

# *Flavour anomaly inputs for high $p_T$ measurements*

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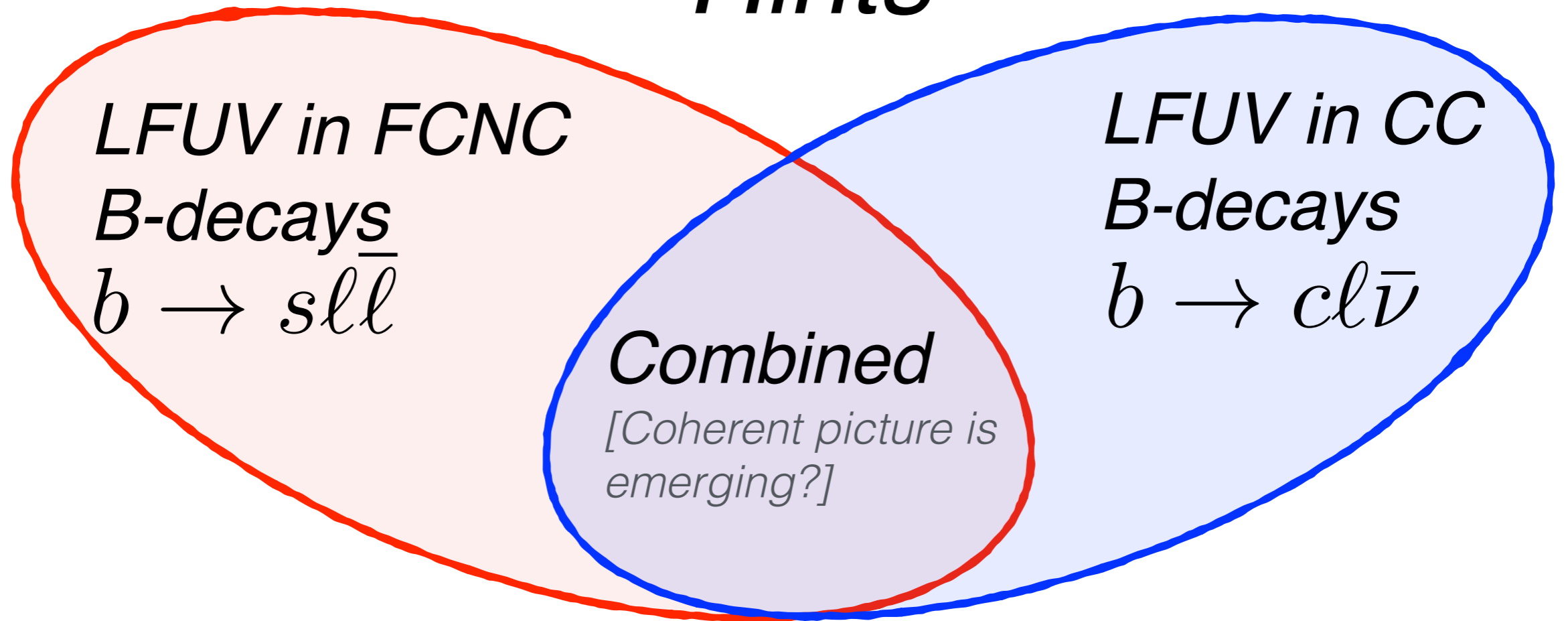
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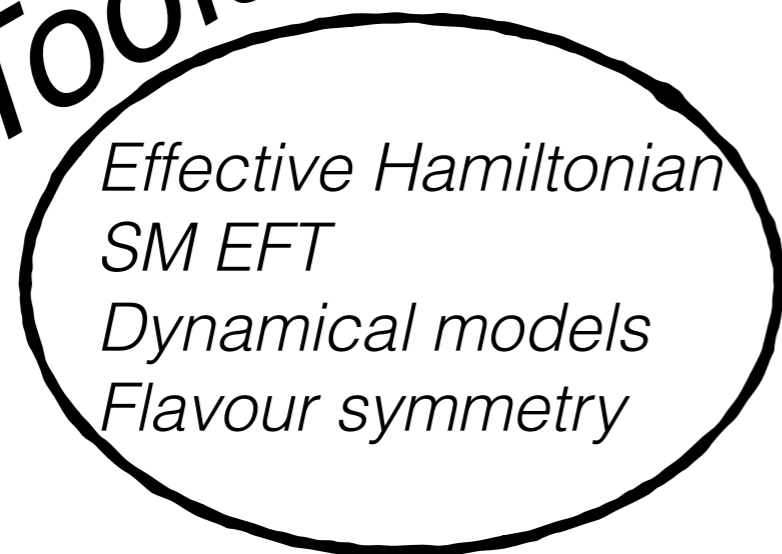
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# Hints



# Tools



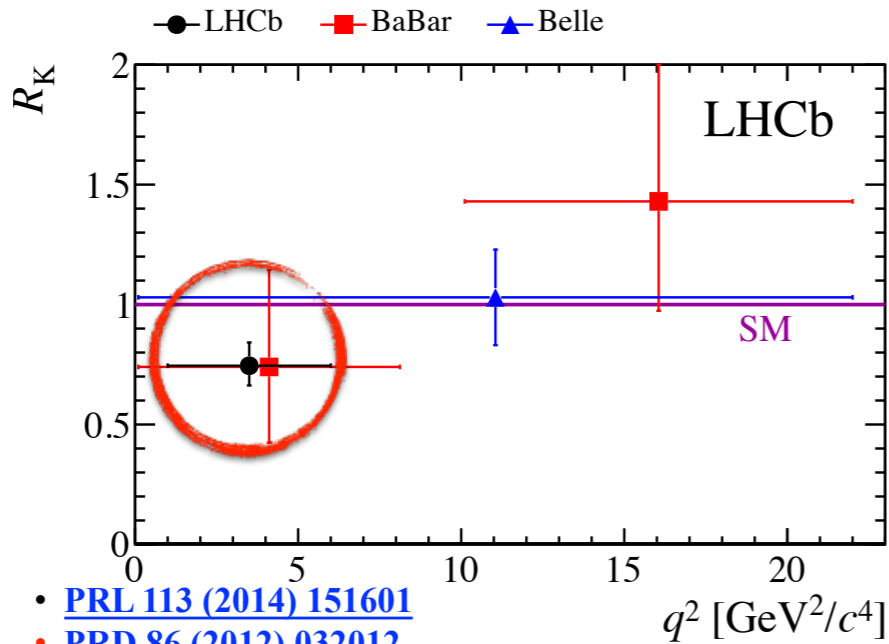
# Focus

If true, what is the physics case at high- $p_T$  ?



