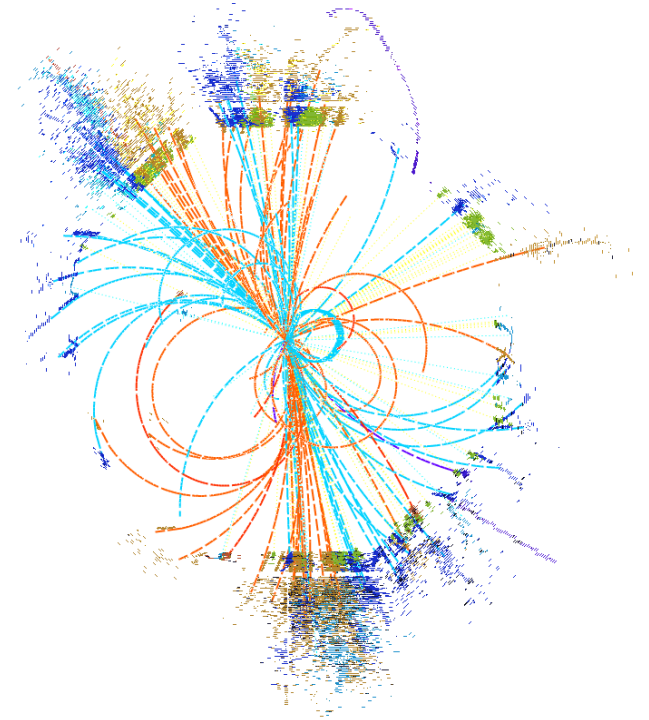


# BSM physics at CLIC



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# Reminder: CLIC energy stages

CLIC would be implemented in several energy stages

arXiv:1608.07537

## Current baseline scenario:

- **Stage 1:** 380 + 350 GeV, 500 + 100 fb<sup>-1</sup>

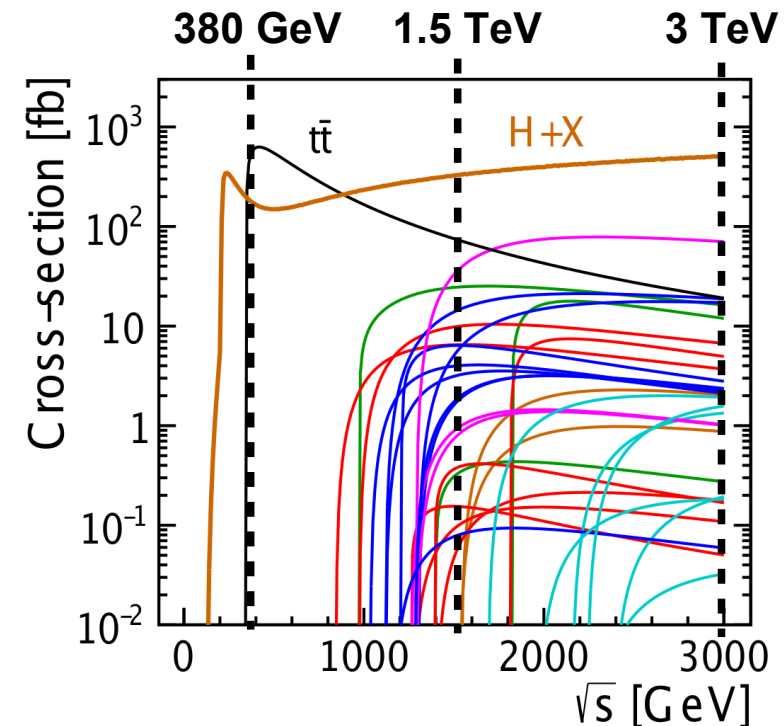
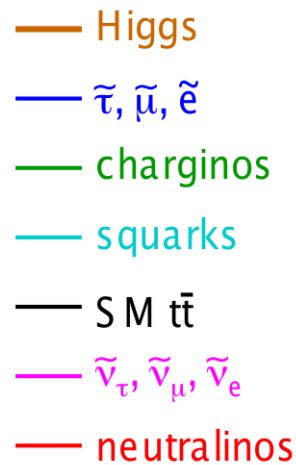
Precision SM Higgs and top physics

- **Stage 2:** 1.5 TeV, 1.5 ab<sup>-1</sup>

Targeted at BSM physics,  
rare Higgs processes and decays

- **Stage 3:** 3 TeV, 3 ab<sup>-1</sup>

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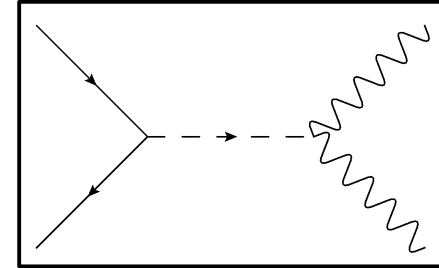
(each stage corresponds to 5 - 7 years incl. luminosity ramp-up)

→ The strategy can be adapted to possible LHC discoveries at 13 TeV!

# Beyond Standard Model searches

1.) **Direct observation of new particles**  
(e.g. pair production if  $M \leq \sqrt{s} / 2$ ):

→ **Precision measurement** of  
new particle masses and couplings



2.) **Indirect searches through precision observables**

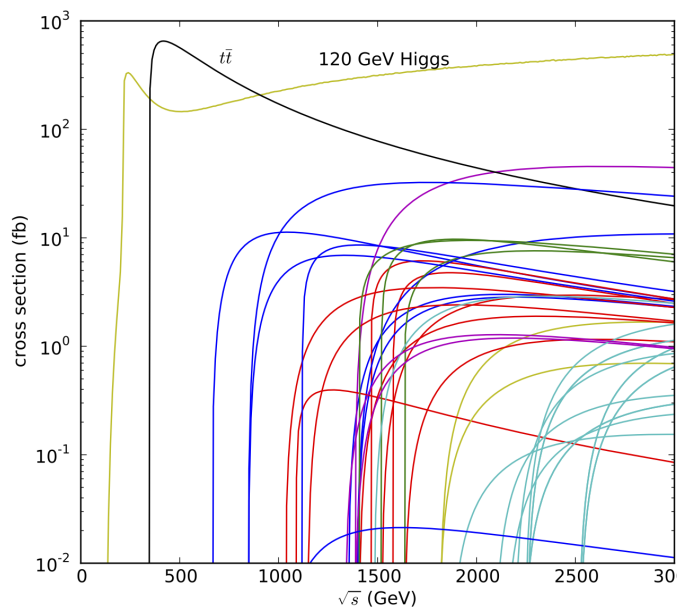
→ Possibility to reach **much higher mass scales**

