

# The 4D Composite Higgs Model at the LHC

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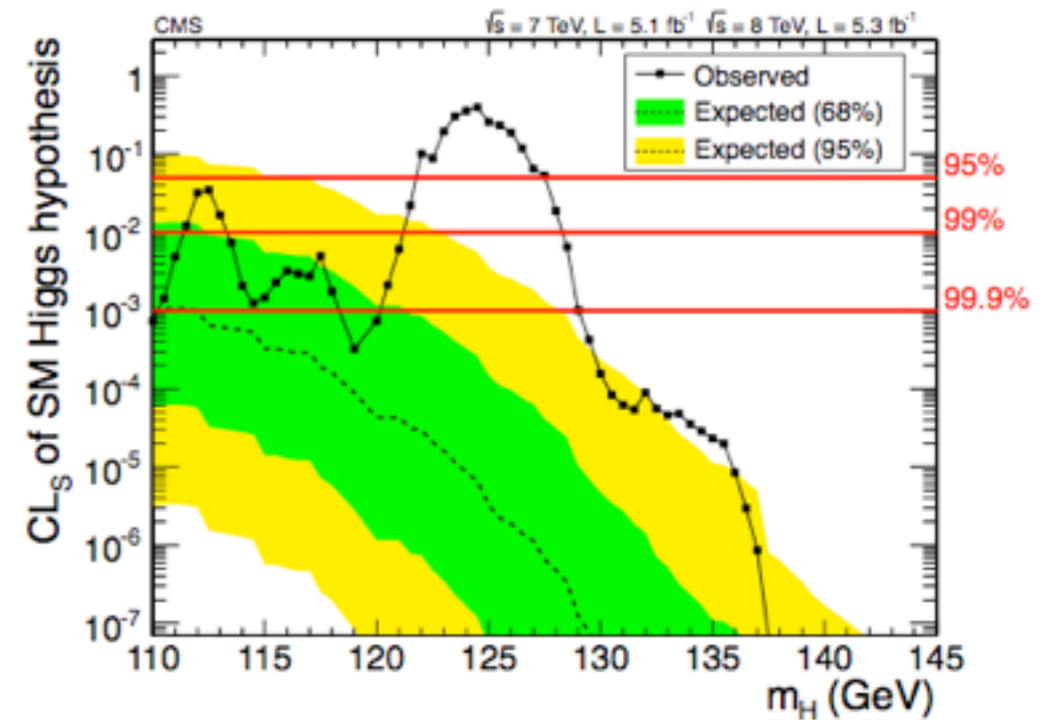
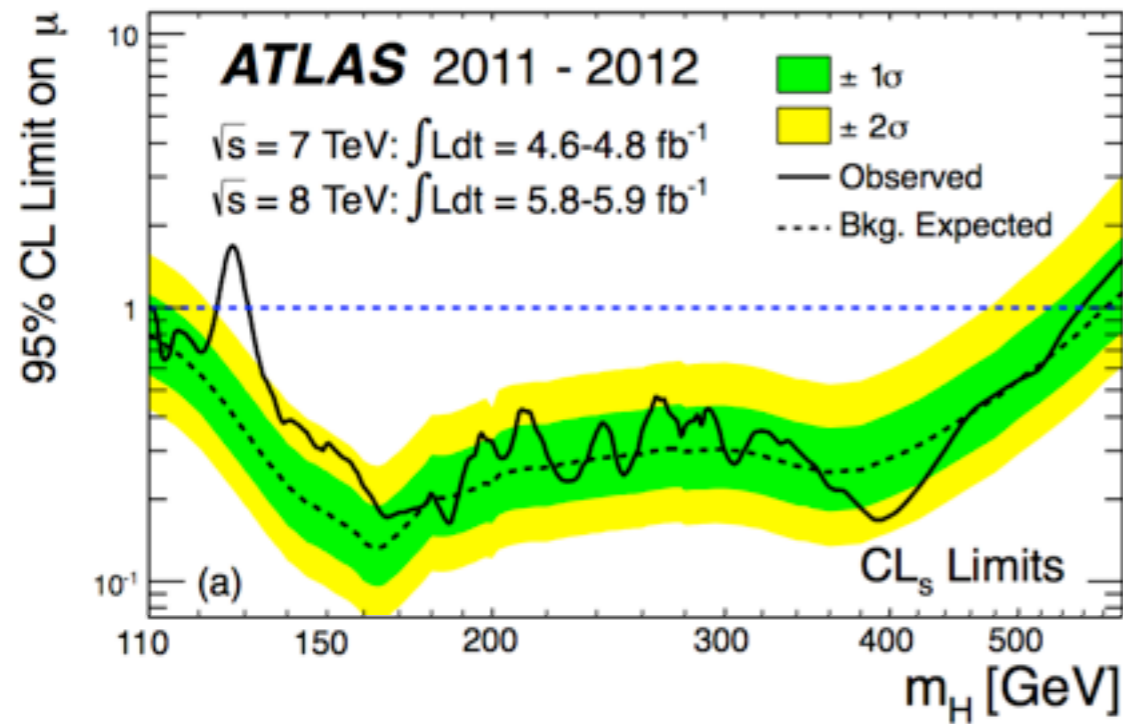
**Strongly interacting dynamics beyond the Standard Model and the Higgs boson**

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# Outline

- A 125 GeV Higgs-like signal observed at the LHC, is it the “fundamental” Standard Model Higgs ?
- From a theoretical point of view the SM is unsatisfactory. Explore BSM solutions to the hierarchy problem: Higgs as Nambu-Goldstone boson
- Minimal effective description: the 4-Dimensional Composite Higgs Model (4DCHM)
- Signatures at the LHC: scalar sector, extra resonances

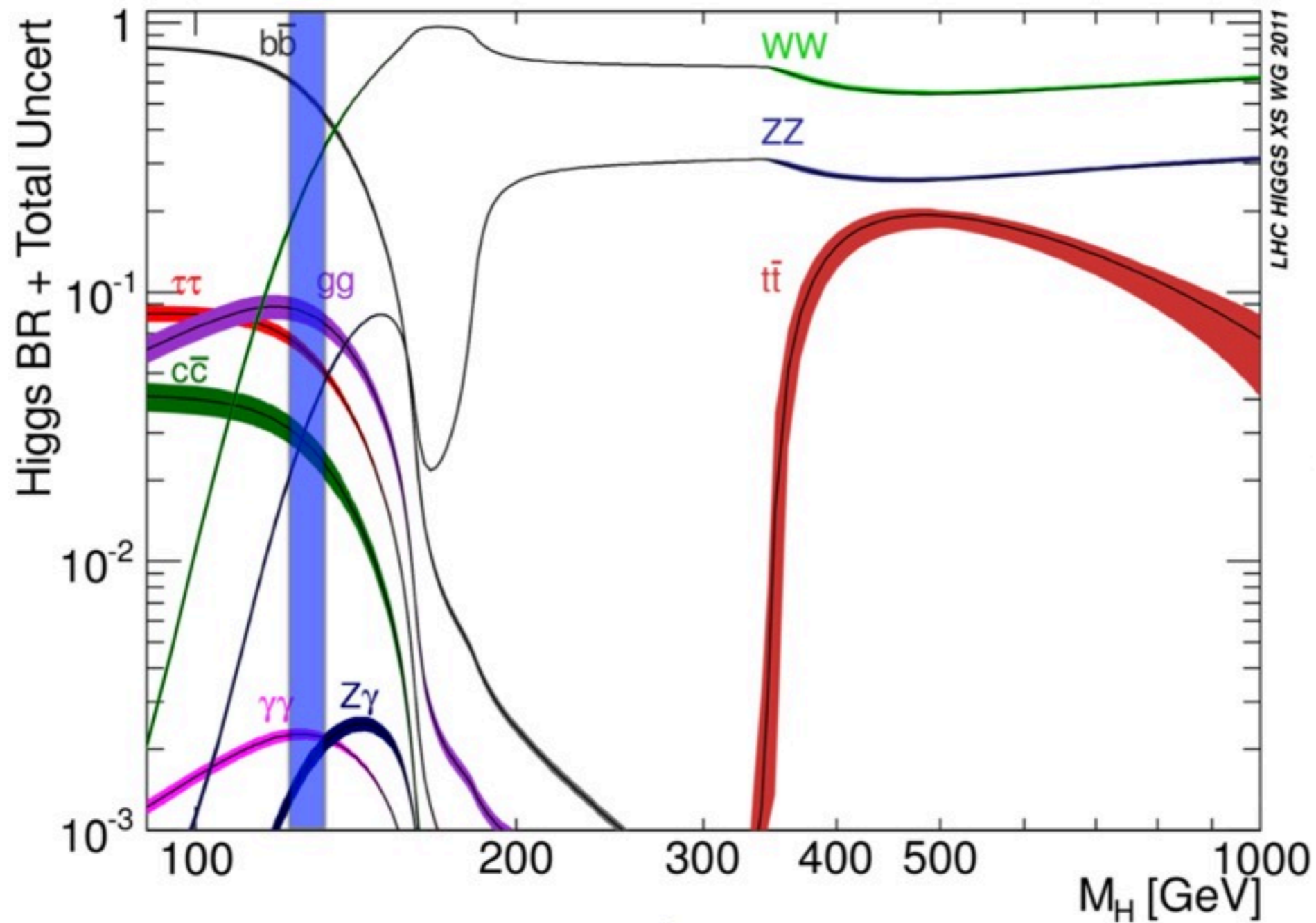
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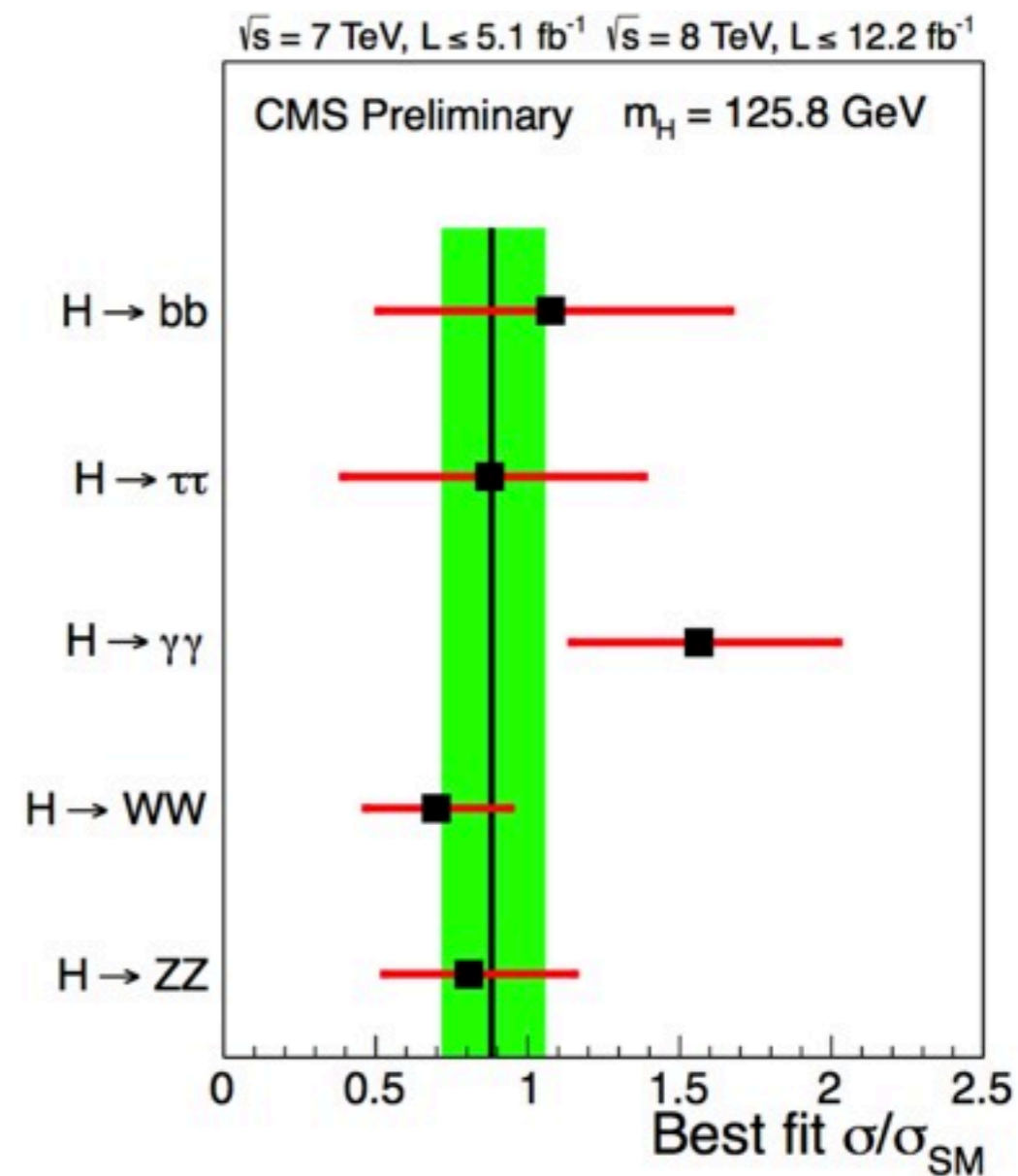
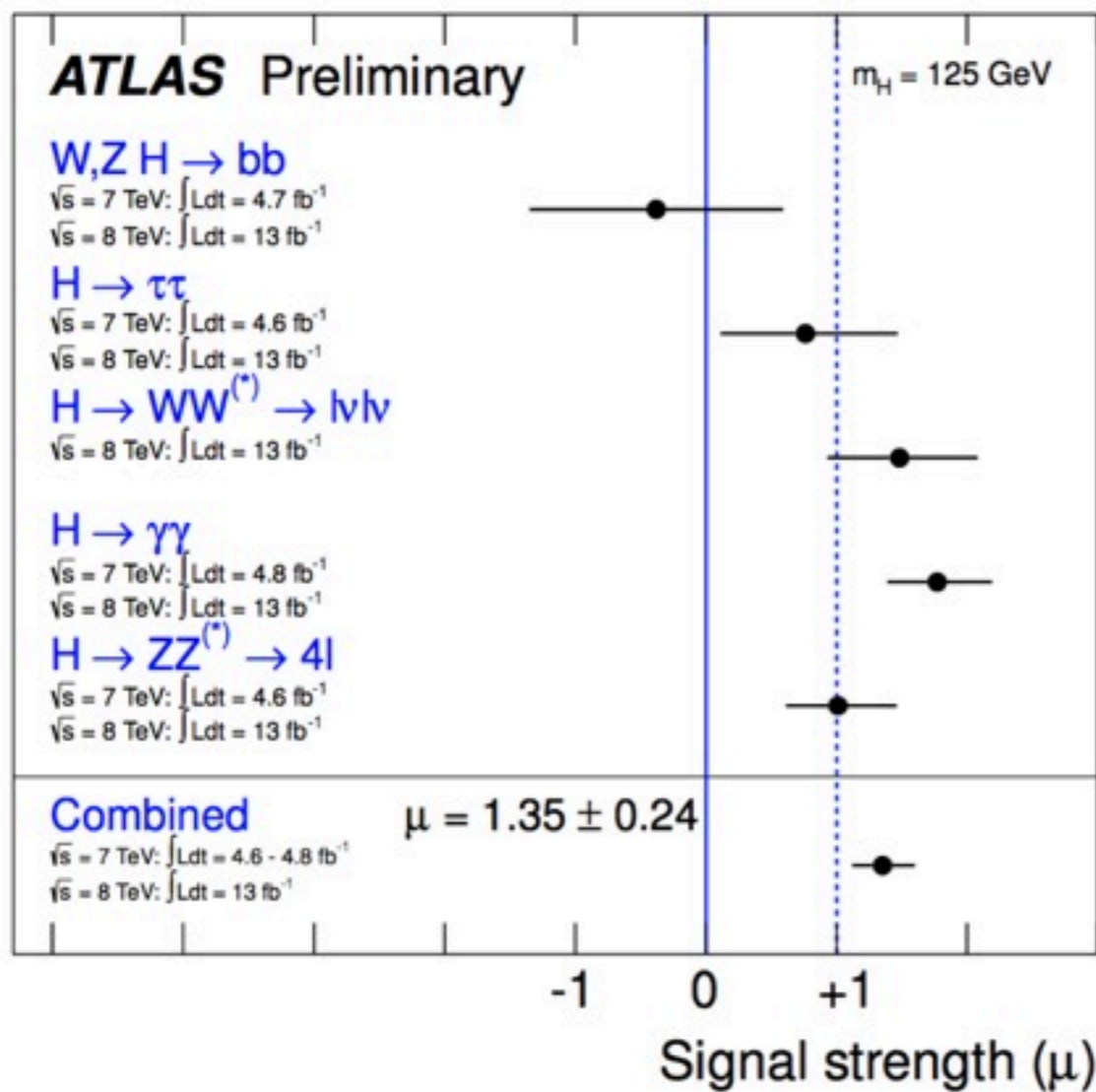
$$m_h \approx 125 \text{ GeV}$$

What is the nature of the Higgs particle?

# Standard Model Higgs Branching Ratios

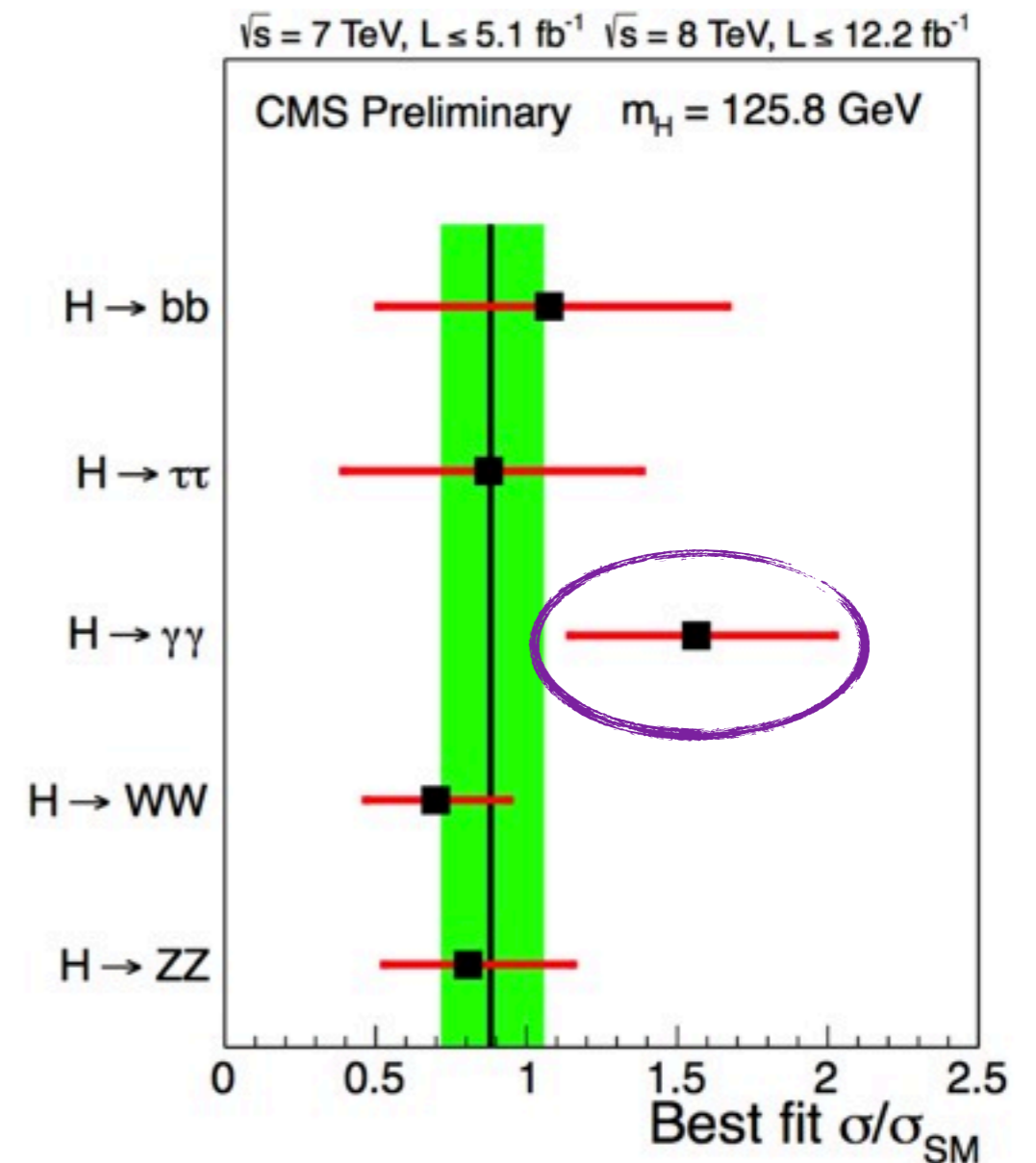
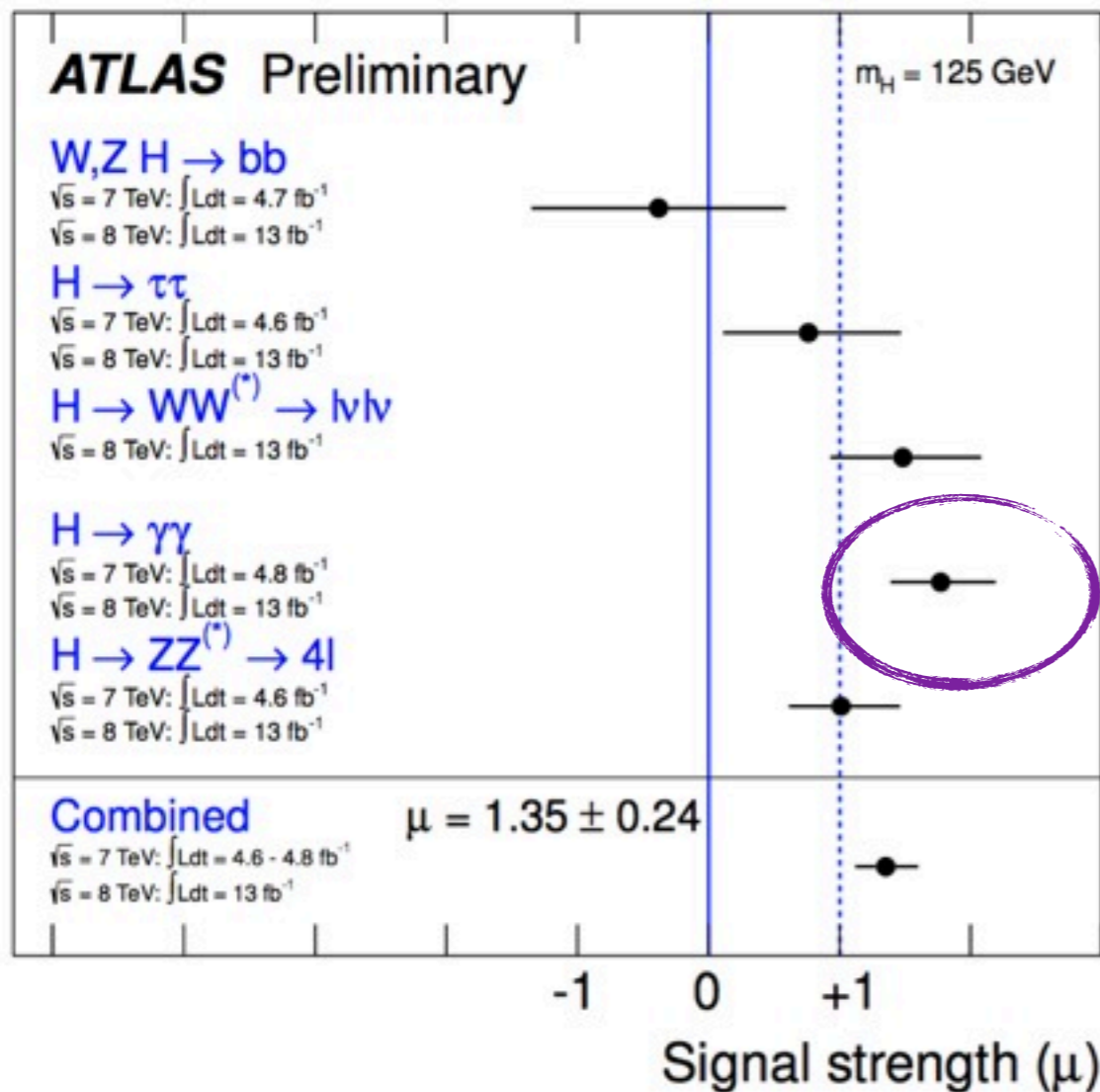