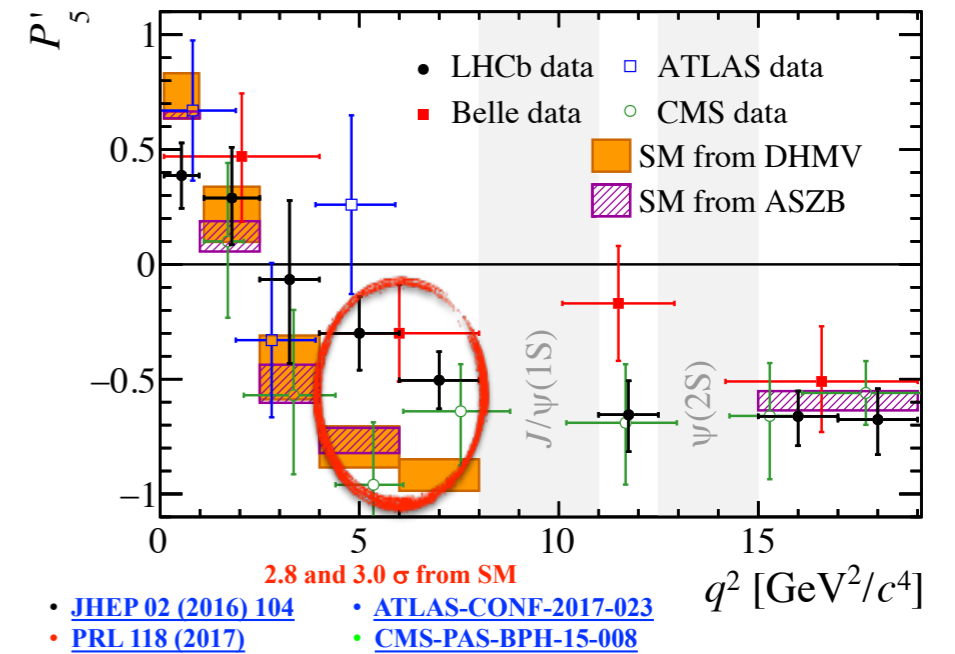
# Lepton universality ratios $\mu/e$

# $B \rightarrow K^* \mu\mu$ angular analysis

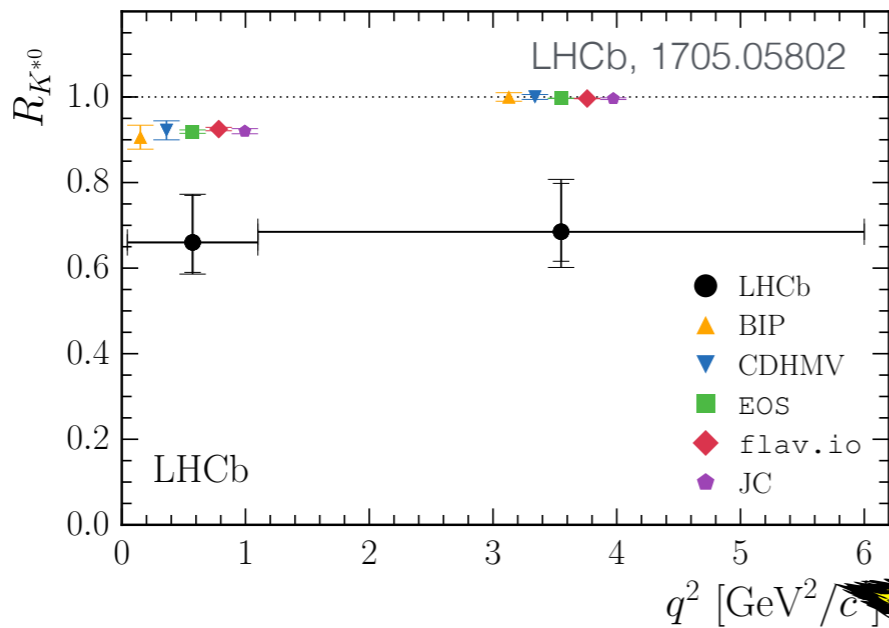


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S. Bifani, CERN seminar



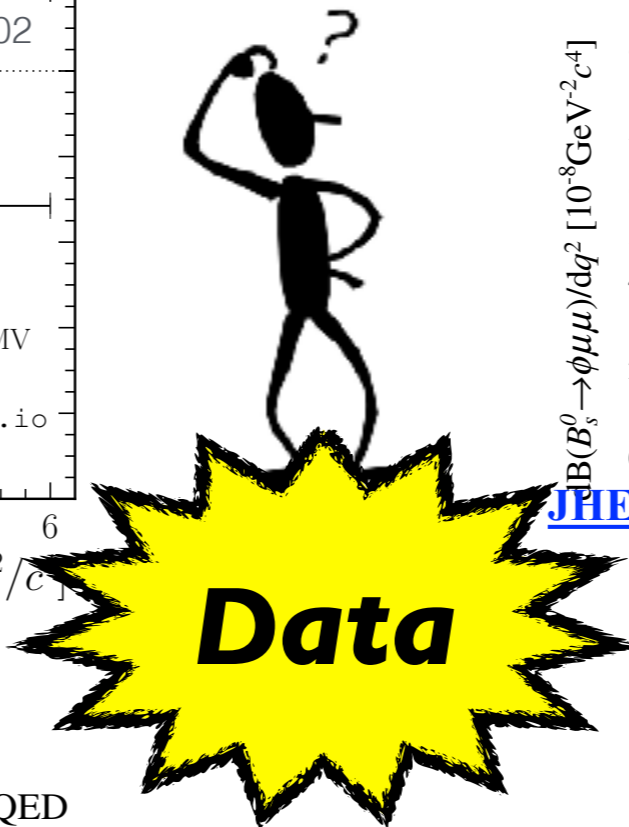
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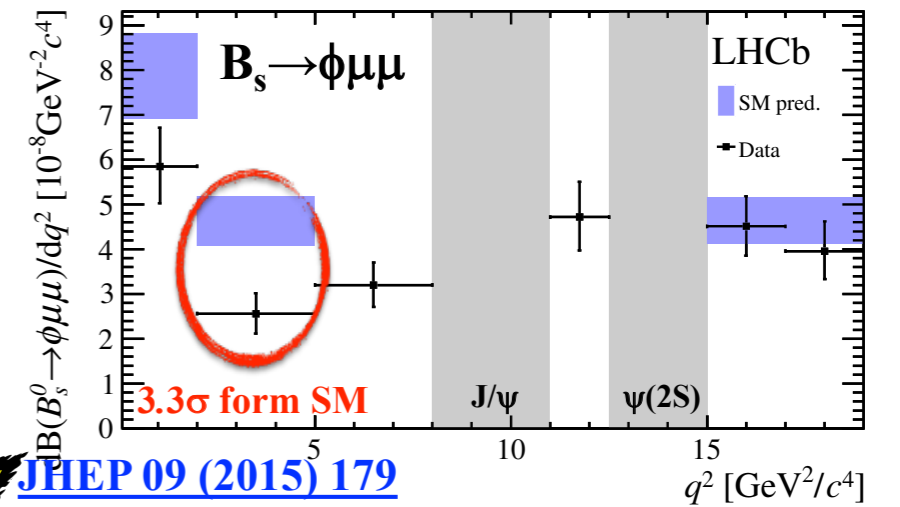
**“Clean”**

$$R_{K^+} [1.0, 6.0]^{SM} = 1.00 \pm 0.01_{QED}$$

[Bordone, Isidori, Pattori], 1605.07633



