

Charged Higgs at the LHC in minimal flavor violation and beyond

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Minimal Supersymmetric Standard Model

Model: R-parity conserving MSSM

MSSM: Minimal gauge group and particle content

SUSY explicitly broken

Relevant soft-breaking Lagrangian:

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{soft} = & - M_{\tilde{Q}_i}^2 \tilde{Q}_i^\dagger \tilde{Q}_i - M_{\tilde{u}_i}^2 |\tilde{u}_{R_i}|^2 - M_{\tilde{d}_i}^2 |\tilde{d}_{R_i}|^2 \\ & - \left[A_{ij}^u \tilde{u}_{R_i}^* H_2 \cdot \tilde{Q}_j + A_{ij}^d \tilde{d}_{R_i}^* H_1 \cdot \tilde{Q}_j \right]\end{aligned}$$

Often imposed Minimal Flavor
Violation (MFV) assumption

[D'Ambrosio, Giudice, Isidori, Strumina
2002]

Up-type squark matrix in MFV and NMFV:

$$\mathcal{M}_{mfv}^u = \begin{pmatrix} (M_u^2)_{LL}^u & 0 & 0 & \Delta_{LR,11}^u & 0 & 0 \\ & (M_u^2)_{LL}^c & 0 & 0 & \Delta_{LR,22}^u & 0 \\ & & (M_u^2)_{LL}^t & 0 & 0 & \Delta_{LR,33}^u \\ & \text{h.c.} & & (M_u^2)_{RR}^u & 0 & 0 \\ & & & & (M_u^2)_{RR}^c & 0 \\ & & & & & (M_u^2)_{RR}^t \end{pmatrix}$$

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$$(M_u^2)_{LL}^q = M_{Q,q}^2 + m_q^2 + (T_3^q - Q_q \sin^2 \theta_w) m_Z^2 \cos 2\beta$$

$$(M_u^2)_{RR}^q = M_{u,q}^2 + m_q^2 + Q_q \sin^2 \theta_w m_Z^2 \cos 2\beta$$

$$\Delta_{LR,ii}^u = \langle H_2^0 \rangle A_{ij}^u - m_{q_i} \mu^* \cot \beta$$

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In general the squark mass matrix has to be diagonalized

$$Z^u \mathcal{M}^u Z^{u\dagger} = \text{diag}(m_{\tilde{u}_1}^2, m_{\tilde{u}_2}^2)$$

Mass Insertion Approximation can be used if off-diagonal entries are small compared to \tilde{m}_q (average squark mass)

$$\delta_{AB,ij}^q = \frac{\Delta_{AB,ij}^q}{\tilde{m}_q^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \tilde{q}_A^i \tilde{q}_B^{j*} \rangle &= i(k^2 \mathbf{1} - \tilde{m}_q^2 \mathbf{1} - \Delta_{AB}^q)_{ij}^{-1} \\ &\simeq \frac{i\delta_{ij}}{k^2 - \tilde{m}_q^2} + \frac{i(\Delta_{AB}^q)_{ij}}{(k^2 - \tilde{m}_q^2)} + \mathcal{O}(\Delta^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{Z_{ia}}{\tilde{q}_a} = \frac{Z_{aj}^\dagger}{\tilde{q}_i} + \frac{Z_{aj}^\dagger}{\tilde{q}_i} \times \frac{Z_{ia}}{\tilde{q}_j} + \dots$$

Charged Higgs at the LHC

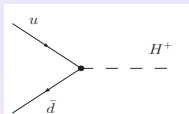
- Charged Higgs is a signature for 'New Physics'
 - Studying a light neutral Higgs alone is not sufficient to identify an extended Higgs sector
 - Tedious Task: No $H^\pm W^\mp Z$ interaction at tree-level. In the two Higgs doublet model not the H^\pm but the Goldstone boson G^\pm couples to $W^\pm Z$.
- ⇒ Most promising strategy of finding a charged Higgs at LHC: Couple it to a bottom quark in the large $\tan\beta$ regime:
- Light H^\pm : $M_{H^\pm} \leq m_t - m_b \approx 170\text{GeV}$
 $pp \rightarrow t\bar{t} \rightarrow H^\pm tb$
 - Heavy H^\pm : $M_{H^\pm} \geq 170\text{GeV}$
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⇒ Leaving a hole for $\tan\beta \leq 20$

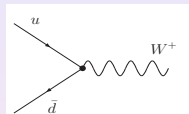
[CMS TDR, 2007]

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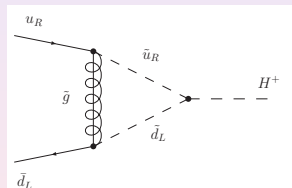
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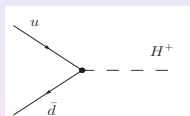
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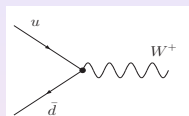
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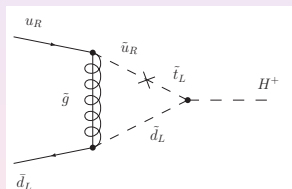
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No severe bounds for the production of a charged Higgs!