with a mass of 125 GeV many decay channels accessible



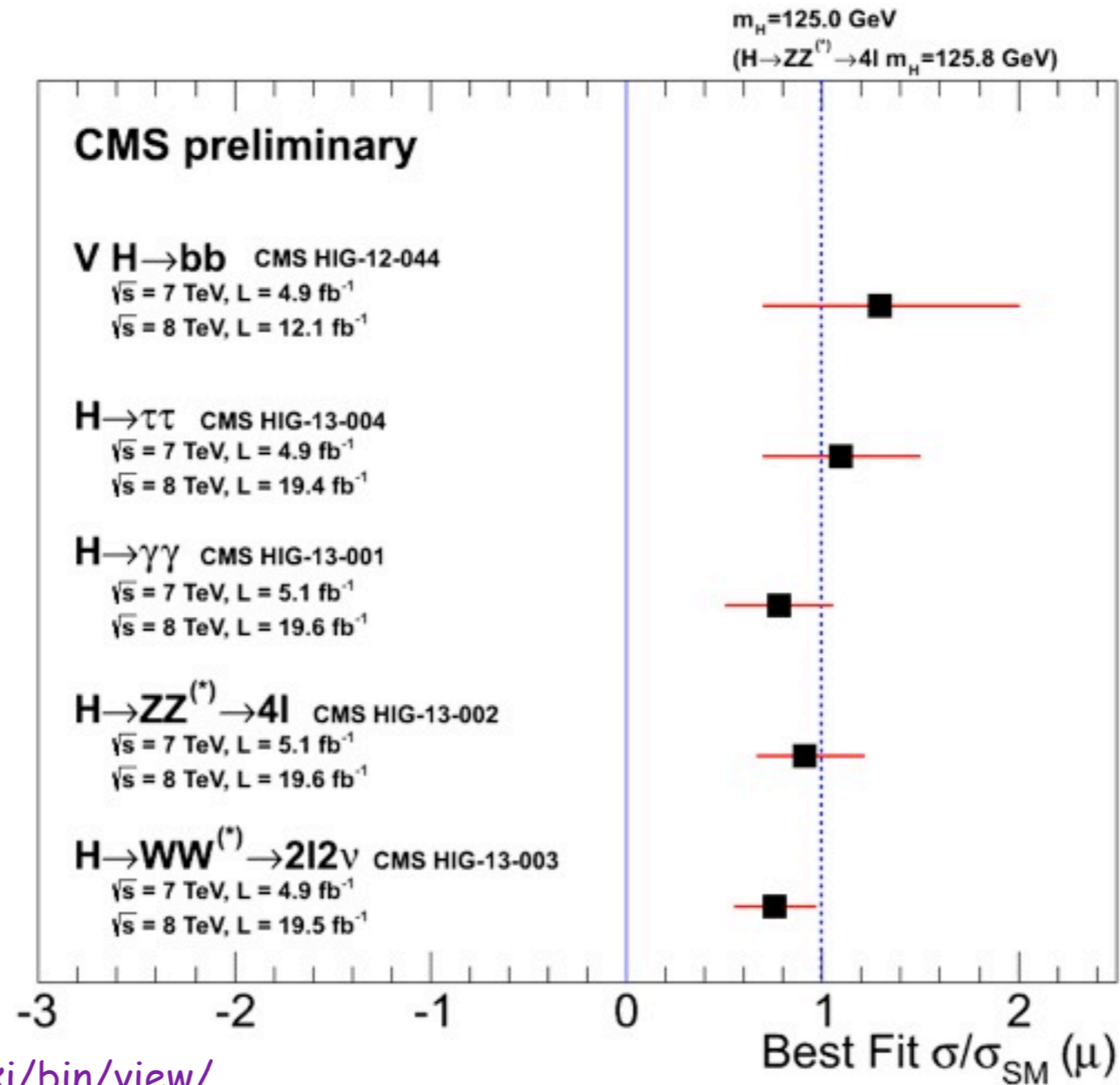
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Interesting news: there could be hints of inconsistency with the SM predictions, for example in the  $\gamma\gamma$  channel



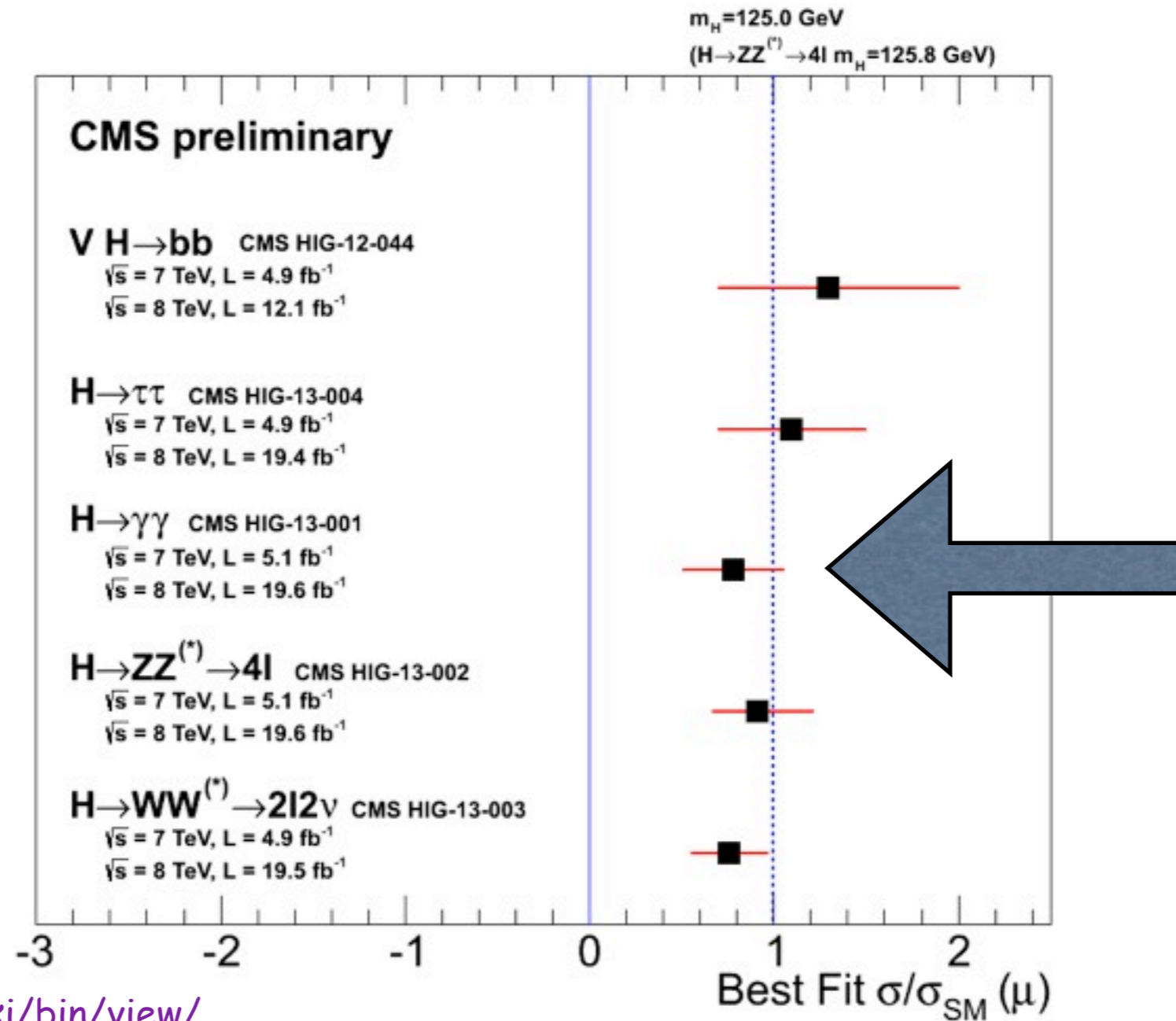
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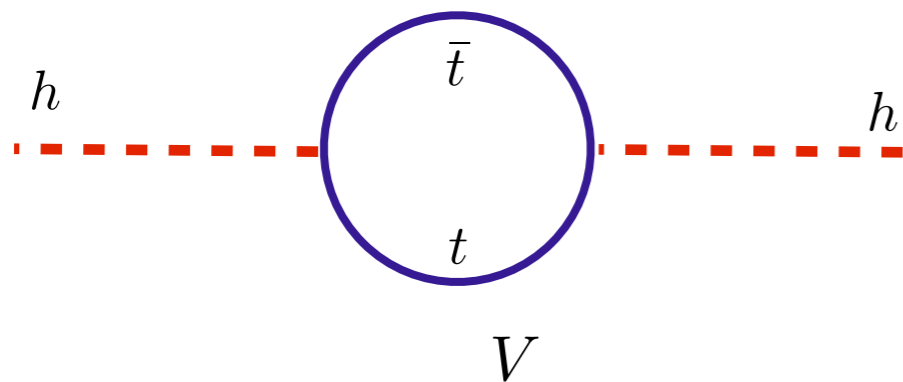
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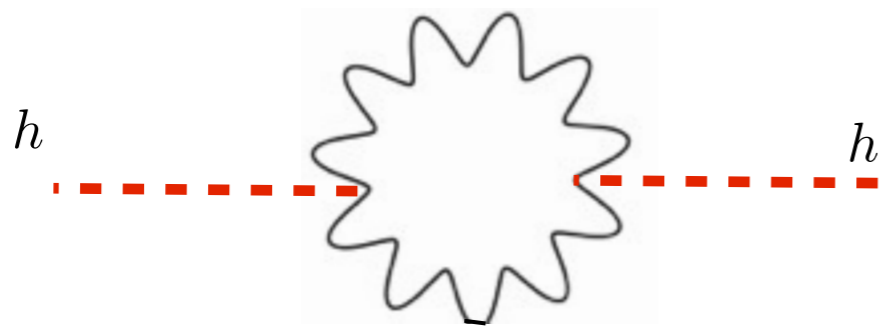
Even with the discovery of a Higgs-like particle we know that the SM cannot be the end of the story

## Hierarchy Problem

Perturbatively:



$$\delta m_h^2 = -\frac{3\lambda_t^2}{8\pi^2} \Lambda_t^2 \longrightarrow \Lambda_t \sim 3 m_h$$

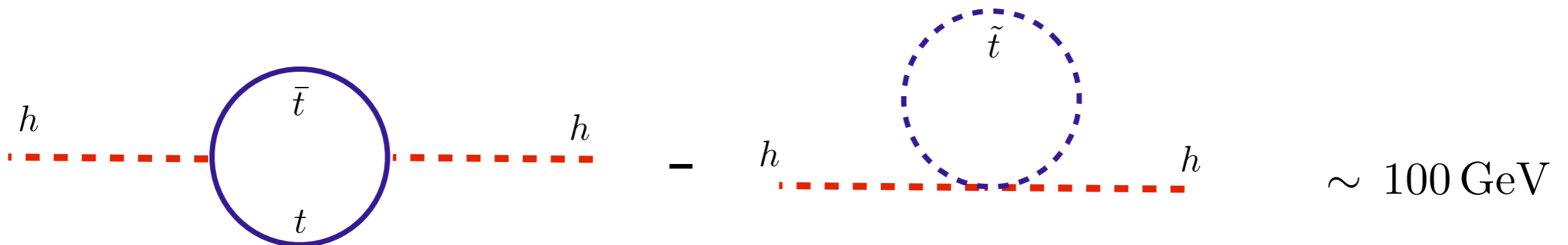


$$\delta m_h^2 = \frac{9g^2 + 3g'^2}{32\pi^2} \Lambda_g^2 \longrightarrow \Lambda_g \sim 9 m_h$$

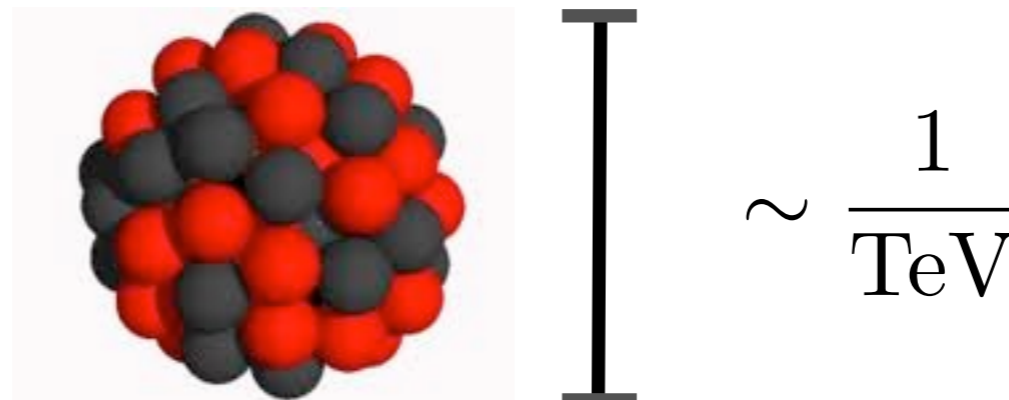
If the theory is natural new physics beyond SM must exist at the TEV scale.

## Two paradigms:

- Weak Coupling:  
Supersymmetry



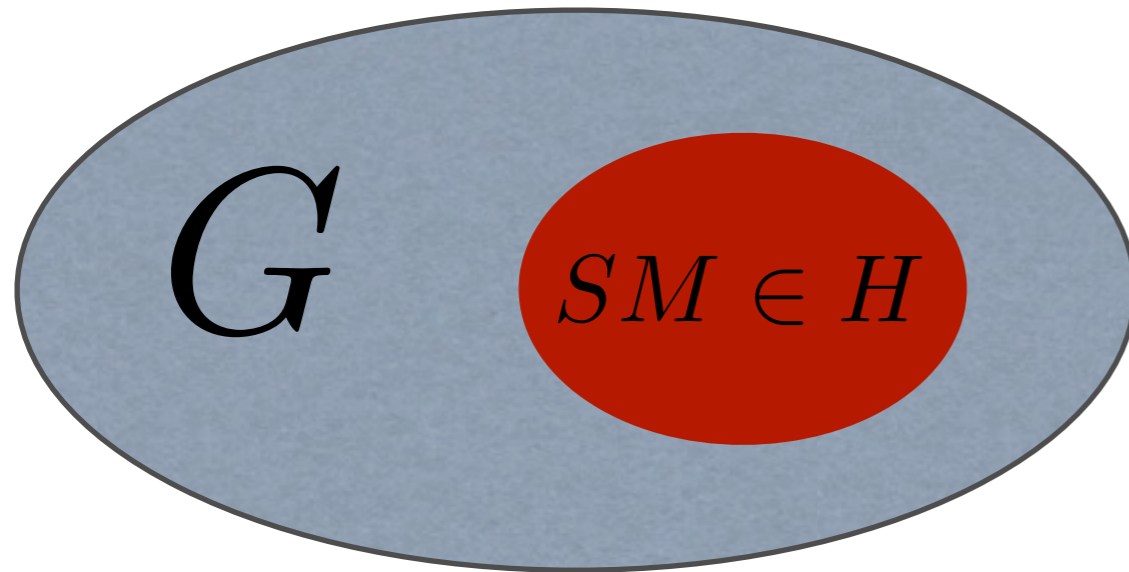
- Strong Coupling:  
Technicolor, Composite Higgs, Higgsless, Extra-dimensions ...