## Branching Fractions



[JHEP 09 \(2015\) 179](#)

**“Less clean”**

$b \rightarrow s \ell \ell$

# Effective low-energy Hamiltonian

$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{eff}} \supset -\frac{4G_F}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \lambda_t^{sb} \sum_i C_i \mathcal{O}_i,$$

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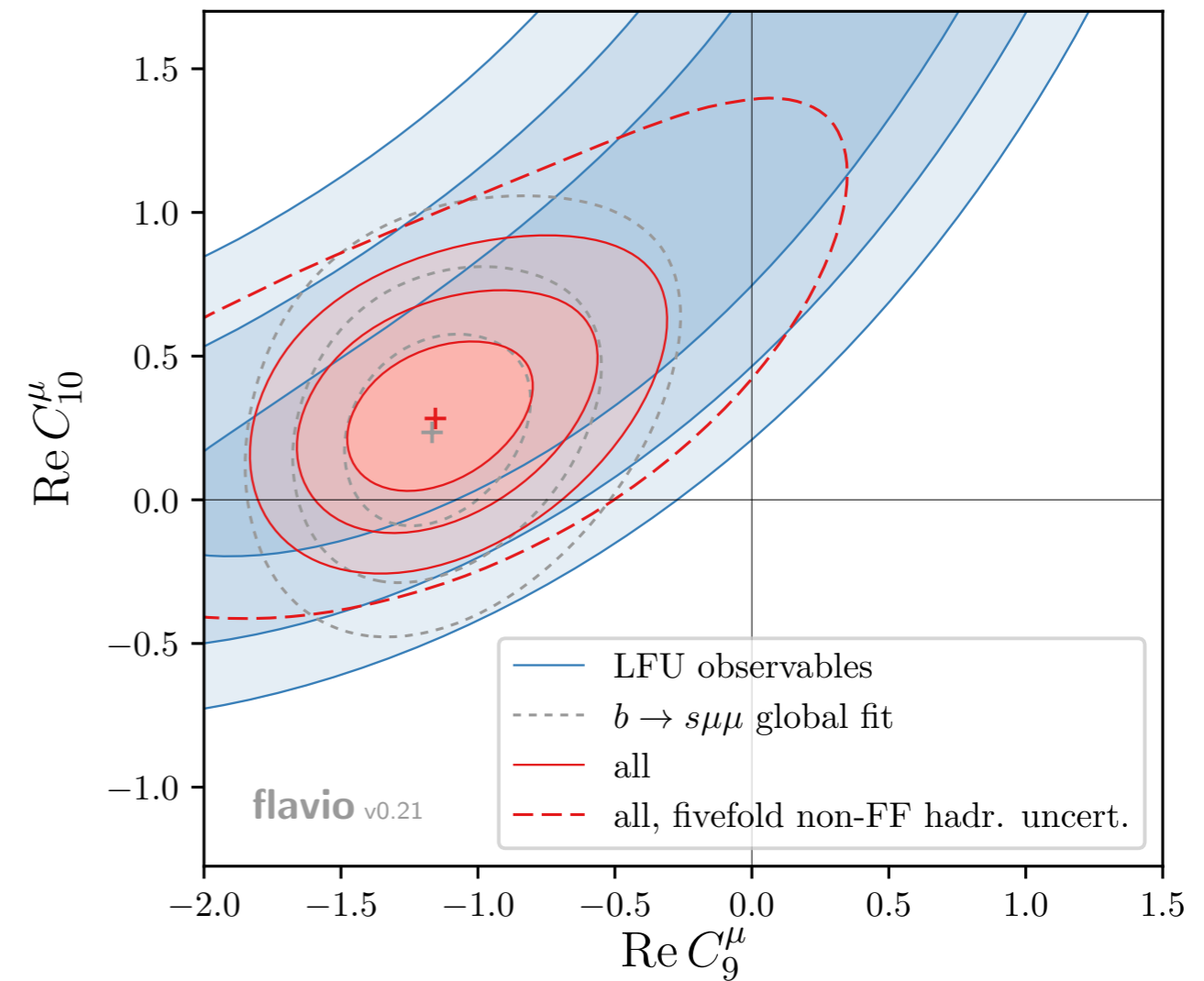
- New physics contribution to muonic  $\mathcal{O}_9$  operator:

$$(b_L \gamma_\mu s_L)(\mu \gamma^\mu \mu)$$

- Only LFU ratios  $\sim 4\sigma$

Consistency!

[1704.05435]



Global fits by several groups [1704.05435, 1704.05340, 1704.05438, 1704.05447, 1704.05446, 1705.06274]

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What do we learn when matching two EFTs at the EW scale?

## SM EFT

- $\Lambda > v$
- $SU(3) \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)$
- Linear EWSB
- Dim-6 operators

NP in (at least) one of the operators

(involving muons)

$$Q_i = (V_{ji}^* u_L^j, d_L^i)^T$$

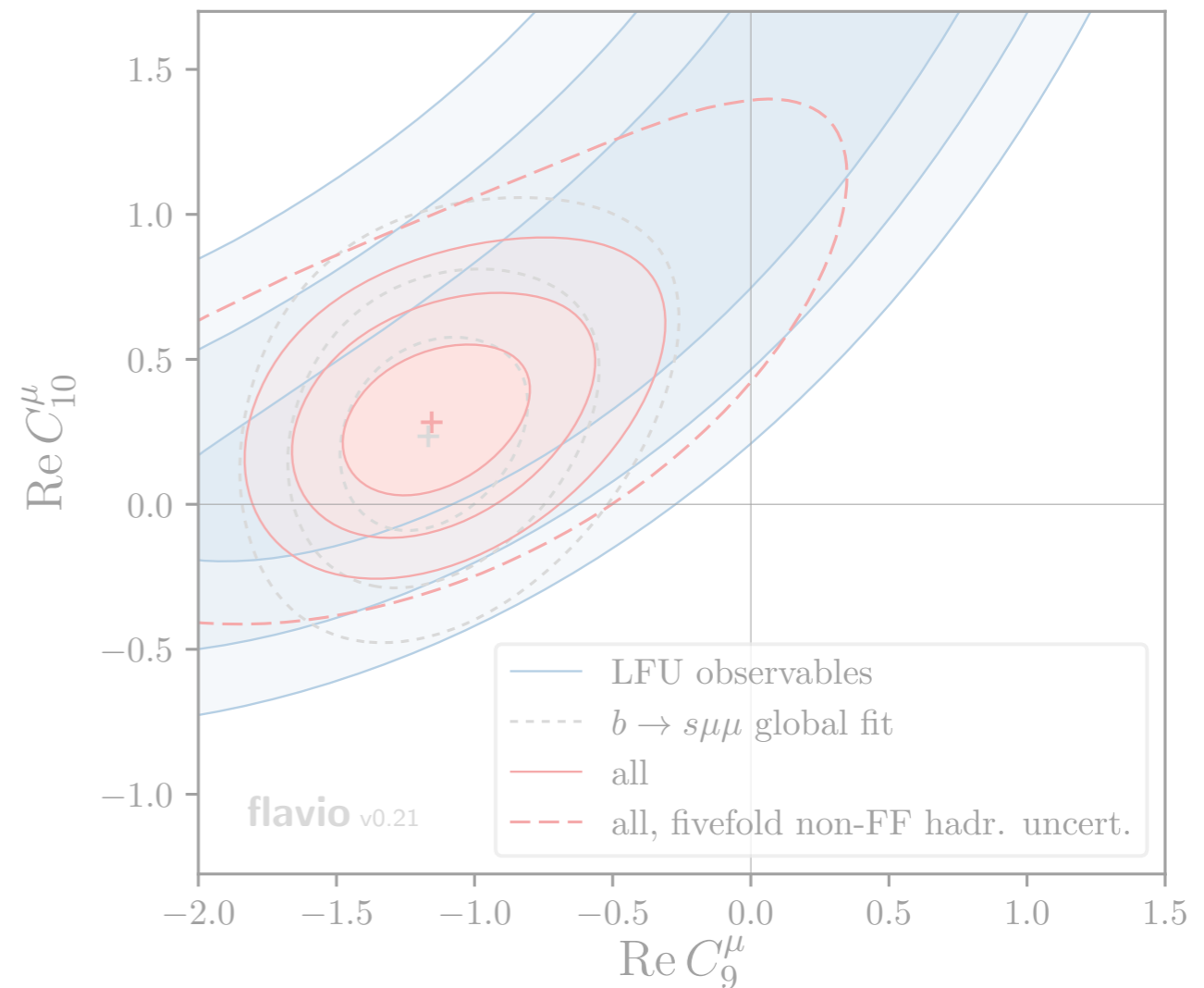
$$L_i = (v_L^i, \ell_L^i)^T$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{\text{SMEFT}} \supset$$

$$\frac{c_{QijLkl}^{(3)}}{\Lambda^2} (\bar{Q}_i \gamma_\mu \sigma^a Q_j)(\bar{L}_k \gamma^\mu \sigma_a L_l) + \frac{c_{QijLkl}^{(1)}}{\Lambda^2} (\bar{Q}_i \gamma_\mu Q_j)(\bar{L}_k \gamma^\mu L_l)$$