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 \end{pmatrix}$$

- $B_d - B_{\bar{d}}$ and $B_s - B_{\bar{s}}$ mixing
- $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ and $B \rightarrow \rho \gamma$
- $B \rightarrow X_s ll$ and $B \rightarrow \pi ll$
- Corrections to quark masses
- $m_{\tilde{q}_i} > 200 \text{ GeV}$ – exp. constraint

Green entries give main contributions to Charged Higgs production.

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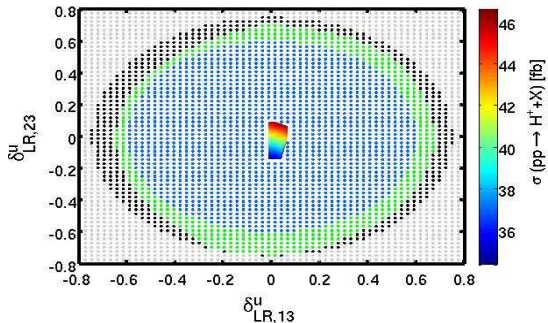
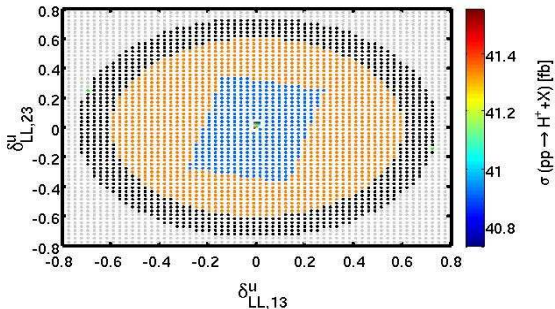
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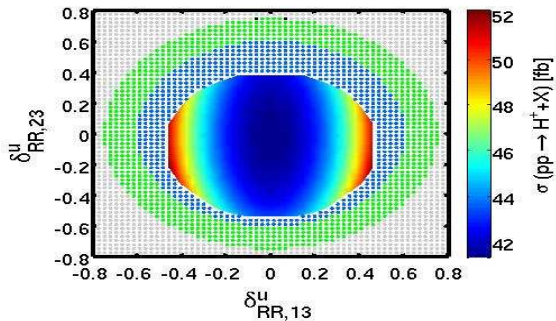
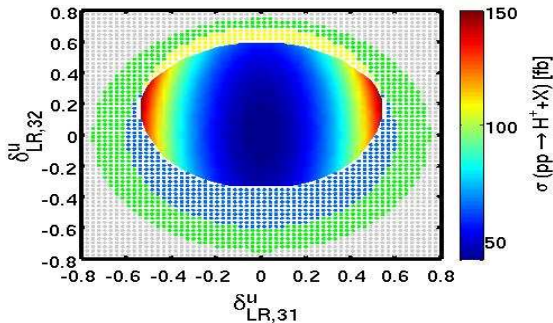
Flavor
bounds at
90% C.L.

- $0.63 \cdot 10^{-6} < BR(B \rightarrow \rho\gamma) < 1.24 \cdot 10^{-6}$
- $2.94 \cdot 10^{-4} < BR(B \rightarrow X_s\gamma) < 4.14 \cdot 10^{-4}$
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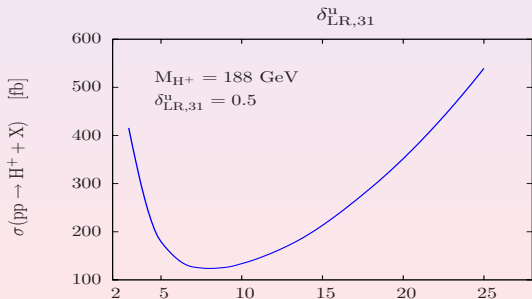
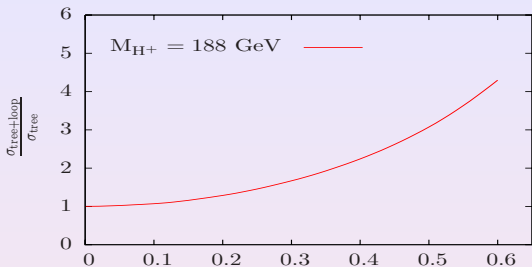
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Results of single Higgs production