# HIGGS PNGB

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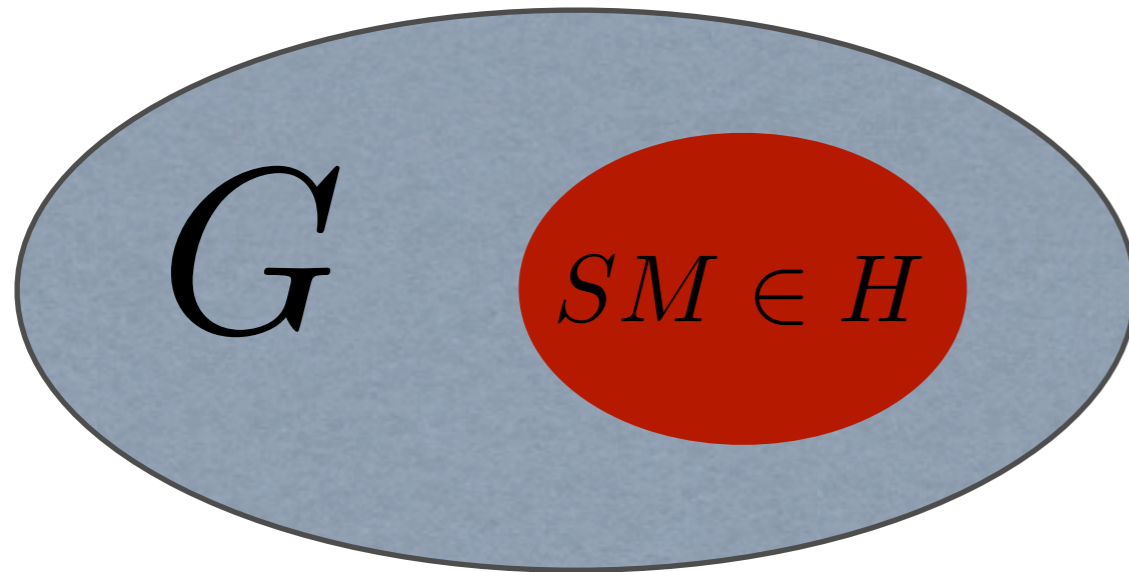


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Ex:

$$\frac{SO(5)}{SU(2)_L \otimes SU(2)_R} \longrightarrow GB = (2, 2)$$

Agashe, Contino, Pomarol (2004)

minimum number to be identified with the SM Higgs doublet

If the symmetry is exact the Higgs is massless

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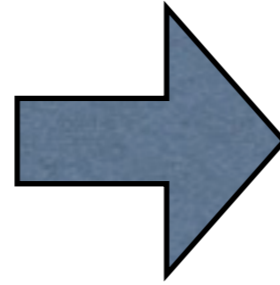
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Deviations from SM:  $\mathcal{O}\left(\frac{v^2}{f^2}\right)$   
TUNING  $\propto \frac{f^2}{v^2}$       Small Tuning  $\longrightarrow f < TeV$



Strong sector:  
resonances +  
Higgs bound state



Extra particle content:  
• Spin 1 resonances  
• Spin 1/2 resonances

Spectrum:



$$m_\rho = g_\rho f$$

} f

$g_\rho =$  strong coupling



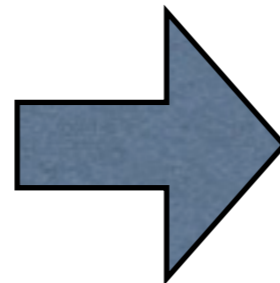
$$m_h = 125 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_W = 80 \text{ GeV}$$

$$0$$

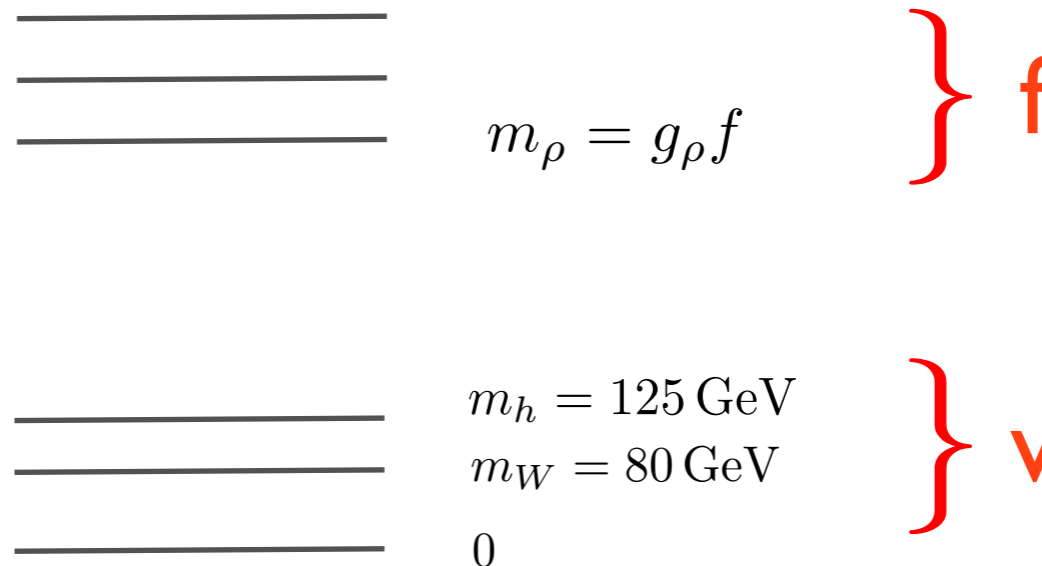
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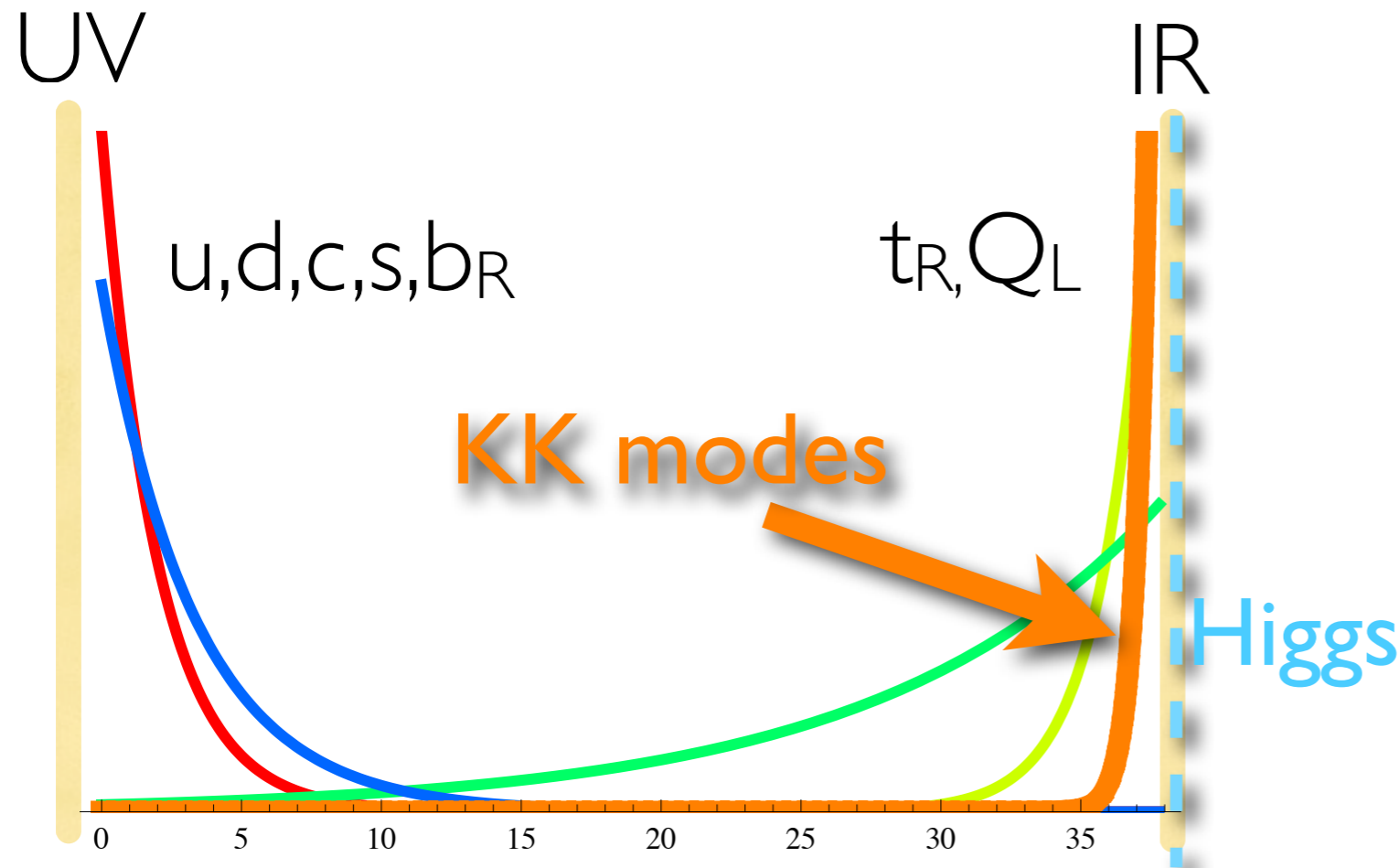
## Linear elementary-composite couplings (partial compositeness)

$$\Delta_R \bar{q}_R \mathcal{O}_L + \Delta_L \bar{q}_L \mathcal{O}_R + Y \bar{\mathcal{O}}_L H \mathcal{O}_R$$

$$y_{SM} = \epsilon_L \cdot Y \cdot \epsilon_R \quad \epsilon = \frac{\Delta}{m_Q}$$

SM hierarchies are generated by the mixings:  
light quarks elementary, top strongly composite

# MODELS



- 5D Models

Randall, Sundrum (1999)

$$ds^2 = e^{-2kry} (-dt^2 + dx^2) + dy^2$$

Simplest description of **Higgs as PNCB** with symmetry pattern  $SO(5) \rightarrow SO(4)$  is the MCHM5 by Agashe, Contino, Pomarol

Through AdS/CFT correspondence **5D models are dual to 4D strongly coupled theories.** Relevant physics dominated by the lowest modes

- 4D Models

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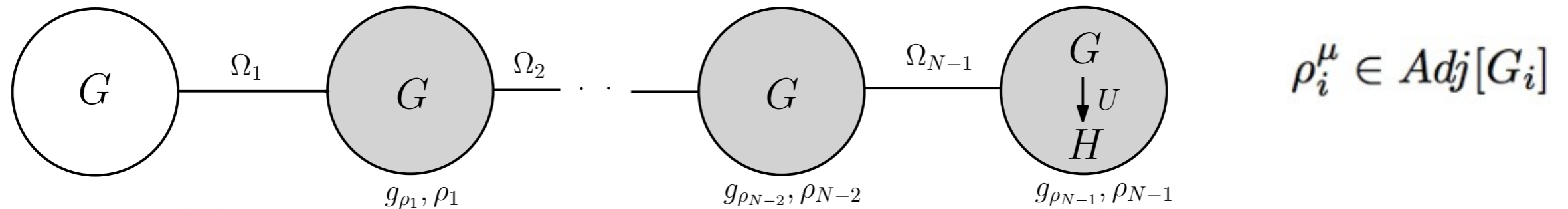
$G_L$  gauge fields,  
external sources for the  
composite sector

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**new spin-1 resonances**

$$\rho_\mu \in \text{Adj}[G]$$

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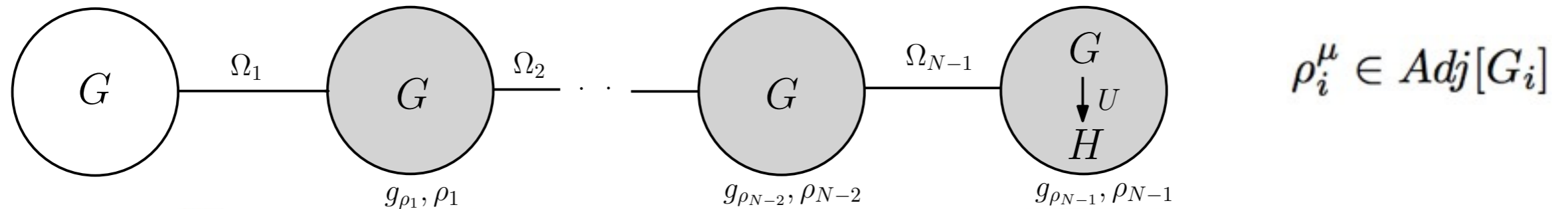


$$U' \equiv \left( \prod_{i=1}^N \Omega_i \right) U \quad \sum_{i=1}^{N+1} \frac{1}{f_i^2} = \frac{1}{f^2} \quad U'(\Pi) = e^{if(\sum_{i=1}^{N+1} \frac{1}{f_i^2})\Pi} = e^{i\Pi/f}$$

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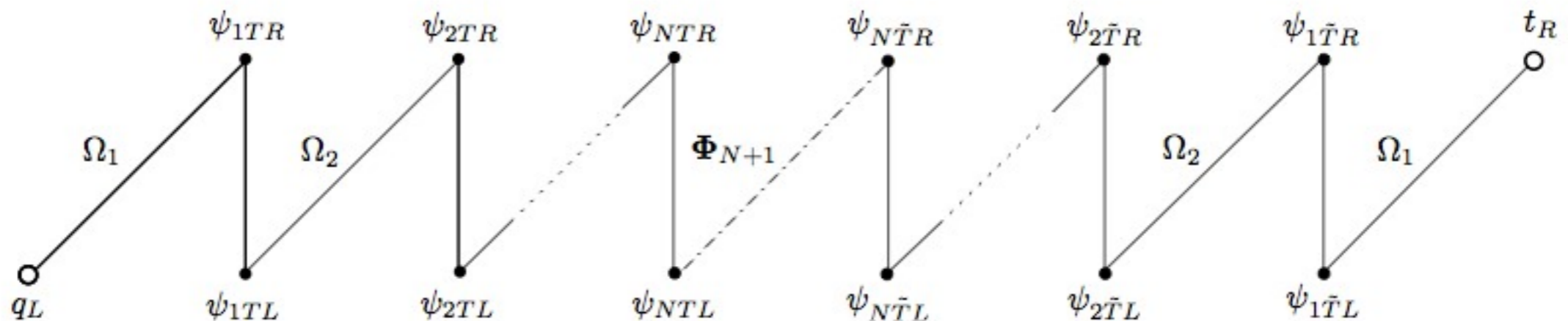
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Analogous construction for fermions, realizing partial compositeness

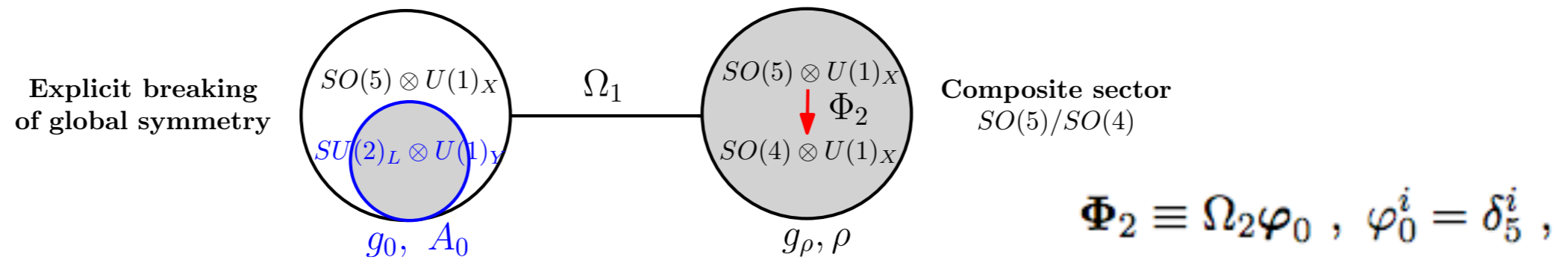


Two fermionic multiplets for each site (here only top)

**Elementary-composite states talk through linear couplings**

# Minimal SO(5)/SO(4) model in 4D

Redi, Tesi, DC, (2011)



Composite spin-1 Lagrangian:

$$\Omega_1 = \frac{SO(5)_L \times SO(5)_R}{SO(5)_{L+R}}$$

$$\Phi_2 = \frac{SO(5)}{SO(4)}$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{f_1^2}{4} \text{tr}[(D_\mu \Omega_1)^\dagger D^\mu \Omega_1] + \frac{f_2^2}{2} (D_\mu \Phi_2)^T (D^\mu \Phi_2) - \frac{1}{4g_\rho^2} \text{tr}[\rho^{\mu\nu} \rho_{\mu\nu}]$$

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$$D_\mu \Phi_2 = \partial_\mu \Phi_2 - i\rho_\mu \Phi_2.$$

$$\Omega_i = e^{i \frac{f}{f_i^2} \Pi}$$

$$\Pi = \sqrt{2} h^{\hat{a}} T^{\hat{a}}$$

spin-1 resonances = gauge fields of  $SO(5) \times U(1)$

Composite gauge boson spectrum (5 neutral  $Z'$  + 3 charged  $W'$ ):

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Physical parameters:

$$\frac{1}{g^2} = \frac{1}{g_0^2} + \frac{1}{g_\rho^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{g'^2} = \frac{1}{g_{0Y}^2} + \frac{1}{g_\rho^2} + \frac{1}{g_{\rho_X}^2}$$

Mixing elementary-composite

$$m_{\rho_{aL}} = \frac{m_\rho}{\cos \theta_L}, \quad \tan \theta_L = \frac{g_0}{g_\rho}$$

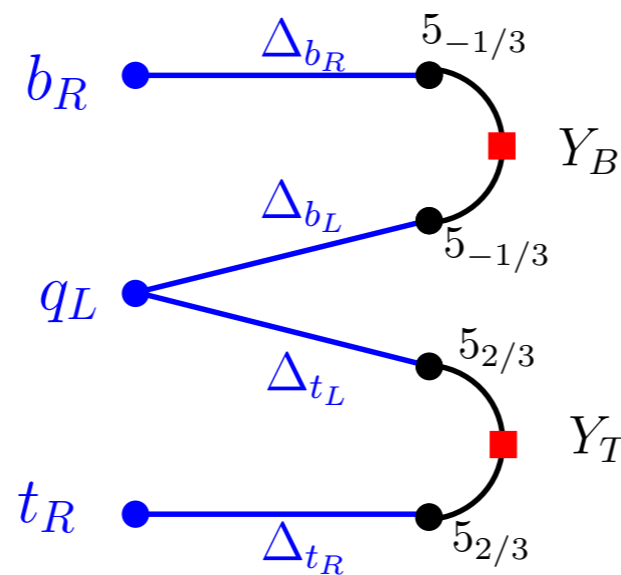
Each SM fermion couples to Dirac fermion in a rep of SO(5)

Partial compositeness only with the quark 3rd generation

Light generations are elementary, t&b partially composite

**4DCHM:** four extra fermions in  $\underline{5}$  reps of SO(5) -- **minimum for effective potential UV finite**

Explicit breaking  
of global symmetry



Composite sector  
 $SO(5)/SO(4)$

Extra fermions:

- 8  $t'$ , 8  $b'$   $Q_{em} = 2/3, -1/3$
- 2  $\tilde{T}$ , 2  $\tilde{B}$   $Q_{em} = 5/3, -4/3$

$$\mathcal{L}_{4DCHM} = \mathcal{L}_{fermions}^{el}$$

$$+ \Delta_{t_L} \bar{q}_L^{el} \Omega_1 \Psi_T + \Delta_{t_R} \bar{t}_R^{el} \Omega_1 \Psi_{\tilde{T}} + h.c.$$

$$+ \bar{\Psi}_T (i \not{D}^\rho - m_T) \Psi_T + \bar{\Psi}_{\tilde{T}} (i \not{D}^\rho - m_{\tilde{T}}) \Psi_{\tilde{T}}$$

$$- Y_T \bar{\Psi}_{T,L} \Phi_2^T \Phi_2 \Psi_{\tilde{T},R} - m_{Y_T} \bar{\Psi}_{T,L} \Psi_{\tilde{T},R} + h.c.$$

$$+ (T \rightarrow B)$$

Explicit SO(5) breaking

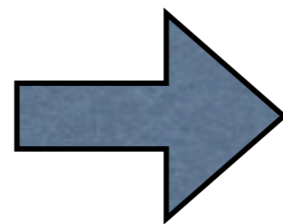
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$\Delta_{t_{L,R}}, \Delta_{b_{L,R}}, g_0, g_{0Y}$  break NGB symmetry

Low energy effective action in terms of **form factors** by integrating out the heavy states

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}}^{\text{gauge}} = \frac{1}{2} P_{\mu\nu}^T \left[ \left( \Pi_0(p^2) + \frac{s_h^2}{4} \Pi_1(p^2) \right) A_{aL}^\mu A_{aL}^\nu + \left( \Pi_Y(p^2) + \frac{s_h^2}{4} \Pi_1(p^2) \right) Y^\mu Y^\nu + 2s_h^2 \Pi_1(p^2) \hat{H}^\dagger T_L^a Y \hat{H} A_\mu^{aL} Y_\nu \right]$$

from  $m_W^2$  and  $\Pi_1(0) = f^2$



$$v^2 = f^2 \sin^2 \frac{\langle h \rangle}{f}$$

GB's described by  $\Omega_1 \Omega_2 \varphi_0 = e^{i\Pi/f} \varphi_0 = \frac{1}{h} \sin \frac{h}{f} \left( h_1, h_2, h_3, h_4, h \cot \frac{h}{f} \right)$

$$s_h = \sin \frac{h}{f} \quad H = \begin{pmatrix} h_2 + ih_1 \\ h_4 - ih_3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \hat{H} = \frac{1}{h} \begin{pmatrix} h_2 + ih_1 \\ h_4 - ih_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

analogously with fermions (here only top):

Contino, Da Rold, Pomarol (2006)

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from which we derive:

