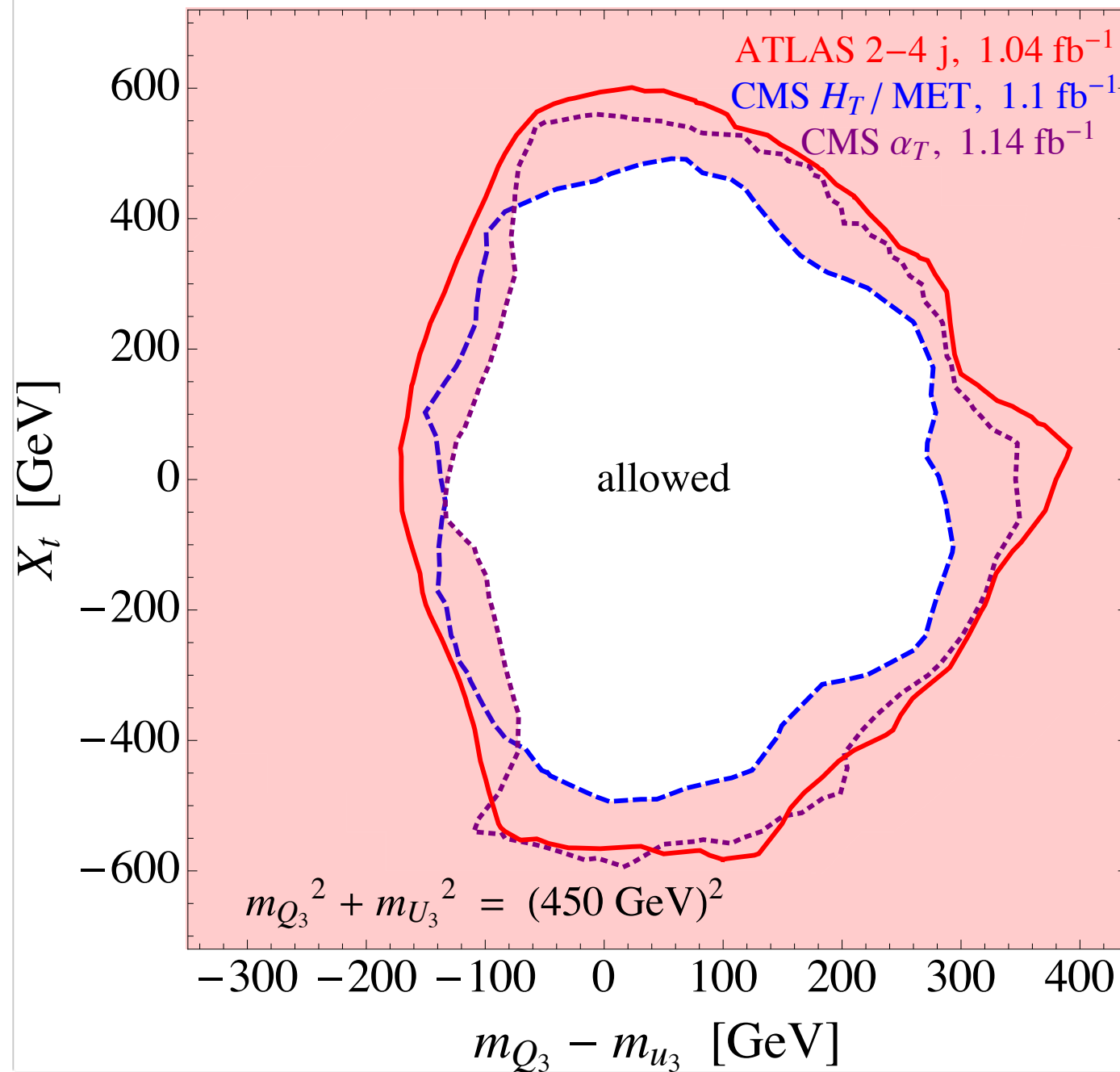
Strongest bounds from **jets + MET**

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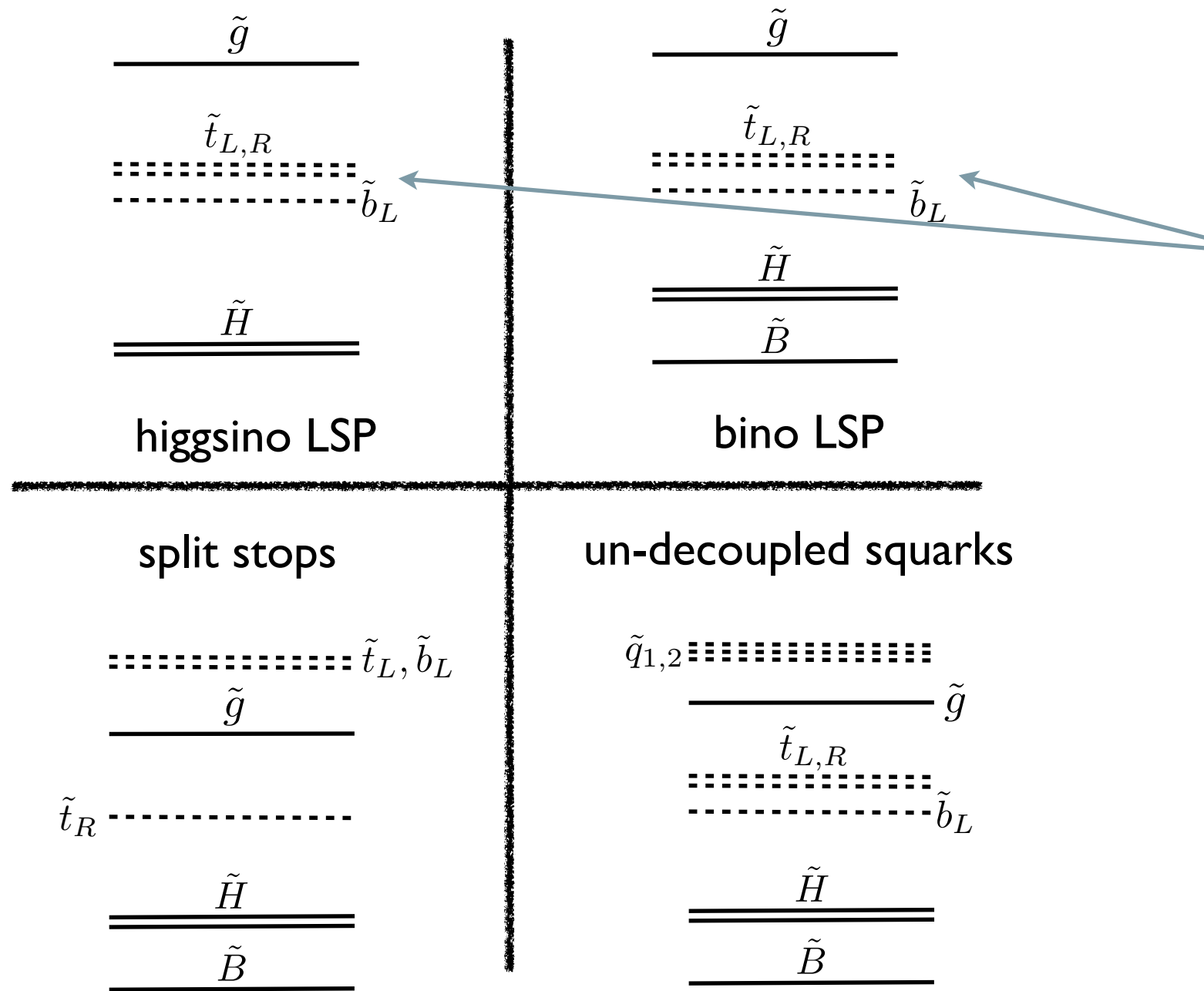
Split / Mixed Stops



stronger bound on the left due to light sbottom

TeVatron bounds not shown b/c they have no sensitivity for $m_{\text{LSP}} > 110 \text{ GeV}$

