

BlackMax a Black-Hole Event Generator

for $p - p$, $p - \text{antip}$ and $e^- - e^+$ collisions

<http://projects.hepforge.org/blackmax/>

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 - Classical Production of Black-Holes
 - Extra Dimension and Strong Gravity
 - Black-Holes at the LHC
 - Black-Hole evolution

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Production of Black Holes

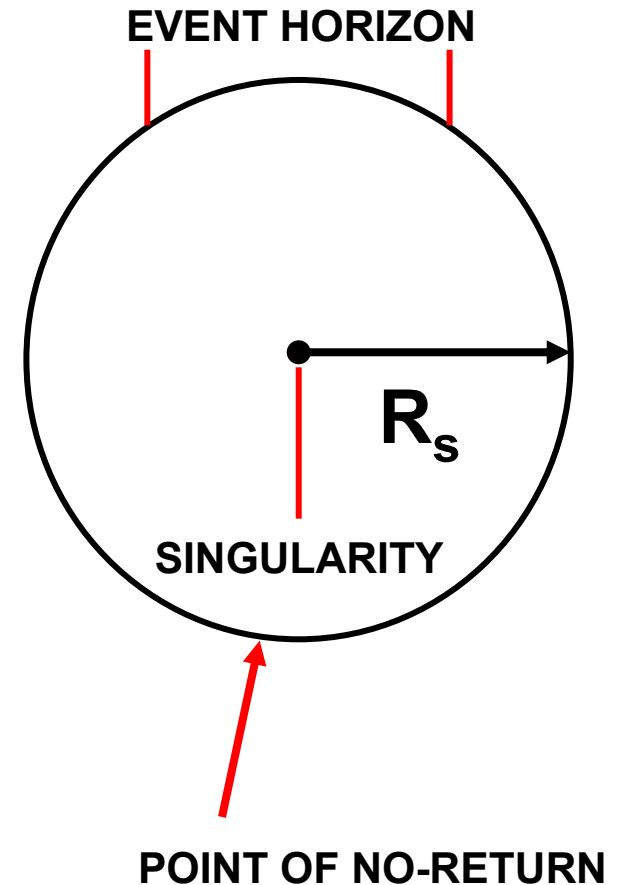


Bring mass closer than its
Schwarzschild Radius, R_s ,

$$R_s = \frac{2GM}{c^2}$$

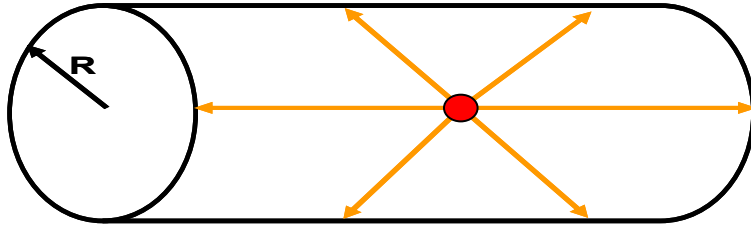
and a black hole will form!