Best discovery reach for highest energy in both cases

- Very rare processes accessible due to low backgrounds  
→ linear colliders especially suitable for **electroweak states**
- Polarised beams might be useful to constrain the underlying theory

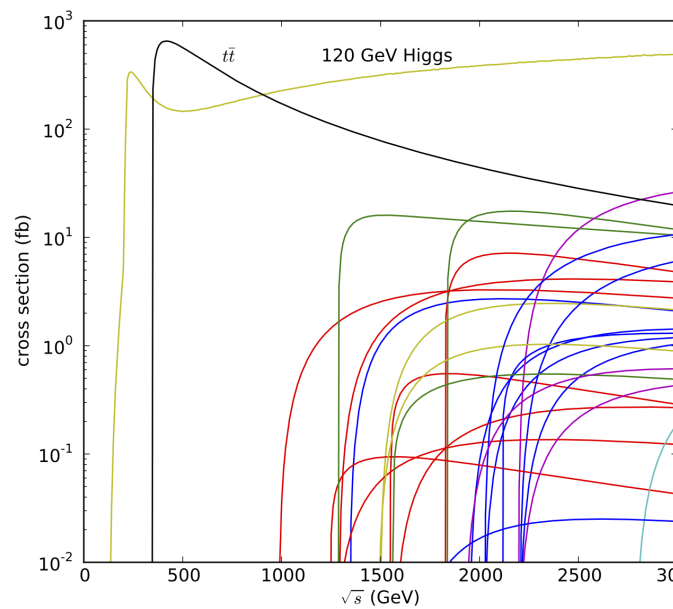
# Direct searches

# SUSY studies at CLIC



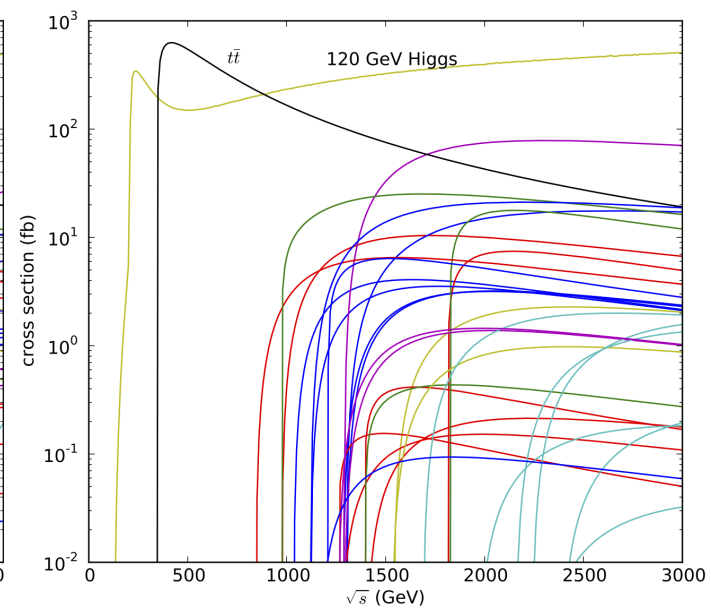
## CDR Model I, 3 TeV:

- Squarks
- Heavy Higgs



## CDR Model II, 3 TeV:

- Smuons, selectrons
- Gauginos



## CDR Model III, 1.4 TeV:

- Smuons, selectrons
- Staus
- Gauginos

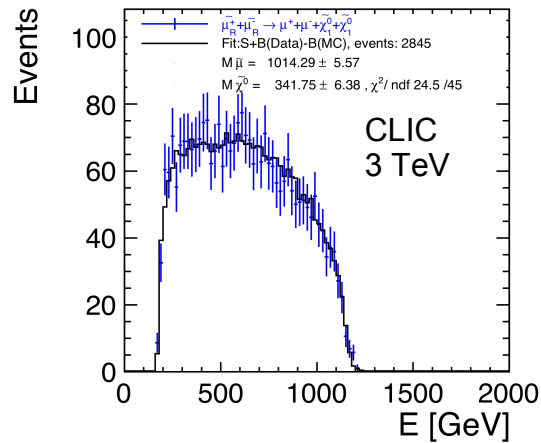
- Higgs
- $\tilde{\tau}, \tilde{\mu}, \tilde{e}$
- charginos
- squarks
- SM
- $\tilde{\nu}_\tau, \tilde{\nu}_\mu, \tilde{\nu}_e$
- neutralinos

In general, O(1%) precision on masses and pair production cross sections found

**Wider applicability than only SUSY:** Reconstructed particles can be classified simply as **states of given mass, spin and quantum numbers**

# Reconstruction of SUSY particles

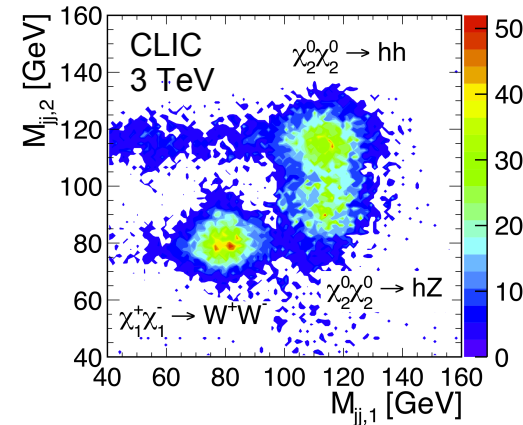
## Endpoints of energy spectra:



$$\begin{aligned}
 m(\tilde{\mu}_R) &: \pm 5.6 \text{ GeV} \\
 m(\tilde{e}_R) &: \pm 2.8 \text{ GeV} \\
 m(\tilde{\nu}_e) &: \pm 3.9 \text{ GeV} \\
 m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) &: \pm 3.0 \text{ GeV} \\
 m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm) &: \pm 3.7 \text{ GeV}
 \end{aligned}$$

stopion masses:  
1.0 - 1.1 TeV

$$e^+ e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\mu}_R^+ \tilde{\mu}_R^- \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$$