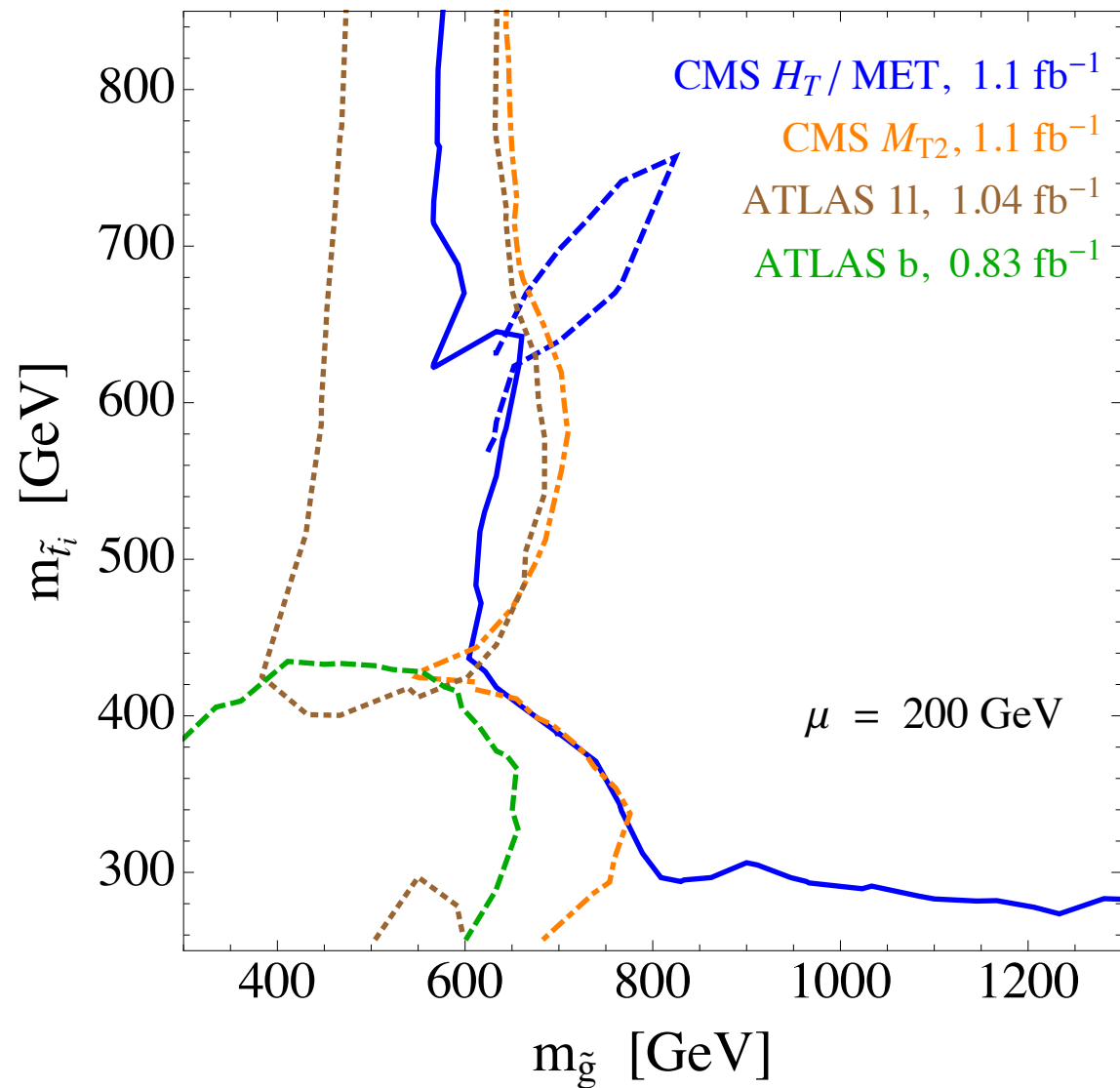
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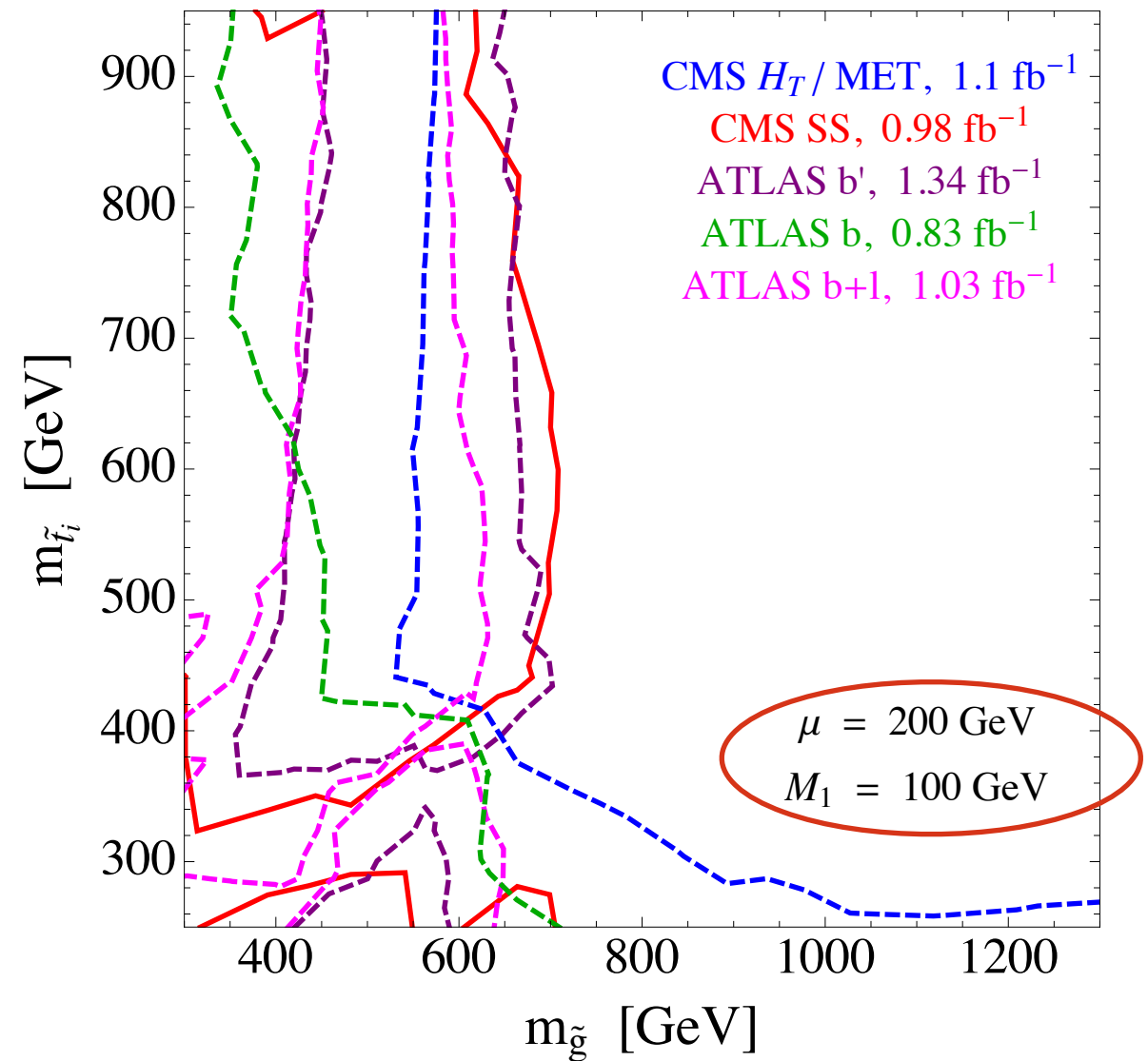
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Higgsino LSP