$$R_{s \text{ Earth}} = 8.8 \text{ mm}$$



Strength of Gravity in Extra Dimension Models

$n = 1$: one extra compactified spatial dimension



$$F(r < R) \sim G_D \frac{1}{r^{n+2}}$$

$$L = 2\pi R$$

How we perceive it in our daily life



$$F(r > R) \sim G_D \frac{1}{L^n} \frac{1}{r^2} = G \frac{1}{r^2}$$

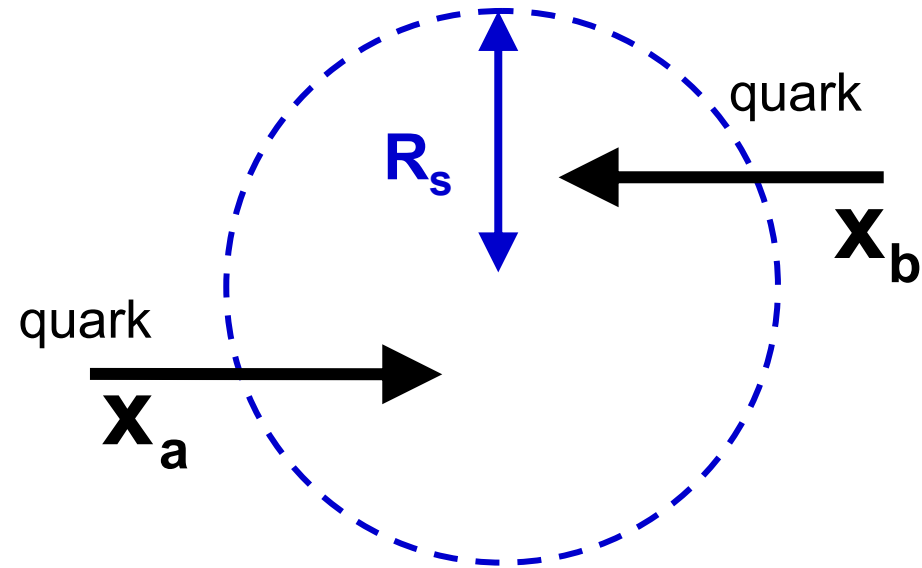
$$G_D = GL^n$$

G_D STRONG

Production of Black Holes at the LHC



$$R_s = \frac{2 G^* L^n M}{c^2}$$

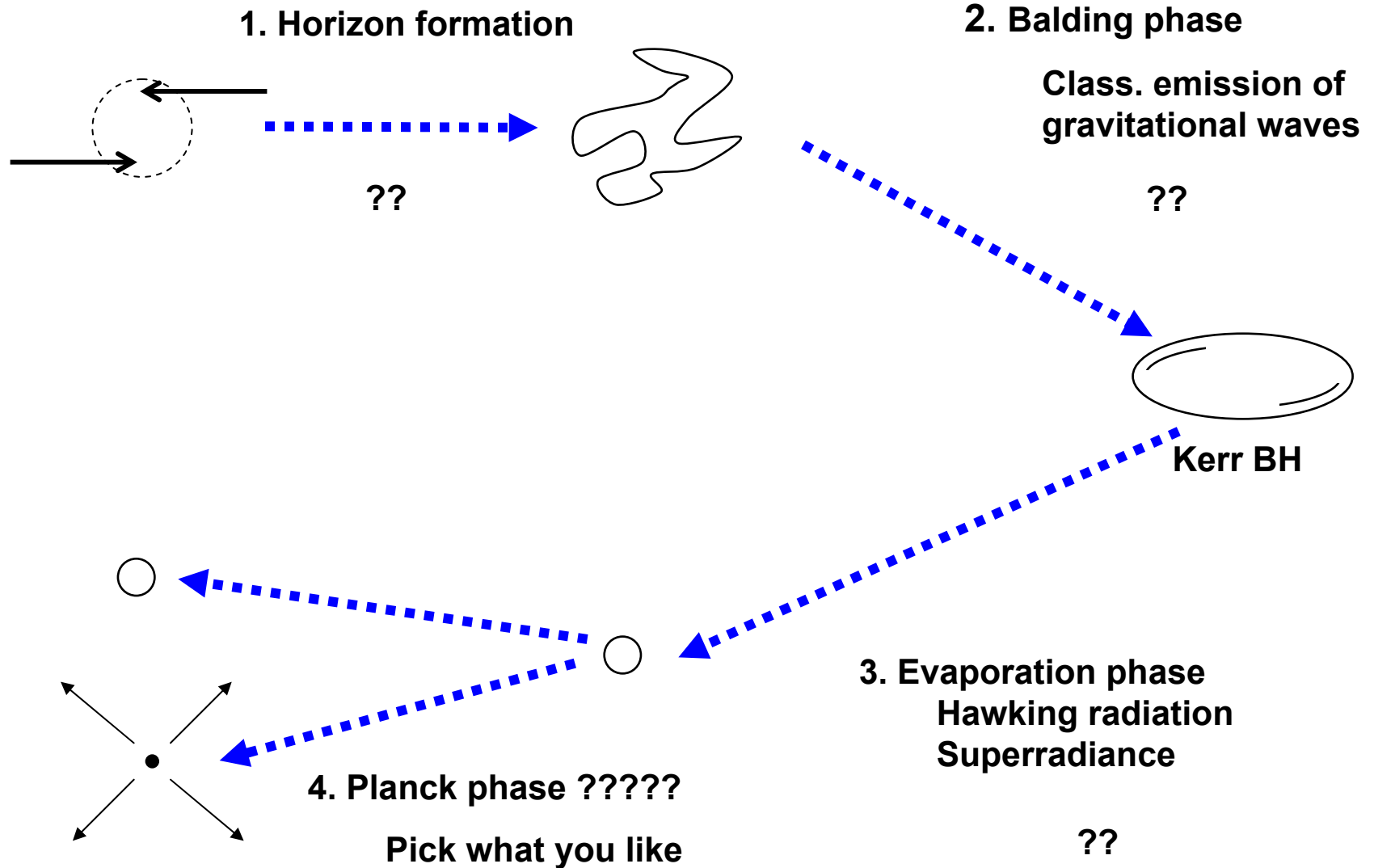


$$M = \sqrt{s x_a x_b} = \sqrt{\hat{s}}$$

$$R_s^{2\text{quarks}} \leq 10^{-18} \text{ m}$$

BH production @ LHC

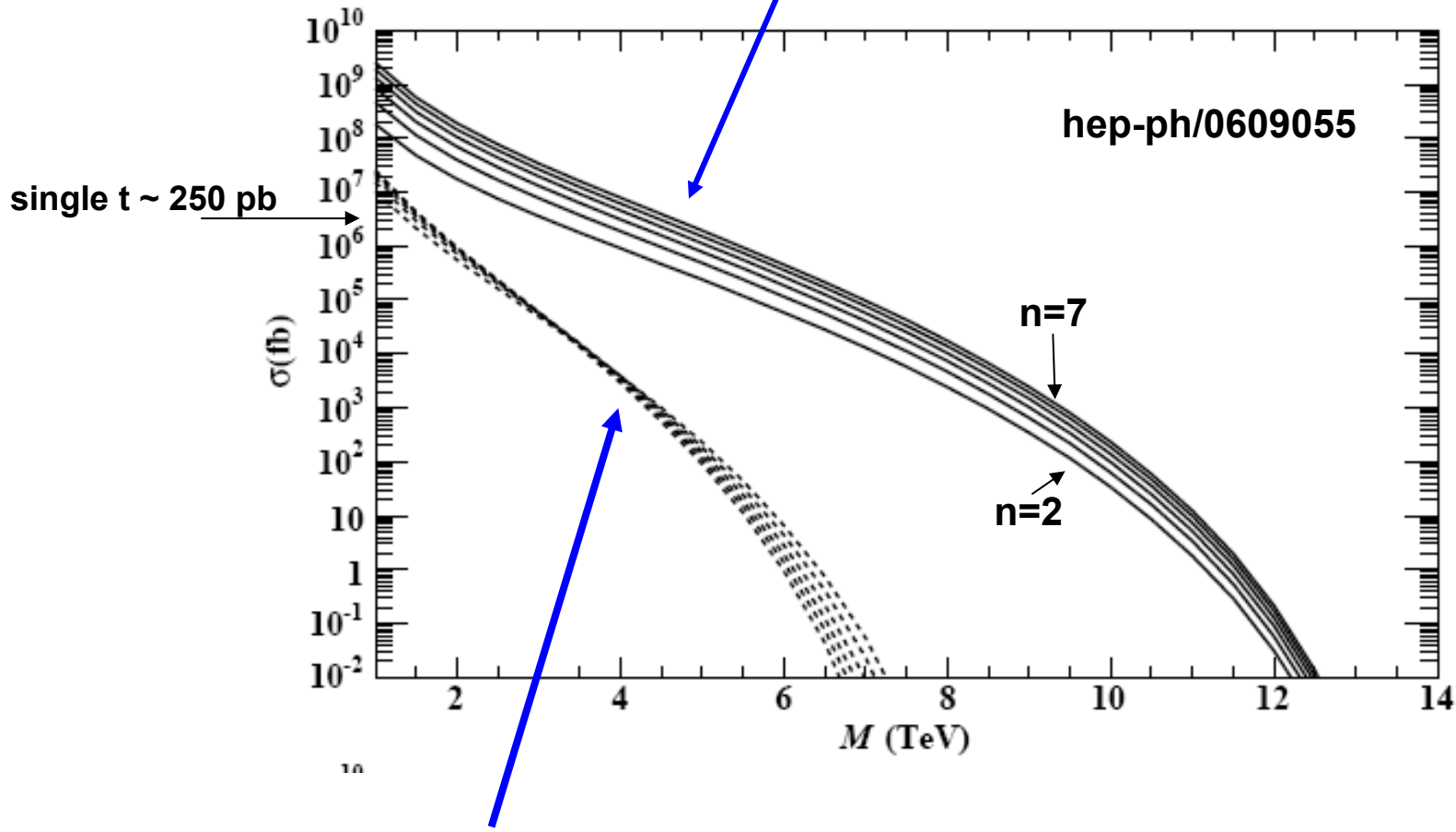
Time Evolution of Black Holes



Effect of energy loss in formation and balding phase

$M_* = 1 \text{ TeV}$

semi classical



trapped surface cross section

Black Hole Generators

- **TRUENOIR** (Dimopoulos & Landsberg, hep-ph/0106295)
 - $J=0$ only; no energy loss; fixed T ; no g.b.f.
- **CHARYBDIS** (Harris, Richardson & BW, hep-ph/0307305)
 - $J=0$ only; no energy loss; variable T ; g.b.f. included
- **CATFISH** (Cavaglia et al., hep-ph/0609001)
 - $J=0$ only; energy loss option; variable T ; g.b.f. included