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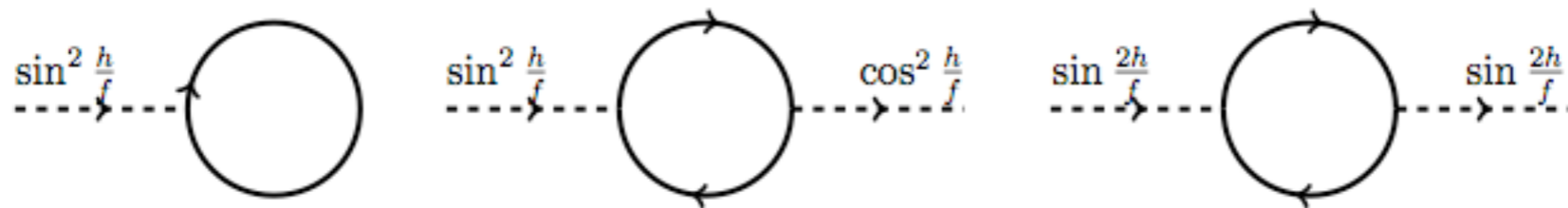
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## Coleman-Weinberg effective potential generated at 1-loop

$$V(h)_{\text{gauge}} = \frac{9}{2} \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \ln \left[ 1 + \frac{1}{4} \frac{\Pi_1(p^2)}{\Pi_0(p^2)} \sin^2 \frac{h}{f} \right] \approx \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \frac{9\Pi_1}{8\Pi_0} \sin^2 \frac{h}{f}$$

$$V(h)_{\text{fermions}} \approx -N_c \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \left[ \frac{\Pi_1^{q1}}{\Pi_0^q} + \frac{\Pi_1^u}{\Pi_0^u} \right] \sin^2 \frac{h}{f} + N_c \int \frac{d^4 p}{(2\pi)^4} \left[ \frac{(M_1^u)^2}{p^2 \Pi_0^q \Pi_0^u} \right] \sin^2 \frac{h}{f} \cos^2 \frac{h}{f}$$



$$V(h) \approx \alpha s_h^2 - \beta s_h^2 c_h^2 \longrightarrow \text{UV finite in the 4DCHM}$$

$$\text{EWSB} \longrightarrow \langle s_h \rangle = \frac{v}{f} = \sqrt{\frac{\beta - \alpha}{2\beta}} \neq 0$$

$$m_H^2 \simeq \frac{8\beta v^2}{f^4} \sim y_t m_T \frac{v}{f}$$

top Yukawa coupling  $\swarrow$   
 lightest extra-fermion  $\nearrow$

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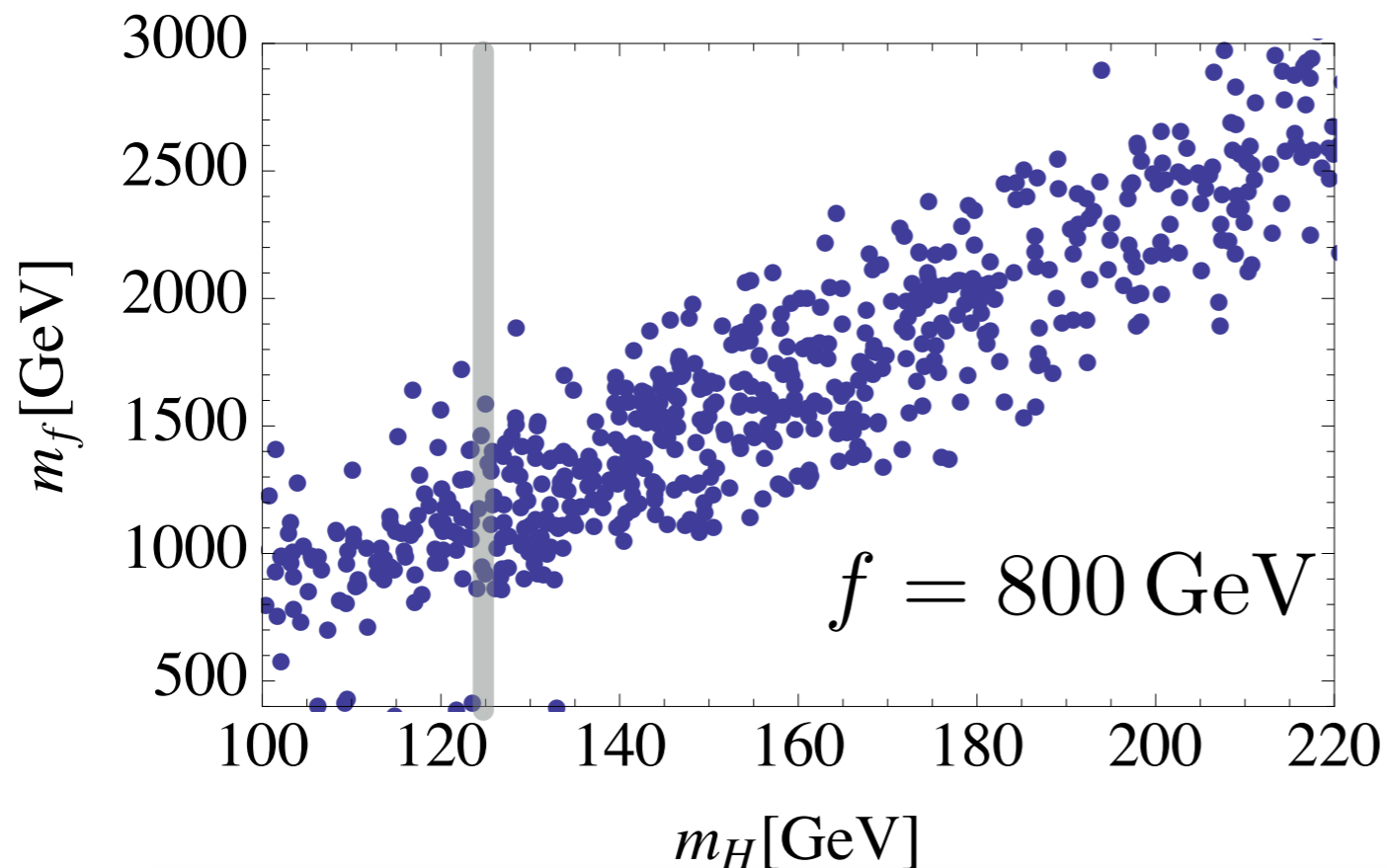
top Yukawa coupling

$$m_H^2 \simeq \frac{8\beta v^2}{f^4} \sim y_t m_T \frac{v}{f}$$

lightest extra-fermion

## • 4DCHM

General scan: Redi, Tesi, DC (2011)  
Redi, Tesi (2012)



Tuning

$$\Delta \sim \frac{f^2}{v^2} \sim 10$$

Panico, Redi, Tesi, Wulzer (2012)

New fermions should be seen in the near future!

# SIGNATURES

# Implementation of the 4DCHM

- Calculable 4D description: good framework to study general CHM features
- LHC will at best produce the lightest resonances  $\longrightarrow$  4DCHM is a simplified model useful for LHC signatures
- The particle spectrum is quite large and also the number of parameters

Leptons:  $e, \mu, \tau, \nu_e, \nu_\mu, \nu_\tau$

Quarks:  $u, d, c, s, t, b$

Gauge Bosons:  $\gamma, Z^0, W^\pm$

Higgs Boson:  $H$

Gluons:  $g$

Quarks:  $T_{1,8}, B_{1,8}, \tilde{T}_{1,2}, \tilde{B}_{1,2}$

Gauge Bosons:  $Z'_{1,5}, W'_{1,3}$

Gauge parameters:  $f, g_*$

Fermionic parameters:  $m_*, \Delta_{t_L}, \Delta_{t_R}, \Delta_{b_L}, \Delta_{b_R}, Y_B, Y_T, m_{Y_T}, m_{Y_B}$

- We have taken  $g_\rho = g_{\rho X} = g_*, m_T = m_{\tilde{T}} = m_*$

## 4DCHM implemented in numerical tools

- Scan over model parameters with Mathematica program constrained by  $\alpha, M_Z, G_F, Z_{b\bar{b}}$  coupling, and by top, bottom, Higgs masses:

$$165 < m_t(\text{GeV}) < 175, \quad 2 < m_b(\text{GeV}) < 6, \quad 124 < m_H(\text{GeV}) < 126$$

output automatically read by LanHEP/CalcHEP

- LanHEP and CalcHEP: Packages for automatic generation of Feynman rules and for calculation of physical observables ([Semenov 1005.1909](#), [Belyaev et al 1207.6082](#))
  - Fermion parameter range for the scan:
    - $500 \text{ GeV} \leq m_*, \Delta_{t_L}, \Delta_{t_R}, Y_T, m_{Y_T}, Y_B, m_{Y_B} \leq 5000 \text{ GeV}$
    - $50 \text{ GeV} \leq \Delta_{b_L}, \Delta_{b_R} \leq 500 \text{ GeV}$  (partial compositeness spirit)
- Benchmark points:  $750 < f(\text{GeV}) < 1200$  and choosing  $g_*$  to get  
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- **Limits on the mass of the exotic  $\tilde{T}_1$**  are also enforced (ATLAS-CONF-2012.130)  
Notice that in the 4DCHM there are regions where the  $\tilde{T}_1$  is not the lightest heavy fermion  
( $\tilde{T}_1 = T_{5/3}$ )



# The 4DCHM and the 125 GeV Higgs-like signals at the LHC

- Higgs couplings to SM states are modified due to mixing
- For production and decay channels exploited in the LHC searches **heavy bosonic and fermionic states can play a role via loops**
- In the literature use effective schemes to study the **residual effect of the (decoupled) composite sector** on the SM one. NGB symmetry protects the couplings. **No large deviations expected**

The 4DCHM is a completely calculable framework. Let's use it to test the PNGB hypothesis against the experimental data

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$Y'Y'$  denote incoming particles for the Higgs production

- cast  $R$  s in terms of  $\kappa$  s

$$R_{YY}^{Y'Y'} = \frac{\kappa_{Y'}^2 \kappa_Y^2}{\kappa_H^2}$$

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take  $Y'Y' = gg$

for  $YY = b\bar{b}$

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- introduce reduced couplings

LHC HXSWG, 1209.0040

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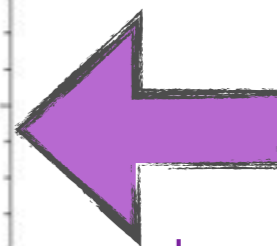
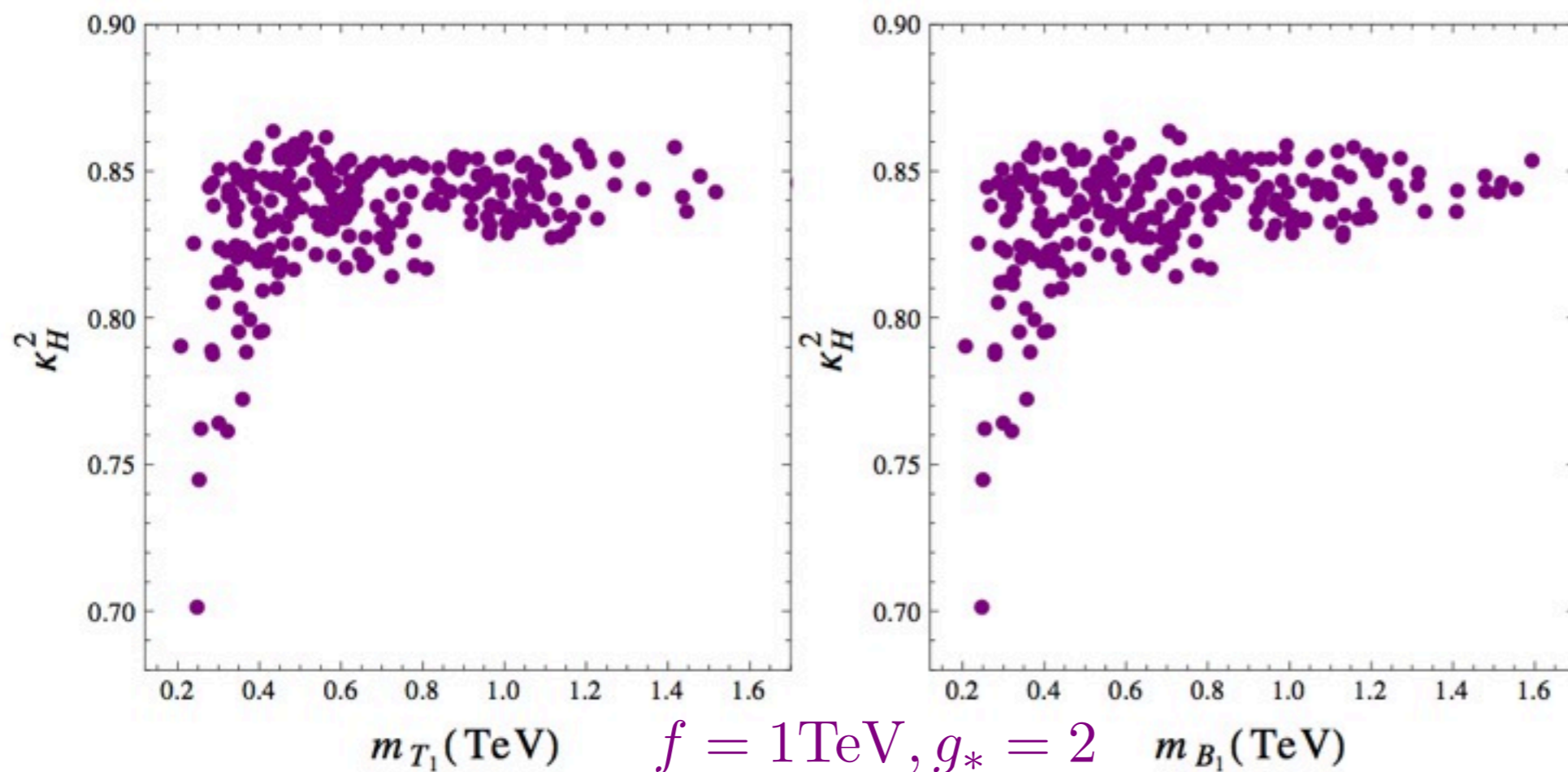
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$WW, ZZ$

- LHC exps perform fits to the  $\kappa$  s to test BSM physics with the assumption  $\kappa_H^2 = 1$  not valid in the 4DCHM

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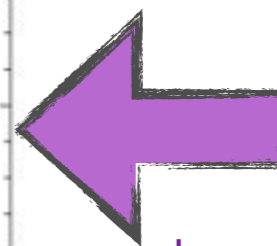
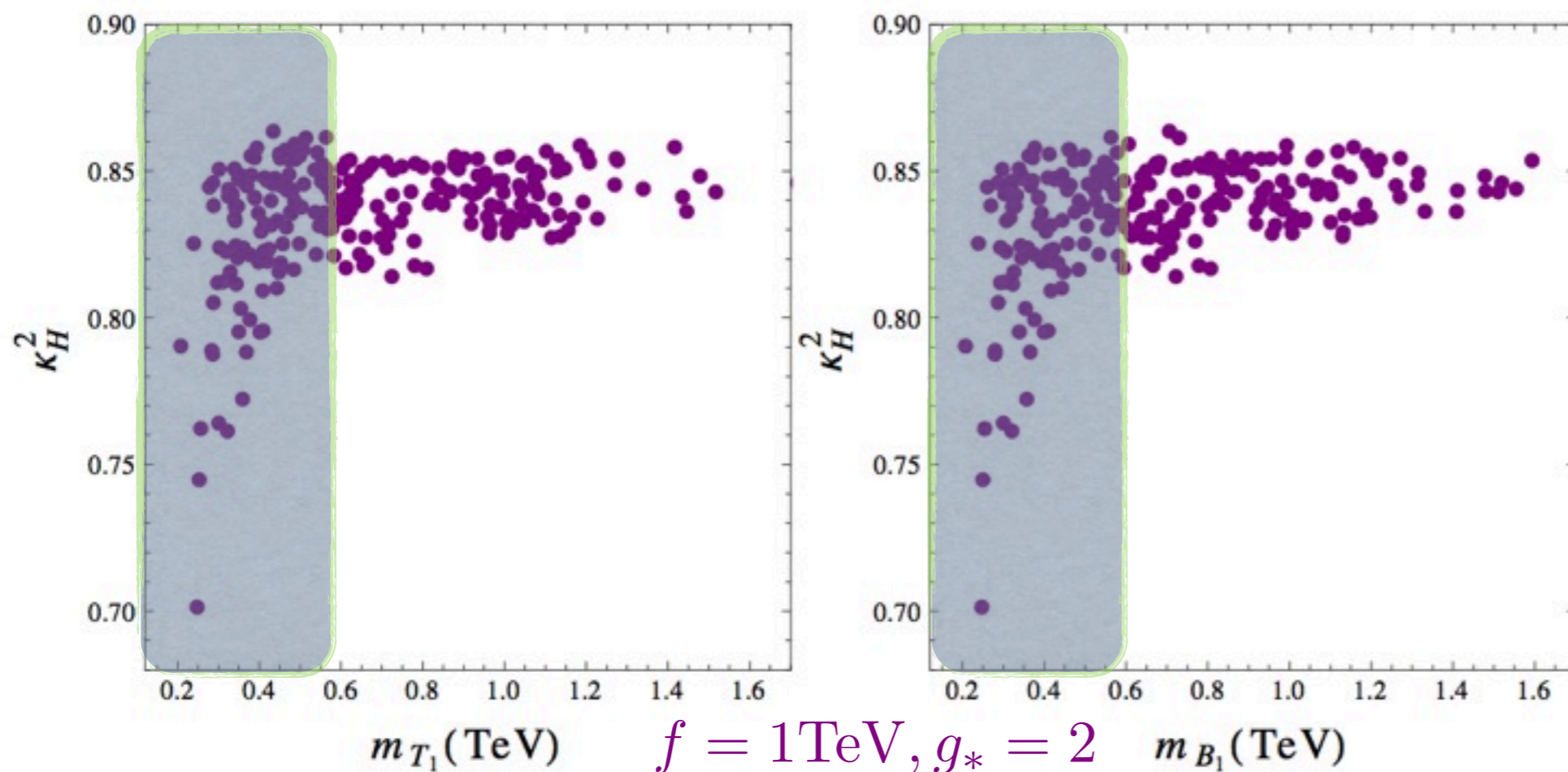


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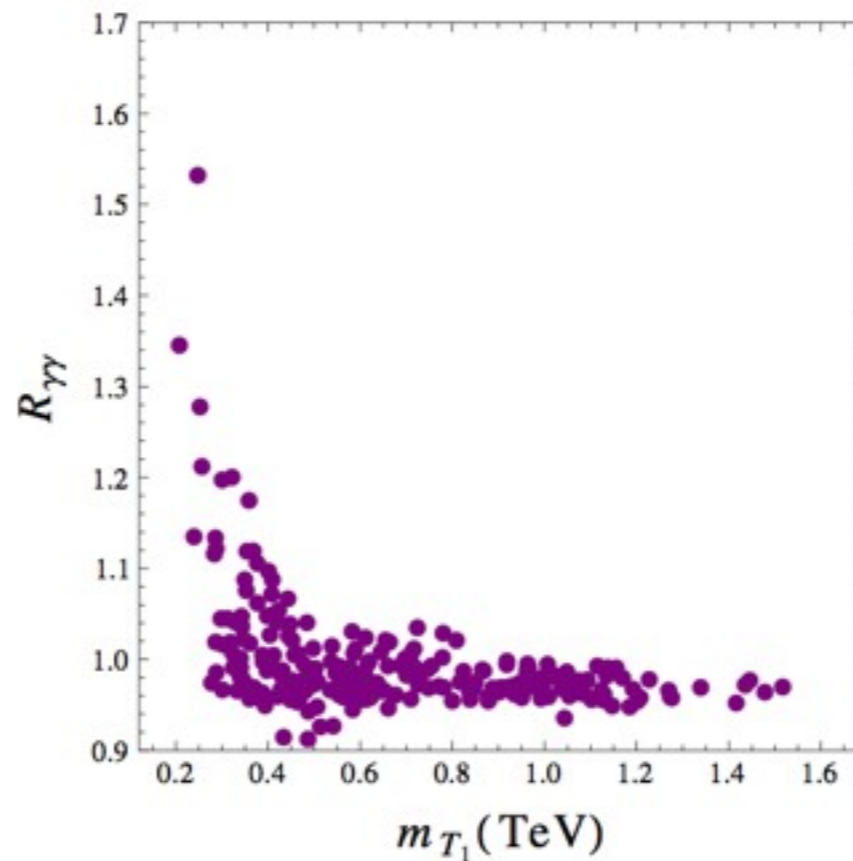
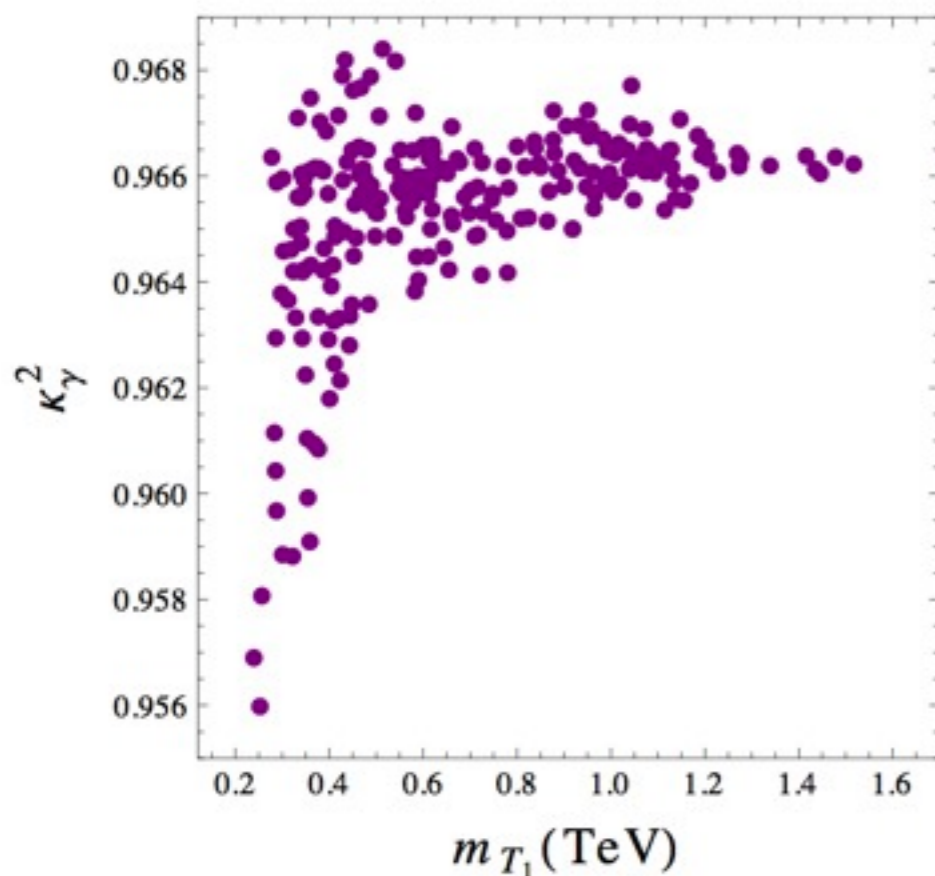
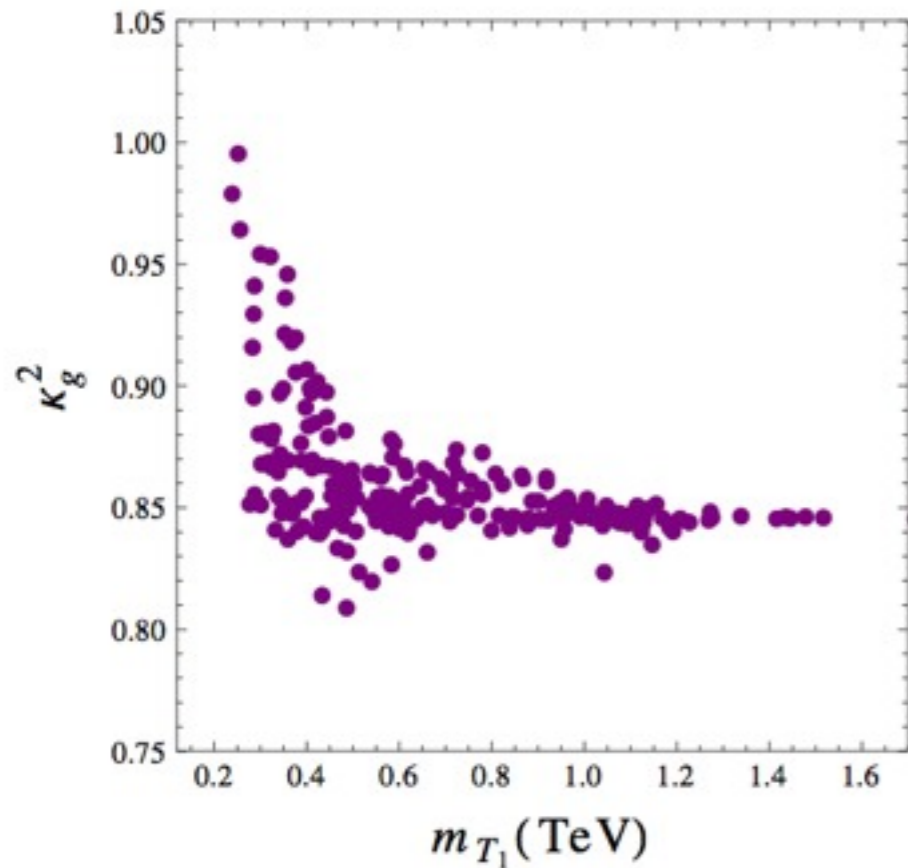