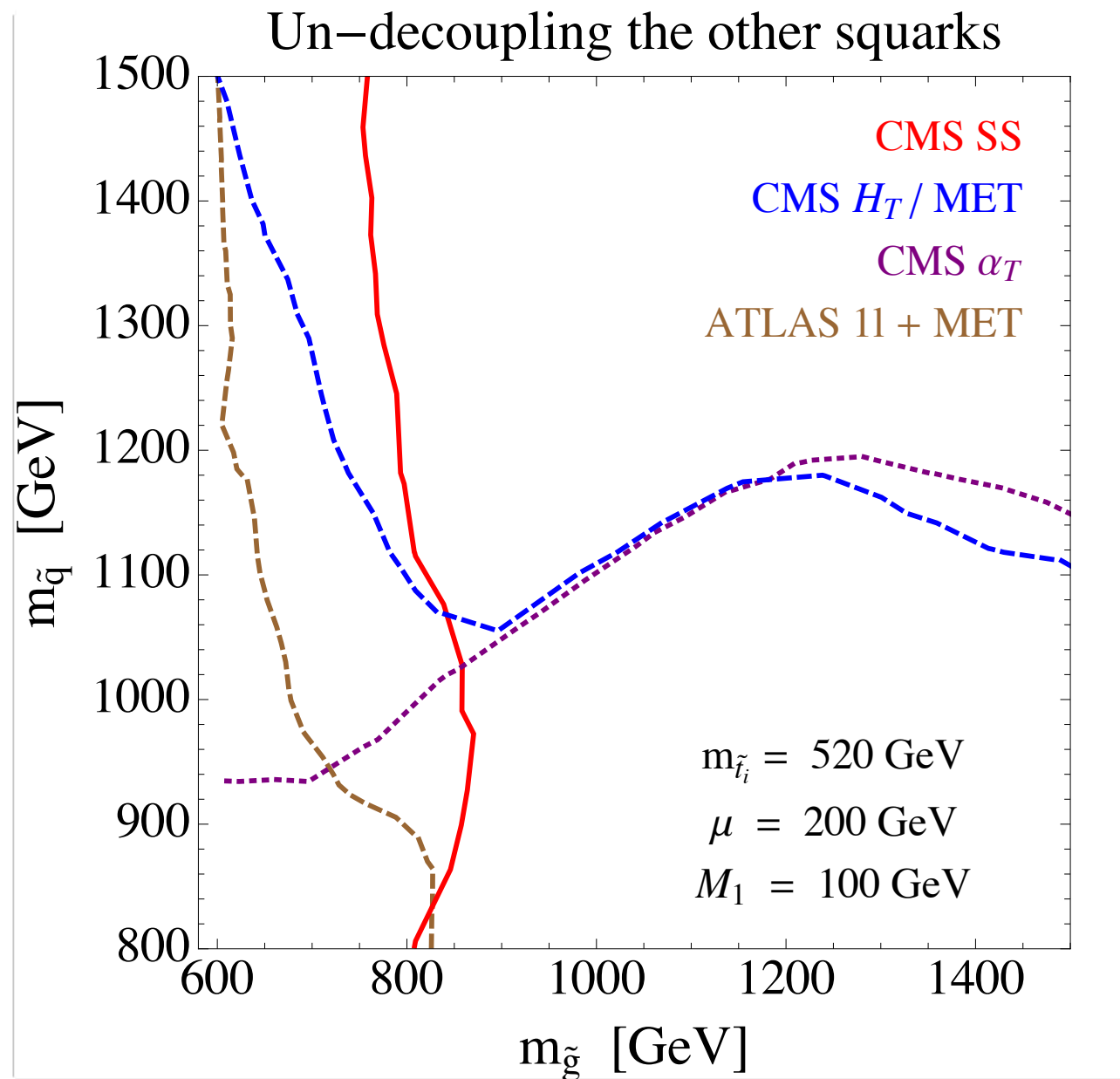
Bino LSP



Gluino bounded (again) by **jets+MET**, and **ll ν** searches

