

# Split SUSY

## Perspectives from Cosmology and Collider Physics

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MR and Wei Xue, “SUSY’s Ladder: reframing sequestering at Large Volume,” arXiv:1512.04941

Prateek Agrawal, JiJi Fan, MR, and Wei Xue, “Deciphering the MSSM Higgs Mass at Future Hadron Colliders,” arXiv:1702.05484

# 1. Model-Building and Cosmology

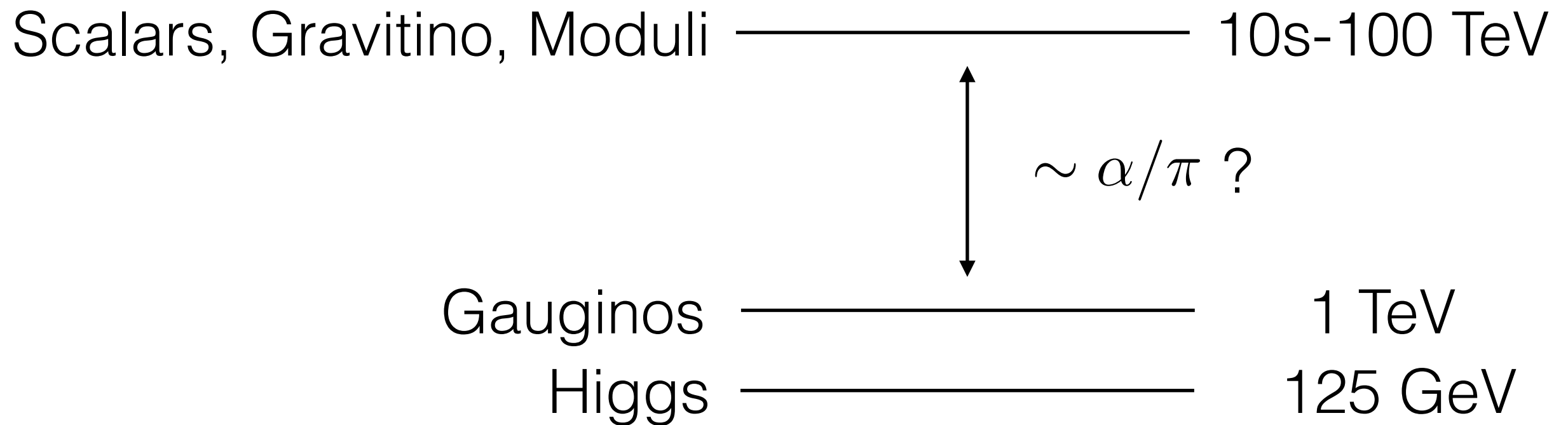
# Reasons to like split SUSY

- Theory: simple models of SUSY breaking (gauge mediation, AMSB, ...) tend to give

$$m_\lambda \ll m_{\tilde{f}}$$

- Easy to achieve  $m_h = 125$  GeV from loops
- Consistent with gauge coupling unification
- Simplicity: data is forcing us toward some amount of tuning anyway; why build elaborate models that require 1% tuning?
- Could be consistent with SUSY dark matter

# Split SUSY, Take 1:



- Heavy scalars (10s of TeV) at large  $\tan \beta$ : right Higgs mass
- Loop factor: arises in AMSB (Giudice, Luty, Murayama, Rattazzi '98) and some moduli mediation
- Late-time gravitino and moduli decays populate nonthermal dark matter, e.g. winos (Moroi, Randall '99; Kane et al.)

Many recent papers on “Mini-Split”: Arvanitaki et al., Arkani-Hamed et al., ...

# Gravitino Decays

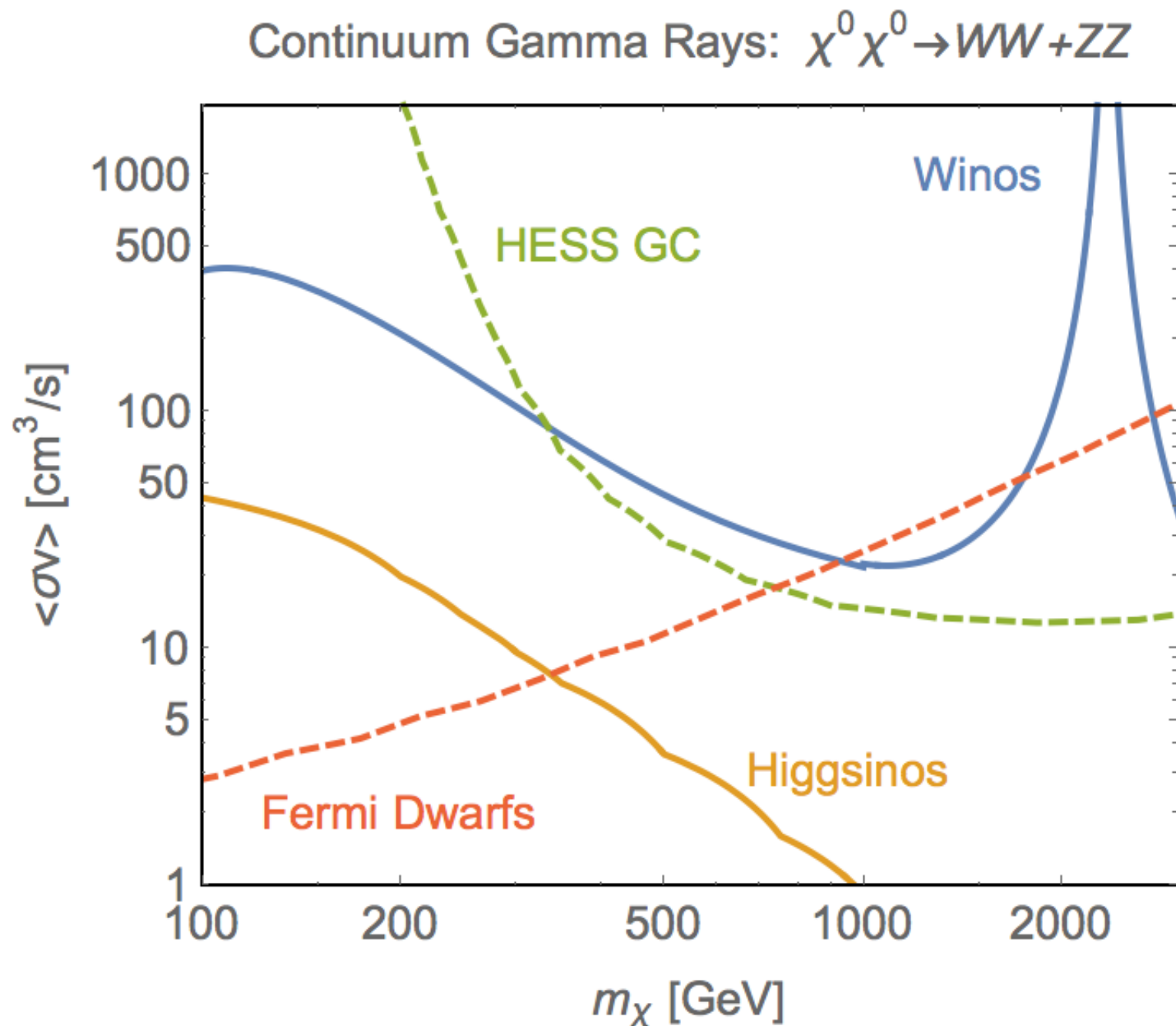
Grav. strength  $\Gamma_{3/2} = \frac{193}{384\pi} \frac{m_{3/2}^3}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2}$ . Decays when CMB temp. is

$$T_{\text{dec}} \approx 10 \text{ MeV} \left( \frac{m_{3/2}}{100 \text{ TeV}} \right)^{3/2}$$

## Regimes of gravitino mass:

|  |                           |   | $m_{3/2}$   |
|--|---------------------------|---|---|
|  | $m_{\chi_1^0}$            | 100 TeV                                   | $10^4 \text{ TeV}$  |
| Grav. LSP;<br>tends to<br>overclose.<br>Light sparticles | Grav. decays<br>spoil BBN | Grav. decays<br>alter DM relic<br>density | Grav. decays<br>safe:<br>$T_{\text{dec}} > T_{\text{FO}}$ |

# Trouble: Indirect Detection



Continuum photons:  
Fermi-LAT dwarf  
galaxy bounds  
(1503.02641) and  
HESS galactic center  
with NFW profile  
(1607.08142)

Also line searches at high energies. Winos essentially ruled out as 100% DM! Higgsinos ruled out to  $\sim 340$  GeV.  
Cohen, Lisanti, Pierce, Slatyer 1307.4082; Fan, MR 1307.4400

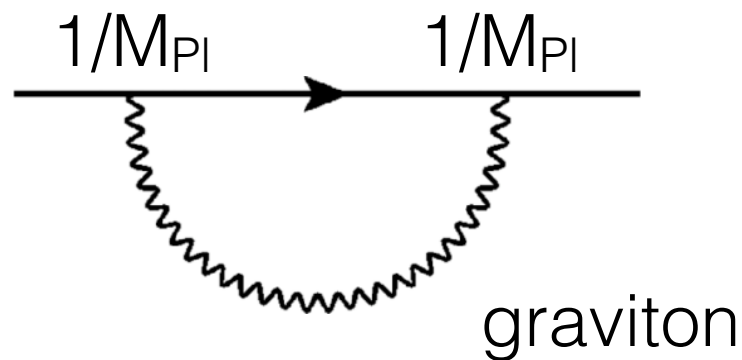
# Ways Out?