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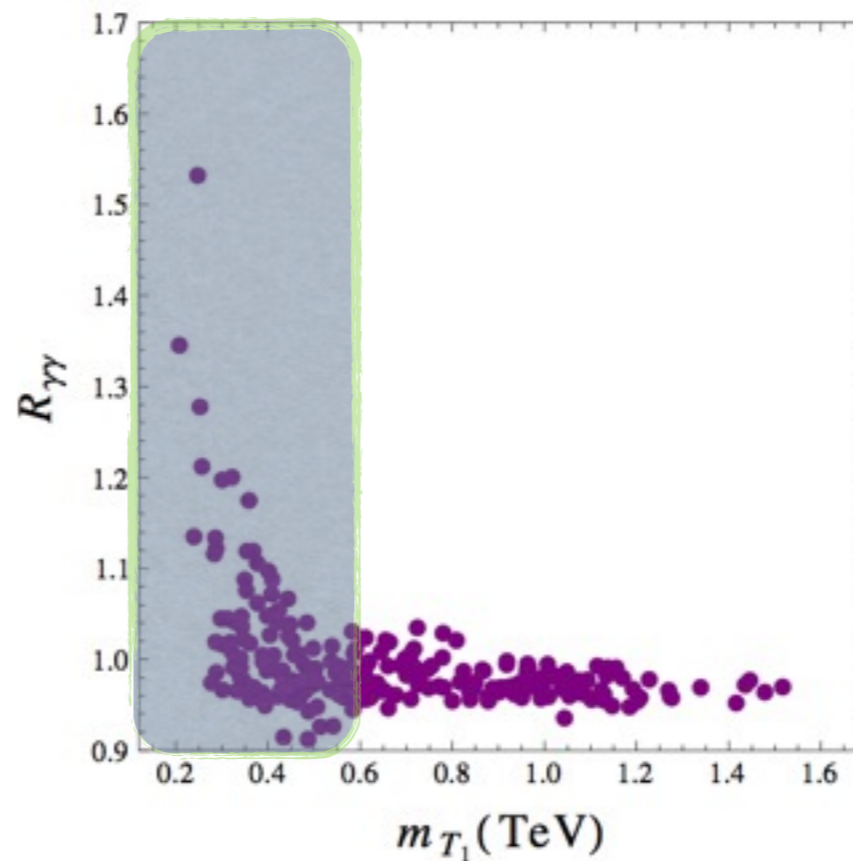
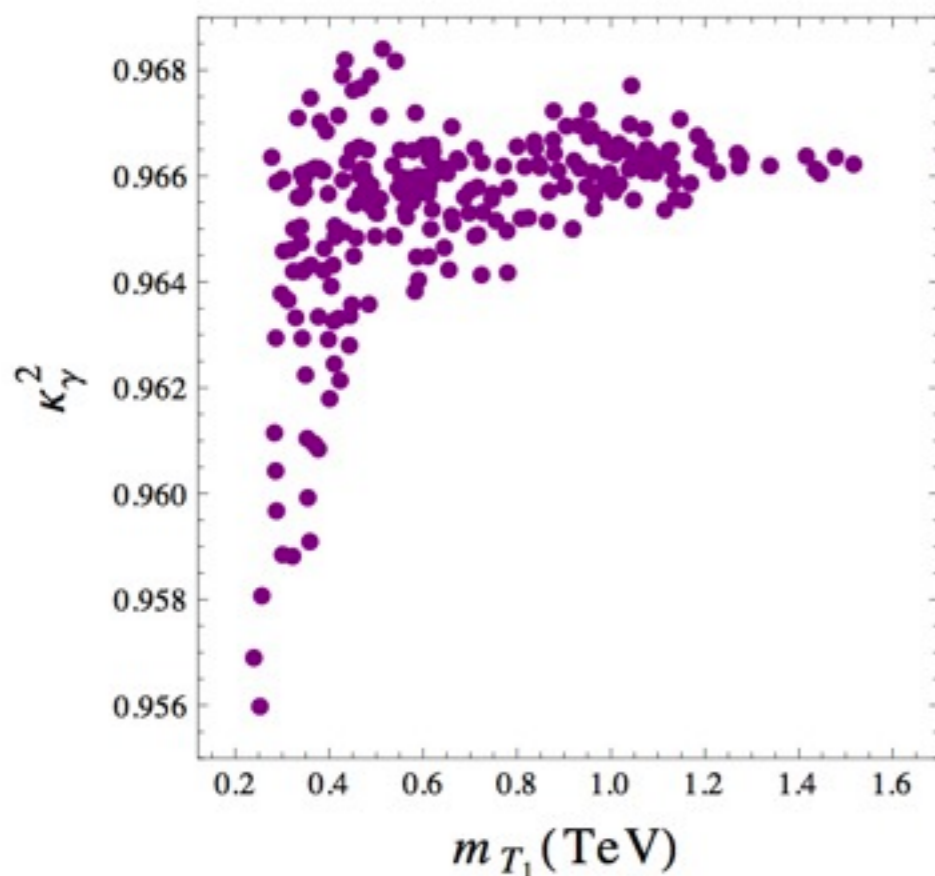
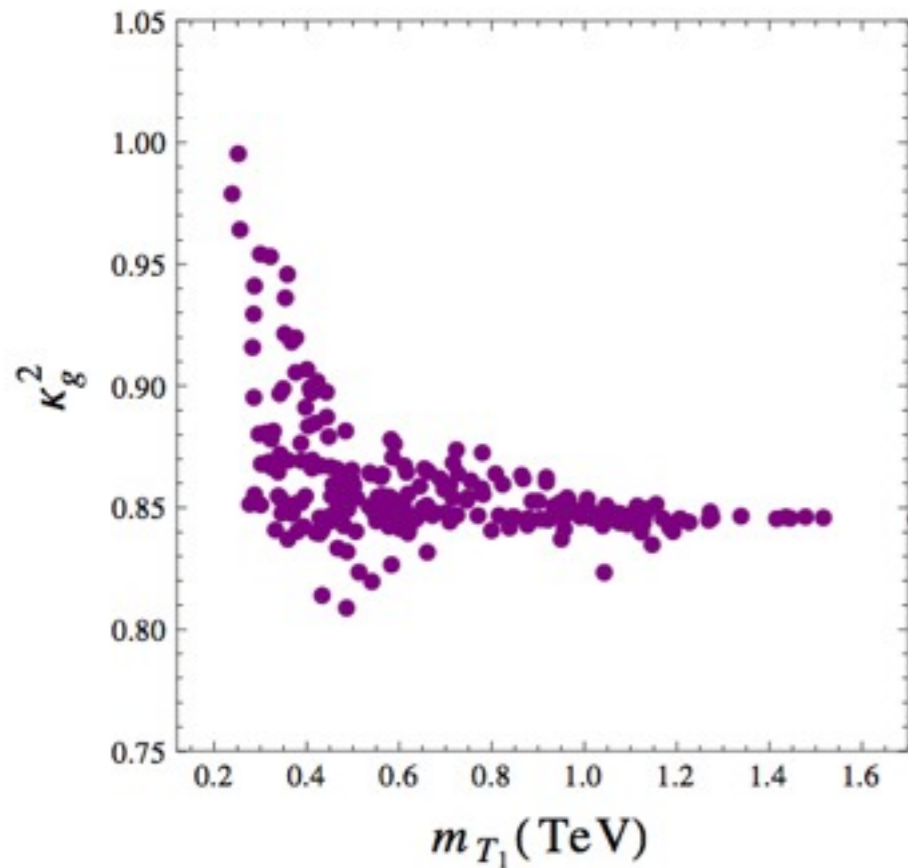
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$R_{WW}$	$1.5 \pm 0.6$	$0.699^{+0.245}_{-0.232}$
$R_{bb}$	$-0.4 \pm 1.0$	$1.075^{+0.593}_{-0.566}$

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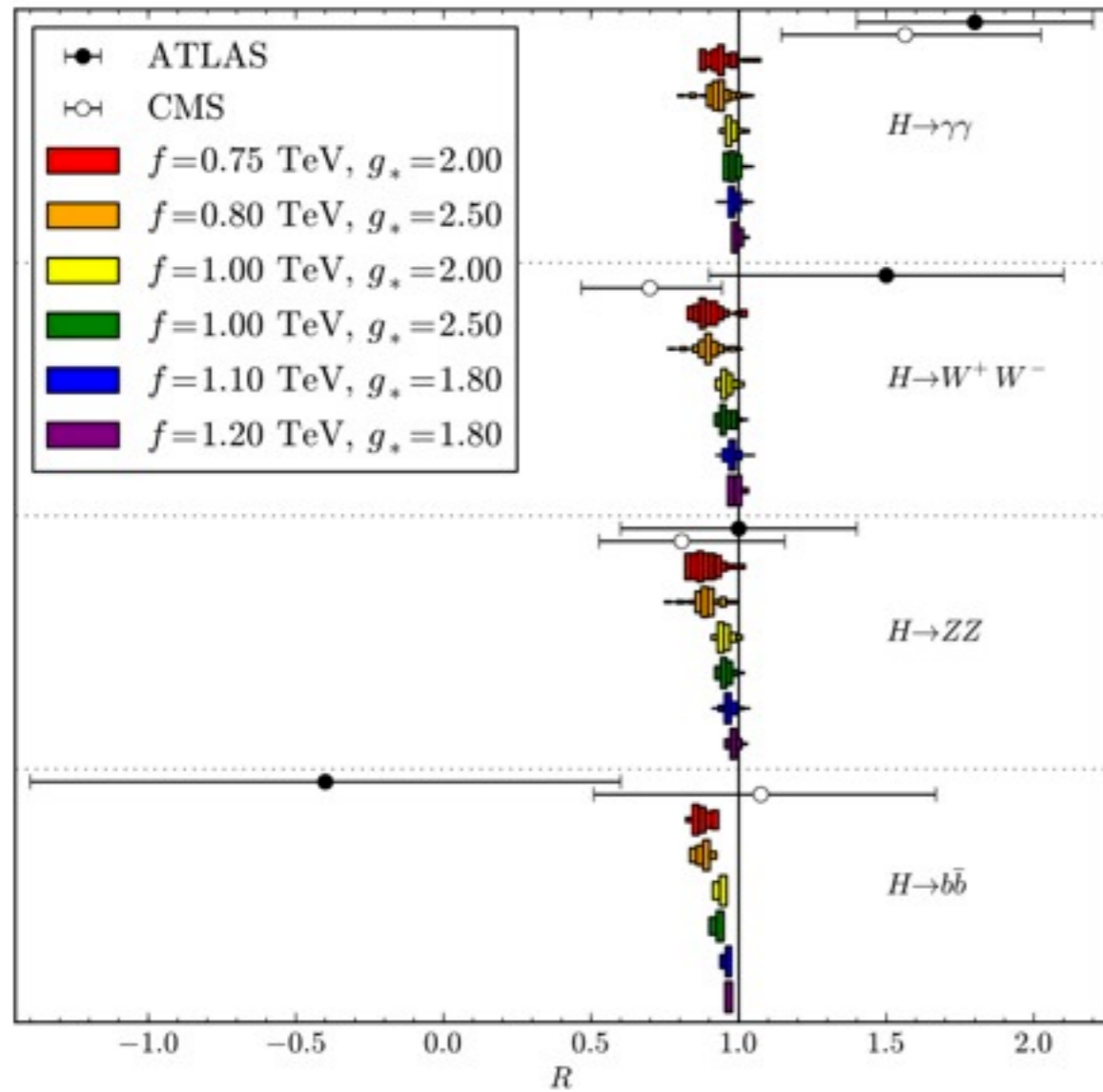
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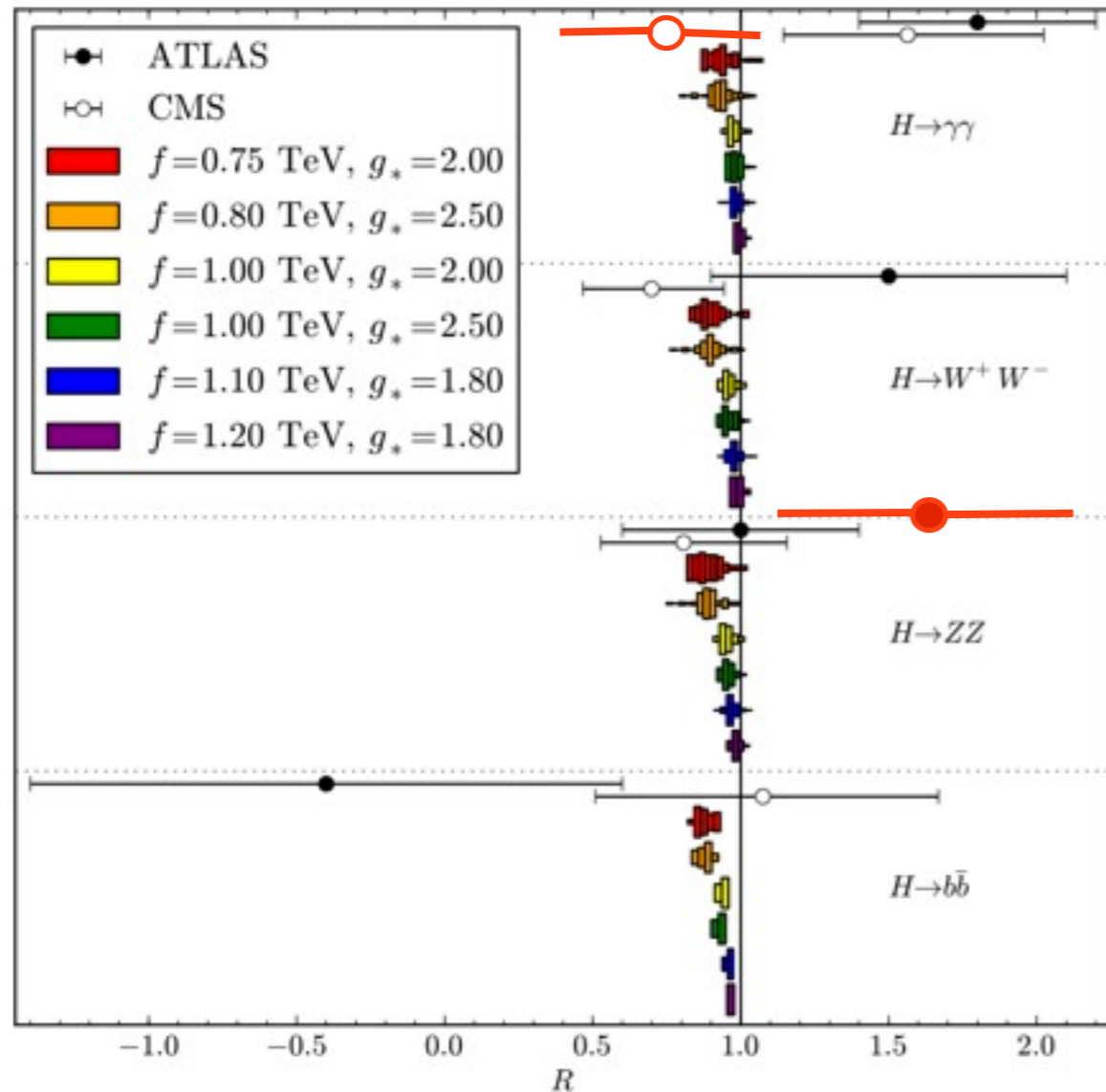
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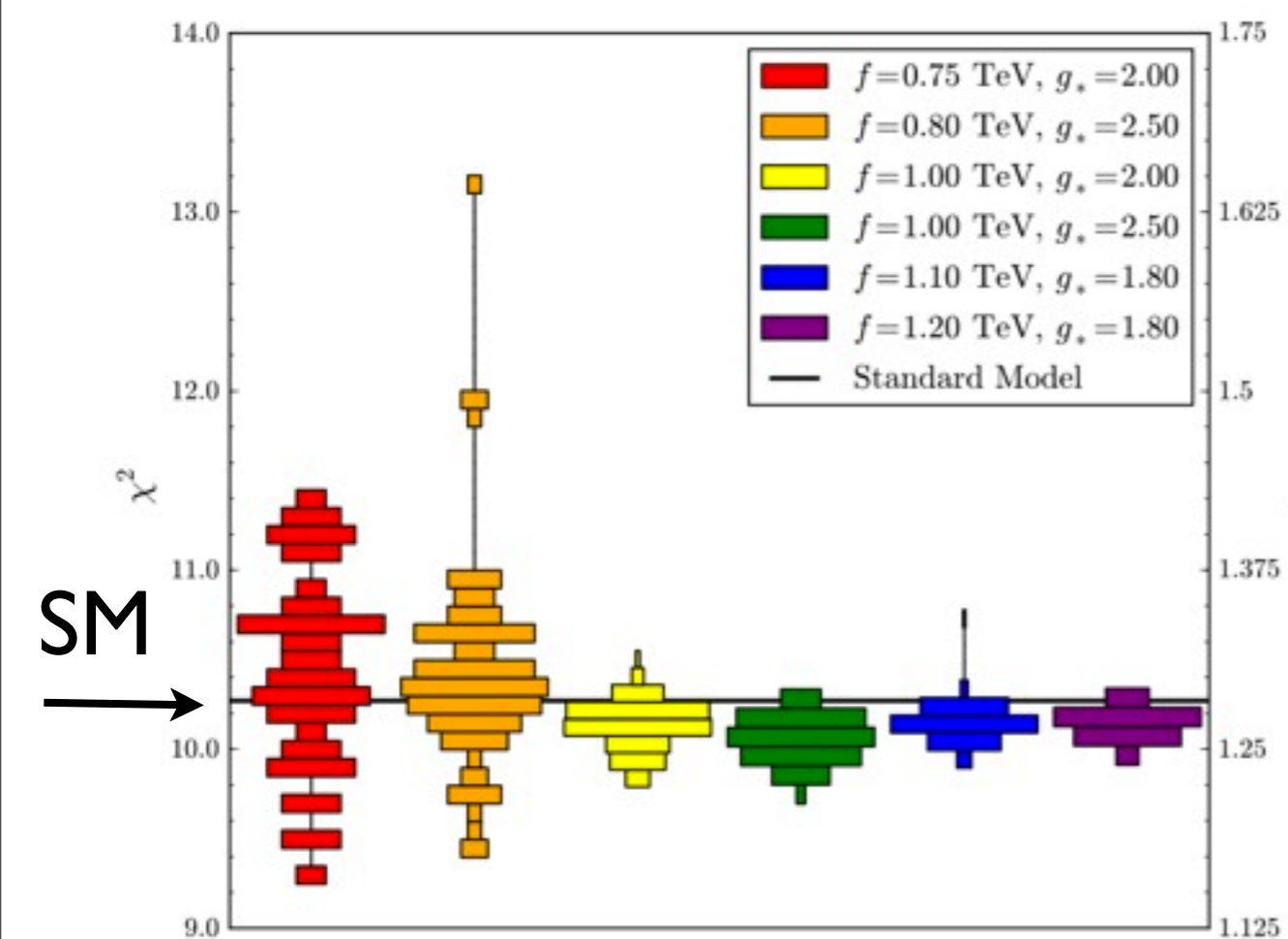
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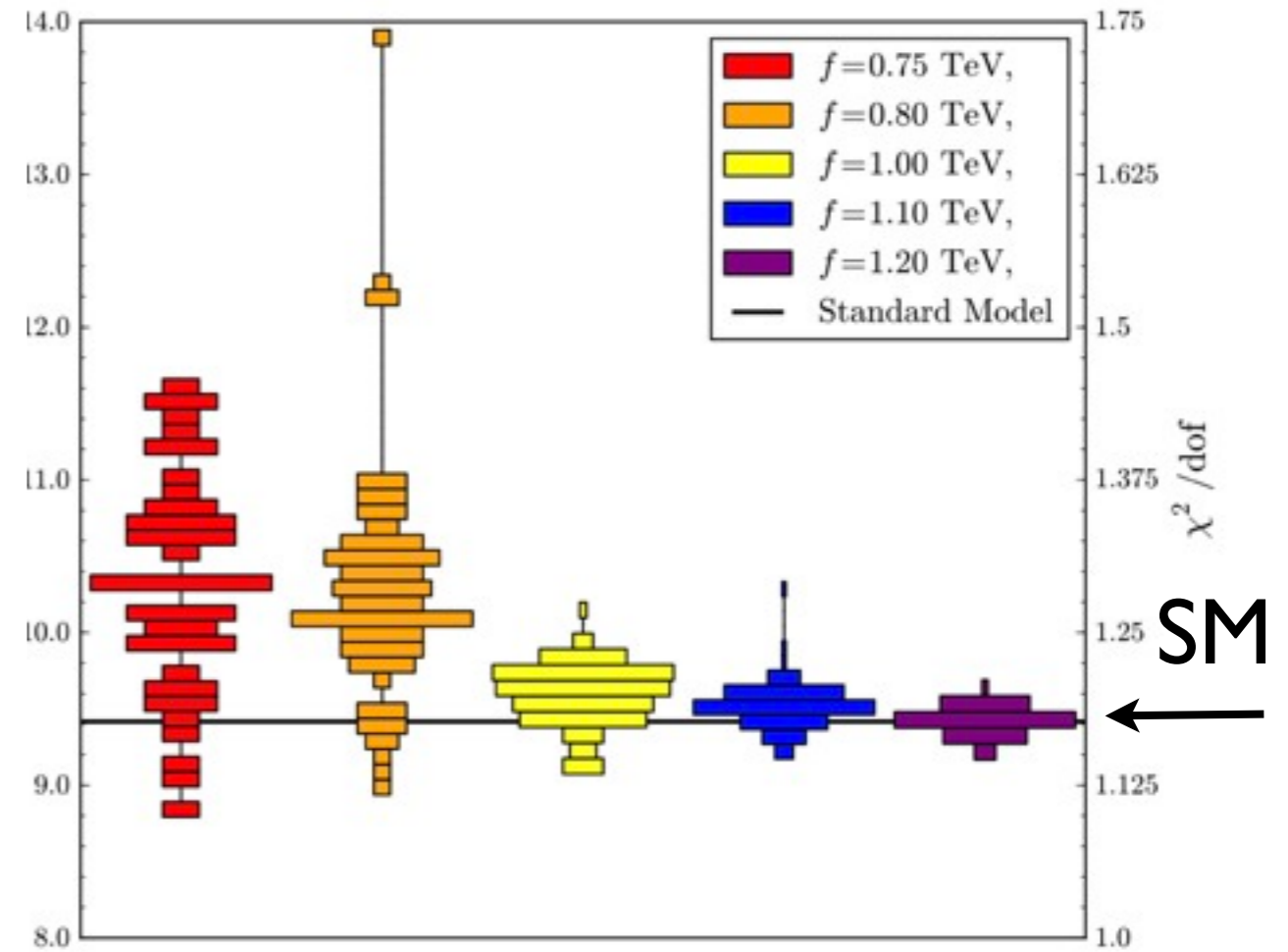
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# Drell-Yan signals from 4DCHM at the LHC