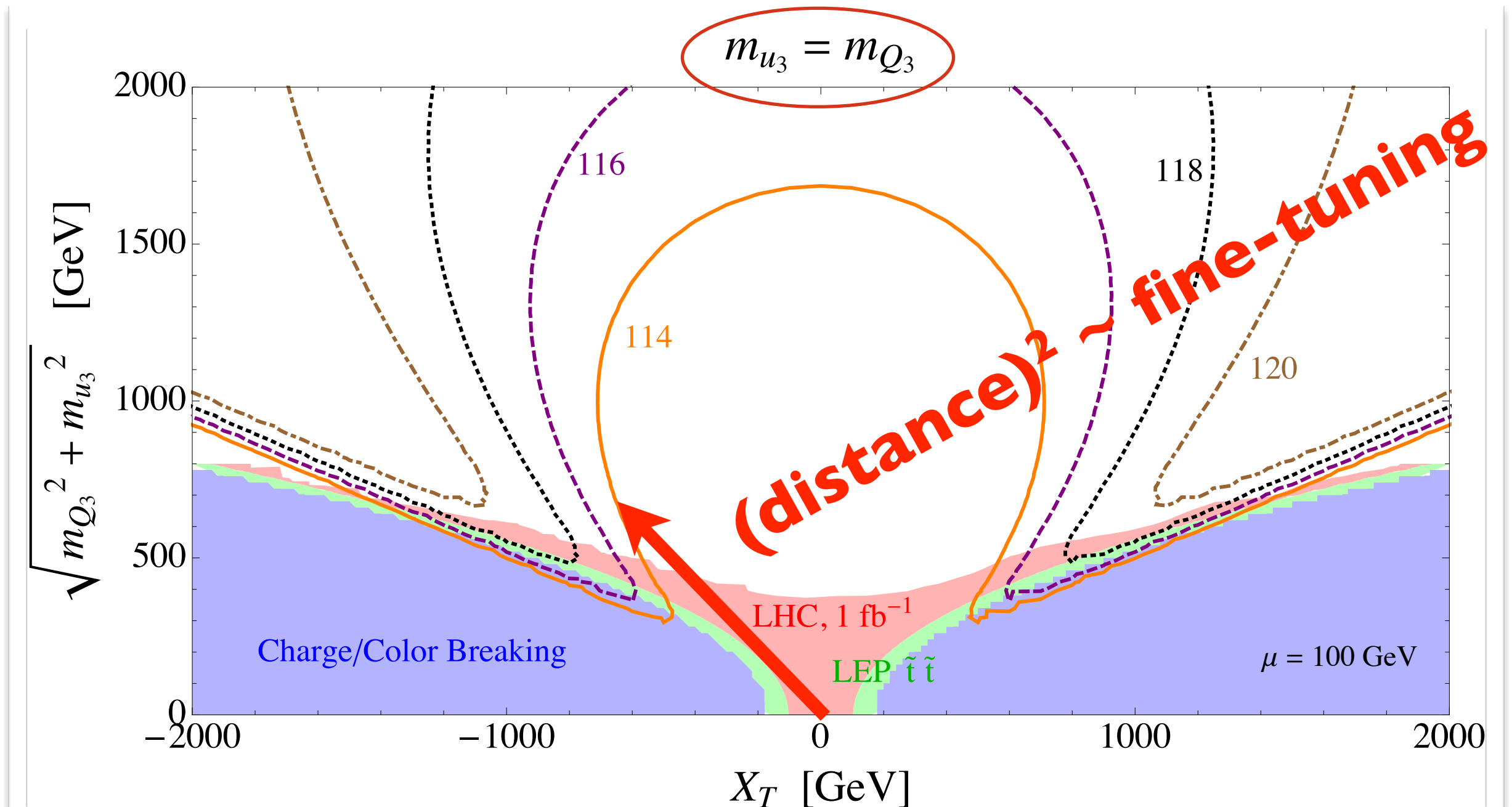
Gluino mostly bounded by **Same Sign** searches

