

HXSWG 2HDM Benchmark discussion

Fermiophobic 2HDM

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Motivation & description



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A WARNING SIGN! – No signal \neq No new state

Parameter choice

Physical basis

$\tan \beta$	α/π	m_{H^0} [GeV]	m_{A^0} [GeV]	m_{H^\pm} [GeV]	m_{12}^2 [GeV ²]
20.00	0.0000	200	500	500	2000

 Hybrid basis [\[Haber, Stål\]](#)

m_{h^0}	m_{H^0}	$\cos(\beta - \alpha)$	$\tan \beta$	Z_4	Z_5	Z_7
125.03	200	4.994×10^{-2}	20	-3.465	-3.465	3.286×10^{-2}

- Fermiophobic limit: $\sin \alpha = 0$ for type I 2HDM
- LHC Higgs signal strength: $\sin(\beta - \alpha) \lesssim 1 \Rightarrow \tan \beta \gg 1$
- Unitarity: moderate m_{12}^2

Phenomenology

Phenomenological portrayal

- Lightest neutral CP -even state: h^0 with $m_{h^0} = 125.03$ GeV & SM-like couplings
- Heavier neutral CP -even state: H^0
 - Fully decoupled from fermions
 - Fully decoupled from gluons
 - Barely coupled to VV , h^0h^0

♣ An experimental challenge

Low-mass heavy scalar, yet very elusive to direct searches

Example: $pp \rightarrow h^0h^0$:

SM \simeq fermiophobic 2HDM

Hespel, DLV, Vryonidou ['14]

Opportunities

- ♠ Exploit $g_{hVV} - g_{HAV}$ complementarity
- ♠ Pairwise or associated production: ZH^+H^- , ZA^0H^0 , $W^\pm H^\mp H^0$
- ♠ Electroweak precision