- Flavor-mixing can strongly enhance charged Higgs production cross-section
- Largest contribution from $\delta_{LR,31}^u$

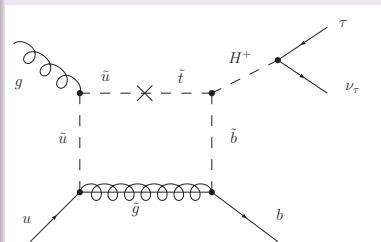
- Tree-Level value for hadr. cross-section with $M_{H^+} = 188$ GeV:
 $\sigma_{tree}(pp \rightarrow H^+ + X) = 41\text{fb}$
- Unfortunately,
 $\sigma(pp \rightarrow W^+ + X) \approx 90\text{nb}$
 \Rightarrow bad signal to background ratio H^+



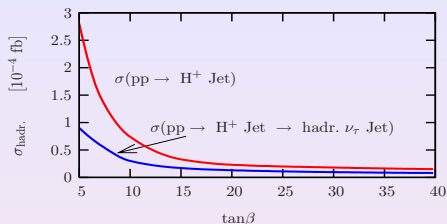
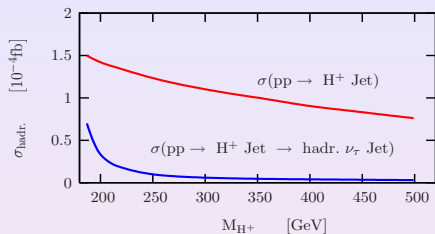
Charged Higgs + Jet production

Considered process: $\sigma(pp \rightarrow H^+ + \text{Jet})$

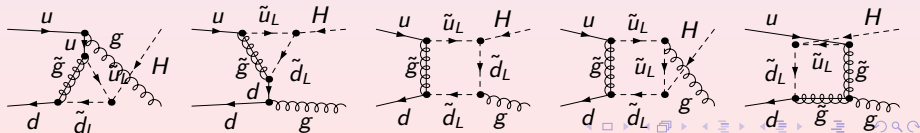
- Even with $m_q \rightarrow 0$ (just D-Terms) and in MFV the cross-section is finite
- Just SUSY-QCD corrections
Expected to cause the largest enhancement
- We require a hard jet,
 $p_{T,j} \geq 100 \text{ GeV}$, to handle collinear divergencies
- Background:
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Results for $m_q \rightarrow 0$ in MFV

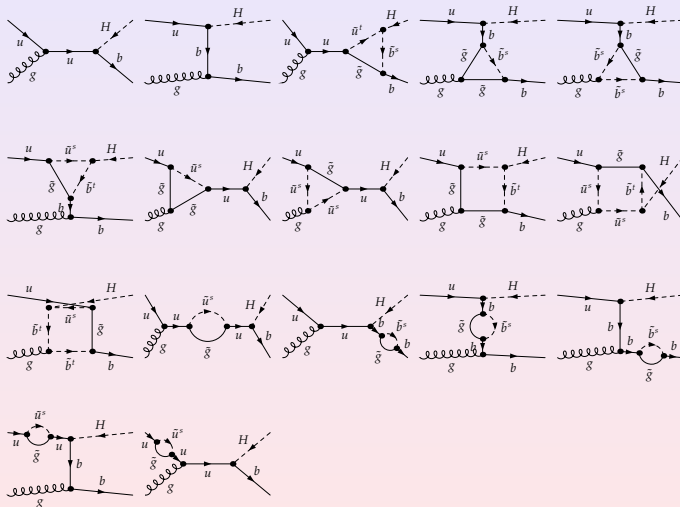


- For $m_q \rightarrow 0$ just D-Term couplings present
- Cross-sections are very small because the D-Terms decouple with $1/M_{SUSY}^4$ on the amplitude level (Large mass expansion)
- D-Term contributions to the Amplitude are proportional to $\sin(2\beta)$



Diagrams for 1 of 18 partonic processes - $ug \rightarrow H^+ b$:

$$u g \rightarrow H b$$



Results: $H^+ + \text{Jet}$

m_{H^+}	$\tan \beta$	$\sigma_{2\text{HDM}}$	$\sigma_{2\text{HDM}}^{(m_s=0)}$	σ_{MFV}	$\sigma_{\text{MFV}}^{(m_s=0)}$	$\sigma_{\text{MFV}}^{(m_q=0)}$
188 GeV	3	$2.5 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$1.9 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$2.6 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$2.0 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$6.7 \cdot 10^{-4}$
188 GeV	7	$9.9 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$6.0 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$1.1 \cdot 10^0$	$6.5 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$1.5 \cdot 10^{-4}$
400 GeV	3	$4.0 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$3.0 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$4.2 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$3.2 \cdot 10^{-2}$	$4.2 \cdot 10^{-4}$
400 GeV	7	$1.6 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$1.0 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$1.7 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$1.1 \cdot 10^{-1}$	$9.1 \cdot 10^{-5}$

m_{H^+}	$\tan \beta$	σ_{SUSY}	$\sigma_{\text{SUSY}}^{(m_s=0)}$	$\sigma_{\text{SUSY}}^{(m_q=0)}$
188 GeV	3	14.3	14.2	13.9
188 GeV	7	4.6	4.4	3.0
400 GeV	3	2.4	2.4	2.3
400 GeV	7	0.79	0.73	0.54