- R-parity violation? Lose SUSY dark matter.
- Thermal inflation to dilute unwanted relics?
- MSSM decays to hidden sectors?
- Can we just **decouple** the gravitino while keeping DM at the weak scale?

# Decoupling the Gravitino

Can we keep gauginos at a TeV (e.g. for dark matter, LHC signals) while putting the gravitino above  $10^4$  TeV?

**Dimensional analysis / EFT: yes, but only in a theory with a low cutoff.**



$$\text{No SUSY: } \delta m^2 \sim \frac{\Lambda^4}{16\pi^2 M_{\text{Pl}}^2}$$

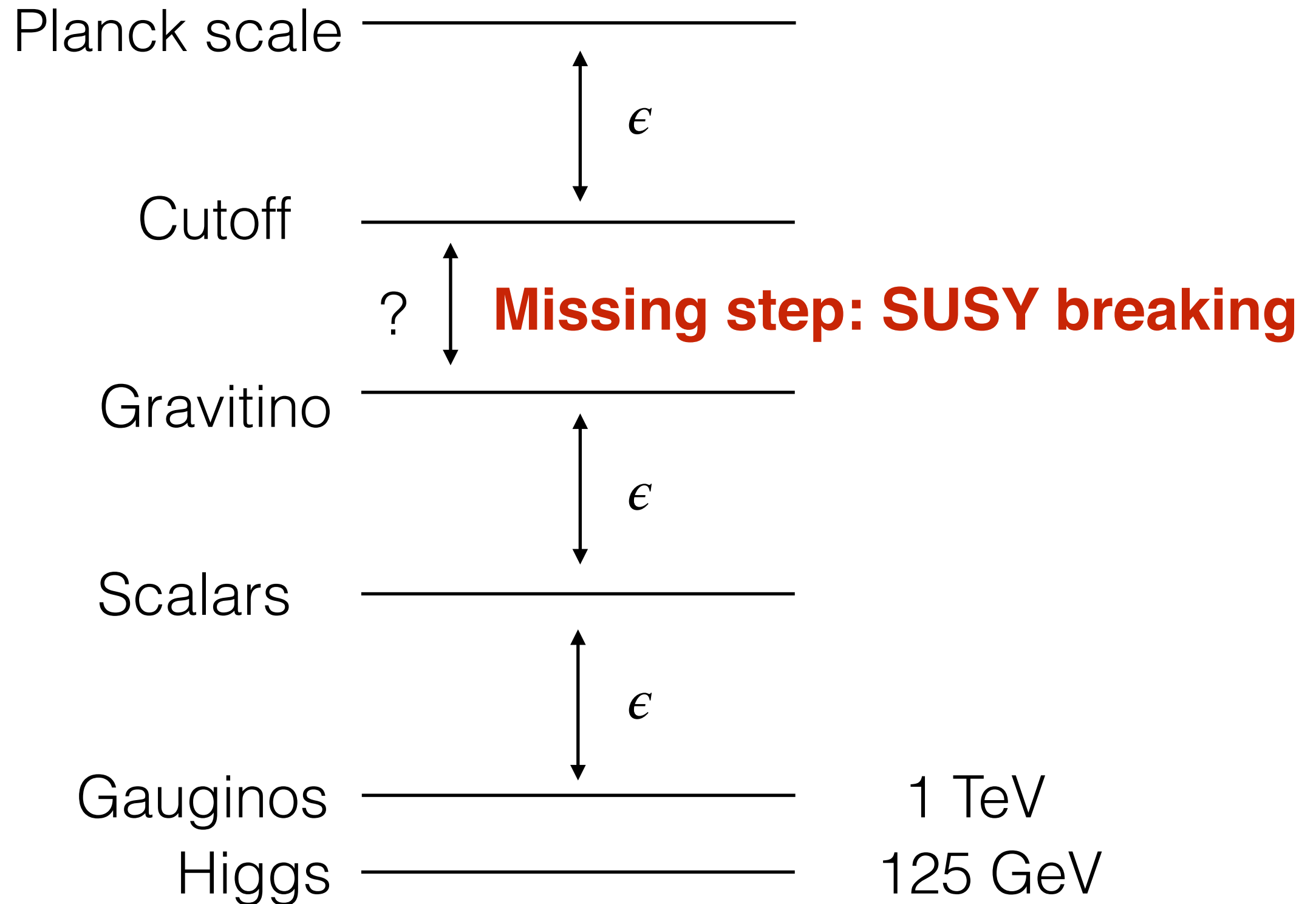
$$\text{SUSY: } \delta m^2 \sim \frac{\Lambda^2 m_{3/2}^2}{16\pi^2 M_{\text{Pl}}^2}$$

Gauginos: gravitino mass breaks  $R$  and chiral symmetries

$$\delta m_\lambda \sim \frac{\Lambda^2}{16\pi^2 M_{\text{Pl}}^2} m_{3/2}$$



# Split SUSY, Take 2:



# Where Did AMSB Go?

A naive expectation is that we ***always*** have

$$m_{\text{gaugino}} \gtrsim \frac{\alpha}{\pi} m_{3/2} \quad (\text{naive})$$

due to anomaly mediation. But AMSB can be suppressed!  
A useful approach is to work in superspace with the *conformal compensator* formalism, in which we have:

$$m_{\text{gaugino}} \gtrsim \frac{\alpha}{\pi} F_\phi \quad (\text{correct})$$

**Key phenomenological question to decouple the gravitino (and, possibly, moduli) problems:**

How to achieve  $F_\phi \ll m_{3/2}$ , i.e., **no-scale structure?**

# Where Do We Find No-Scale Structure?

A simple, classic example is compactifying 5D supergravity on a circle. Gives rise to what I'll call “**single-field no-scale structure**”:

$$\int d^4\theta \phi^\dagger \phi (T + T^\dagger)$$

If this is the **only** term involving  $T$  in the Lagrangian,

$$\frac{\delta}{\delta F_T^\dagger} : F_\phi = 0$$

Ellis, Enqvist, Nanopoulos '84

Luty, Sundrum '99

Arkani-Hamed, Dimopoulos '04

**Scalar field with kinetic term *only* via mixing with gravity!**

# Single-Field No-Scale

MR and Xue, 1512.04941

When can an overall rescaling of  $n$  extra dimensions provide no-scale structure? KK reduce and Weyl transform to **remove** volume mode's kinetic term:

$$\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{16\pi G_d} \int d^d x \sqrt{-g} \mathcal{R} L^\alpha, \quad \text{where } \alpha = \sqrt{\frac{n(n+d-2)}{d-1}}$$

Want  $L^\alpha$  to be **real part of chiral superfield** with shift symmetry. So when is  $\alpha$  an **integer  $p$** ? Then imaginary part of superfield can come from  **$p$ -form gauge field**.

*Only two integer solutions:*

$d = 4$ :  
 $n = 1, p = 1$ . 5D  $\rightarrow$  4D, 1-form gauge field  
 $n = 6, p = 4$ . 10D  $\rightarrow$  6D, 4-form gauge field

# Single-Field No-Scale

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It isn't an accident that phenomenological models of no-scale structure have been discussed in the literature mostly in two cases:

5D SUGRA compactified on a circle  
10D Type IIB SUGRA at large volume  
(IIB, not IIA, because of the 4-form)

Any other case will involve multiple fields enforcing no-scale and is likely less robust.

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Need to study moduli stabilization and SUSY breaking to complete the spectrum I drew earlier.