Jet reconstruction

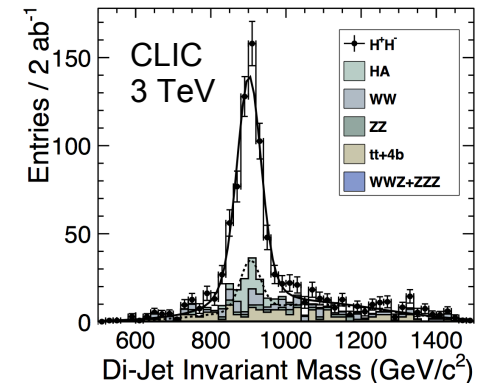
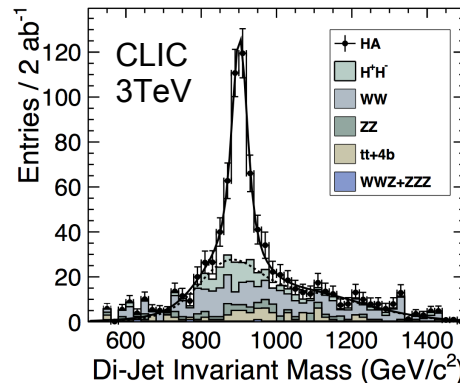
Precision on the measured gaugino masses  
(few hundred GeV):  
**1 - 1.5%**

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^+ e^- &\rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^+ \tilde{\chi}_1^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 W^+ W^- \\
 e^+ e^- &\rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow hh \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \\
 e^+ e^- &\rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow Zh \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0
 \end{aligned}$$

## Complex final states:

$$\begin{aligned}
 e^+ e^- &\rightarrow HA \rightarrow b\bar{b}b\bar{b} \\
 e^+ e^- &\rightarrow H^+ H^- \rightarrow t\bar{b}b\bar{t}
 \end{aligned}$$

**≈ 0.3%** precision on heavy Higgs masses



# Summary of the SUSY studies

| $\sqrt{s}$<br>(TeV) | Process                | Decay mode  | SUSY<br>model | Measured<br>quantity      | Generator<br>value (GeV) | Stat.<br>uncertainty |
|---------------------|------------------------|---|---------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------|
| 3.0                 | Sleptons               | $\tilde{\mu}_R^+ \tilde{\mu}_R^- \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$     | II            | $\tilde{\ell}$ mass       | 1010.8                   | 0.6%                 |
|                     |                        | $\tilde{e}_R^+ \tilde{e}_R^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$             |               | $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ mass   | 340.3                    | 1.9%                 |
|                     |                        | $\tilde{\nu}_e \tilde{\nu}_e \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 e^+ e^- W^+ W^-$     |               | $\tilde{\ell}$ mass       | 1010.8                   | 0.3%                 |
|                     |                        |   |               | $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ mass   | 340.3                    | 1.0%                 |
| 3.0                 | Chargino<br>Neutralino | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+ \tilde{\chi}_1^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 W^+ W^-$       | II            | $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ mass | 643.2                    | 1.1%                 |
|                     |                        | $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow h/Z^0 h/Z^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$   |               | $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$ mass   | 643.1                    | 1.5%                 |
| 3.0                 | Squarks                | $\tilde{q}_R \tilde{q}_R \rightarrow q \bar{q} \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$               | I             | $\tilde{q}_R$ mass        | 1123.7                   | 0.52%                |
| 3.0                 | Heavy Higgs            | $H^0 A^0 \rightarrow b \bar{b} b \bar{b}$   | I             | $H^0/A^0$ mass            | 902.4/902.6              | 0.3%                 |
|                     |                        | $H^+ H^- \rightarrow t \bar{b} b \bar{t}$   |               | $H^\pm$ mass              | 906.3                    | 0.3%                 |
| 1.4                 | Sleptons               | $\tilde{\mu}_R^+ \tilde{\mu}_R^- \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$     | III           | $\tilde{\ell}$ mass       | 560.8                    | 0.1%                 |
|                     |                        | $\tilde{e}_R^+ \tilde{e}_R^- \rightarrow e^+ e^- \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$             |               | $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ mass   | 357.8                    | 0.1%                 |
|                     |                        | $\tilde{\nu}_e \tilde{\nu}_e \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 e^+ e^- W^+ W^-$     |               | $\tilde{\ell}$ mass       | 558.1                    | 0.1%                 |
|                     |                        |   |               | $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ mass   | 357.1                    | 0.1%                 |
| 1.4                 | Stau                   | $\tilde{\tau}_1^+ \tilde{\tau}_1^- \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^- \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$ | III           | $\tilde{\tau}_1$ mass     | 517                      | 2.0%                 |
| 1.4                 | Chargino<br>Neutralino | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+ \tilde{\chi}_1^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 W^+ W^-$       | III           | $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ mass | 487                      | 0.2%                 |
|                     |                        | $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow h/Z^0 h/Z^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$   |               | $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$ mass   | 487                      | 0.1%                 |

# $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma + E^{\text{miss}}$ at high energy

- Aim to study the potential of **single photon events with missing energy at high energy**