Adding the squarks, too



- Bounds similar to the ATLAS/CMS plots (800GeV-1 TeV)
- Decoupling not effective until 1.2-1.4 TeV

MSSM higgs: LEP2 tuning vs. direct stop



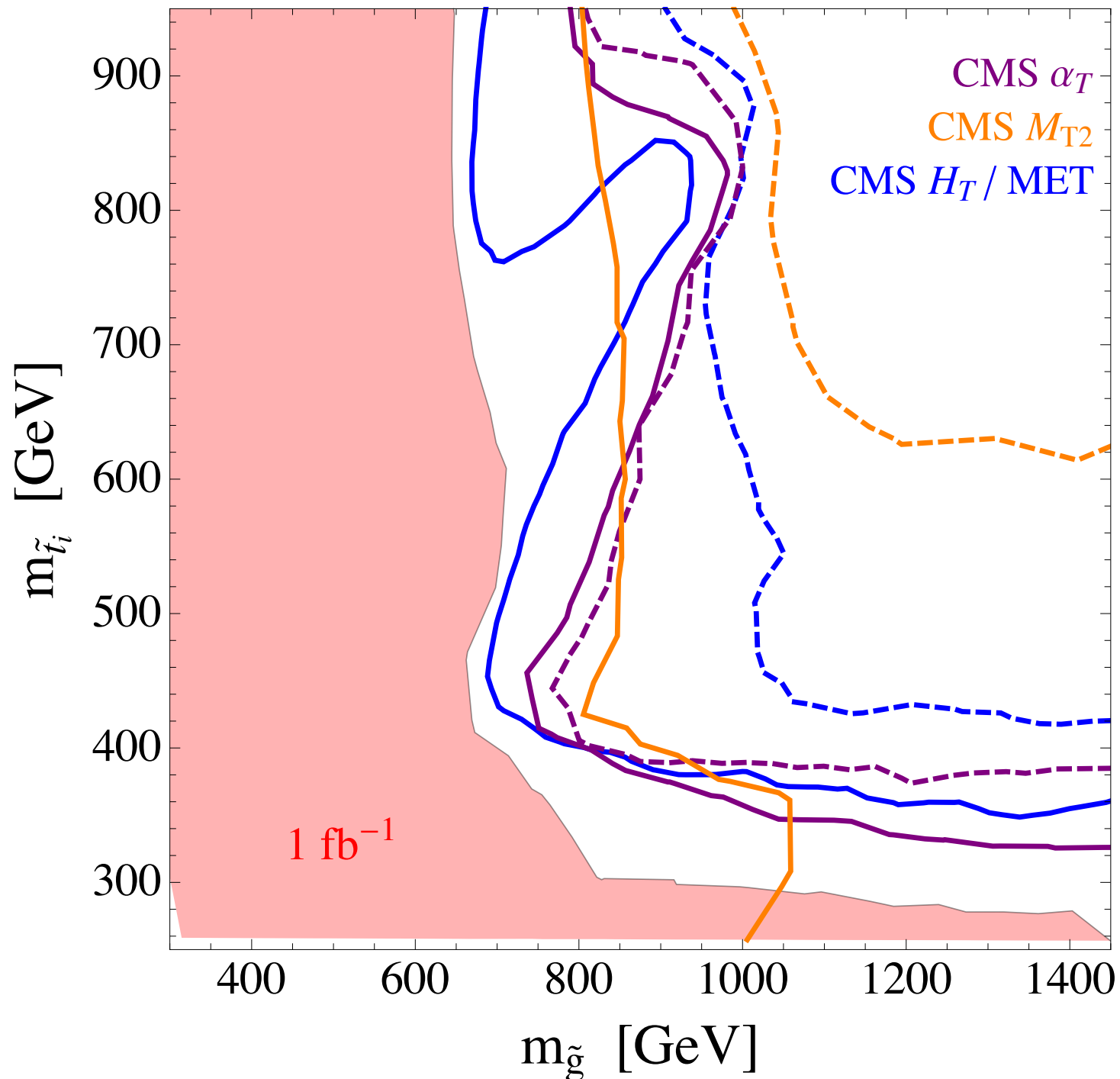
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Conclusions