State of the art BH generators:

- **BlackMax** (Dai et al., arXiv:0711.3012)
 - $J \neq 0$; energy loss option; variable T ; split & tension branes; g.b.f.
- **CHARYBDIS2** (Casals et al., **in preparation**)
 - $J \neq 0$; energy loss model; variable T ; remnant options; g.b.f.

Slide from B. Webber

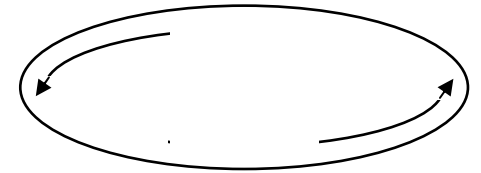
Goals of BlackMax

- Up-to-date theoretical calculations

- All grey-body factors known to date

- **Rotating** black-holes

- Graviton emission



More in J. Frost's talk

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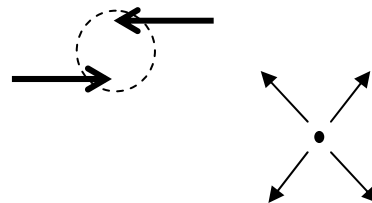
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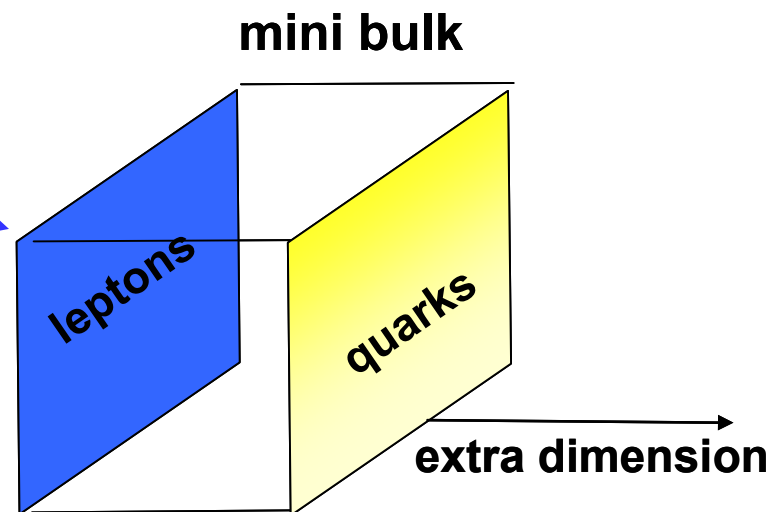
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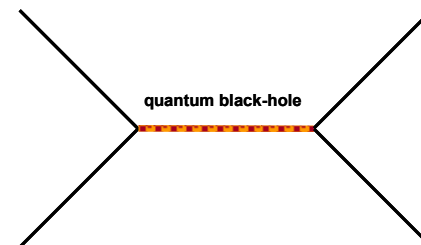
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How to steer BlackMax

- parameter.txt defines settings for BlackMax

```
Number_of_simulations  
1000
```

Number of events

```
incoming_particle(1:pp_2:ppbar_3:ee+)  
1
```

Type collision: pp

```
Center_of_mass_energy_of_incoming_particle  
14000
```

```
M_ph(GeV)  
1000.
```

Planck mass: 1000 GeV

```
definition_of_M_pl:(1:M_D_2:M_p_3:M_DL_4:put_in_by_hand)  
1
```

```
Choose_a_case:(1:tensionless_nonrotating_2:tension_nonrotating_3:rotating_nonspl  
it_4:Lisa_two_particles_final_states)  
2
```

```
number_of_extra_dimensions  
2
```

ED model: branes w tension

```
choose_a_pdf_file(200_to_240_cteq6)Or_>10000_for_LHAPDF  
200
```

```
Minimum_mass(GeV)  
5000.
```

```
Maximum_mass(GeV)  
14000.
```

How to steer BlackMax

```
do_yo_shino(1:do_0:no)
```

Parameters to steer formation/balding phase

```
0  
Mass_loss_factor(0~1.0)  
0.00  
momentum_loss_factor(0~1.0)  
0.0  
Angular_momentum_loss_factor(0~1.0)  
0.0
```

```
turn_on_graviton(0:off_1:on)
```

```
1
```

```
L_suppression(1:none_2:delta_area_3:anular_momentum_4:delta_angular_momentum)
```

```
1  
angular_momentum_suppression_factor
```

```
1  
charge_suppression(1:none_2:do)
```

```
1  
charge_suppression_factor
```

```
1  
color_suppression_factor
```

```
20
```

Evaporation phase

```
number_of_conservation
```

```
1  
d,s,b,u,c,t,e,mu,tau,nu_e,nu_mu,nu_tau  
1,1,1,1,1,1,0,0,0,0,0,0
```

**Conservation of baryon,lepton
and Flavor numbers**

Output of BlackMax

■ LHEF standard conform: arXiv:hep-ph/0609017v1

```
<LesHouchesEvents version="1.0">
<header>
<BMPara>
#*****
#*** Welcome to:          BLACKMAX
#*** Release tag : $Name: $
#*** Release ID  : $Id: BlackMax.c,v 1.66 2009/03/08 09:31:44 rizvi Exp $
#*** Release date: $Date: 2009/03/08 09:31:44 $
#*** Writing input parameter set...
#***
```

Dump of Steering file parameter.txt

```
#*** Finished writing input parameter set
#*****
#Total Cross Section = 1.8459325e+02 +/- 1.7048149e+00 pb
#*****
```

</BMPara>

</header>

<init>

2212	2212	7.0000000e+03	7.0000000e+03	0	0	10100	10100	3	1
1.8459325e+02	1.7048149e+00	0.0000000e+00	1						