## Consistency!

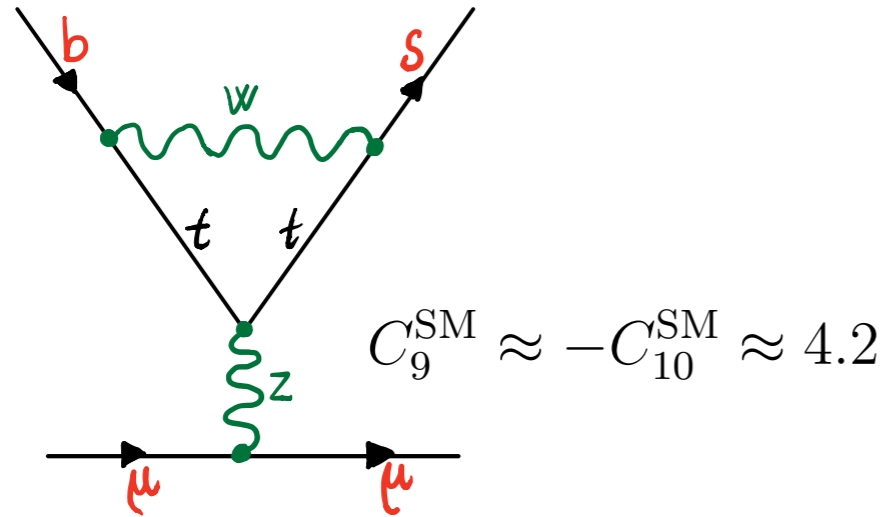
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# Where is the scale of $NP$ in $b \rightarrow s \ell \ell$ ?

## In the SM



- Loop, CKM, and GIM suppression

## New Physics

e.g. pure V-A scenario:

$$\Delta C_9^\mu = -\Delta C_{10}^\mu = -0.61 \pm 0.12$$

[1704.05340]

implies

$$\Lambda / g_* \approx 32_{-3}^{+4} \text{ TeV}$$

$$c_{QL}^{(1)} \sim g_*^2$$

[1704.09015]

<u>Tree-level, unsuppressed</u> ( $g_* \sim 1$ ) <p style="text-align: center;"><b><math>\sim 30 \text{ TeV}</math></b></p>	<u>Loop-generated</u> ( $g_* = 1/4\pi$ ) <p style="text-align: center;"><b><math>\sim 2.5 \text{ TeV}</math></b></p>
<u>Tree-level, MFV</u> ( $g_*^2 = V_{ts}$ ) <p style="text-align: center;"><b><math>\sim 6 \text{ TeV}</math></b></p>	<u>Loop-generated, MFV</u> <p style="text-align: center;"><b><math>\sim 0.5 \text{ TeV}</math></b></p>

Potentially relevant slide for the future collider planners...