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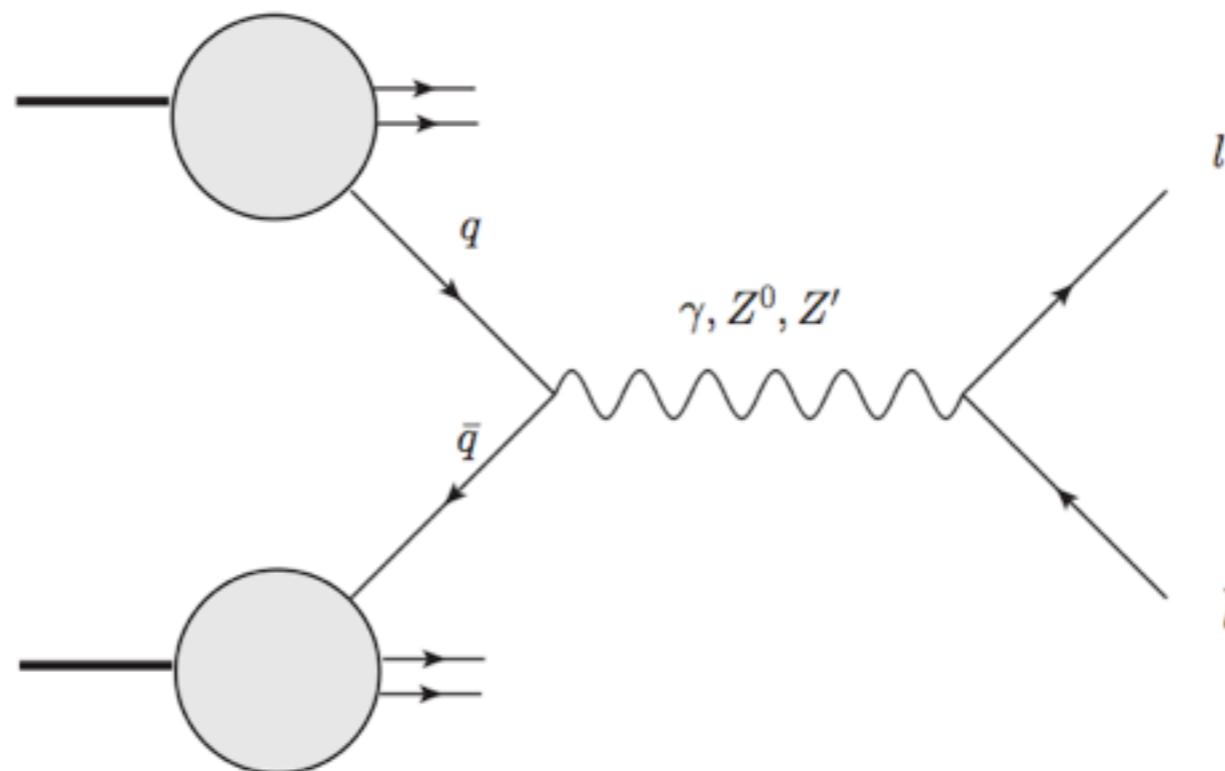
Quarks can annihilate also in  $Z'$  (and  $W'$ )

tree-level processes

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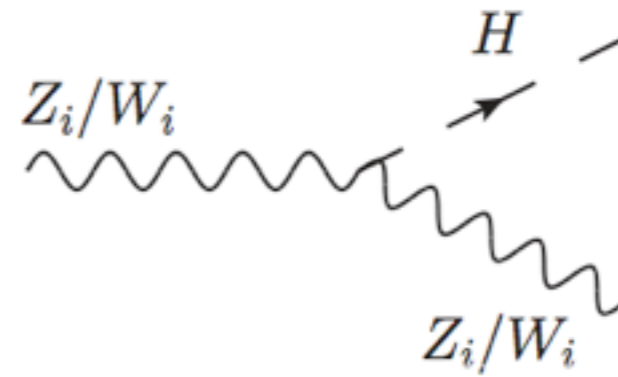
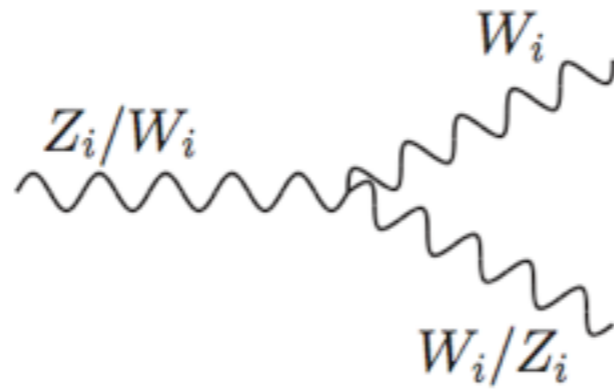
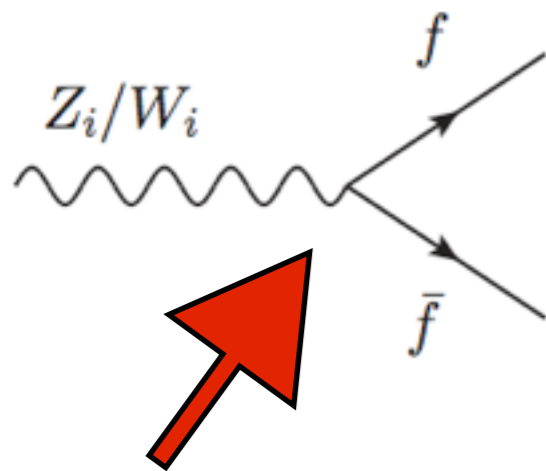
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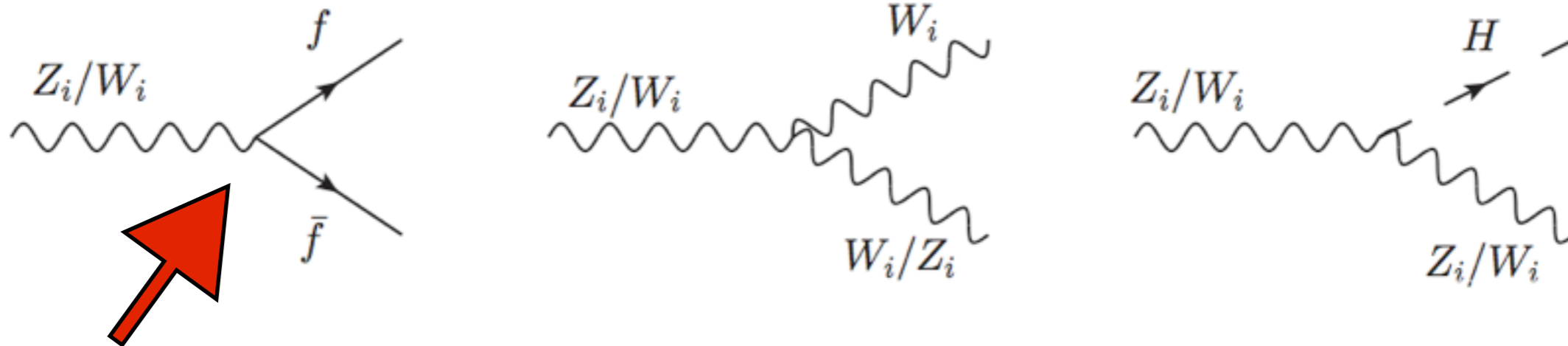
- DY allow us to investigate new gauge boson resonances
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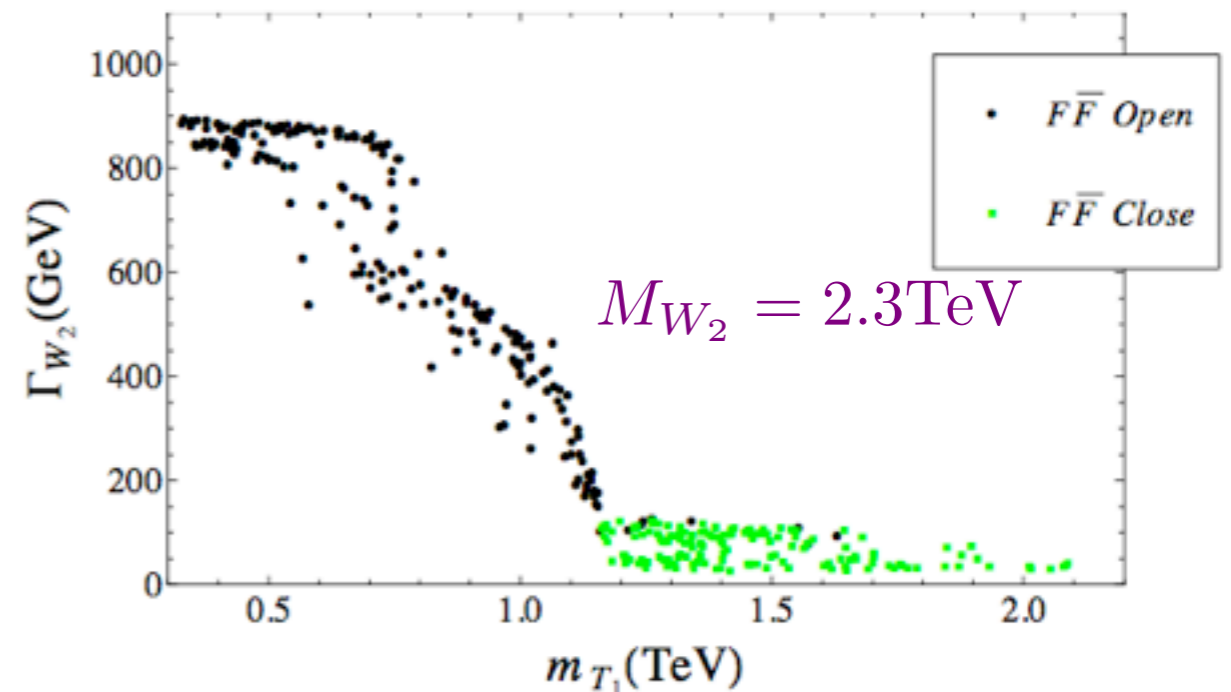
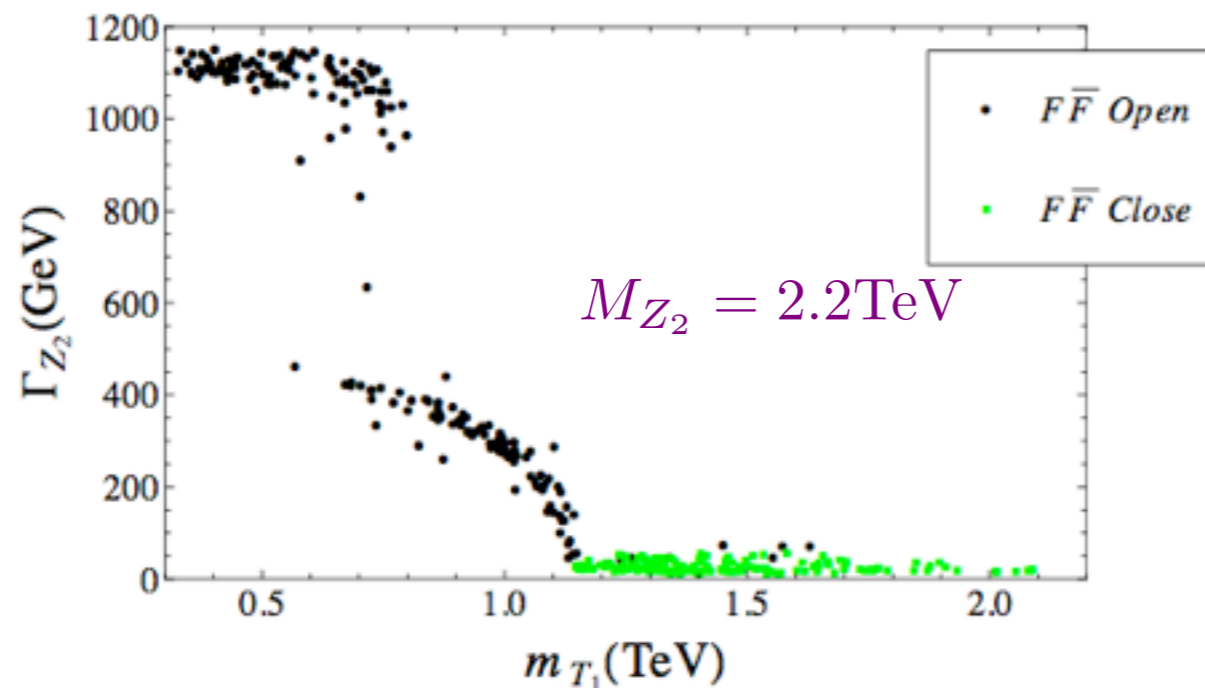
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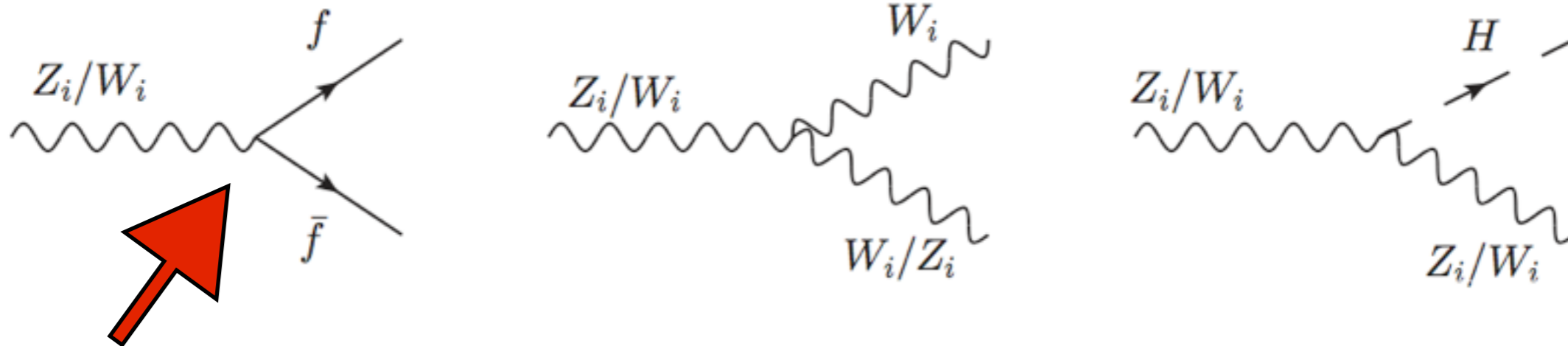
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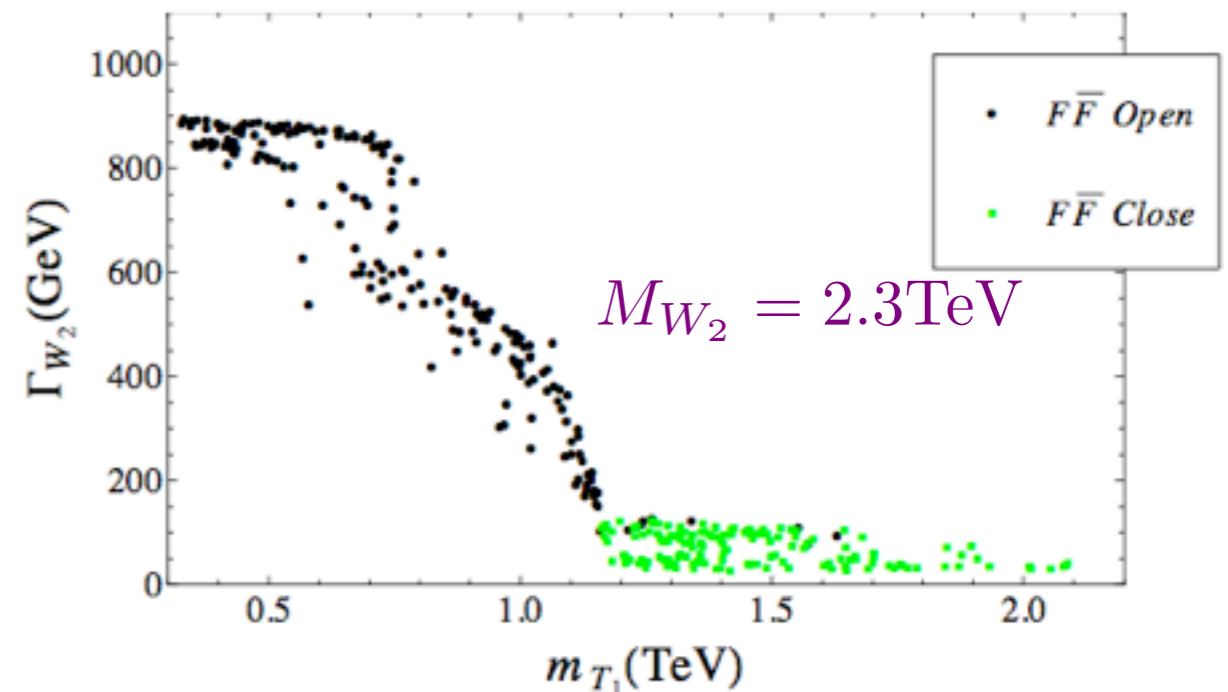
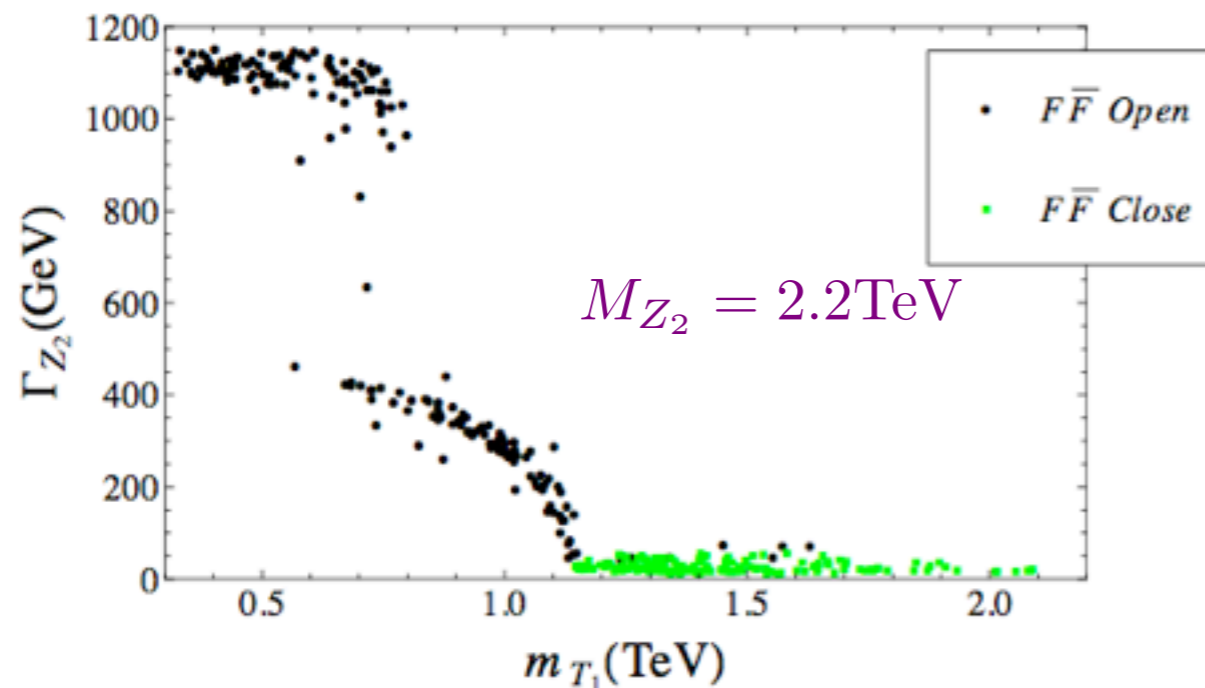