</init>

<event>

19	1	1.0000000e+00	1.3993892e+04	-1.0000000e+00	-1.0000000e+00						
2	-1	0	0	506	0	0.0000000e+00	0.0000000e+00	4.9938965e+03	3.1998410e-03	0.0000000e+00	0.0000000e+00
21	-1	0	0	508	507	0.0000000e+00	0.0000000e+00	-1.6883953e+03	1.6883953e+03	8.4361105e-06	0.0000000e+00
-3	1	1	2	0	501	7.0352399e+01	7.8249107e+01	1.9950361e+02	2.2555283e+02	7.0000000e-02	0.0000000e+00
-24	1	1	2	0	0	-2.9931197e+02	-2.9644830e+02	-2.1185789e+02	4.7835259e+02	8.0425000e+01	0.0000000e+00
13	1	1	2	0	0	-4.6673588e+00	1.2874871e+02	1.1372752e+02	1.7184870e+02	1.0500000e-01	0.0000000e+00
-4	1	1	2	0	502	3.9572208e+02	5.5060457e+02	4.6740652e+02	8.2354821e+02	1.2000000e+00	0.0000000e+00
39	1	1	2	0	0	3.5316227e+02	1.2254914e+02	1.1265040e+03	1.1869091e+03	2.2120311e-05	0.0000000e+00
-2	1	1	2	0	503	-9.4872688e+01	-2.8493613e+02	-1.5440637e+01	3.0071222e+02	3.2000037e-03	0.0000000e+00
-6	1	1	2	0	504	4.5190005e+02	4.4094978e+02	4.1659057e+02	7.7712141e+02	1.7810000e+02	0.0000000e+00
2	1	1	2	505	0	-1.5666801e+02	-1.0096251e+02	4.7162677e+02	5.0711942e+02	3.2000144e-03	0.0000000e+00
-4	1	1	2	0	509	-1.9573550e+02	-3.0631969e+02	1.8405683e+01	3.6398399e+02	1.2000000e+00	0.0000000e+00
21	1	1	2	501	505	-2.0292170e+01	-1.0157417e+02	8.3393283e+01	1.3297941e+02	0.0000000e+00	0.0000000e+00
21	1	1	2	502	507	-2.5986842e+02	-1.8152664e+02	3.7626396e+02	4.9199399e+02	5.0898318e-06	0.0000000e+00
-15	1	1	2	0	0	-1.2563120e+01	8.4268364e+01	7.7901351e+01	1.1545893e+02	1.7760000e+00	0.0000000e+00
-13	1	1	2	0	0	4.7167503e+01	-1.1972342e+02	-4.7344300e+01	1.3711296e+02	1.0500000e-01	0.0000000e+00
6	1	1	2	503	0	-1.1573716e+02	-2.6248005e+01	1.1477163e+02	2.4285013e+02	1.7810000e+02	0.0000000e+00
4	1	1	2	504	0	-2.9734740e+01	-6.8791226e+00	-1.3147456e+00	3.0571975e+01	1.2000000e+00	0.0000000e+00
4	1	1	2	506	0	-1.1885981e+02	8.0898128e+00	9.3872891e+01	1.5167946e+02	1.2000000e+00	0.0000000e+00
-5	1	1	2	0	510	-9.9933559e+00	1.1158507e+01	2.1491011e+01	2.6530793e+01	4.2000000e+00	0.0000000e+00

</event>

BlackMaxLHRecord.lhe

Detailed User Manual available

Manual of BlackMax

A black-hole event generator with rotation, recoil, split branes, and brane tension

Version 2.00

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Summary

- Introduction into black-holes at the LHC
- Versatile Generator: **BlackMax**
 - Evaluation of systematics
 - Rotating black holes
 - Different ED scenarios
 - Quantum Black Holes
 - And many more features
- Sign up for our email list at <http://www.hepforge.org/lists/listinfo/blackmax>



Backup Slides

Comparison with Charybids 1.003

- Charybdis:
 - Non-rotating BHs
 - Branes have no width
- BlackMax:
 - Rotating BHs
 - Brane have finite width of M_{pl}^{-1}

Comparison with Charybdis 1.003

$$\sigma_{CH} = \pi r_s^2 \quad \sigma_{BM} = b_d^2 \pi r_s^2 \quad b_d = \frac{2}{\left(1 + \left(\frac{d-1}{2}\right)^2\right)^{\frac{1}{d-2}}}$$

d number of space dimensions

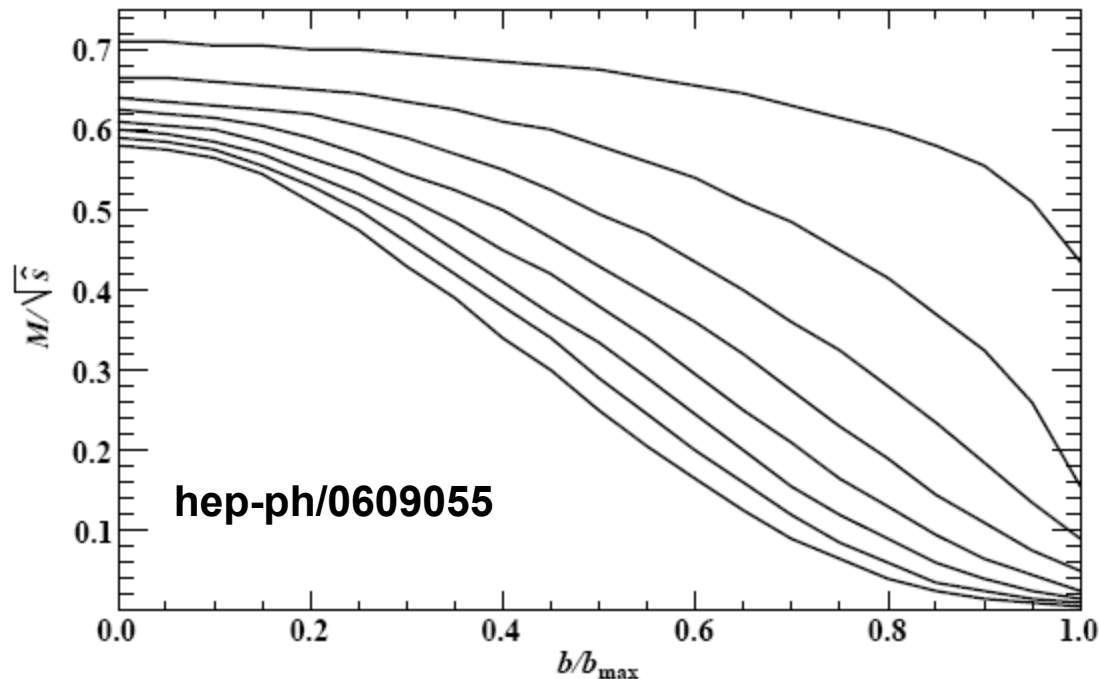
Table 1: $M_D=1000$ GeV, $M_{bh} > 5000$ GeV, and D is the total number of dimensions (space + time).