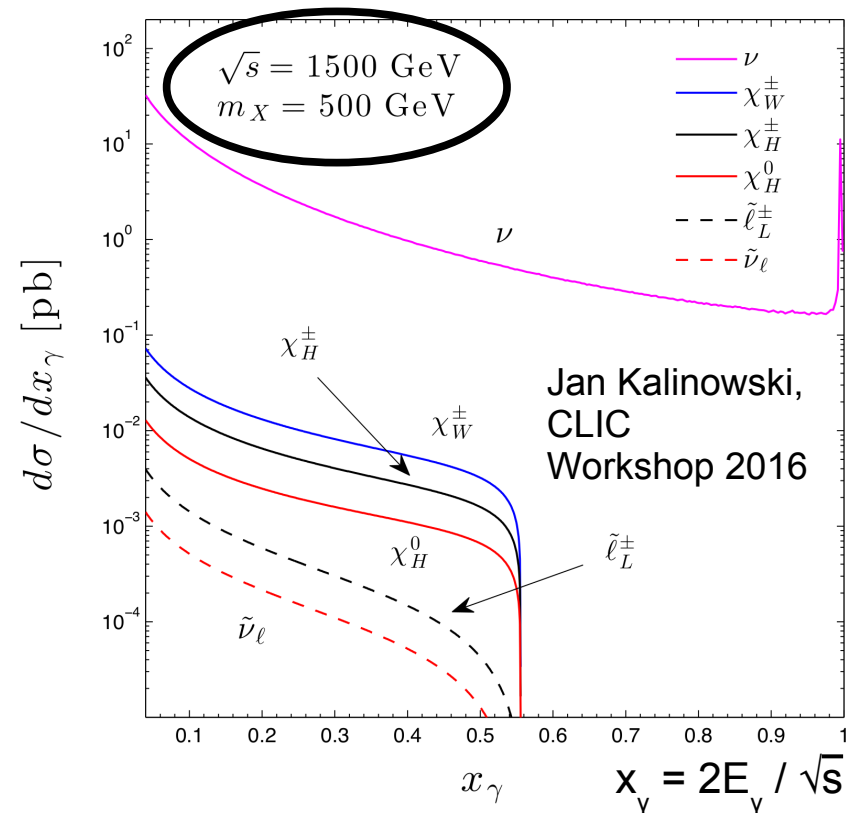
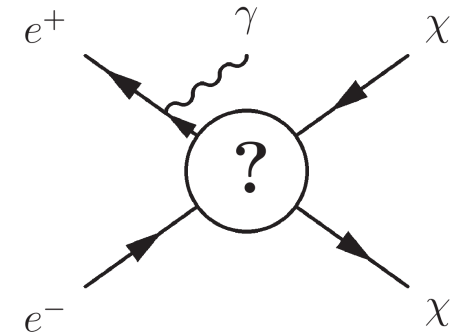
- Recent improvements in PandoraPFA photon reconstruction important for this study

- If a signal is confirmed over the  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}\gamma$  background, try to extract mass from  $E_\gamma$  distribution, spin from threshold shape

- Polarisation might help with model discrimination

- Control of **systematics** crucial: luminosity spectrum, polarisation measurement, background calculations,

...





# Indirect searches

# Precision study of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$

## Minimal anomaly-free $Z'$ model:

Charge of the SM fermions under  $U(1)'$  symmetry:

$$Q_f = g_Y'(Y_f) + g_{BL}'(B-L)_f$$

### Observables:

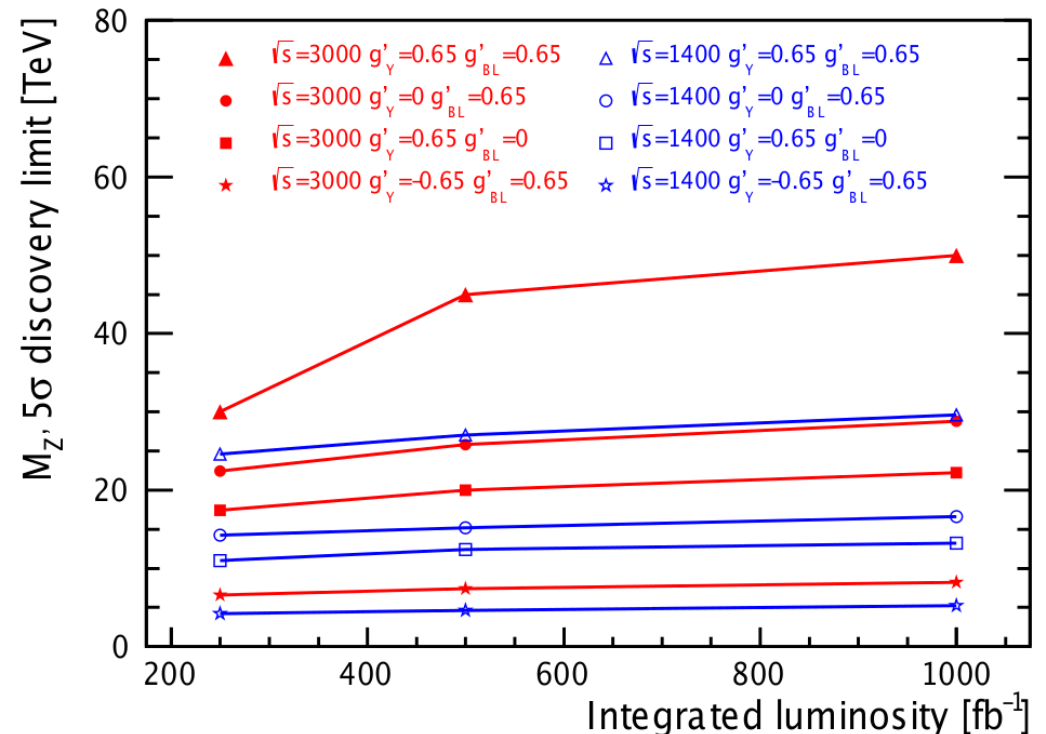
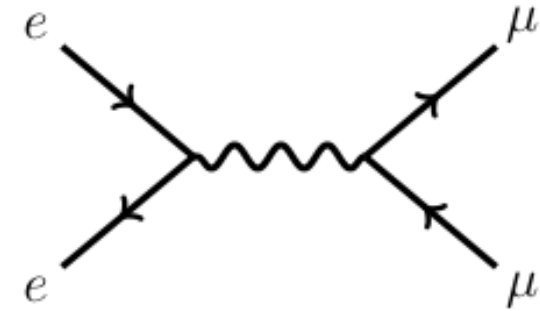
- total  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-$  cross section
- forward-backward-asymmetry
- left-right asymmetry ( $\pm 80\%$   $e^-$  polarisation)

If LHC discovers  $Z'$  (e.g. for  $M = 5$  TeV):

Precise measurement of the effective couplings

Otherwise:

Discovery reach up to tens of TeV (depending on the couplings)



# Precision study of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ (1)

**New physics searches with  $ee \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ :**  
deviation from QED expectation

$$\left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_{\Lambda_{\pm}} = \left(\frac{d\sigma}{d\Omega}\right)_{\text{Born}} \pm \frac{\alpha^2 s}{2\Lambda_{\pm}^4} (1 + \cos^2 \theta)$$