***Decoupled gravitino problem, but not the moduli problem.***

For the IIB case, we can draw on the well-studied string theory **Large Volume Scenario** for SUSY breaking:

Balasubramanian, Berglund, Conlon, Quevedo '04

Conlon, Quevedo, Suruliz '05

...

Aparicio, Cicoli, Krippendorff, Maharana, Muia, Quevedo '14

These papers are full of mysterious cancelations. We found that they are all easily understood by working in the right superspace formalism: Cheung-D'Eramo-Thaler gauge.

# Cheung/D'Eramo/Thaler Gauge

Work in superspace with a conformal compensator:

$$\Phi = e^{\mathbf{Z}/3} (1 + f_\Phi \theta^2)$$

$$\mathbf{Z} = \frac{1}{M_{\text{Pl}}^2} [\langle K/2 - iM_{\text{Pl}}^2 \arg W \rangle + \langle K_i \rangle (\mathbf{X}^i - \langle X^i \rangle)]$$

removing kinetic mixing of modulus and graviton.

No-scale limit: conformal compensator  $\Phi$  linear in

modulus but lacks  $F$ -term:  $\Phi = \frac{1}{\langle T + T^\dagger \rangle^{1/2}} e^{-\mathbf{T}^c/(\sqrt{3}M_{\text{Pl}})} \left( 1 + \frac{\mathbf{T}^c|_{\theta^2}}{\sqrt{3}M_{\text{Pl}}} \theta^2 \right)$

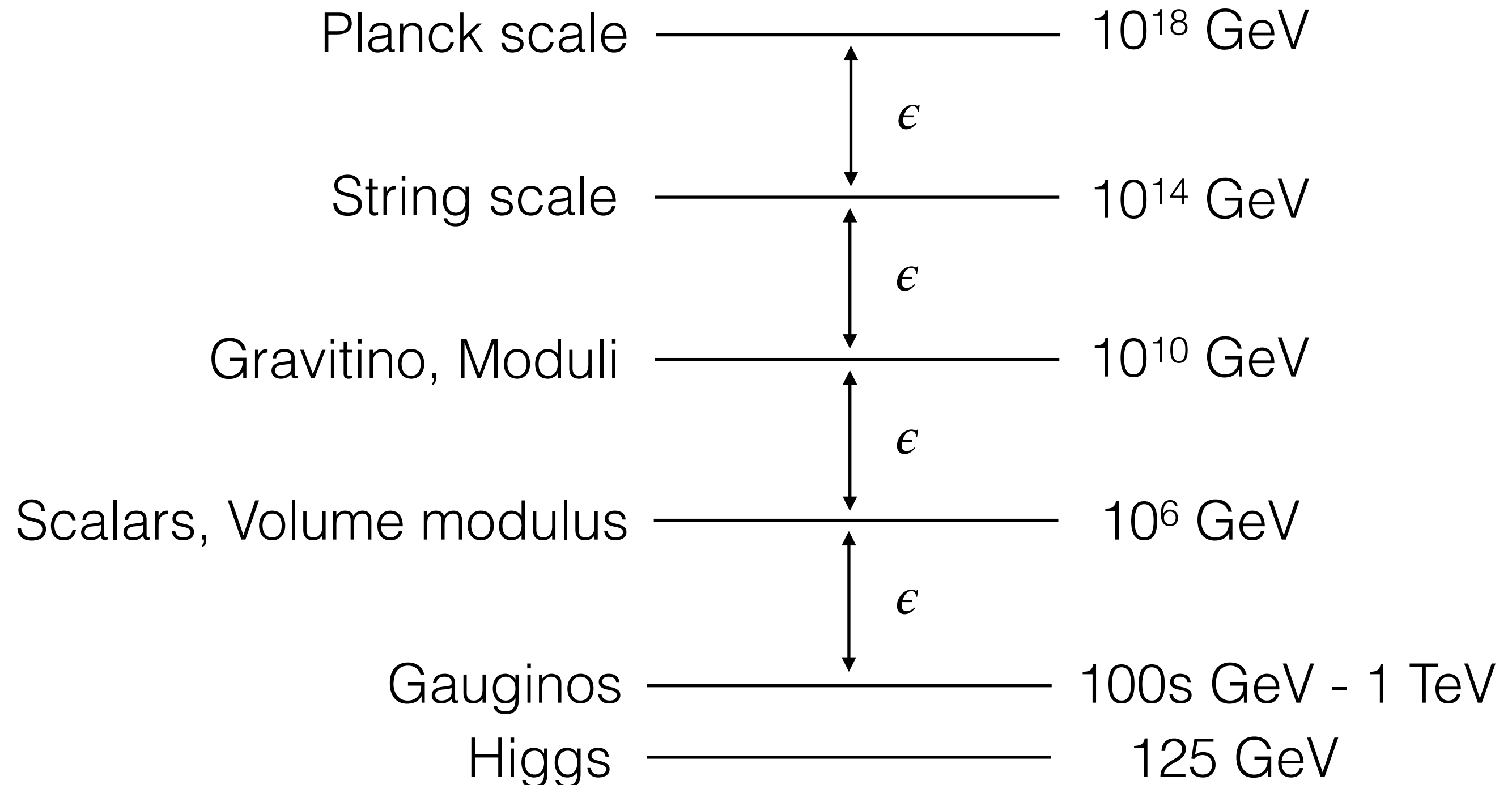
Result: sequestered Kähler potential

$$\int d^4\theta \Phi^\dagger \Phi [\mathbf{Q}^\dagger \mathbf{Q} + \bar{\mathbf{Q}}^\dagger \bar{\mathbf{Q}} + (z \bar{\mathbf{Q}} \mathbf{Q} + \text{h.c.})]$$

leads to moduli decays to scalars but not fermions in the  $\mathbf{Q}$  multiplets! Unfortunately, doesn't seem to immediately solve our dark matter overabundance problem.

# SUSY's Ladder

Simple estimate of moduli stabilization possibilities leads to possible realization of gravitino decoupling from 10D IIB





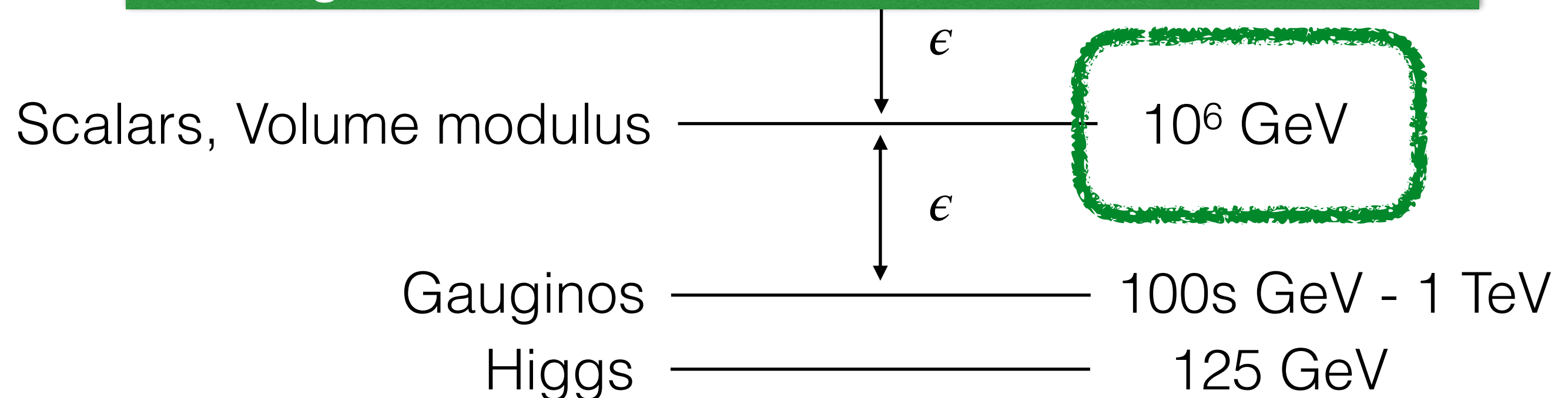
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Planck scale —————  $10^{18}$  GeV

**Scalar mass  $\sim 1000$  TeV: good for  $m_h = 125$  GeV starting from universal scalar masses at GUT scale. (RG running gives  $\tan \beta = 2$ )**