D	σ_{ch} [pb]	σ_{bm} [pb]	σ_{bm} with $L_{extra} = 0$ [pb]	σ_{bm}/σ_{ch}	σ_{bm}/σ_{ch} with $L_{extra} = 0$	b_d^2
6	75.20 ± 0.6968	90.69 ± 0.8407	99.70 ± 0.9128	1.21	1.32	1.36
7	122.0 ± 1.126	161.9 ± 1.502	177.0 ± 1.638	1.32	1.45	1.48
8	172.6 ± 1.590	247.6 ± 2.304	266.2 ± 2.449	1.43	1.54	1.59
9	225.7 ± 2.076	352.7 ± 3.149	369.0 ± 3.285	1.56	1.63	1.69
10	280.7 ± 2.579	455.2 ± 4.182	484.8 ± 4.419	1.62	1.72	1.78

3 % difference

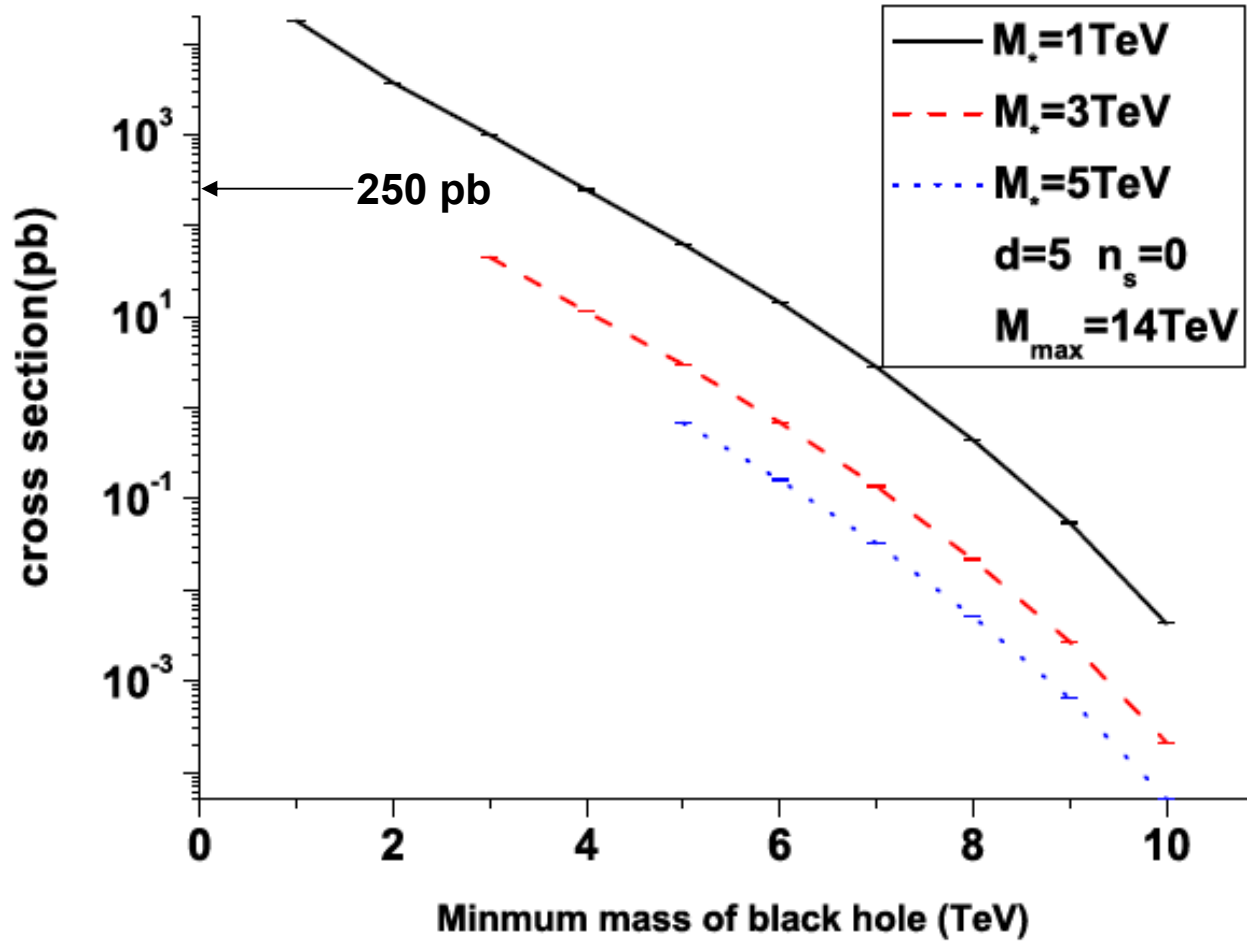
Trapped Energy Discussion

- Formation of BH is very non-linear and complicated
- $M_{\text{BH}} < \hat{S}$
- Fractions of E, p and J are lost before settling to a BH!
- Yoshino & Rychkov calculated energy loss