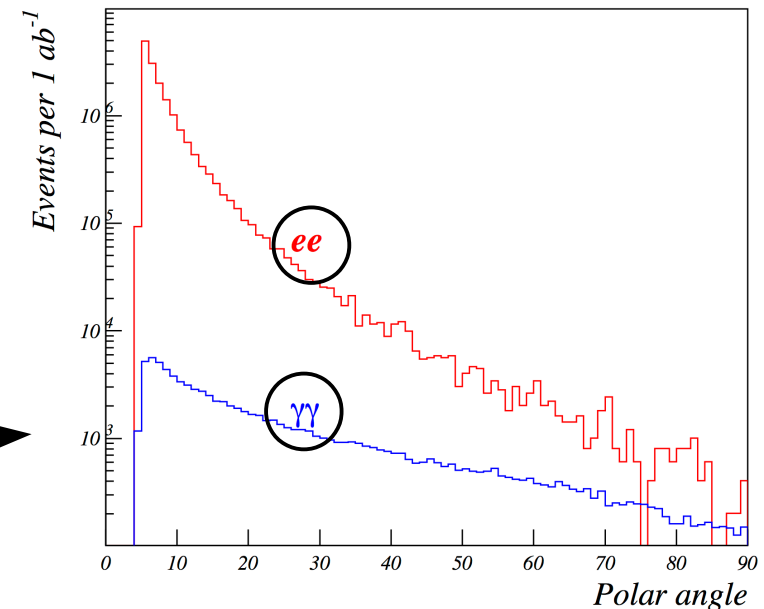
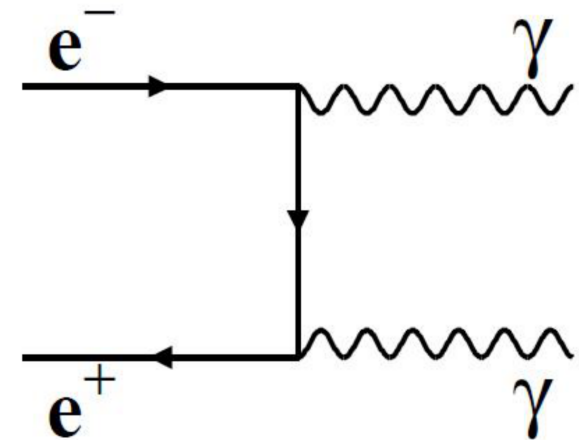
Simplest Ansatz: **QED cutoff parameter  $\Lambda$**   
(other interpretations possible:  
excited electrons, ...)