**see: Bagnaschi, Giudice, Slavich, Strumia 1407.4081**



# Loop Corrections: Coleman-Weinberg

Can ask: are the volume-suppressed Kähler terms we assume radiatively stable? Have quadratic divergences:

$$\delta K = \frac{\Lambda^2}{16\pi^2} \log \det K^{(2)}$$

(one of several terms in 1-loop C-W potential)

matrix of 2nd derivs  
of Kähler potential

**Key point:** cutoff scale is field-dependent; at most, it's the string scale  $\sim M_{\text{Pl}}/(T + T^\dagger)^{3/4}$

$$\Omega = \mathbf{T} + \mathbf{T}^\dagger - \mathbf{Q}^\dagger \mathbf{Q} - \frac{\beta^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{\gamma + \log(\mathbf{T} + \mathbf{T}^\dagger)}{(\mathbf{T} + \mathbf{T}^\dagger)^{1/2}} + \frac{\beta^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{\gamma + 1 + \log(\mathbf{T} + \mathbf{T}^\dagger)}{(\mathbf{T} + \mathbf{T}^\dagger)^{3/2}} \mathbf{Q}^\dagger \mathbf{Q} + \dots$$

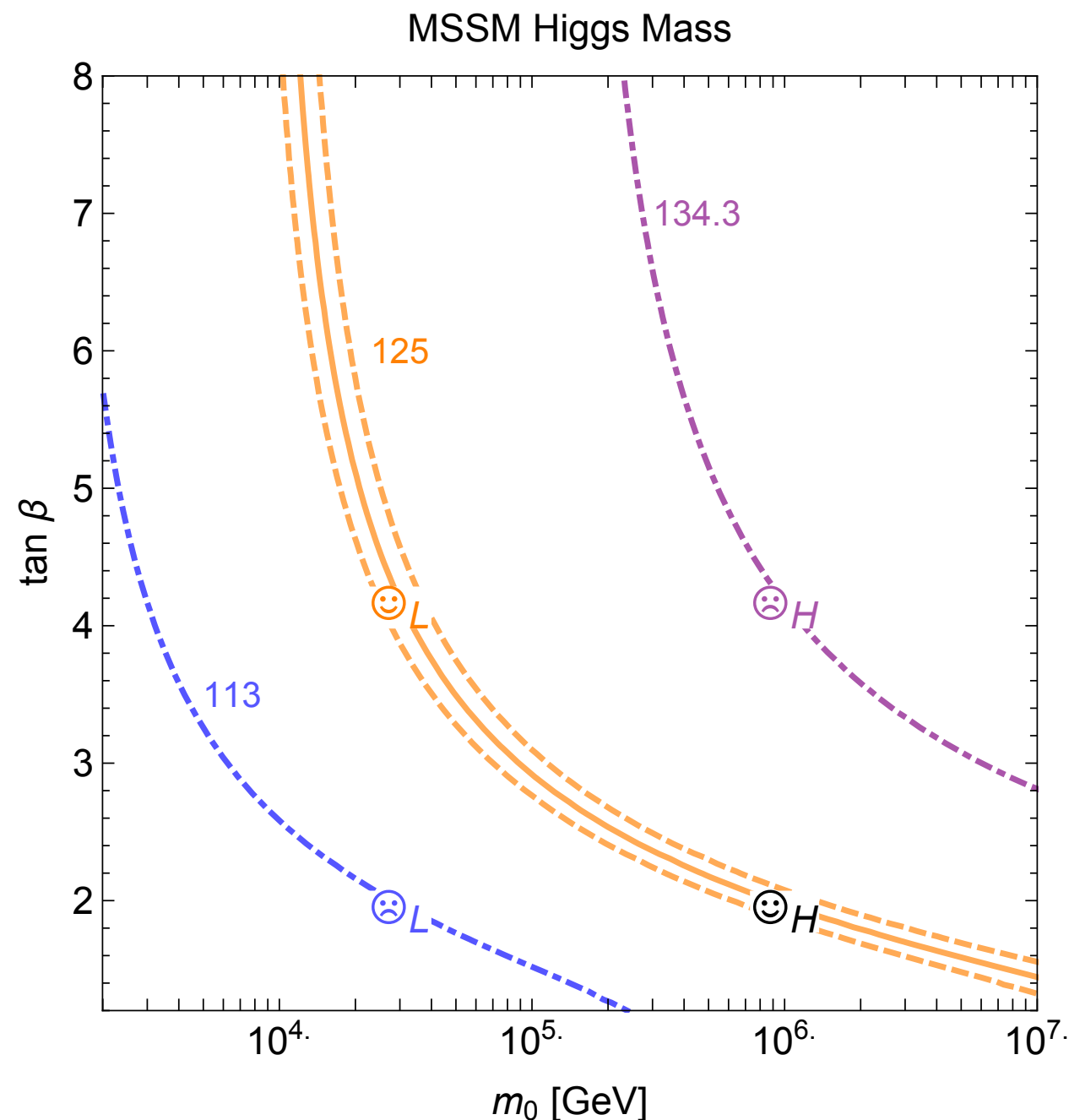
Up to logs, recover assumed structure. **Stable against loops.**

## 2. Signals at Future Colliders

(focusing on a 100 TeV pp collider)

# A Future Collider Challenge: Why 125 GeV?

Agrawal, Fan, MR, Xue, arXiv:1702.05484

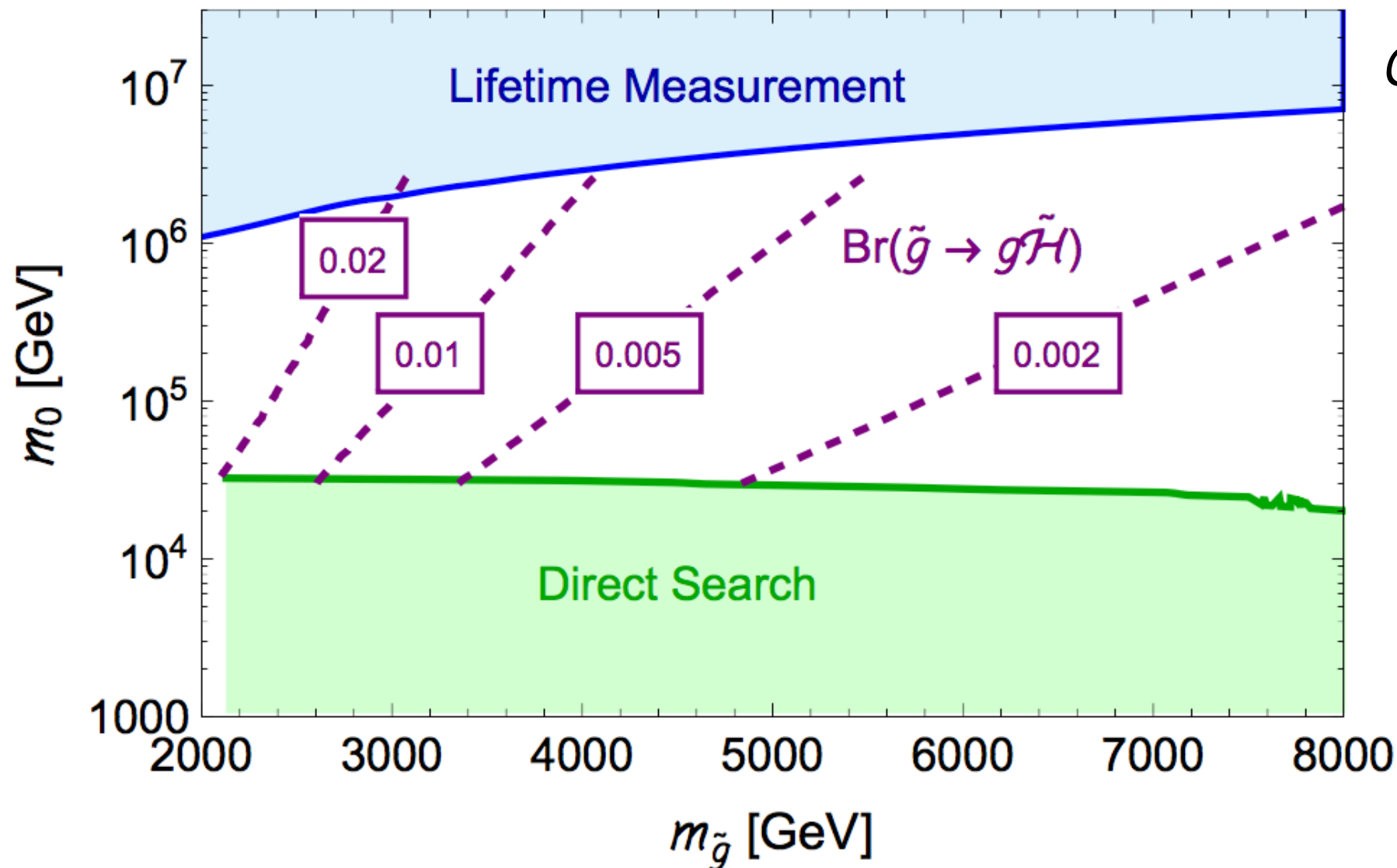
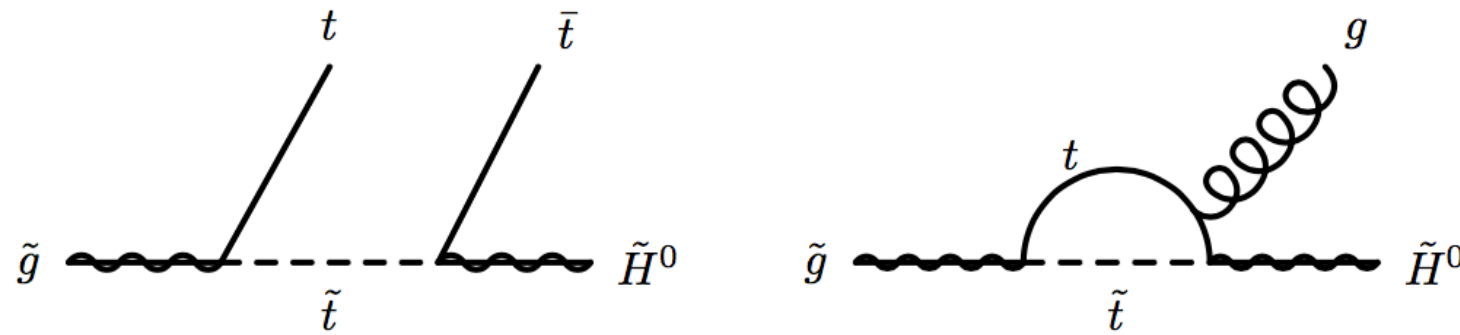