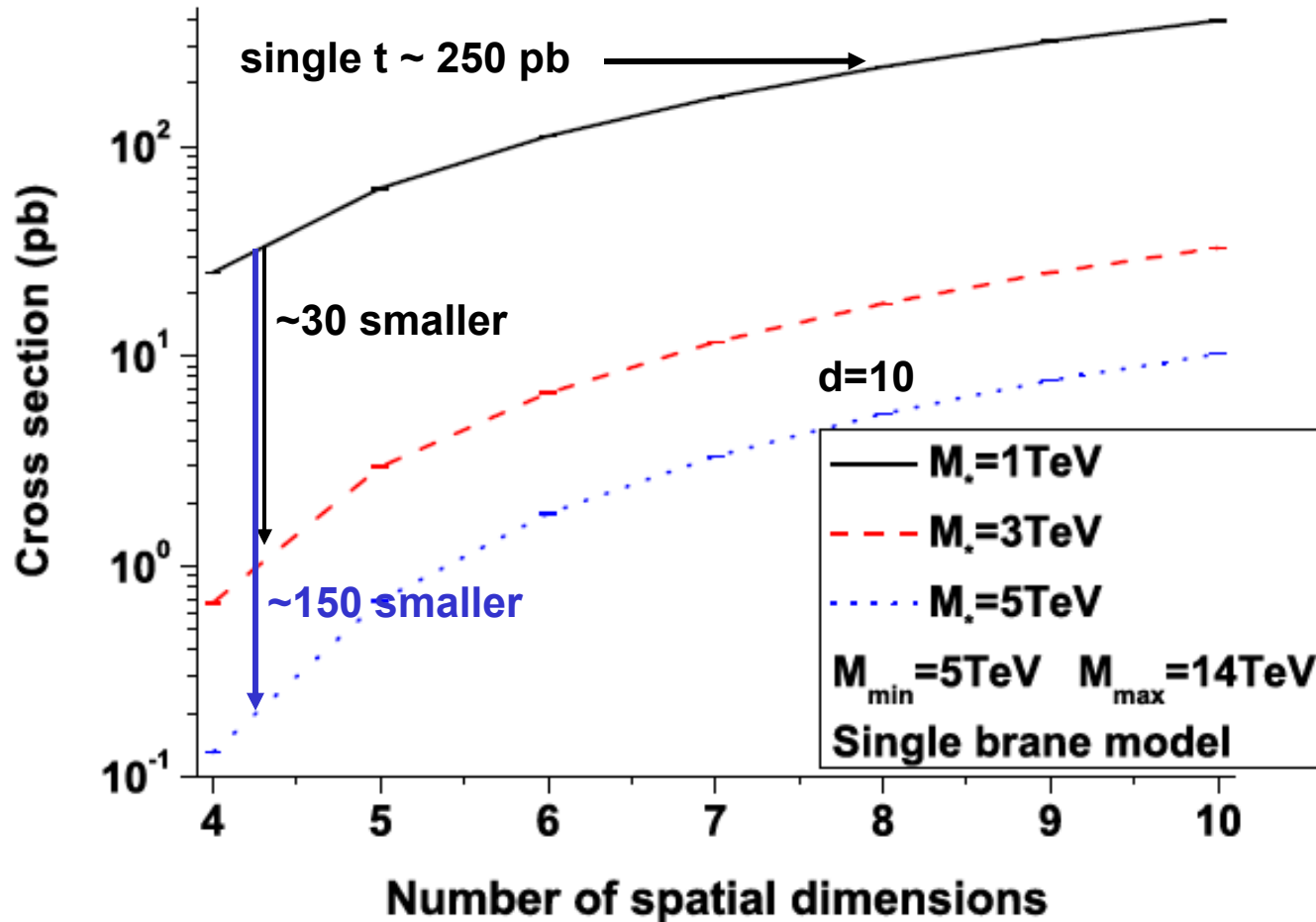
Production Cross Section for flat tensionless Brane

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Production Cross Sections for flat, tensionless Brane

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Split Fermion Brane Extra Dimensions

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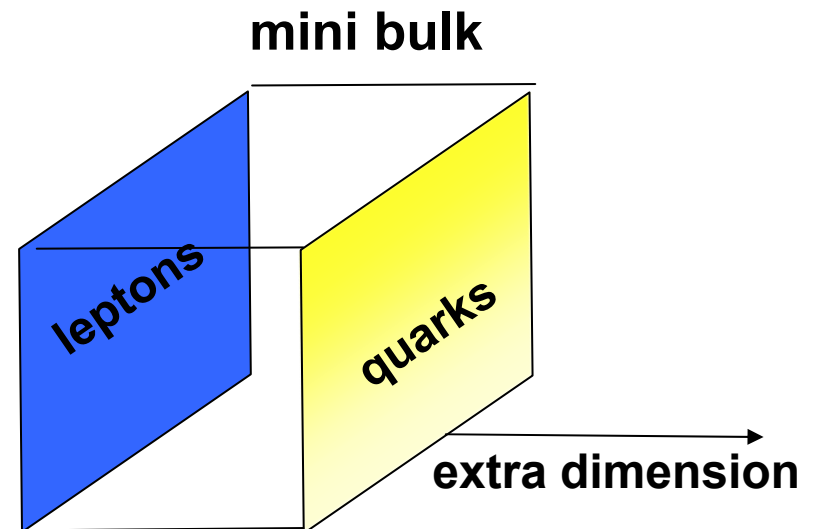
BH don't conserve B or L or flavour

- induced proton decay!
- $n - \bar{n}$ oscillations!
- Flavour changing neutron currents or large neutrino mixing