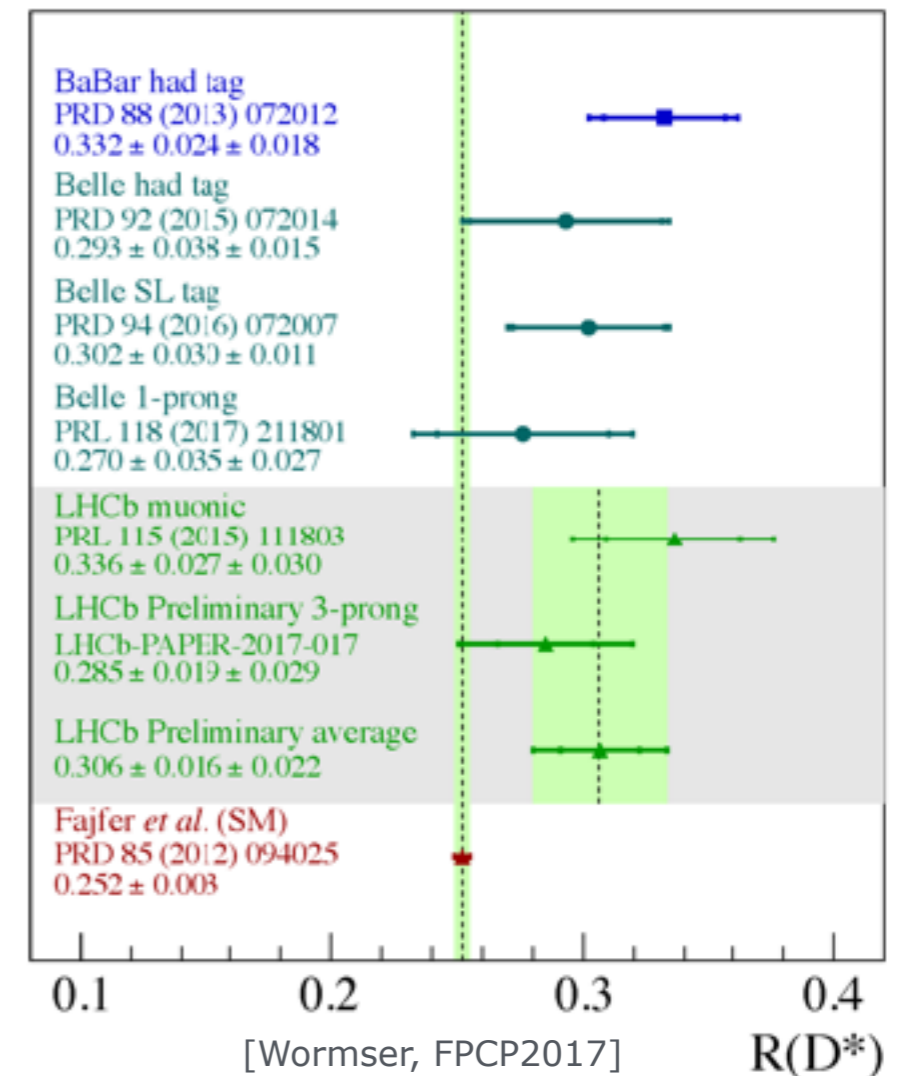
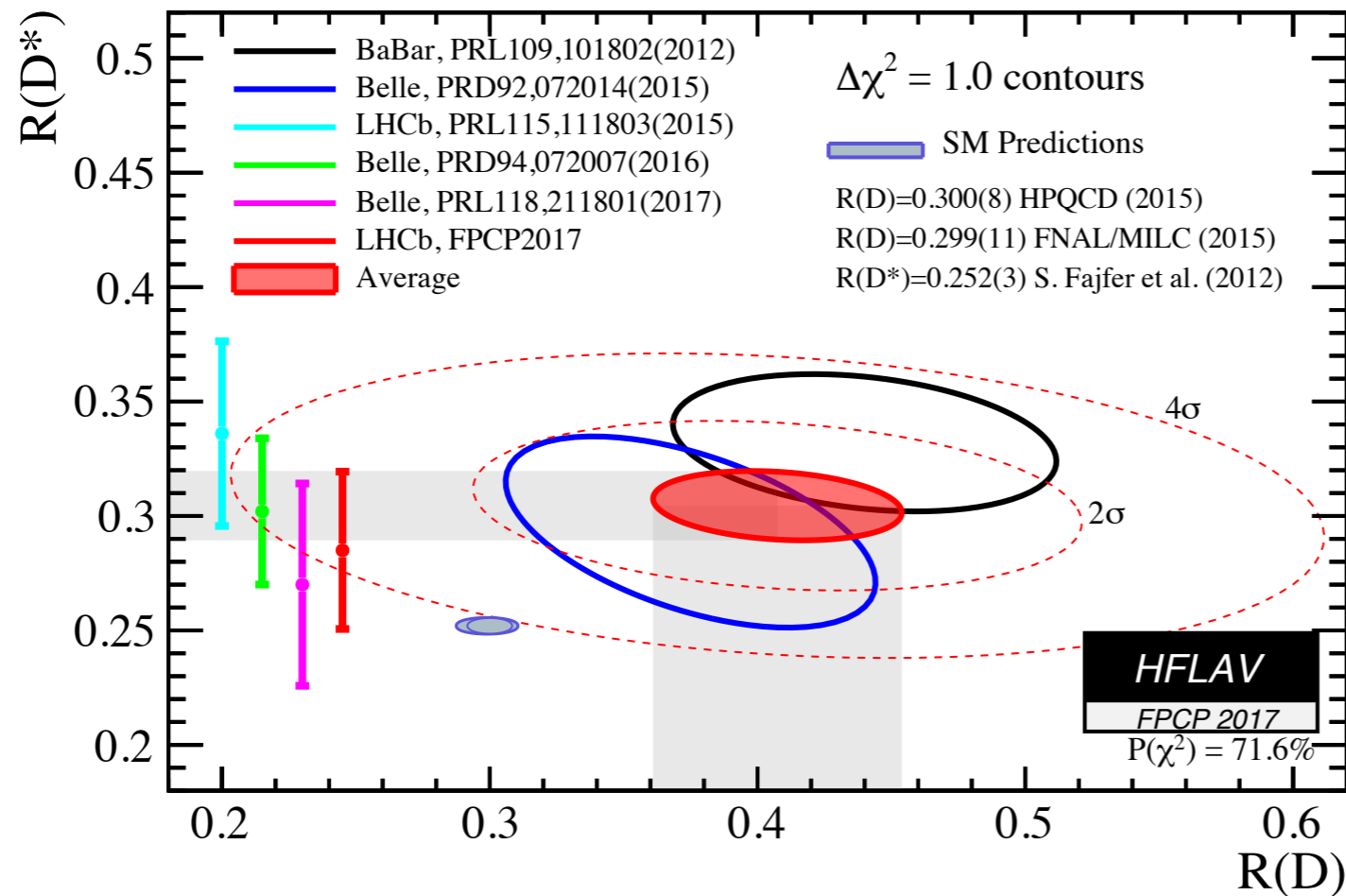


**Perturbative unitarity constraint: NP scale  $\lesssim 80 \text{ TeV}$**

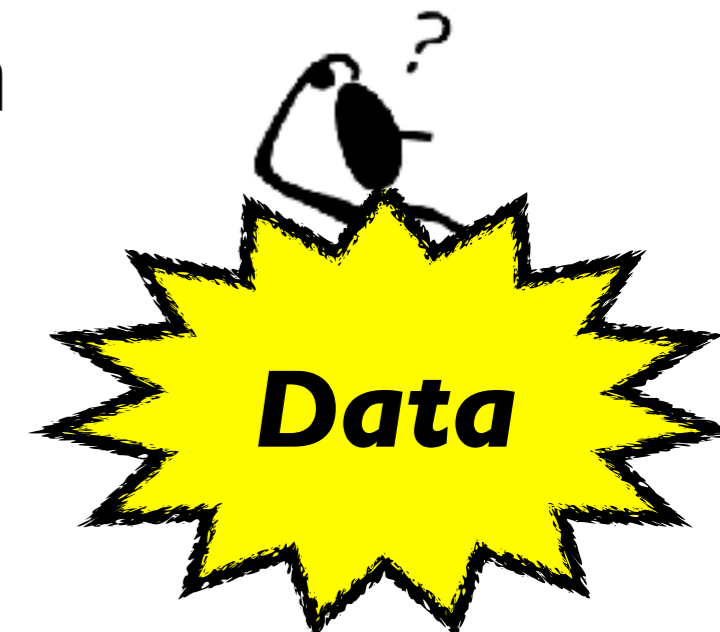
[Di Luzio and Nardecchia], 1706.01868

$b \rightarrow c \ell \bar{\nu}$ 

$$\mathcal{R}(D^{(*)}) = \frac{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau^- \bar{\nu}_\tau)}{\mathcal{B}(\bar{B} \rightarrow D^{(*)} \ell^- \bar{\nu}_\ell)}$$