In the MSSM: basically a function of the stop mass and tan beta.

Can a future hadron collider measure them well enough to test if this is the right theory?

**Precision physics:  
millions of gluino pairs.**

# Finding the Scalar Mass



*displaced decays*

*logs from loops*

(also see Sato, Shirai, Tobioka 1207.3608)

*gluino/valence squark*

# Scalar mass: collider benchmark

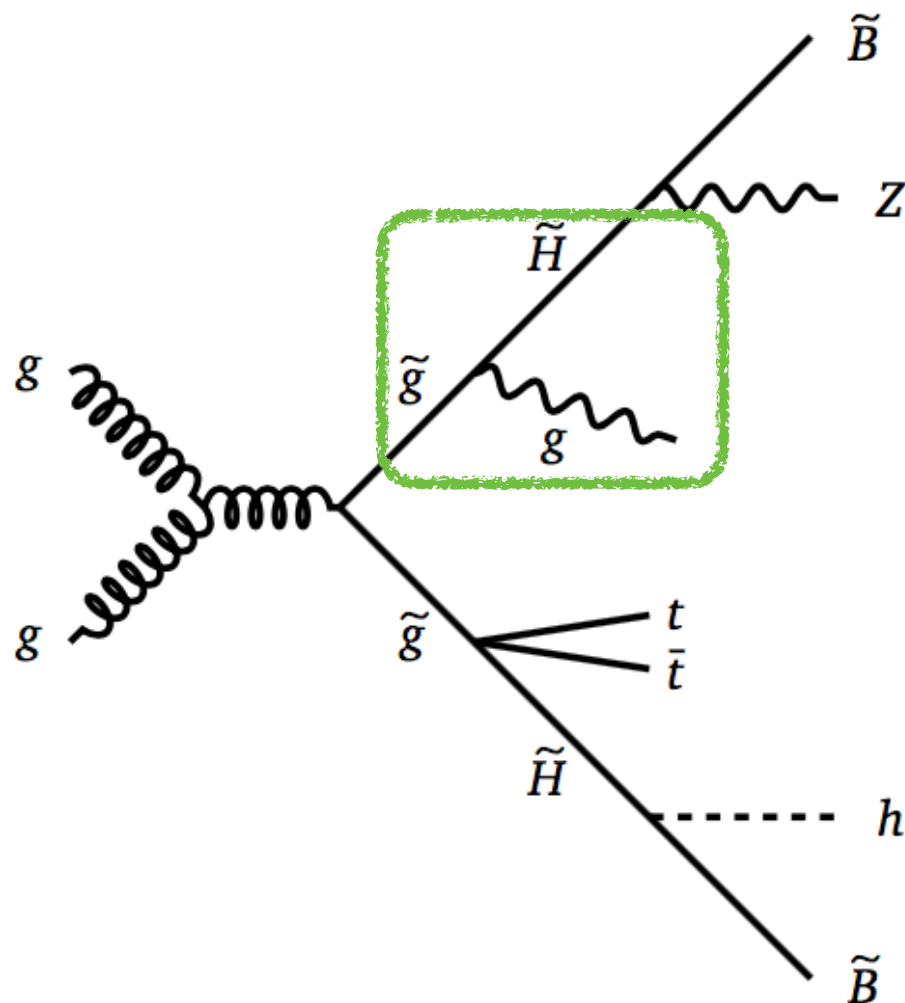
$$M_2 > |\mu| > M_1$$

$$M_3 = 2 \text{ TeV}, \quad M_2 = 800 \text{ GeV}, \quad M_1 = 200 \text{ GeV}, \quad \text{and} \quad \mu = 400 \text{ GeV}.$$

Diagnostic of scalar mass:  
rate of 1-loop

$$\widetilde{g} \rightarrow \widetilde{H} + g$$

so find a hard jet and Z on one side of event



$$H_T > 2 \text{ TeV}, \quad p_T^{\text{missing}} > 1 \text{ TeV}, \quad p_T(j_1) > 1 \text{ TeV},$$

$$N_{\text{jet}} < 5, \text{ one leptonic } Z \text{ (} 80 \text{ GeV} < m_{\ell\ell} < 100 \text{ GeV),}$$

$$m_{j_1 Z} > m_{\text{all other jets}}, \quad M_{T2}^{\ell\ell} > 80 \text{ GeV}.$$

