

# Leptophobic Spin-2 Resonances at the LHC

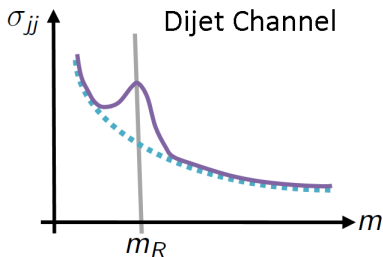
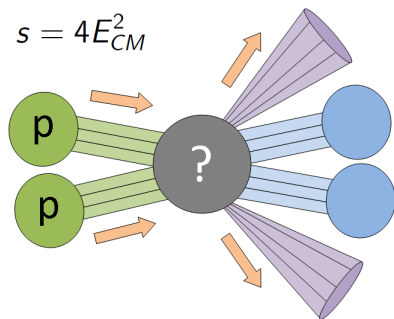
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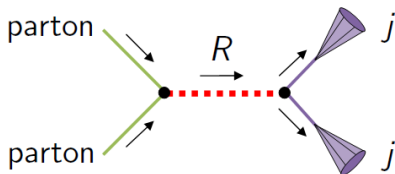
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# Resonant Production at LHC: First Impressions



- $\sigma_{jj,R}$  = peak **dijet cross section**
- $m_R$  = **invariant mass** of resonance (several TeV)
- $\Gamma_R$  = **total decay width** of the resonance  
(if wider than mass resolution of detector)

# Model-Building Assumptions



- Model resonance as **new s-channel particle**  $R$
- **Leptophobic**: else we'd detect via leptonic channels
- Focus on decays to **light jets**, where...

$j \equiv$  light quarks (**u,d,s,c**) and gluons (**g**)

- Assume **narrow width**:

$$\Gamma_R/m_R \lesssim 0.15$$

# What Spin-2 Resonance Models are Consistent?

- Focus on **Spin-2 particle** and **Tree-Level calculations**
- **Not Excluded:** focus on parameter space not yet excluded to 95% CL (12.9 fb<sup>-1</sup> of CMS LHC-13 data)
- **Within Reach:** only consider parameter space that the LHC is 5 $\sigma$  sensitive to at  $\sqrt{s} = 14$  TeV with...

$$\mathcal{L}_{int} = 0.3 \text{ ab}^{-1} \quad 1 \text{ ab}^{-1} \quad 3 \text{ ab}^{-1}$$

- **PDF set:** CTEQ6L1 parton distribution functions

# Leptophobic Graviton Model

Particle	Mass	Spin	$SU(3)_C \times U(1)_Q$
$X_2^{\mu\nu}$	$m_{X_2}$	2	neutral singlet

$$\mathcal{L}_{int} = -\frac{3.83}{m_{X_2}} \left[ \kappa \frac{k}{M_{Pl}} \right] \{ r T_{\mu\nu}^g + T_{\mu\nu}^q \} X_2^{\mu\nu}$$

Assume **flavor universal, generation diagonal** couplings.

$$X_2 \longrightarrow \begin{cases} q\bar{q} \\ gg \end{cases} \gg \begin{cases} q\bar{q}g & q\bar{q}V \\ ggg & gggg \end{cases}$$

$q\bar{q}X_2$  and  $ggX_2$  terms are mass dimension 5...

**[coupling] =  $E^{-1} \implies$  Unitarity Concerns**

# Partial Wave Unitarity and Tree-Level Constraint

$$i\mathcal{M}_{2_i \rightarrow X_2 \rightarrow 2_f} = \left[ \begin{array}{cc|cc} \text{Diagram 1} & \text{Diagram 2} & \text{Diagram 3} & \text{Diagram 4} \\ \hline \text{Diagram 5} & \text{Diagram 6} & \text{Diagram 7} & \text{Diagram 8} \end{array} \right] = 80\pi i \mathcal{A}_2 d_{\mu, \mu'}^2$$

Only one nonzero eigenvalue of  $\mathcal{A}_2$ : called  $a_2$ , depends on  $\hat{s}$