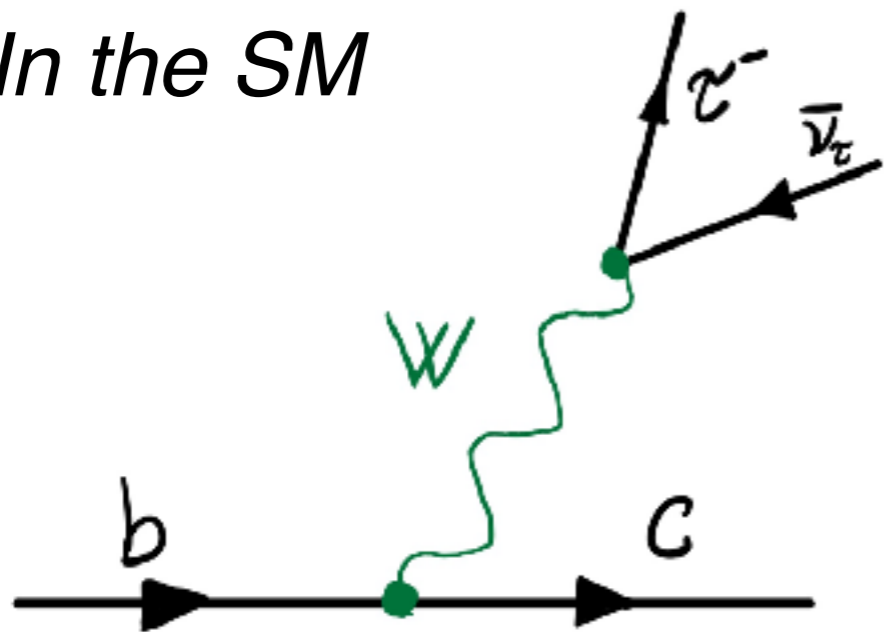


- **4 $\sigma$  excess** over the SM prediction
- Good agreement by three (very) different experiments



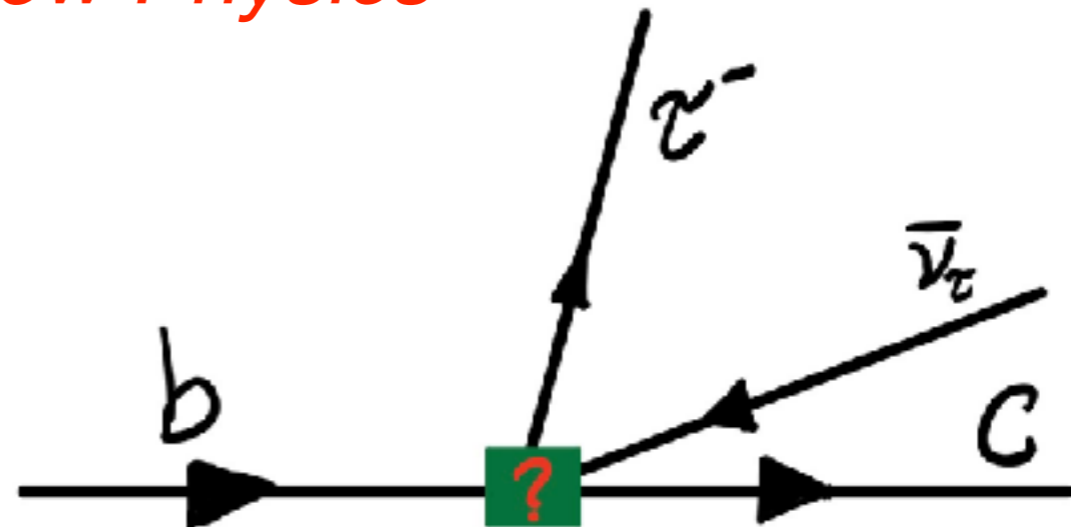
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*New Physics*



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[Presumably tree-level generated]

Tree-level, unsuppressed ( $g_* \sim 1$ )

$\sim 3.5 \text{ TeV}$

Tree-level, MFV ( $g_*^2 = V_{cb}$ )