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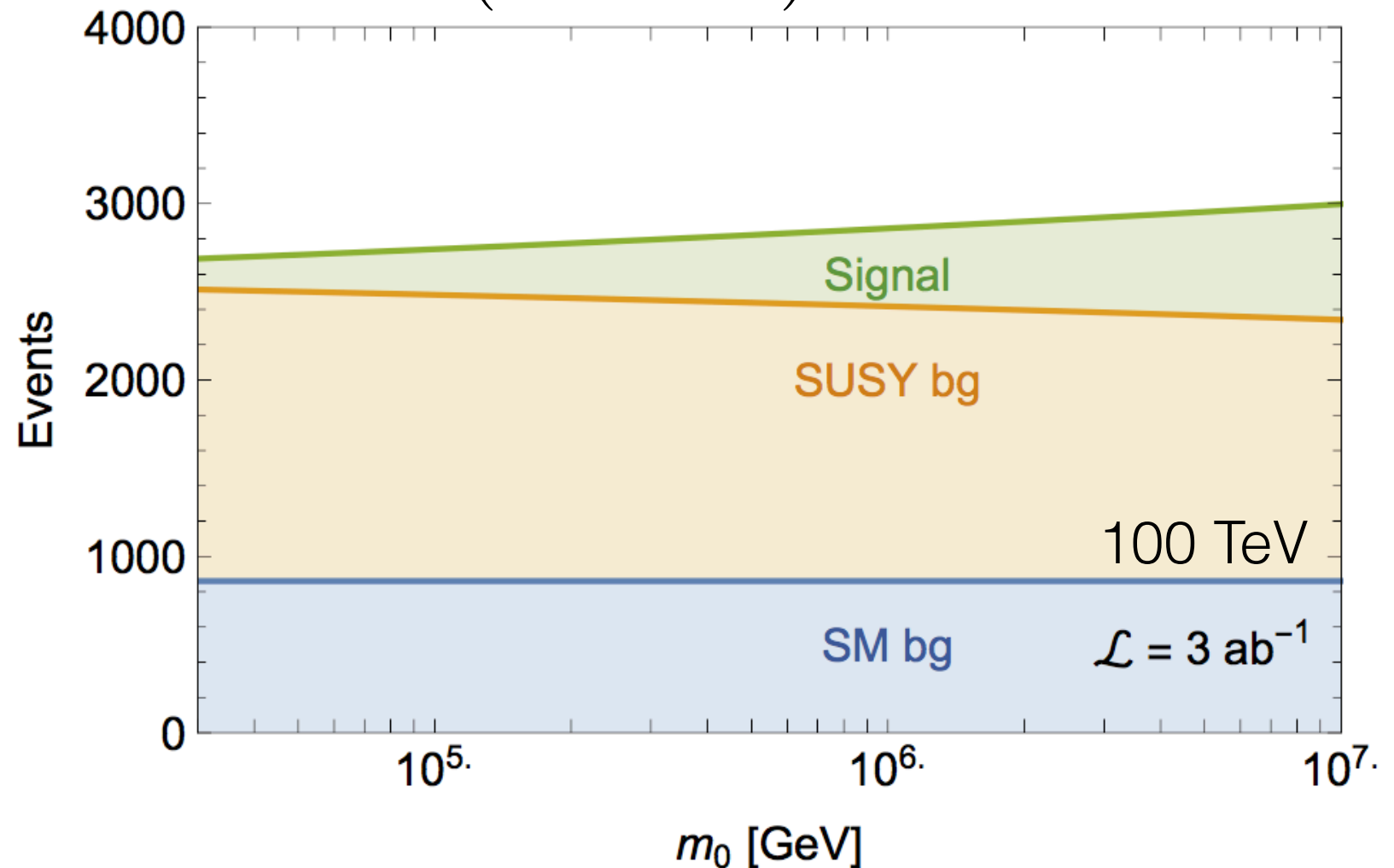
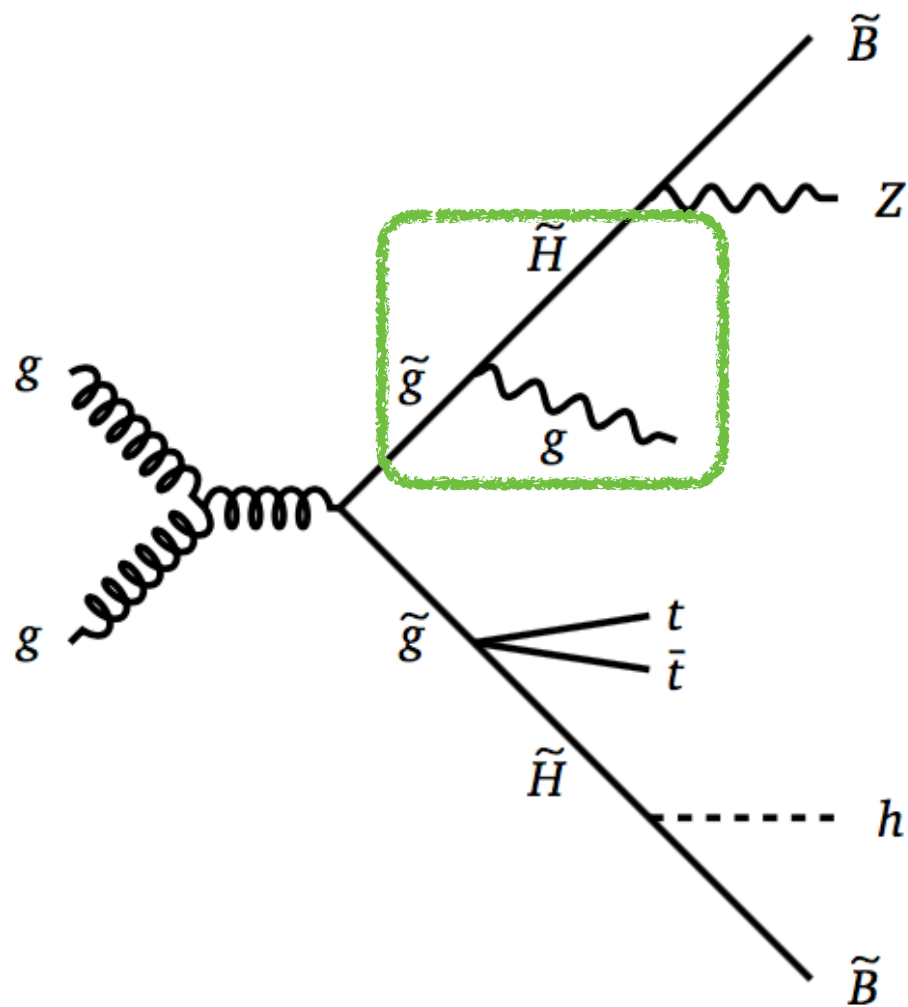
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SM backgrounds:

$$Z(\rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-) + Z(\rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu}) + \text{jets}$$

$$t\bar{t} + Z(\rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^-)$$





# Tan Beta = 1 Physics

Certain couplings turn off. (“**Blind spot**”)

Neutral higgsinos mix; Majorana mass eigenstates

$$\tilde{H}_{\pm}^0 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left( \tilde{H}_u^0 \pm \tilde{H}_d^0 \right) . \text{ exact at } \tan \beta = 1$$

Off-diagonal Z coupling:

$$\frac{g}{2 \cos \theta_W} Z_{\mu} \left( \tilde{H}_+^{0\dagger} \bar{\sigma}^{\mu} \tilde{H}_-^0 + \tilde{H}_-^{0\dagger} \bar{\sigma}^{\mu} \tilde{H}_+^0 \right) .$$

Higgs coupling (limit of 1 light higgs):

$$\frac{\cos \beta}{2\sqrt{2}} (v + h) \left( g \widetilde{W}^0 - g' \widetilde{B}^0 \right) \left[ (1 - \tan \beta) \tilde{H}_+^0 - (1 + \tan \beta) \tilde{H}_-^0 \right] + \text{h.c.}$$

One mass eigenstate **decouples from higgs** at  $\tan \beta = 1$



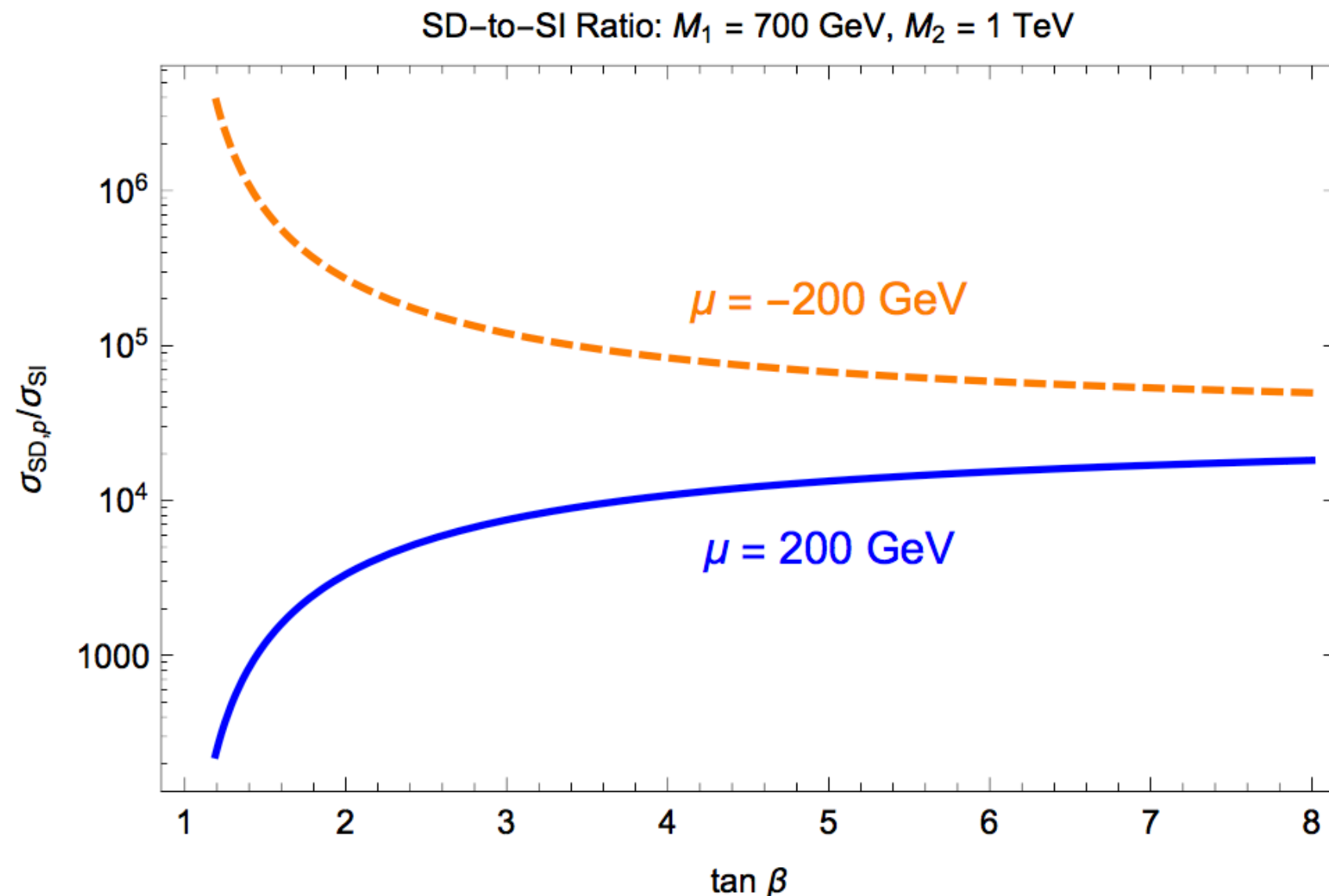
# Direct Detection & Tan Beta

Mostly-higgsino dark matter: measuring both spin-dependent and spin-independent scattering.