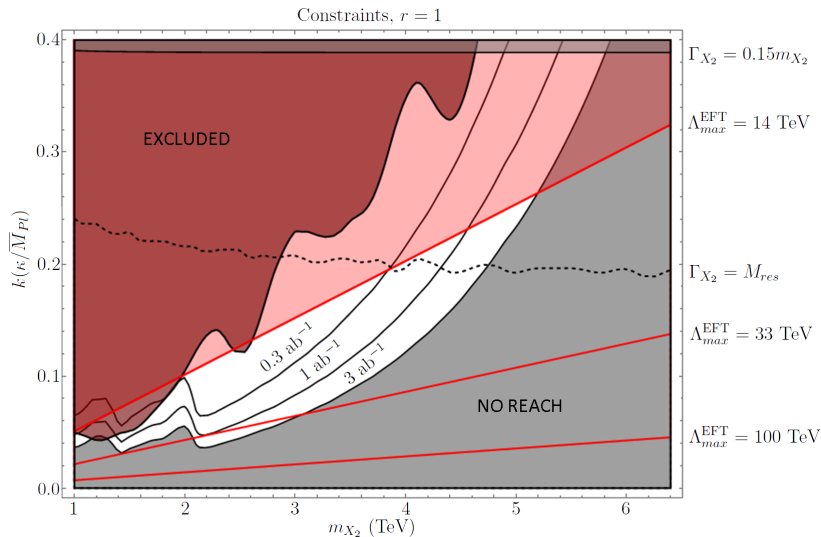
**Unitarity** demands

$$|\Re[a_2]| \leq \frac{1}{2}$$

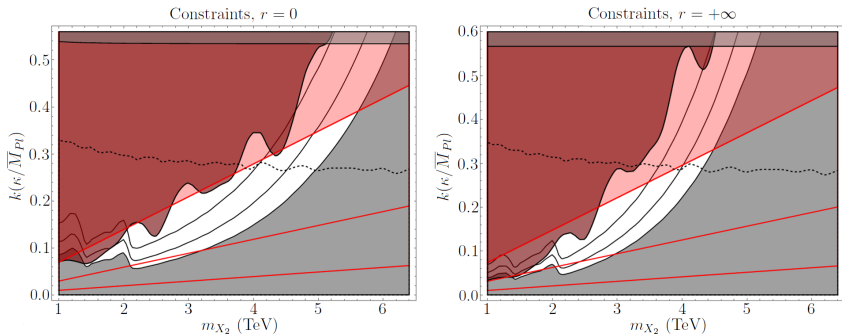
such that for consistency for  $\sqrt{\hat{s}}$  up to  $\Lambda_{max}^{EFT} \dots$

$$* \quad \kappa \frac{k}{M_{Pl}} \leq \frac{1}{\Lambda_{max}^{EFT}} \frac{m_{X_2}}{3.83} \sqrt{\frac{40\pi}{(9 + 8r^2)}} \quad *$$