Introduce new symmetries

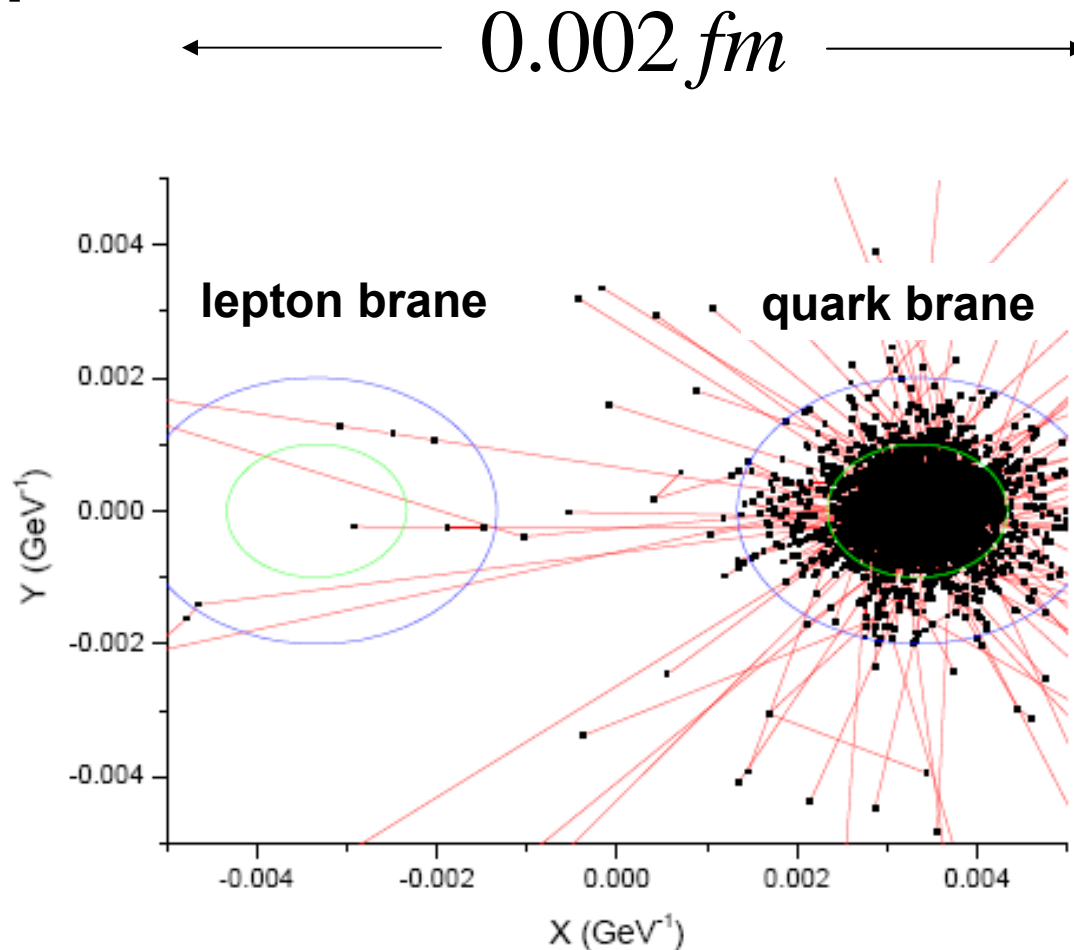
OR

SPLIT



Split Fermion Brane Extra Dimensions

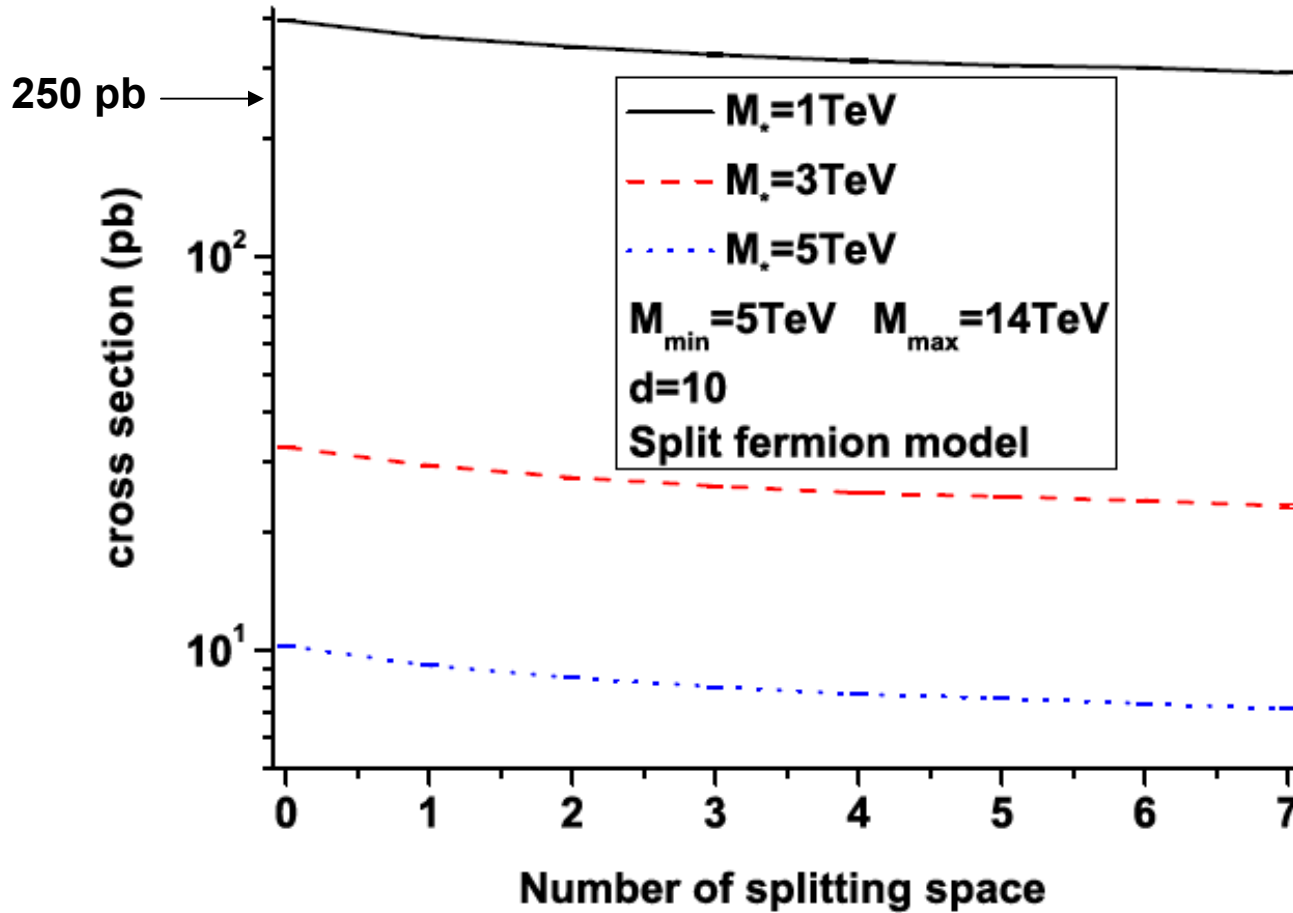
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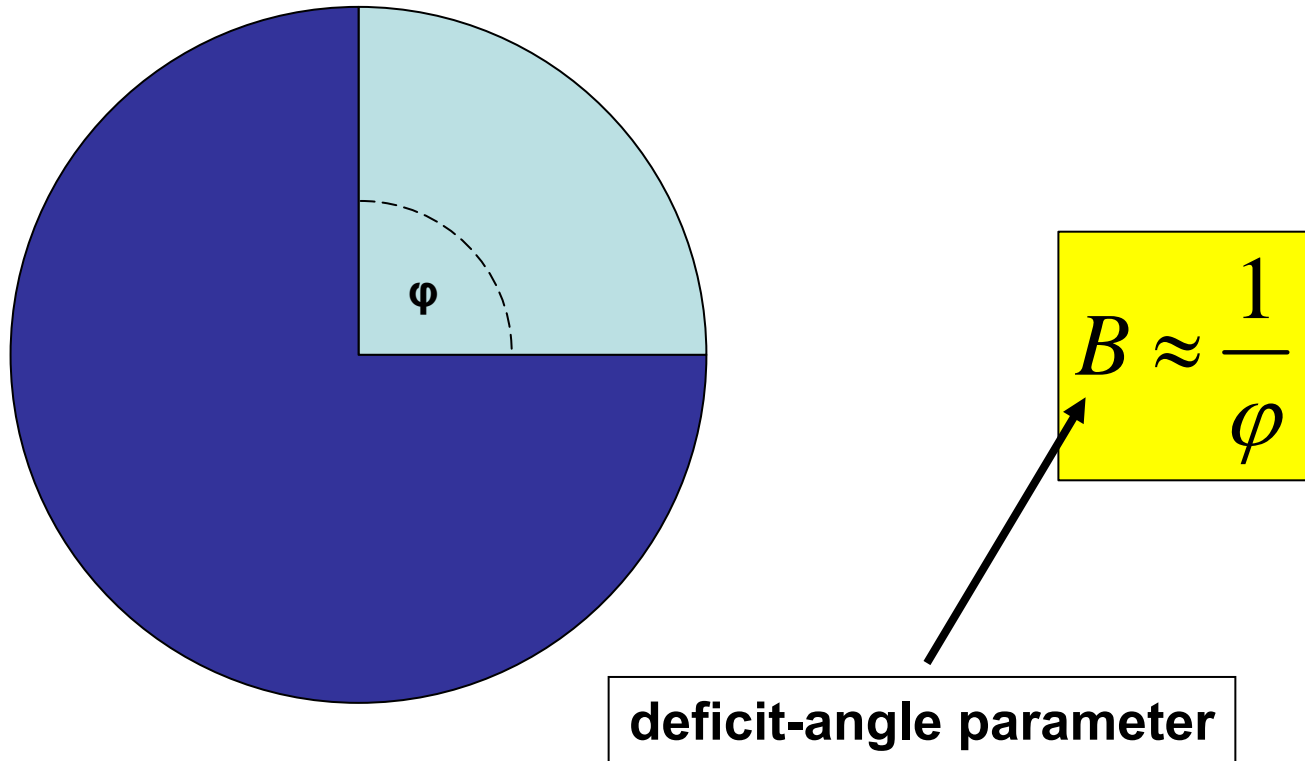
BH at the LHC will decay mainly into quarks and gluons!