$$\text{SI} \longrightarrow \left[ \frac{1}{2} c_{h\chi\chi} h \chi \chi + \text{h.c.} \right] + c_{Z\chi\chi} \chi^\dagger \bar{\sigma}^\mu \chi Z_\mu \longleftarrow \text{SD}$$

$\tan \beta = 1$ :  
SD vanishes;  
SI vanishes faster if  $\mu < 0$

Detecting an SI  
signal would  
**strongly motivate**  
intense exp. effort to  
find the SD signal.

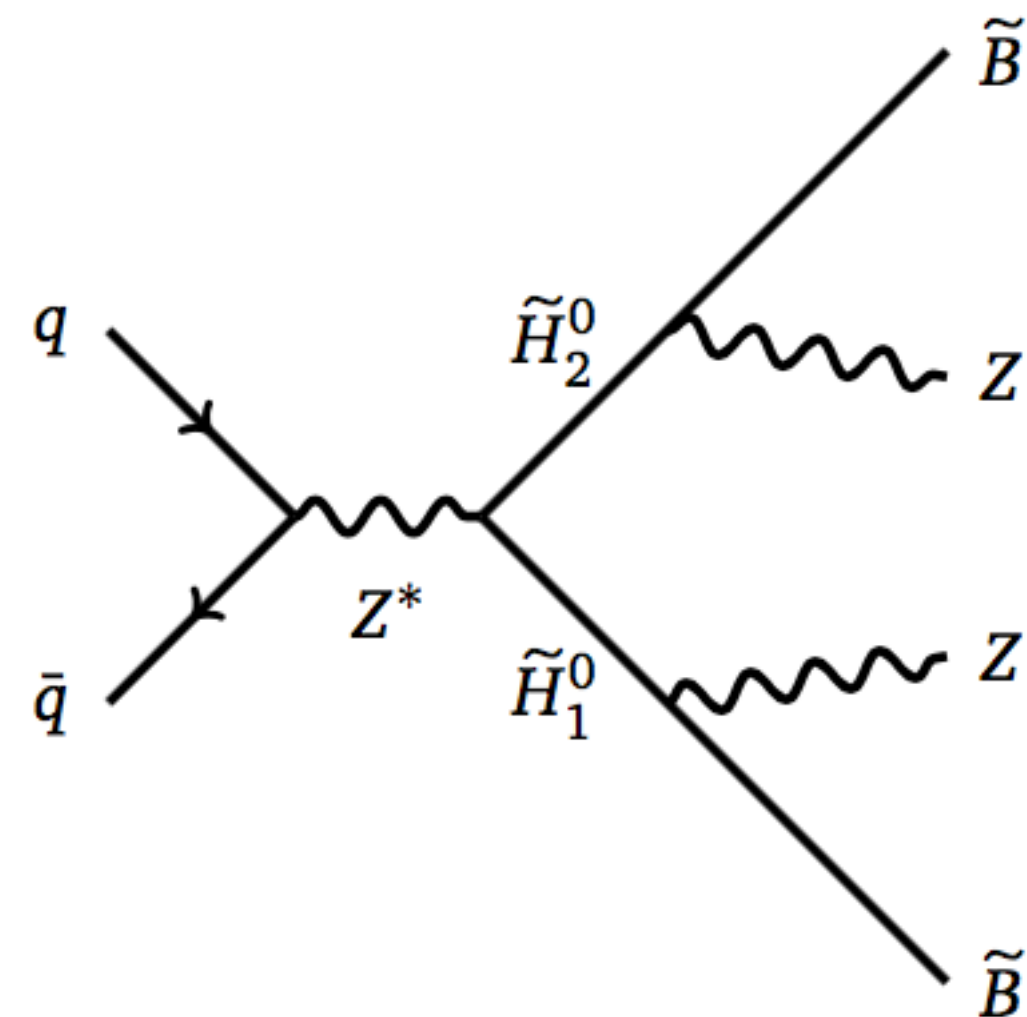


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## Off-diagonal Z boson coupling!



At  $\tan \beta = 1$ , get  $h+Z+\text{MET}$  but no  $Z+Z+\text{MET}$ , so measure the  $Z+Z+\text{MET}$  rate in 4 leptons.

$$2 \text{ pairs, } |m_{\ell\ell} - m_Z| < 10 \text{ GeV}$$

$$p_T^{\text{missing}} > 150 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\sum_{\text{visible}} |p_T| < 600 \text{ GeV}$$