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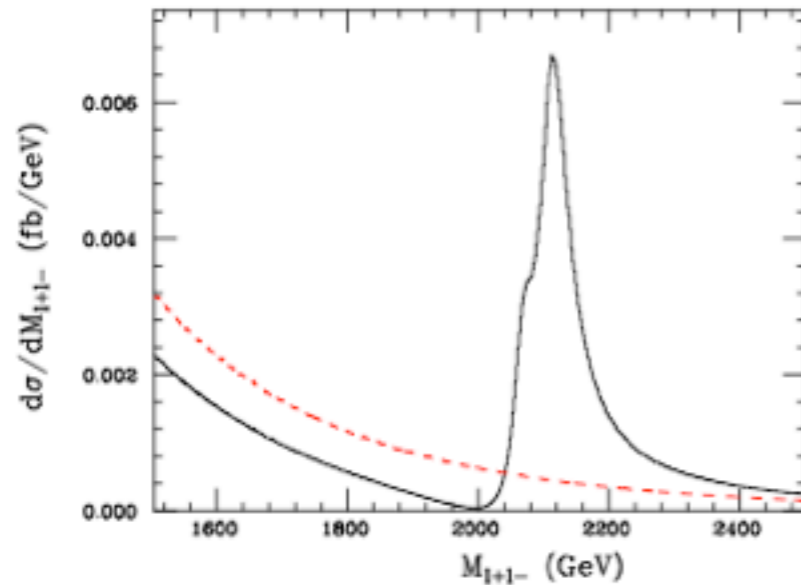


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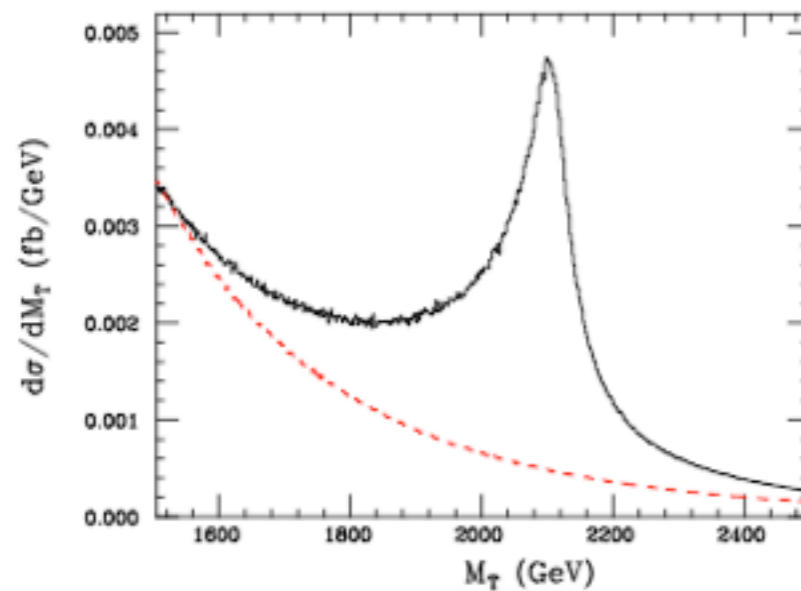
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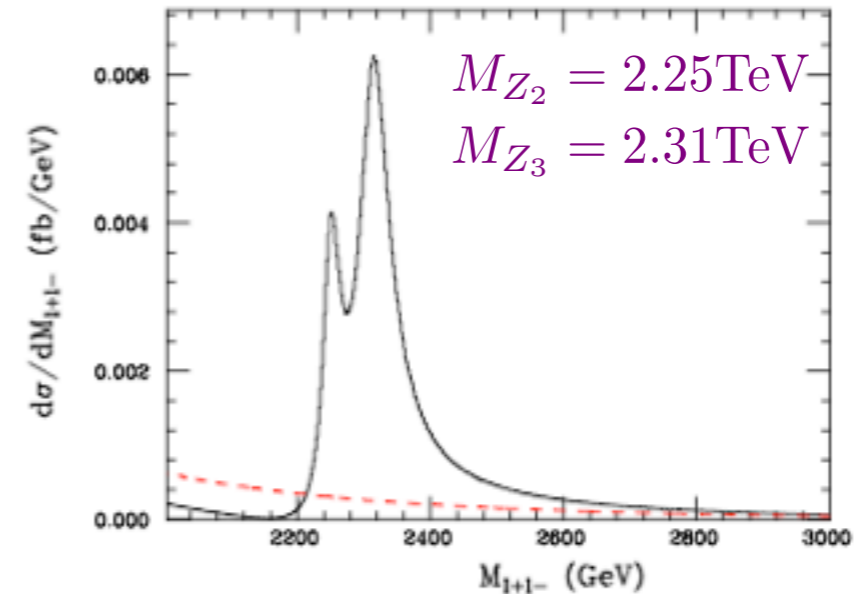


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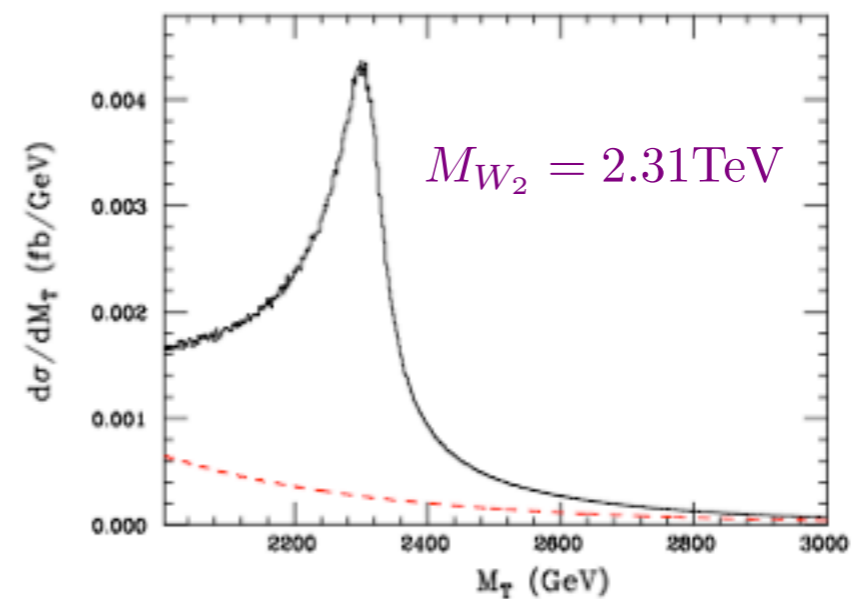


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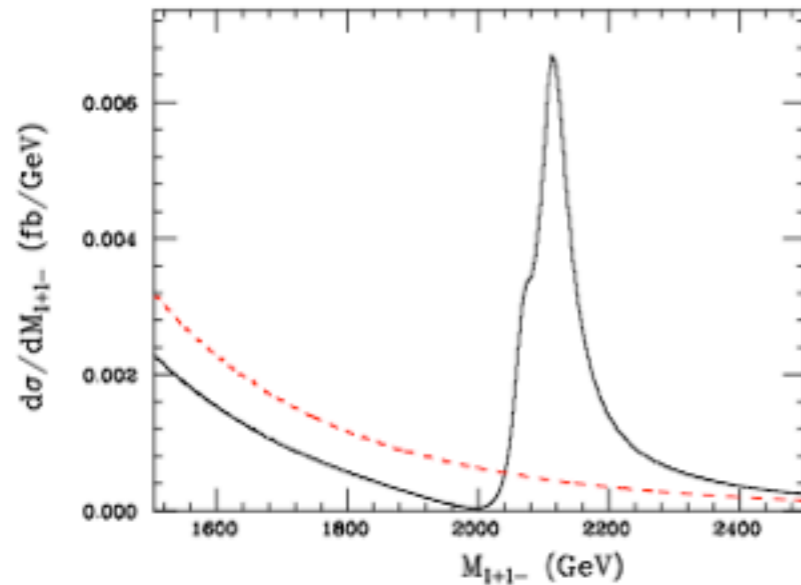
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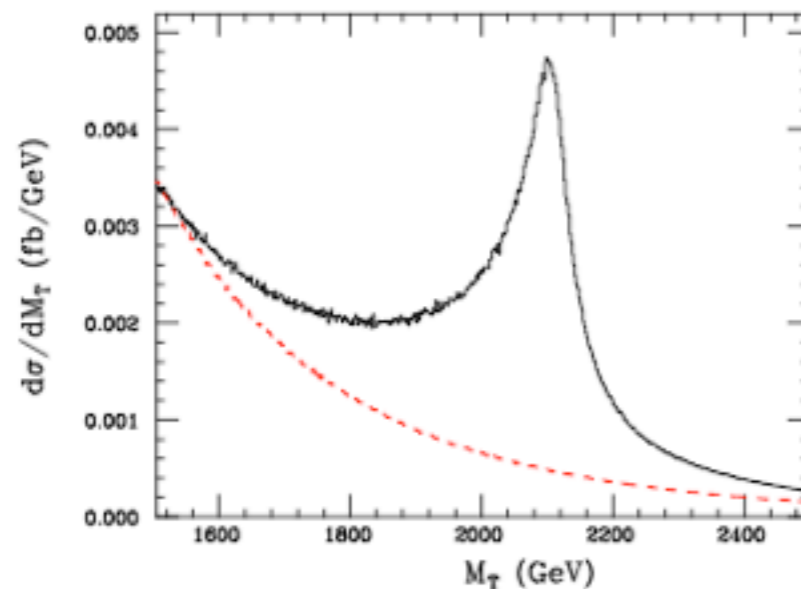
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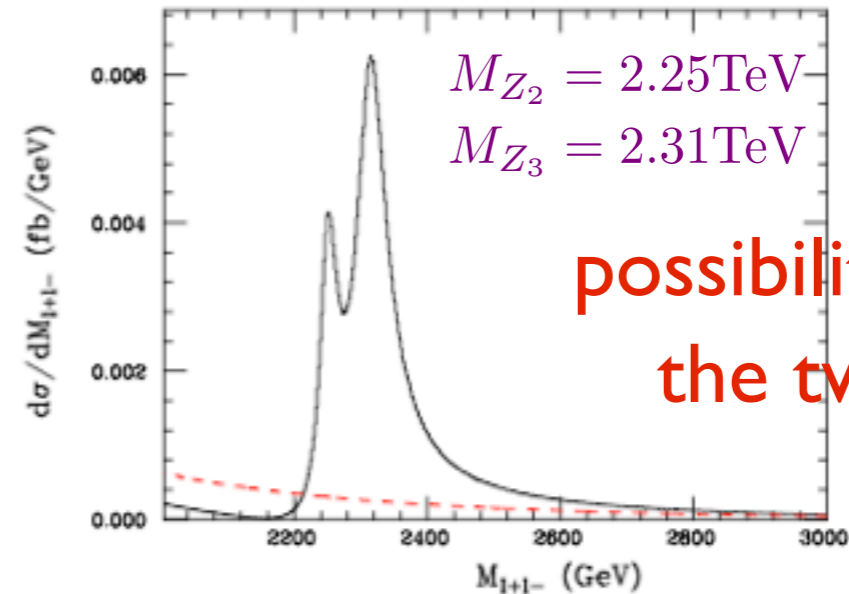


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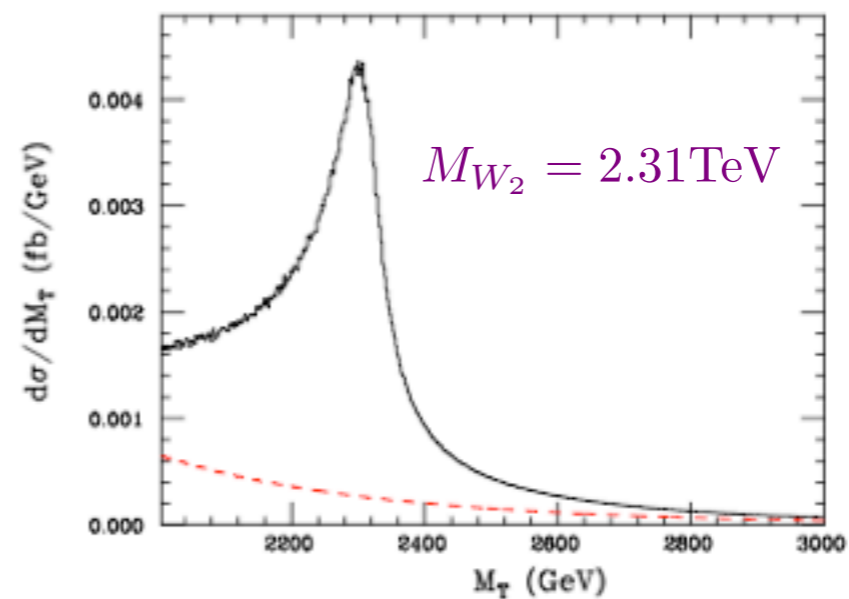
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- **Mass correlation in the 4DCHM**

Possibility to improve searches for  $Z'$  (or  $W'$ ) if a  $W'$  (or  $Z'$ ) is discovered

$$M_{W_2}^2 \simeq \frac{f^2 g_*^2}{c_\theta^2} \left( 1 - \frac{s_\theta^2 c_\theta^4}{2c_{2\theta}} \xi^2 \right)$$

$$M_{Z_3}^2 \simeq \frac{f^2 g_*^2}{c_\theta^2} \left( 1 - \frac{s_\theta^2 c_\theta^4}{4c_{2\theta}} \xi^2 \right)$$

- **Complementarity** between **cross sections** and **AFB distributions** (limited to lightest resonances:  $Z_2, Z_3, W_2$ )

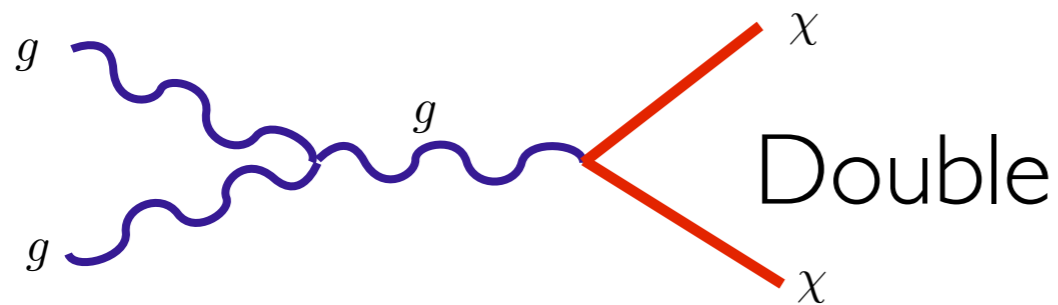
- Analyzed the features of the  **$Z'$  and  $W'$  line shapes** in relation with masses of heavy fermions

- **Only 14 TeV stage** of LHC has the potential to probe the model assuming standard and Super-LHC luminosities

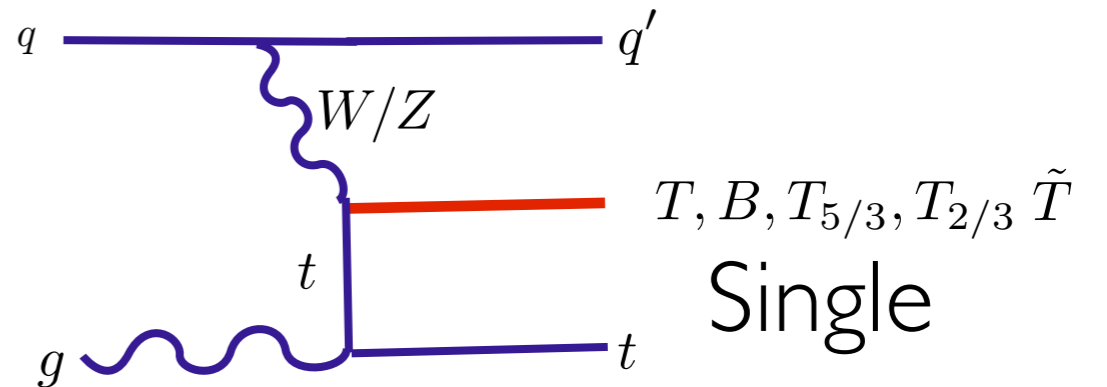
# Spin-1/2 : composite fermions could be light + exotic

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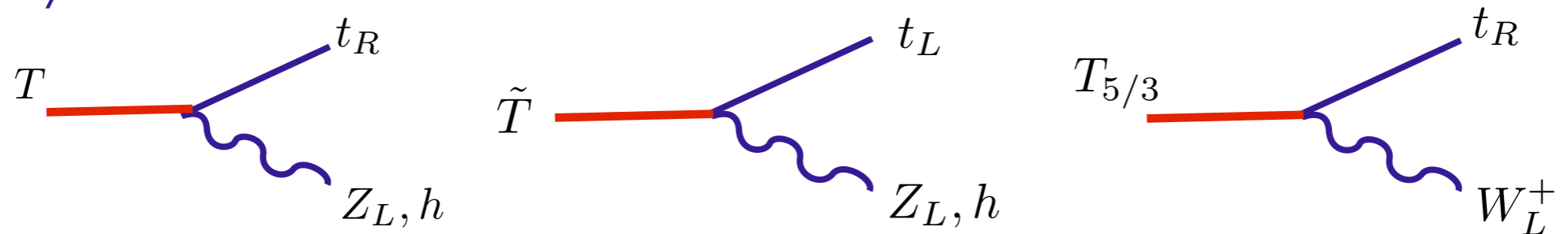
Contino, Servant (2008)



Mrazek, Wulzer (2009); Aguilar-Saveedra (2009)



- Decays:



Multi-lepton signatures

**Work in progress:** implement the direct search results on the 4DCHM extra-fermions and translate into bounds on the model parameter space

# CONCLUSIONS

- The Higgs as Nambu-Goldstone boson is a compelling possibility for stabilizing the electro-weak scale
- Realistic scenarios can be build and the relevant features of CHMs can be reproduced from a 4D point of view. First resonance is sufficient for theory & LHC
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  - 4DCHM can fit the LHC data pointing to the discovery of a 125-Higgs as well as the SM
  - New resonances must be present nearby with a specific pattern. Light Higgs requires light fermionic partners

**Let's wait for LHC14**

# BACKUP SLIDES

# Electro-Weak Precision Tests

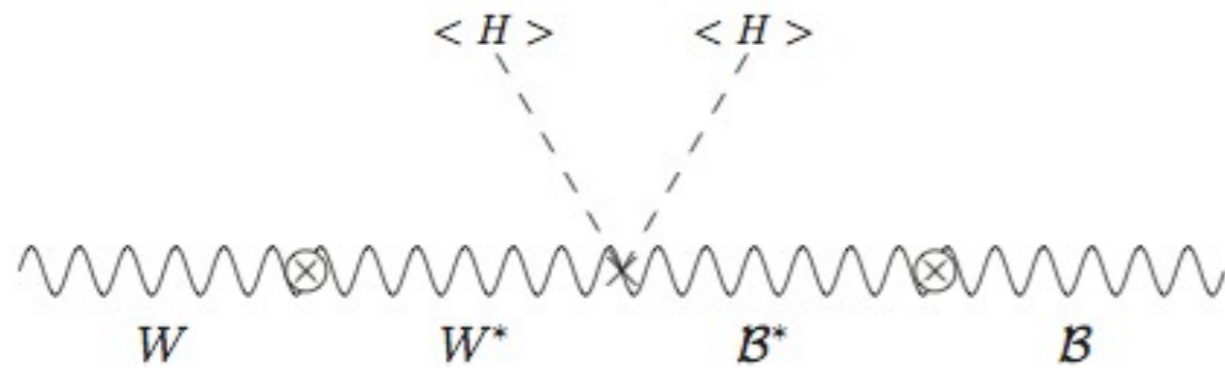
Typical modifications

Tree-level:

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S-parameter:

$$\frac{S}{16\pi v^2} (H^\dagger \tau^a H) W_{\mu\nu}^a B^{\mu\nu}$$

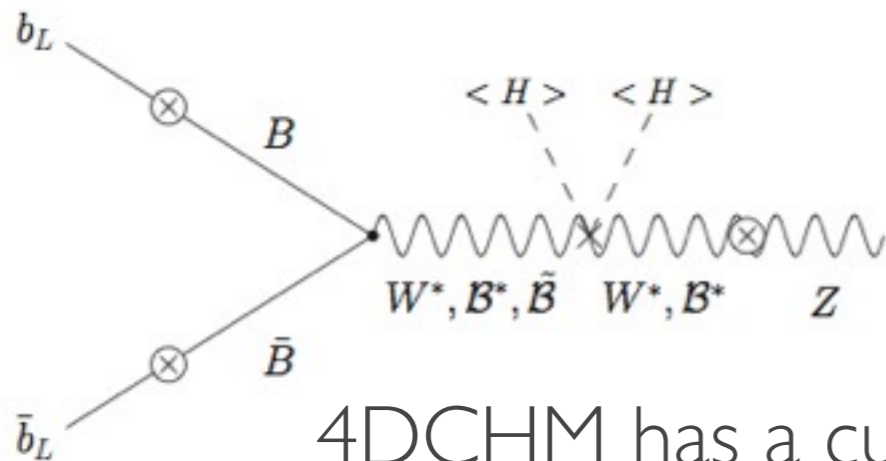


$$S \sim 4\pi v^2 \left( \frac{1}{m_\rho^2} + \frac{1}{m_{a_1}^2} \right)$$

$$S < 0.3$$

$$\longrightarrow m_\rho > 2 - 3 \text{ TeV}$$

Third generation Z-couplings:



$$\frac{\delta g_L}{g_L} \sim \epsilon_L^2 \frac{v^2}{m_\rho^2}$$

$$\frac{\delta g_{Lb}}{g_{Lb}} \Big|_{max} \sim 10^{-3}$$

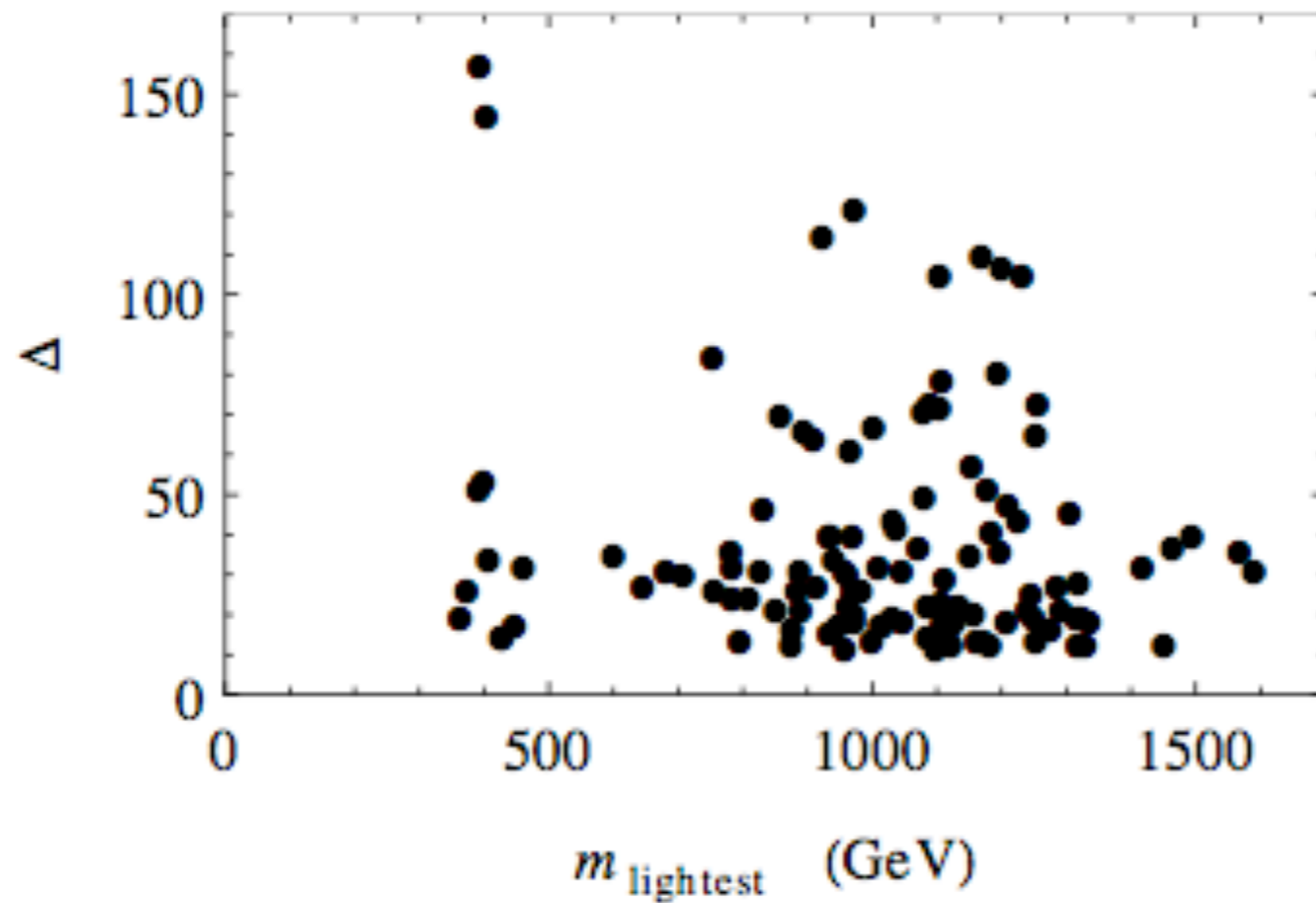
4DCHM has a custodial symmetry preventing large corrections

Possible problems with T-parameter at 1-loop

# Tuning:

Panico, MR, Tesi, Wulzer '12

$$\Delta = \text{Max}_i \left| \frac{\partial \log m_Z}{\partial \log x_i} \right|$$



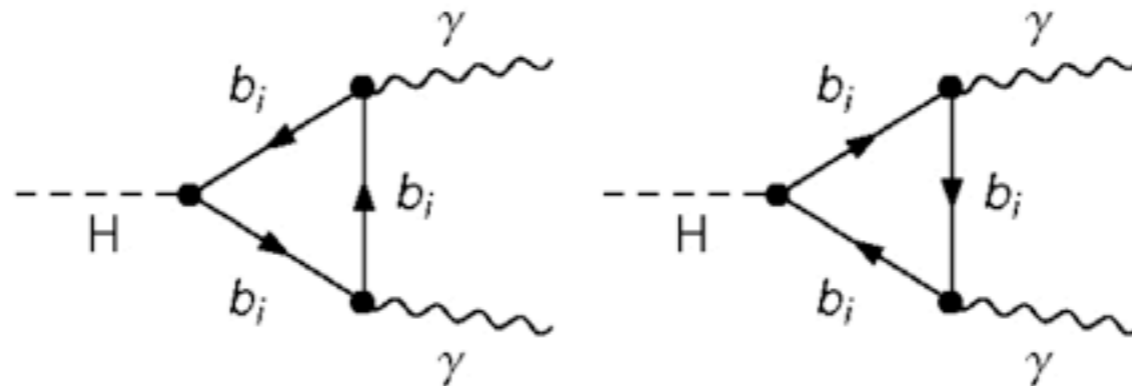
$f = 800 \text{ GeV}$

$$\Delta_{avg} \sim 30$$

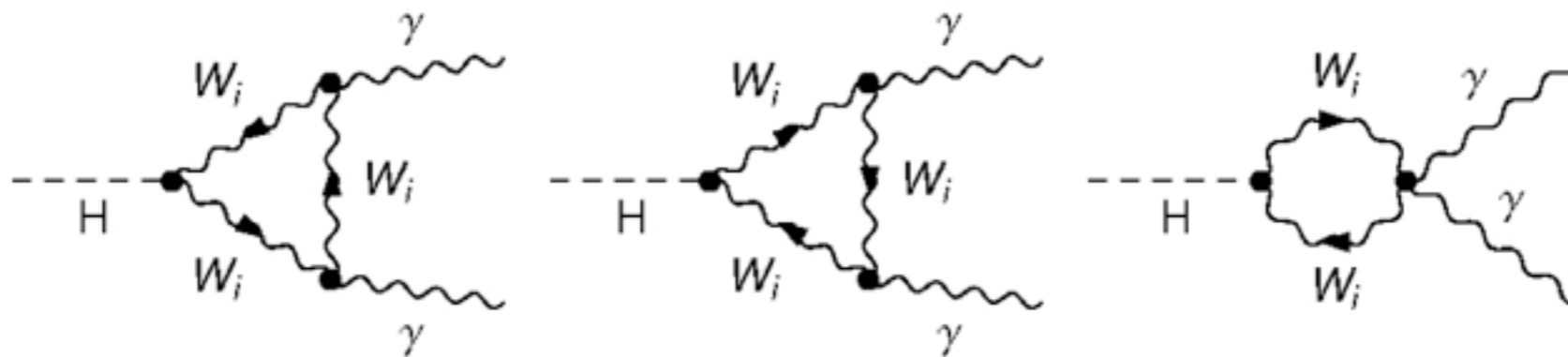


$$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$$

- Loop Diagrams involving extra fermions and gauge bosons



$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  induced by fermionic loop

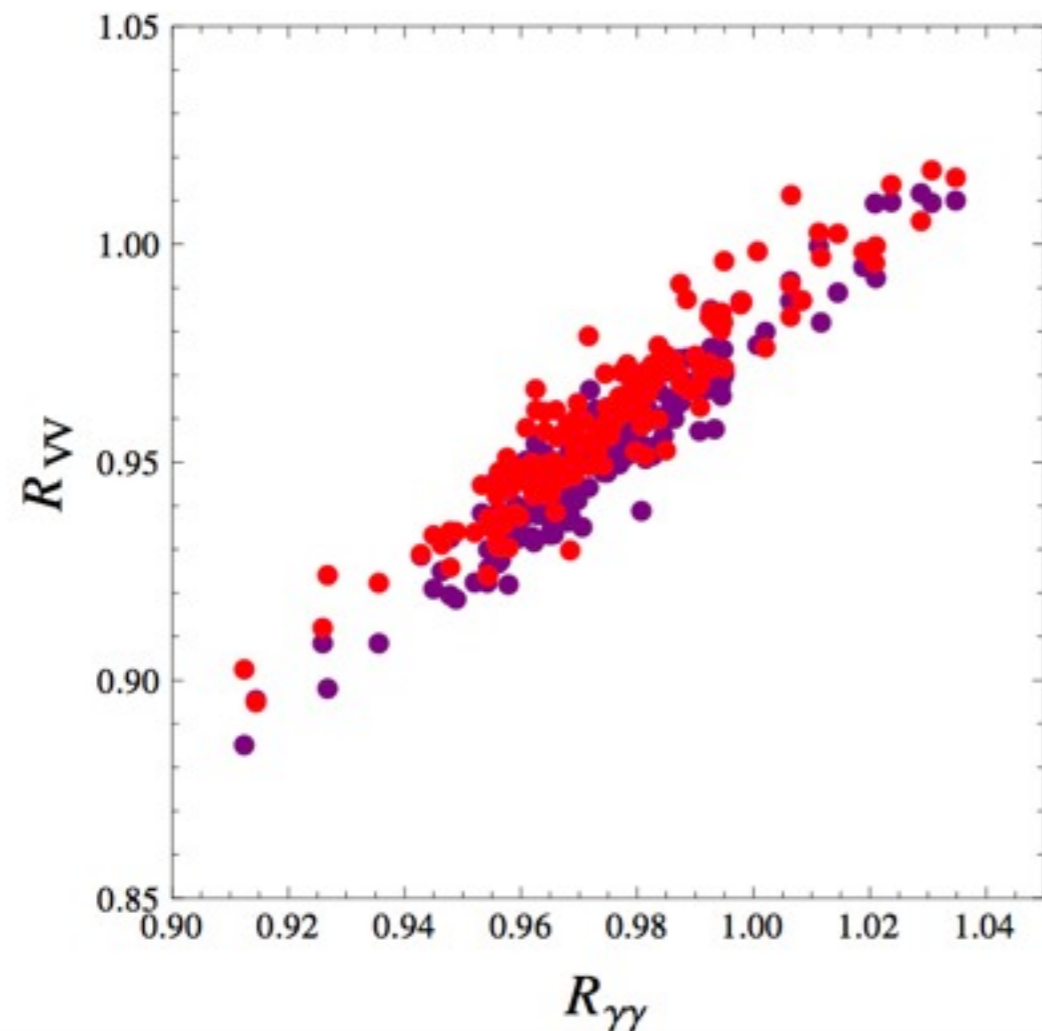


$H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  induced by charged vector loop

NGB symmetry protects the couplings, no large deviations expected

# The 4DCHM and the 125 GeV Higgs-like signals at the LHC

- the production mode is gg fusion
- all points compliant with direct searches for  $t'$ ,  $b'$  and  $T_{5/3}$



$$VV = WW, ZZ$$

consider (as CMS/ATLAS)

$$ZZ^* \rightarrow 4l, WW^* \rightarrow 2l2\nu$$

with BR's in 4DCHM

$$f = 1\text{TeV}, g_* = 2$$

Points prefer to stay below 1 (some points above).  
Strong correlation suggests common cause for effect

# Z' and W' decay channels

## Z' main branching ratios

### SMALL WIDTH

- $t\bar{t}$   $\mathcal{O}(60\%)$
- $W^+W^-, Z^0H, b\bar{b}$   $\mathcal{O}(10\%)$
- leptons and light quarks  $\mathcal{O}(1\%)$
- $t\bar{t}'$  and  $b\bar{b}' \lesssim 0.5\%$

### LARGE WIDTH

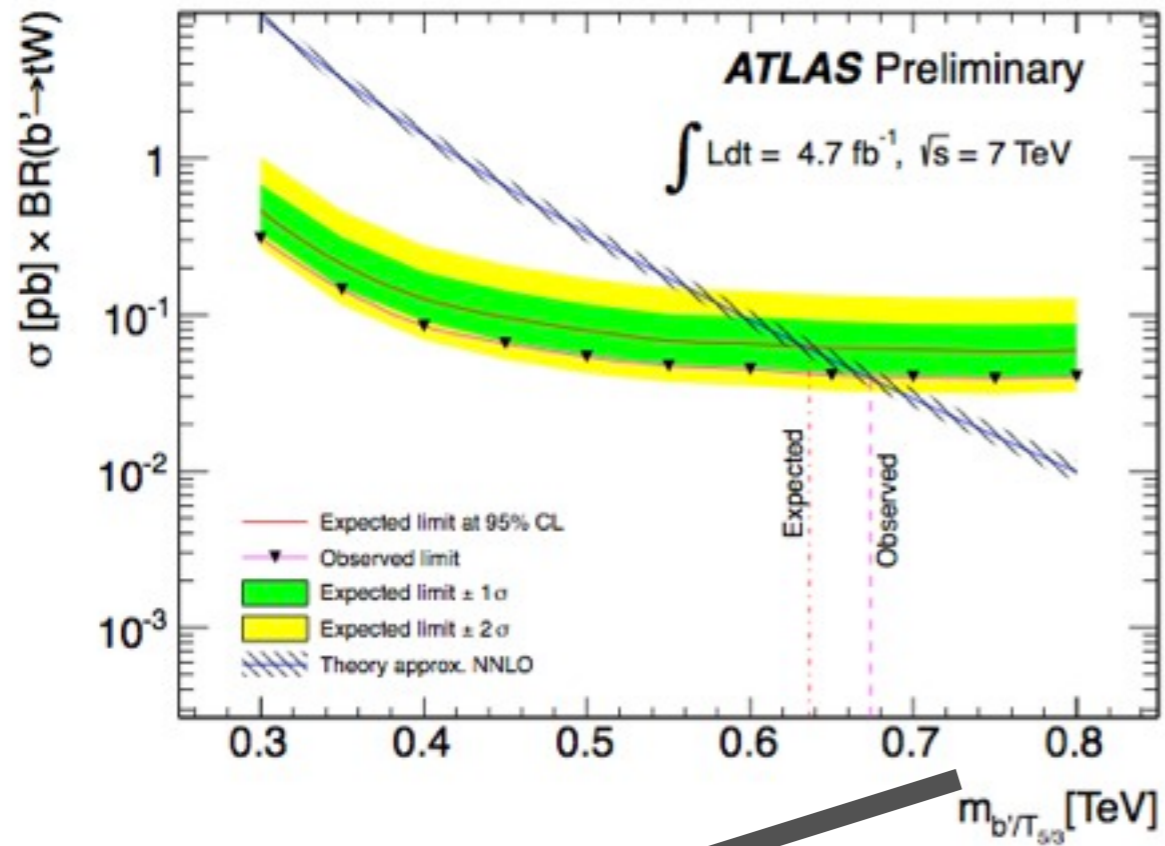
- $t'\bar{t}', b'\bar{b}' \mathcal{O}(30\%)$
- $T'\bar{T}', B'\bar{B}' \mathcal{O}(10\%)$
- $t\bar{t}, b\bar{b} \mathcal{O}(1\%)$

Analogous for the W'

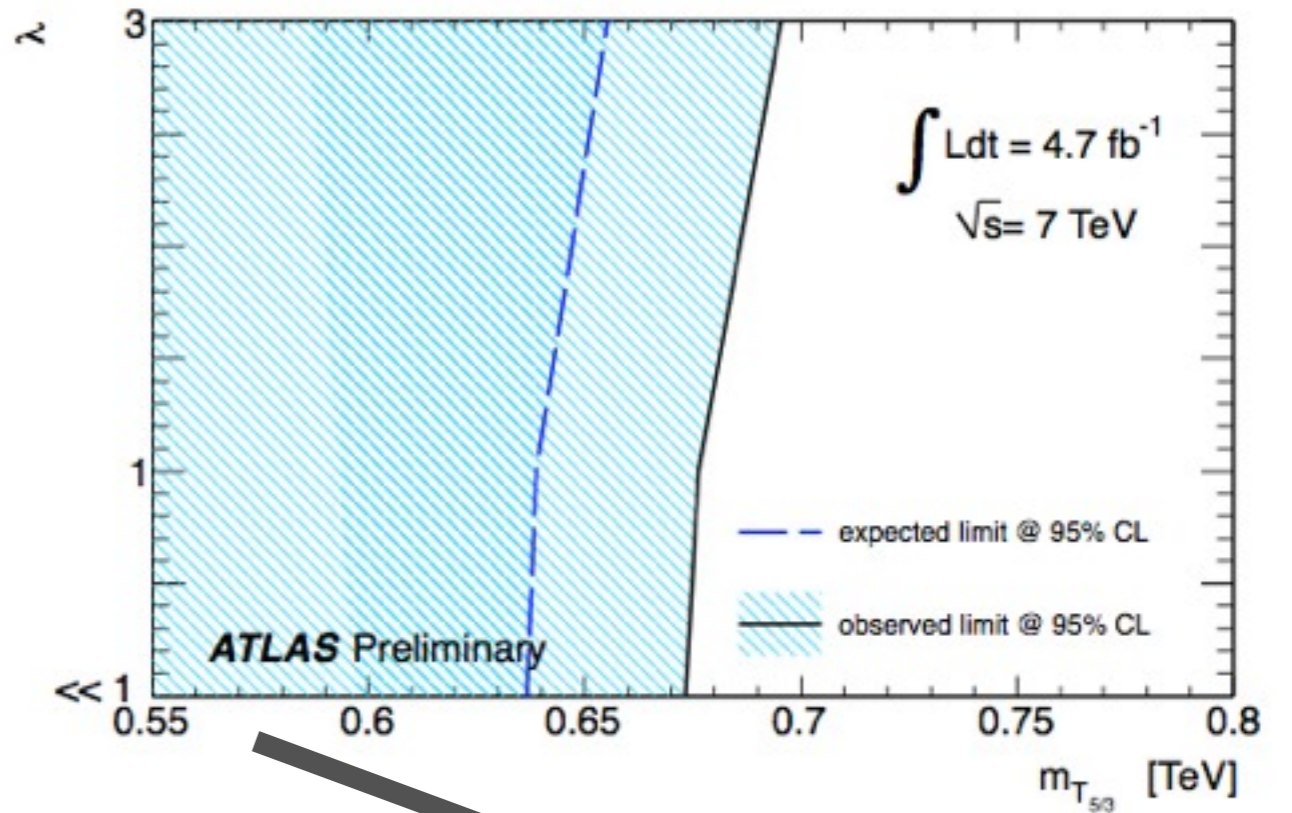
mandatory for leptonic DY processes

- The LanHEP/CalcHEP/Mathematica implementation give us a powerful tool for an automatized analysis of the 4DCHM

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double production



double+single production