- σ_{SUSY} corresponds to $\delta_{LR,31}^u = 0.5$
- Light-flavor and bottom Yukawa have roughly the same impact ($m_b V_{cb} \sim m_s V_{cs}$)
- The D-Term couplings are numerically irrelevant
- NMFV can enhance cross-section by one order of magnitude for small $\tan \beta$

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Intersectional field of flavor and collider physics might give interesting results for LHC

B-B-Mixing Chargino Contributions

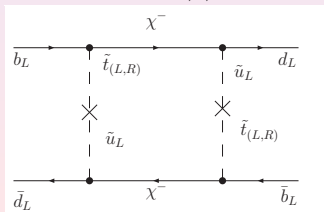
The dominant Operators are:

$$H_{\text{eff}}^{\Delta B=2} = \sum_{i=1}^5 C_i(\mu) O_i(\mu) + \sum_{i=1}^3 \tilde{C}_i(\mu) \tilde{O}_i(\mu)$$

$$O_1 = \bar{d}_L^\alpha \gamma_\mu b_L^\alpha \bar{d}_L^\beta \gamma_\mu b_L^\beta, \quad O_2 = \bar{d}_R^\alpha b_L^\alpha \bar{d}_R^\beta b_L^\beta,$$

$$O_3 = \bar{d}_R^\alpha b_L^\beta \bar{d}_R^\beta b_L^\alpha, \quad O_4 = \bar{d}_R^\alpha b_L^\alpha \bar{d}_L^\beta b_R^\beta, \quad O_5 = \bar{d}_R^\alpha b_L^\beta \bar{d}_L^\beta b_R^\alpha$$

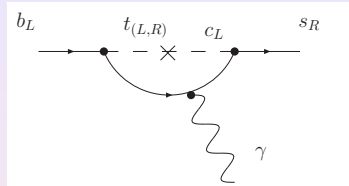
The operators $\tilde{O}_{1,2,3}$ are obtained from $O_{1,2,3}$ by exchanging $L \leftrightarrow R$



- Light quark masses are neglected
 \Rightarrow just O_1 and \tilde{O}_3 at high scale
- Main contributions from $\delta_{LL,13}^u$ and $\delta_{LR,13}^u$

$B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ and $B \rightarrow \rho \gamma$

Operators:



$$O_2 = \bar{s}_L \gamma_\mu c_L \gamma^\mu b_L$$

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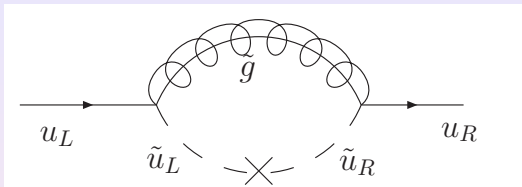
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Exp. Values for $BR(b \rightarrow s \gamma)$: $355 \pm 24_{-10}^{+9} \pm 3 \cdot 10^{-6}$

Exp. Values for $BR(B \rightarrow \rho \gamma)$: BaBar: $0.79_{-0.20}^{0.22} \pm 0.06 \cdot 10^{-6}$

Belle: $1.25_{-0.33-0.06}^{0.37+0.07} \cdot 10^{-6}$

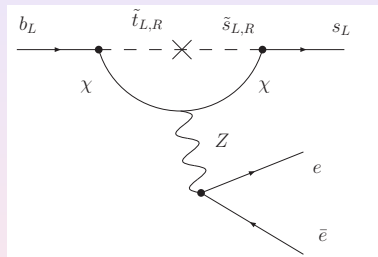


Glino corrections to quark masses:

$$\delta m_i \propto -\frac{\alpha_s}{4\pi} m_{\tilde{g}} \text{Re}(\delta_{ii}^q)_{LR} I(x)$$

Assumption: δm_i smaller than the values of the absolute value of the quark masses

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$$O_9 = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} \bar{s}_L \gamma^\mu b_L \bar{l} \gamma_\mu l$$

$$O_{10} = \frac{e^2}{16\pi^2} \bar{s}_L \gamma^\mu b_L \bar{l} \gamma_\mu \gamma_5 l$$

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