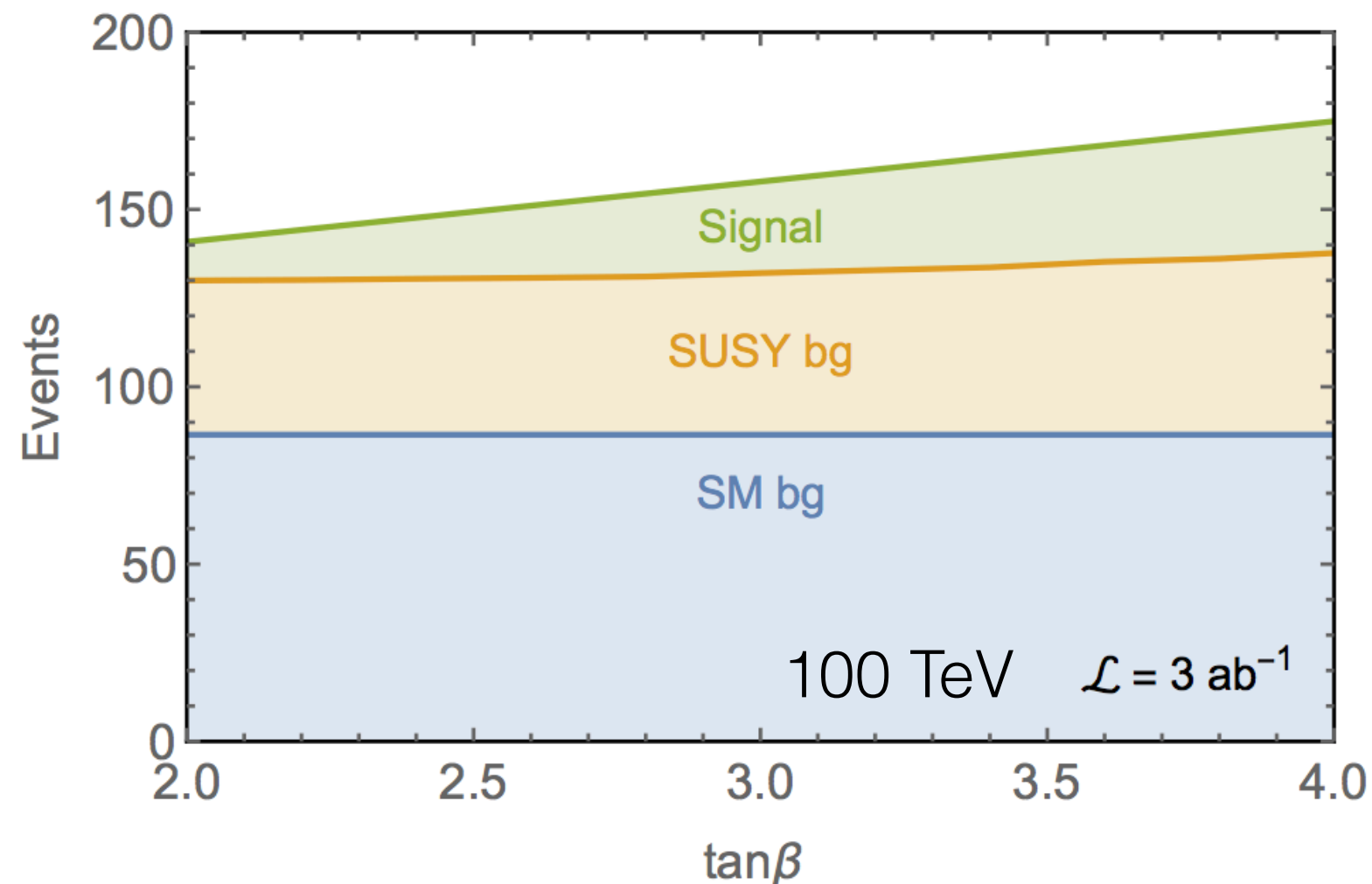
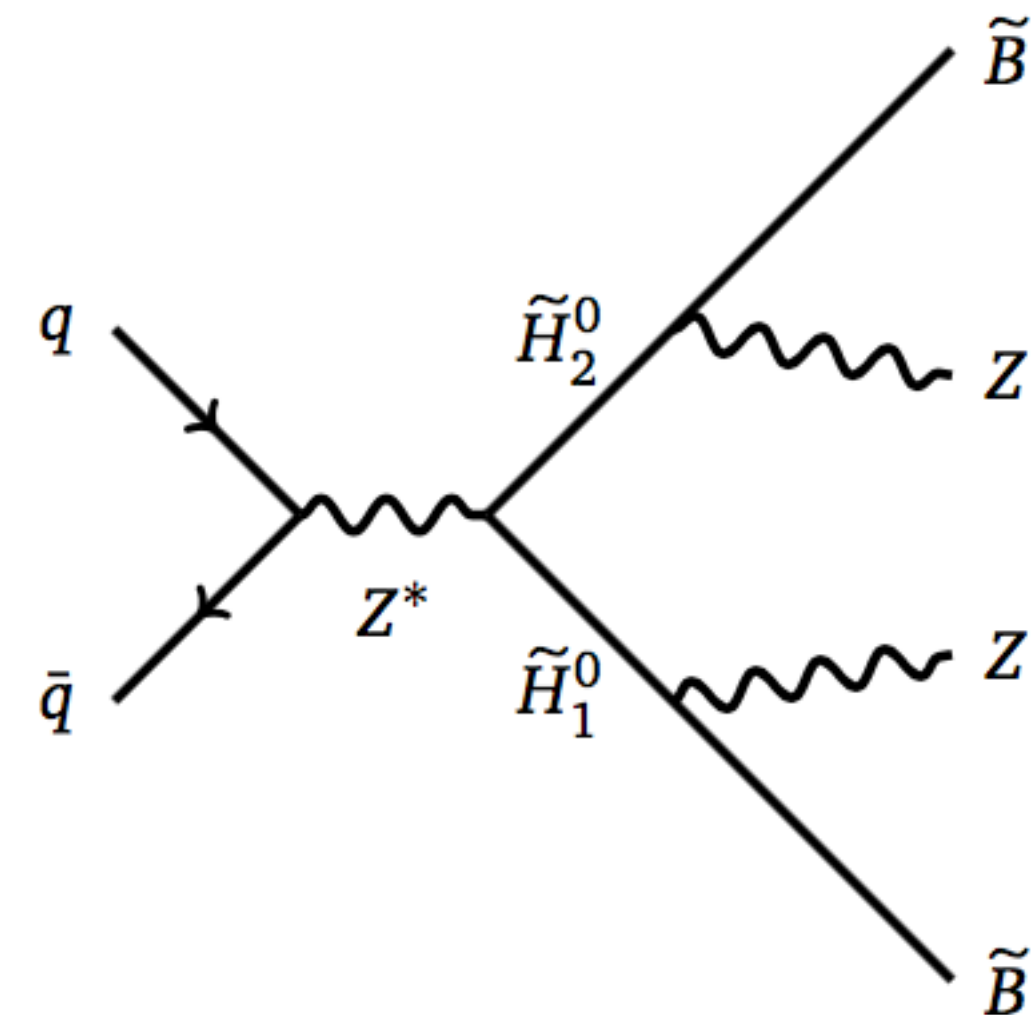
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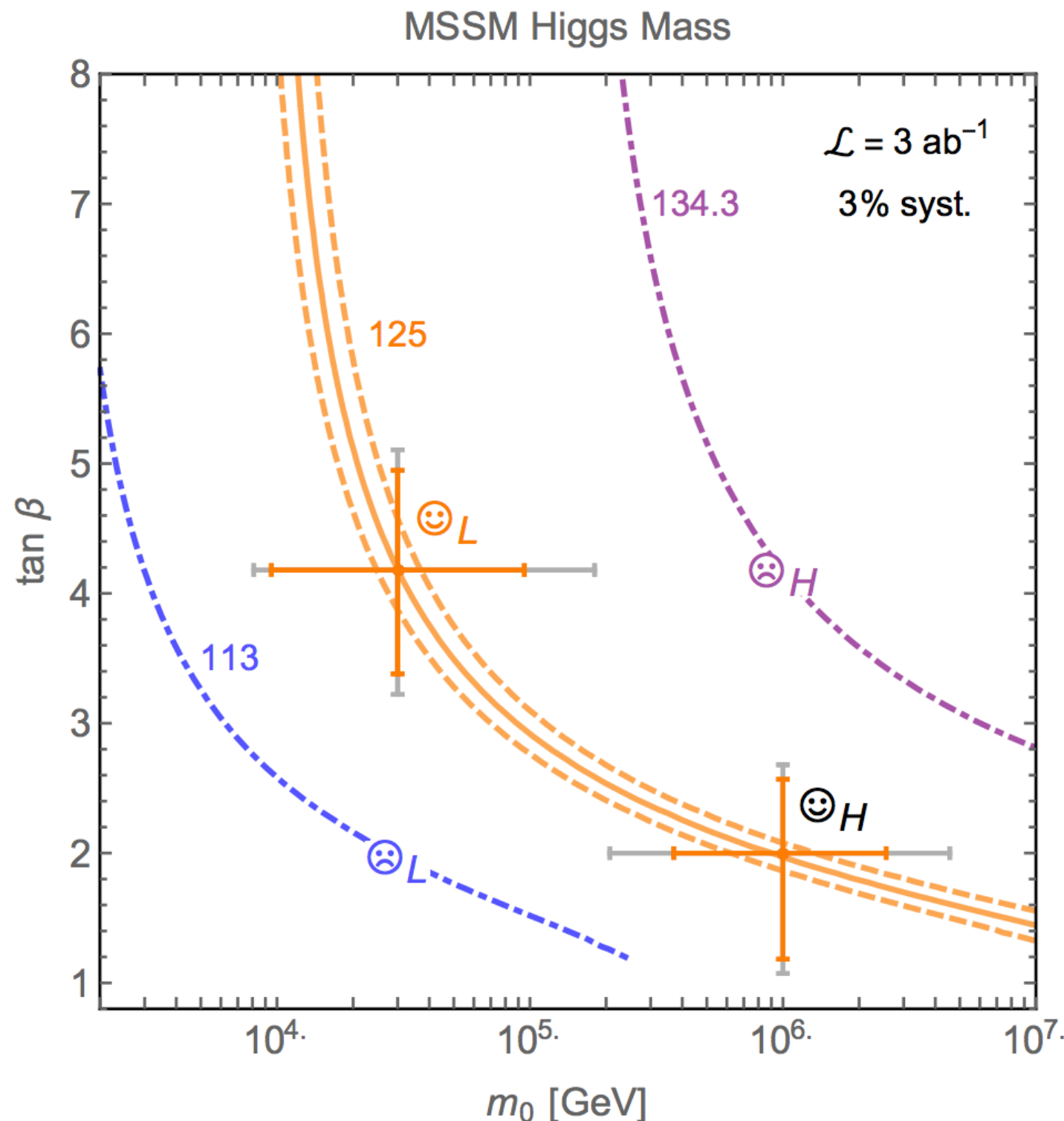
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# Testing the MSSM: benchmark result



A 100 TeV collider  
could test the MSSM.

Very simple preliminary  
studies: should be  
possible to do much  
better.

Next step: compare  
prospects of different  
collider scenarios.

Thank you