- Non-degenerate 1st & 2nd generation squarks poorly constrained, surprises in data? Dedicated experimental study!
- Next frontier: **Heavy flavor themed naturalness, EW-inos**
- Natural SUSY not in trouble yet (and won't be before shutdown).
- Most interesting scenario least constrained: (split squarks) => most interesting for LHCb!

Projections?

Higgsino LSP w/ 10 fb^{-1}



dashed - perfect
bgd's

solid - statistics
improves, systematics
same fraction

* Large uncertainty
* Targeted searches
do likely better.

Les Houches recommendations

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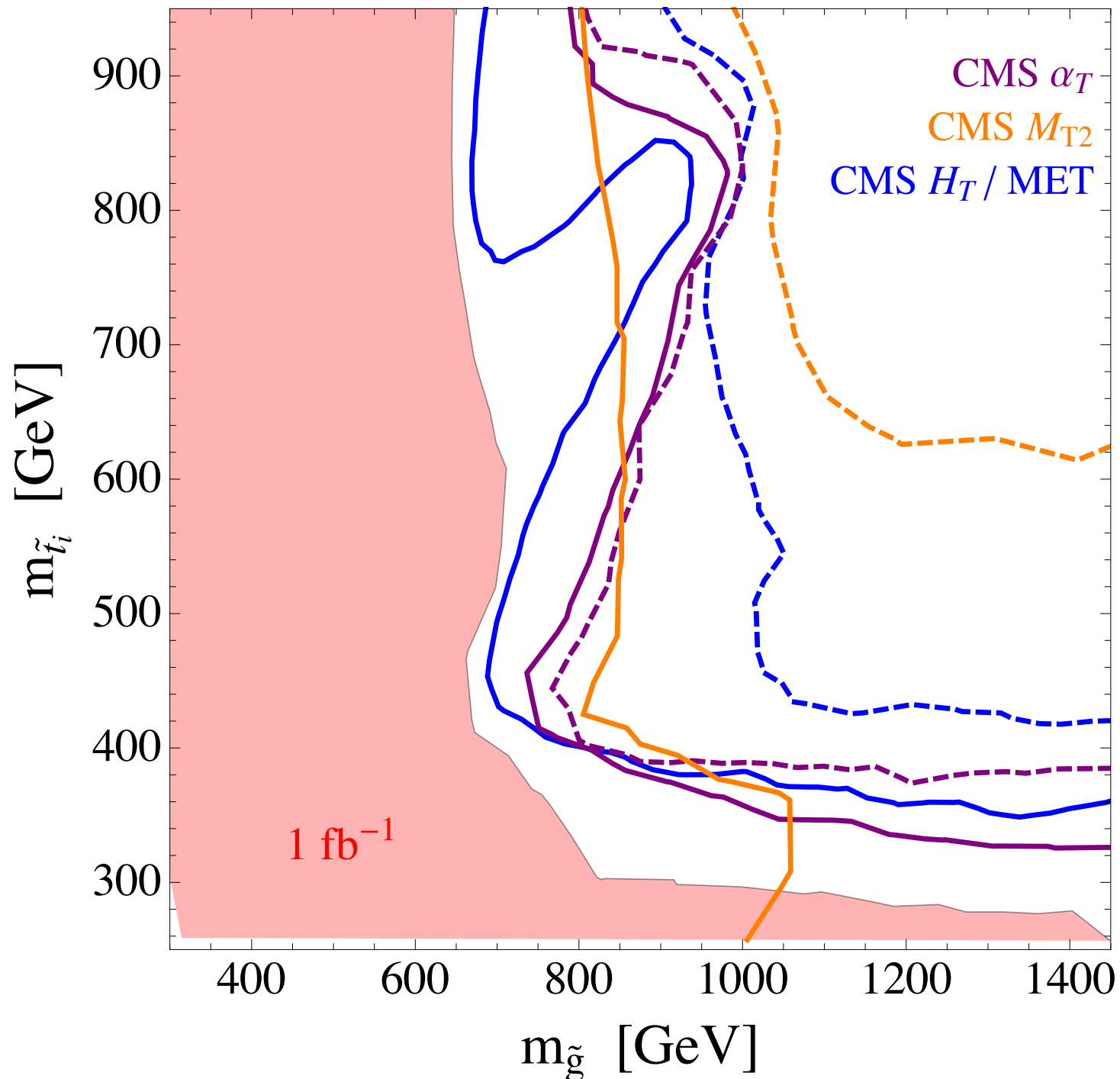
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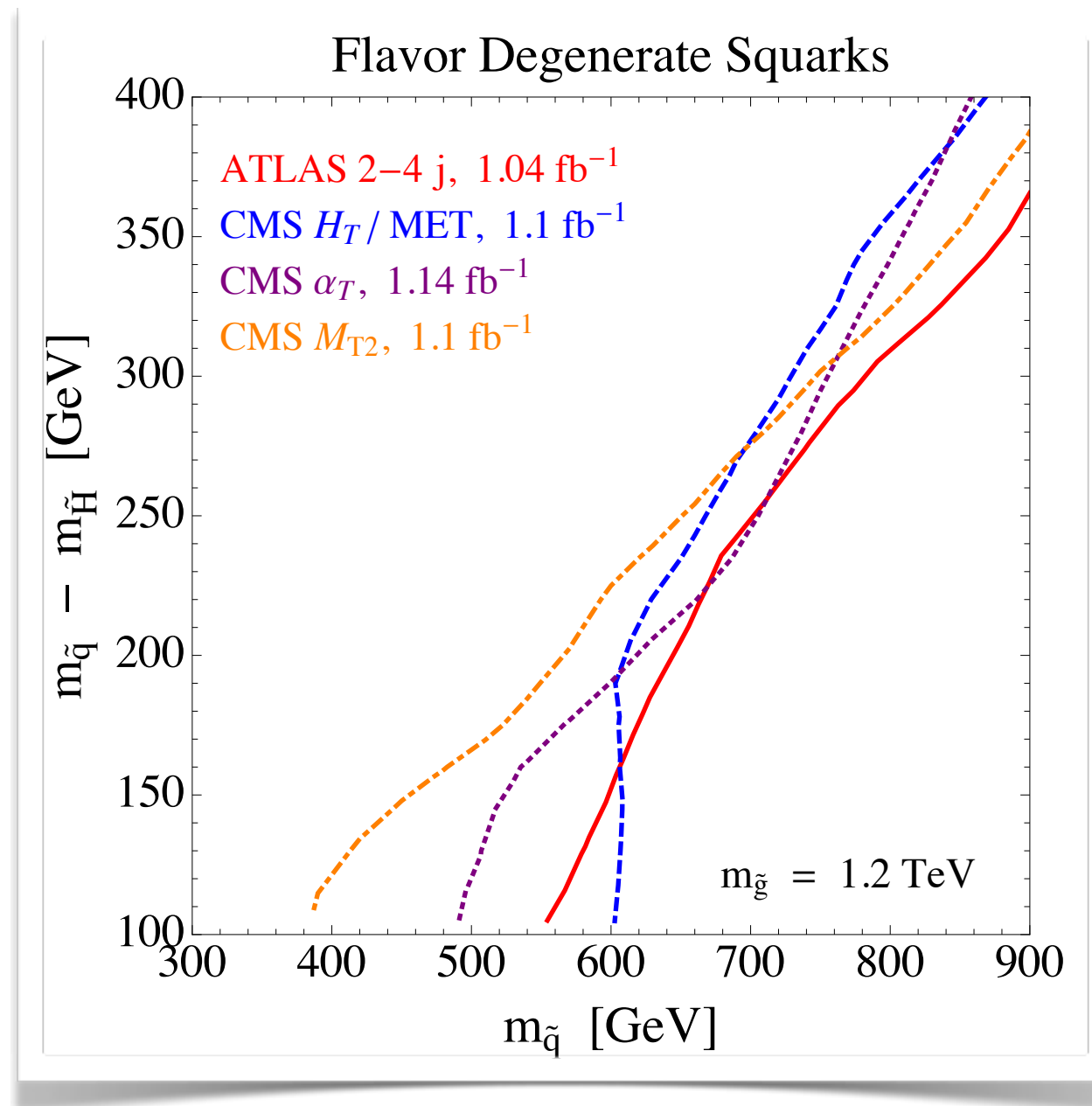


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(+ additional tuning due to squashing...)