Production Cross Section for Split Fermion EDs

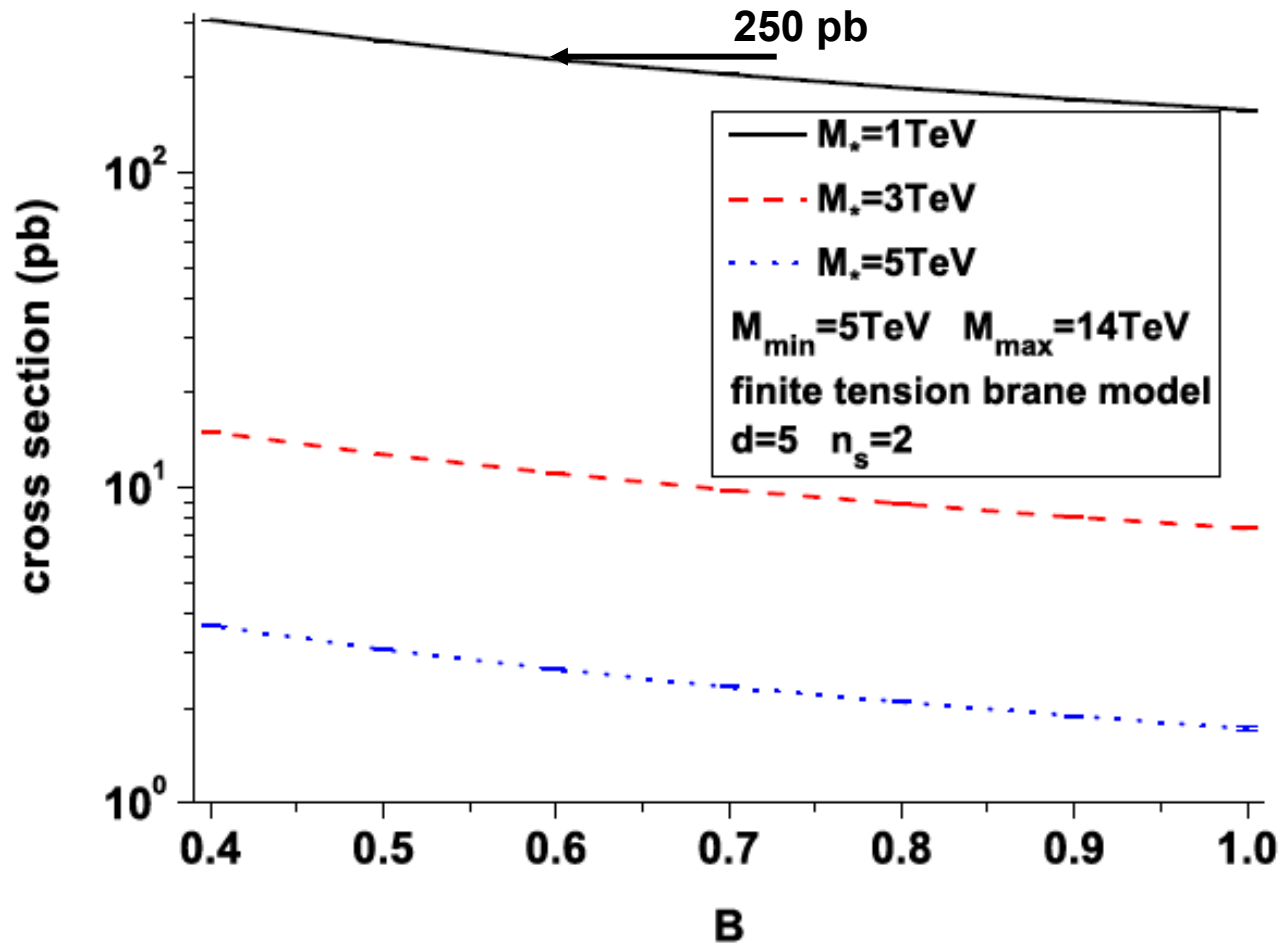
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Branes with positive Tension



Production Cross Section on Brane with Tension



scenario	q + g	leptons	W, Z	ν	G	H	photons
d=4, J=0	79%	9.5%	5.7%	3.9%	0.2%	0.9%	0.8%
d=10, J=0	74%	7.7%	6.8%	3.2%	6.5%	0.7%	1.5%
d=10, J=0, $n_s=7$	84%	1.8%	5.4%	0.5%	6.7%	0.3%	1.6%
d=5, J=0, $n_s=2$, B=0.4	96%	1.6%	1.7%	0.15%	0.4%	0.2%	0.3%
d=10, J>0	78%	6.5%	9.6%	2.5%	No grey body factors	0.7%	2.6%