Events with small energy loss  
due to Beamstrahlung and ISR  
are selected

→ **two back-to-back photons**

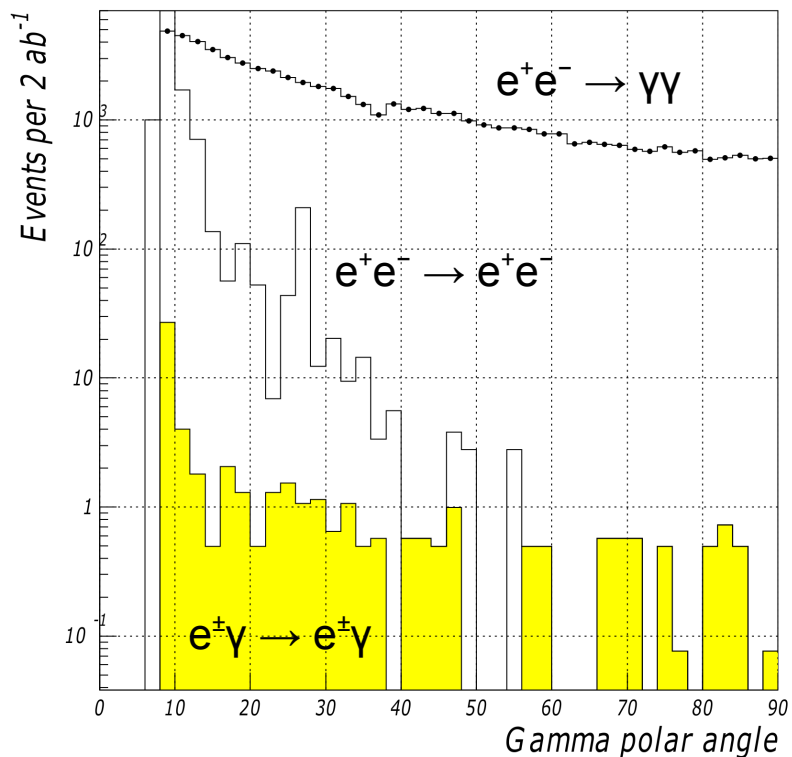
**Most critical background:**

$e^+e^- \rightarrow e^+e^-$

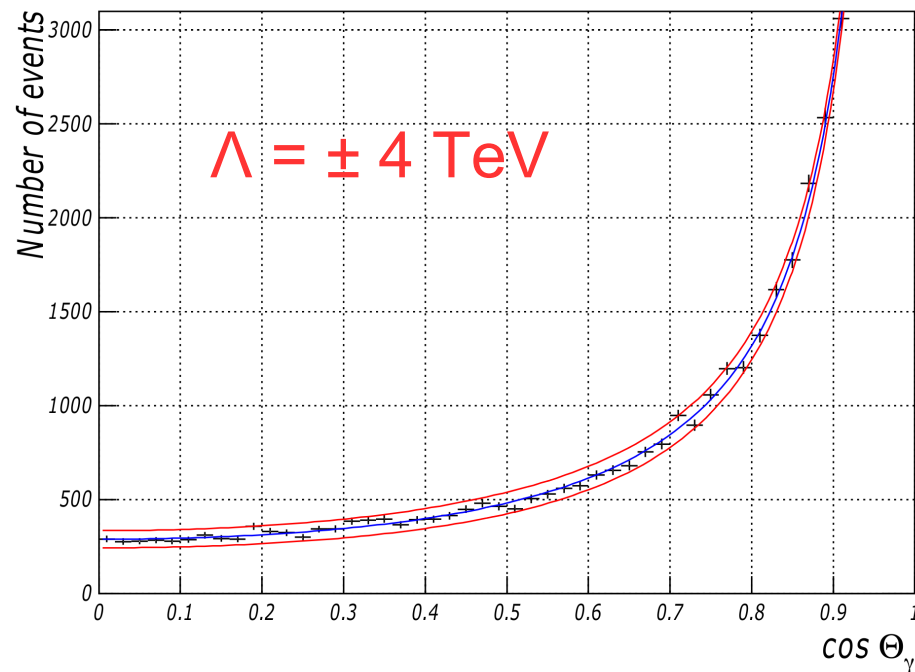


# Precision study of $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ (2)

## Selected events:



$\sqrt{s} = 3 \text{ TeV}$ ,  $L = 2 \text{ ab}^{-1}$ ,  
CLIC\_SiD detector



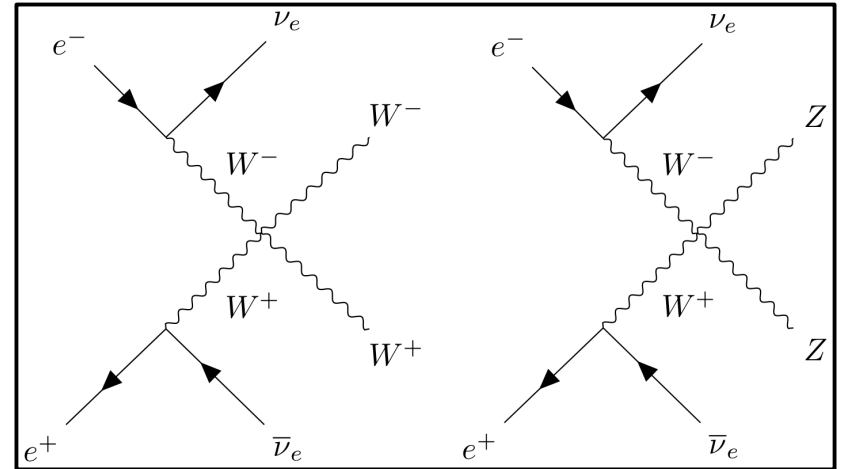
**Fit result:**  $\Lambda > 6.33 \text{ TeV}$   
(or electron size  $< 3.1 \times 10^{-18} \text{ cm}$ )

Combined LEP data:  $\Lambda > 431 \text{ GeV}$

# Vector boson scattering

- Vector boson scattering is sensitive to new physics in the Higgs sector
- Search for additional resonances or **anomalous couplings**

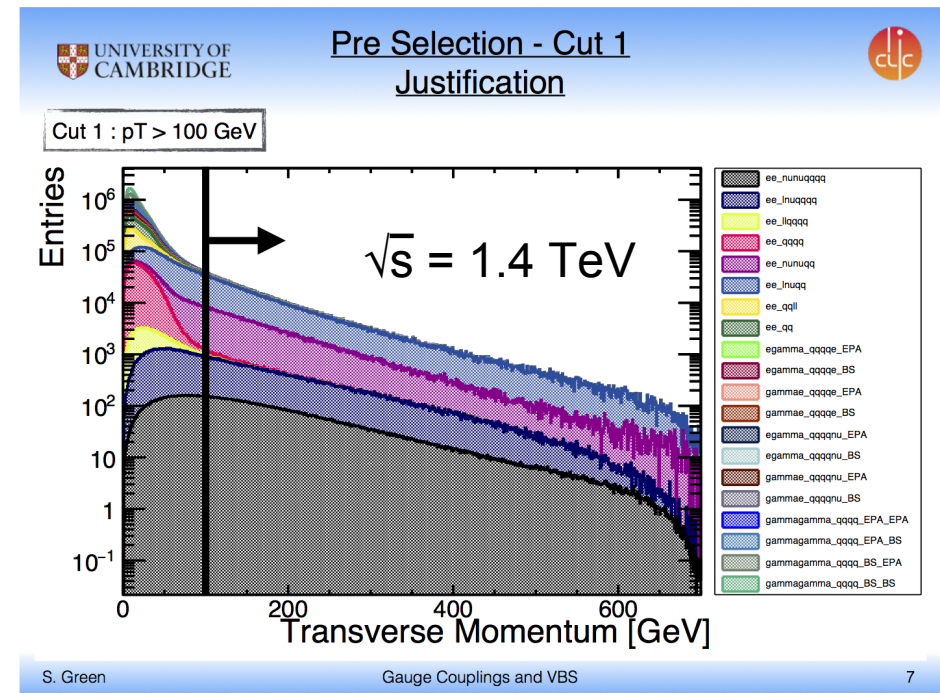
→ see talk by Wolfgang Kilian



**Study based on full detector simulation in advanced stage**

→ **Several interesting experimental challenges including:**

- Reconstruction and separation of hadronic W and Z boson decays
- Missing momentum reconstruction in the presence of beam-induced backgrounds
- Forward electron tagging



# Summary and conclusions

- A linear collider operated at **high energy** provides significant discovery potential for BSM phenomena
- Measurement of the gaugino, slepton and heavy Higgs masses with  $O(1\%)$  precision up to the kinematic limit ( $M \approx 1.5$  TeV)
- Single photon + missing energy events allow model-independent searches for dark matter candidates (complementary to LHC)
- Sensitivity to New Physics at large scales (tens of TeV) through **precision measurements**  
(examples:  $Z'$  from fermion pair production,  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ , vector boson scattering)
- **Many interesting topics not covered yet!**