# Leptophobic Graviton, Gluon = Quark Coupling



# Leptophobic Graviton, $r \neq 1$



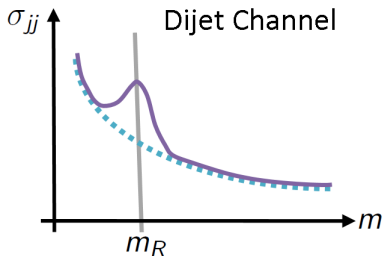
**Quark-Exclusive & Gluon-Exclusive**

$$r = \frac{ggX_2 \text{ coupling}}{q\bar{q}X_2 \text{ coupling}}$$

**\* Conclusions Similar to  $r = 1$  Case \***



# Describing Dijet Resonances and $D_{col}$ Analysis



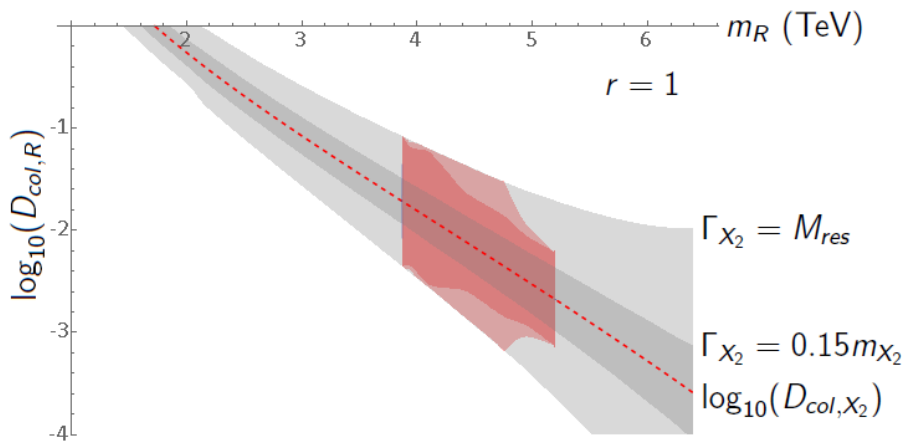
**Color Discriminant Variable**

$$D_{col,R} \equiv \frac{m_R^3 \sigma_{Rjj}}{\Gamma_R}$$

**Resolve Width** only if  $\Gamma_R >$  detector mass resolution  $M_{res}$   
(that is, *above* the dashed line in previous plot)

**Models with  $D_{col}$  predicted outside of the uncertainty of a measured dijet resonance are unlikely to describe that dijet resonance.**

# $\log(D_{col})$ Plot for Leptophobic Graviton $X_2$ , $r = 1$



## Leptophobic $Z'$

Particle	Mass	Spin	$SU(3)_C \times U(1)_Q$
$Z'_\mu$	$m_{Z'}$	1	neutral singlet

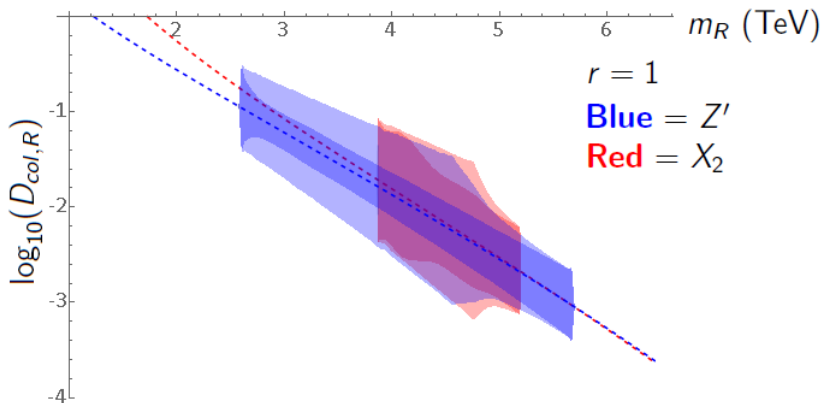
$$\mathcal{L}_{int} = ig \sum_i \bar{q}_i \gamma^\mu (g_L P_L + g_R P_R) q_i Z'_\mu$$

Assume **flavor universal & diagonal** couplings:  $Z' \rightarrow q\bar{q}$

Previous  $D_{col}$  analyses demonstrate leptophobic  $Z'$  is distinguishable from...

- **Colorons**
- **Excited Quarks**
- **Diquarks**

# $\log(D_{col}), X_2$ compared to Leptophobic $Z'$



Significant Overlap!



$X_2$  inherits distinguishability of  $Z'$

## Conclusion & Summary

- The **Leptophobic Graviton** is distinguishable from...
  - Colorons
  - Excited Quarks
  - Diquarks
- Below  $\approx 4$  TeV,  $X_2$  unlikely to describe a resolvable dijet resonances discovered at the LHC.
- Distinguishing  $X_2$  from leptophobic  $Z'$  necessitates spin analysis.

**Thank you for attending! Questions?**