# Backup slides

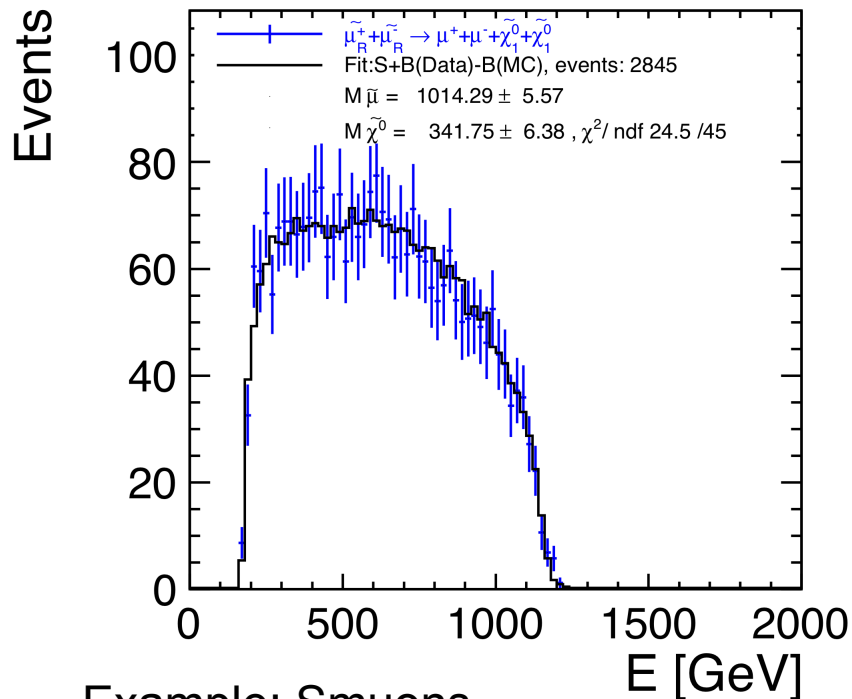
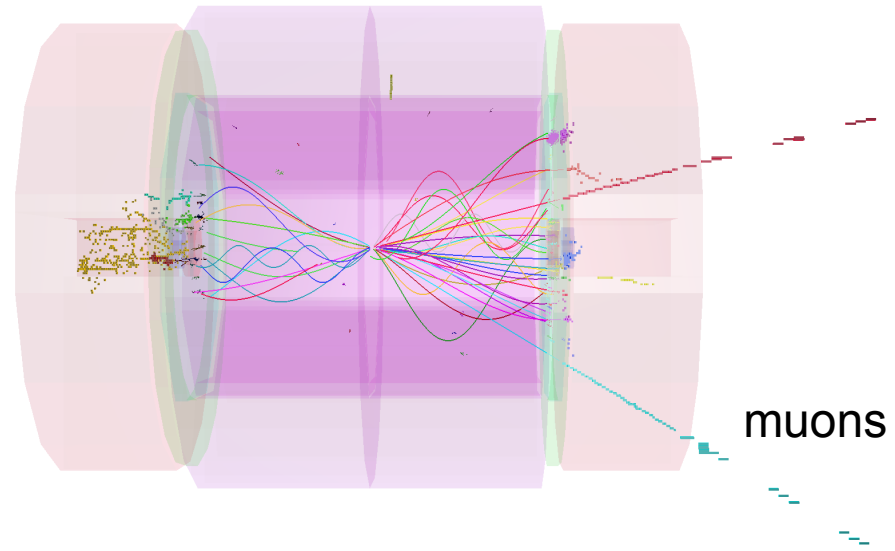
# The simplest case: sleptons at 3 TeV

- **Slepton production very clean at CLIC**
- Slepton masses  $\approx 1$  TeV
- Investigated channels include:

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\mu}_R^+ \tilde{\mu}_R^- \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$$

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{e}_R^+ \tilde{e}_R^- \rightarrow e^+e^- \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$$

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\nu}_e \tilde{\nu}_e \rightarrow e^+e^- W^+W^- \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0$$



Example: Smuons

- Leptons and missing energy

- **Masses from endpoints of energy spectra**

- Precisions of a few GeV achievable

|                         |                 |
|-------------------------|-----------------|
| $m(\tilde{\mu}_R)$      | : $\pm 5.6$ GeV |
| $m(\tilde{e}_R)$        | : $\pm 2.8$ GeV |
| $m(\tilde{\nu}_e)$      | : $\pm 3.9$ GeV |
| $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)$   | : $\pm 3.0$ GeV |
| $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)$ | : $\pm 3.7$ GeV |



# Hadronic final states: gauginos at 3 TeV

Chargino and neutralino pair production:

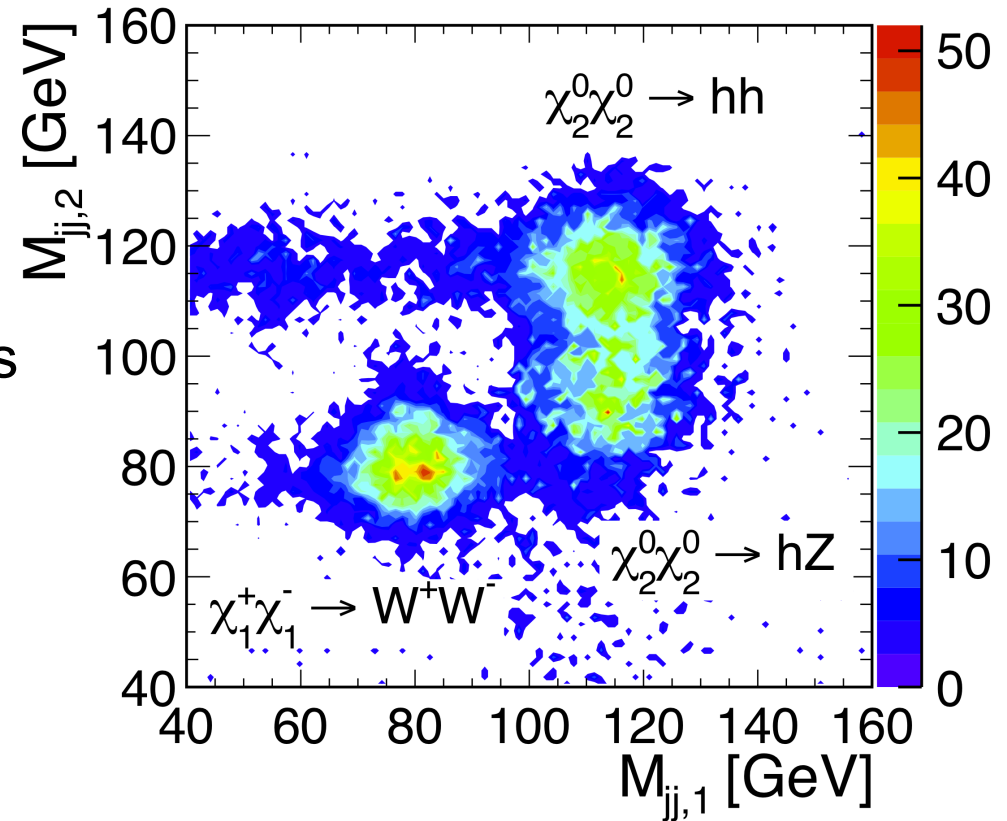
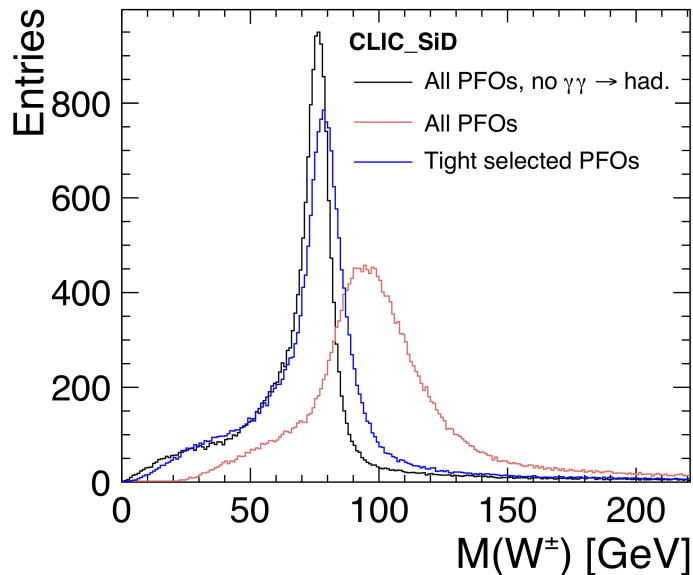
$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^+ \tilde{\chi}_1^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 W^+ W^-$$

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow hh \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \quad 82\%$$

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow Zh \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \quad 17\%$$

Reconstruct  $W^\pm/Z/h$  in hadronic decays

→ **four jets and missing energy**



Precision on the measured gaugino masses (few hundred GeV):  
**1 - 1.5%**

# Heavy Higgs bosons at 3 TeV

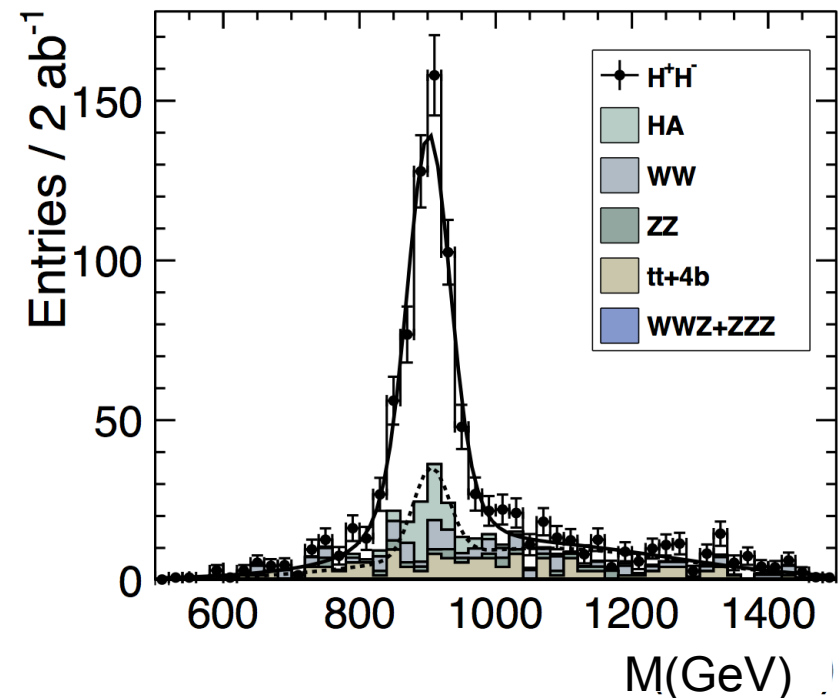
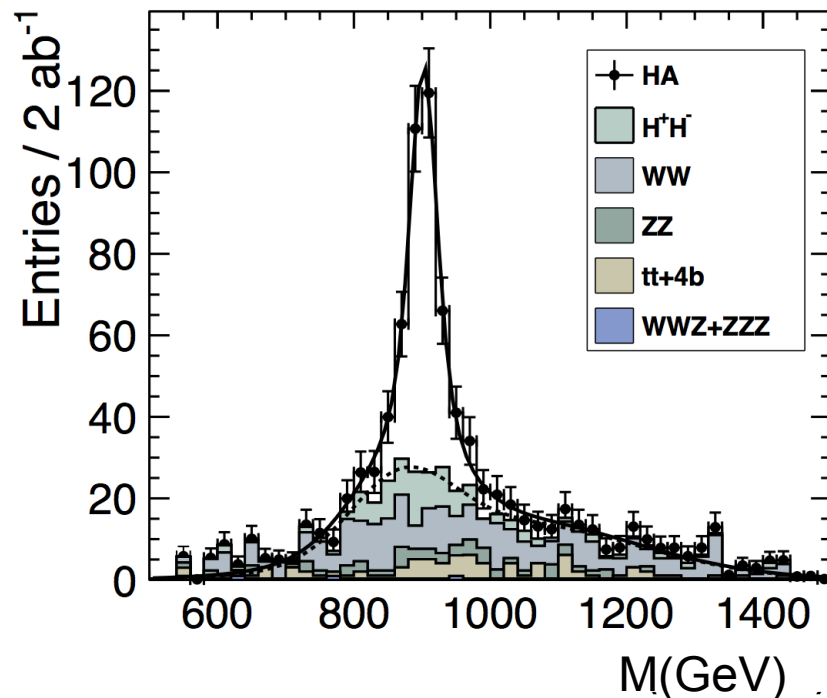
## Heavy Higgs bosons:

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow HA \rightarrow b\bar{b}b\bar{b}$$

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow H^+H^- \rightarrow t\bar{b}b\bar{t}$$

(H, A and  $H^\pm$  almost degenerate in mass)

Complex  
final states



Accuracy of the heavy Higgs mass measurements:  $\approx 0.3\%$