$\sim 0.7 \text{ TeV}$

Perturbative unitarity constraint: NP scale  $\lesssim 9 \text{ TeV}$

[Di Luzio and Nardecchia], 1706.01868

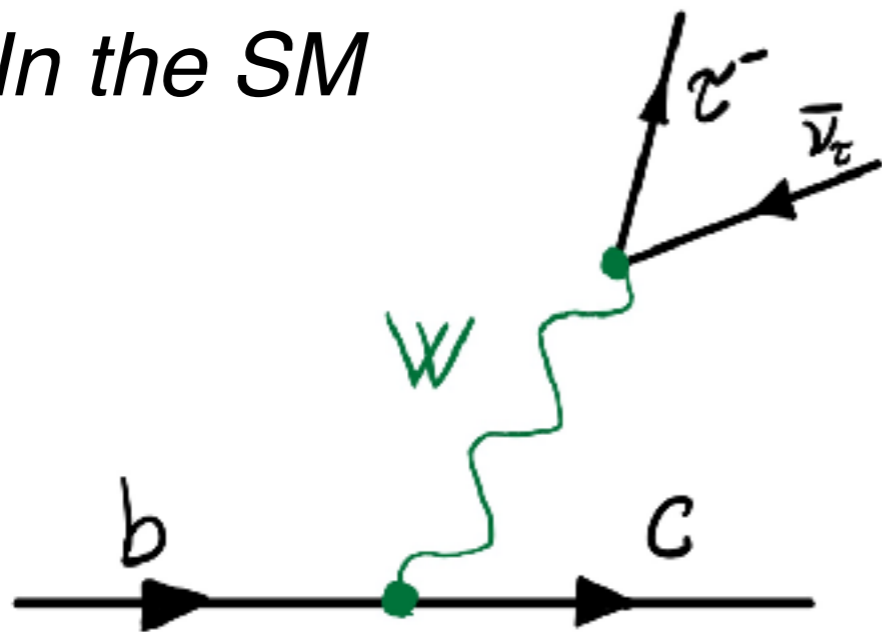
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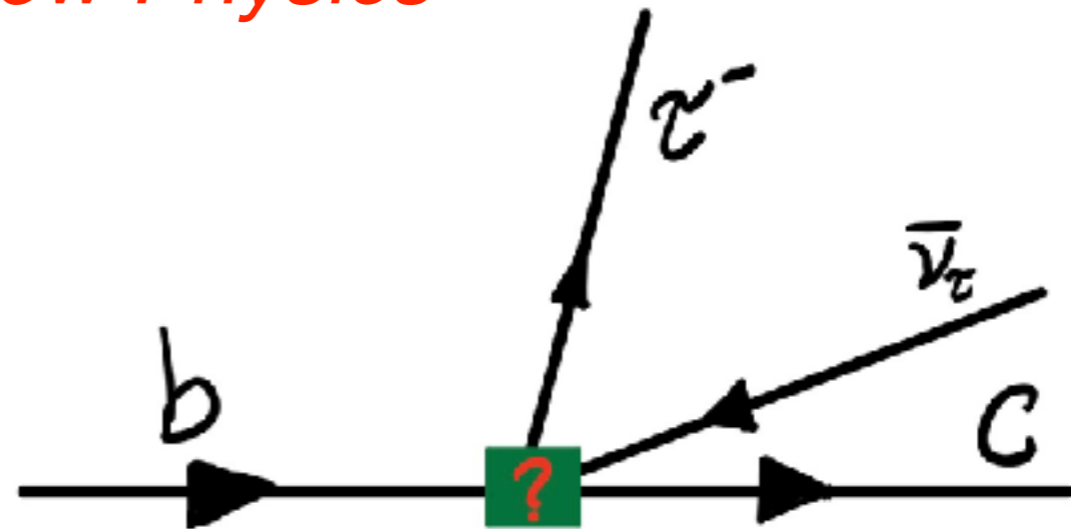
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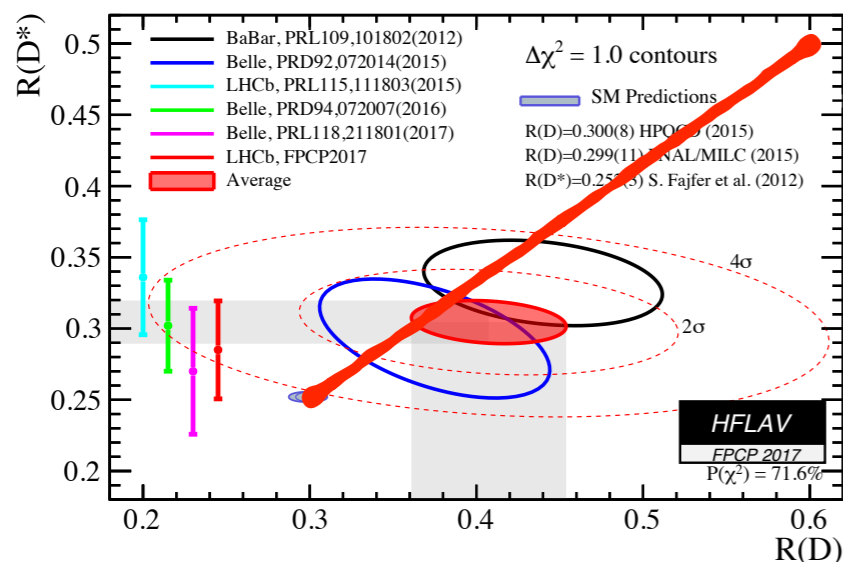


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SM EFT

The most elegant solution:

$$(\bar{Q}_i \gamma_\mu \sigma^a Q_j) (\bar{L}_k \gamma^\mu \sigma_a L_l)$$

- SM-like contribution,  $\sim 15\%$  universal enhancement in  $b_L \rightarrow c_L \tau_L \nu_L$  amplitude
- Unlike tensor and scalar operators, points to larger NP scale
- No problems with  $B_c$  lifetime [1611.06676]

Related references: [1206.1872, 1505.05164, 1506.01705, 1506.08896, ...]

# Tree-level models



Classify single-mediator models matching to the relevant SM EFT operators:

$$(\bar{Q}_L^i \gamma_\mu \sigma^a Q_L^j)(\bar{L}_L^\alpha \gamma^\mu \sigma^a L_L^\beta)$$

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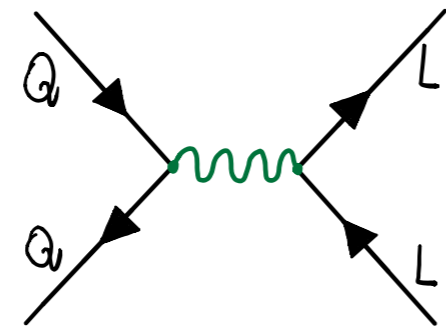
Colour singlet

Colour triplet

Vectors:

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**Colorless vectors**

Scalar LQ:

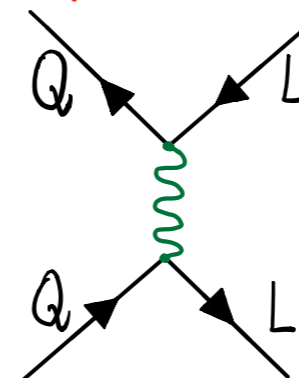
$$S_1 \sim (\bar{3}, 1, 1/3)^* \text{no } (dd)(\ell\ell)$$

$$S_3 \sim (\bar{3}, 3, 1/3)$$

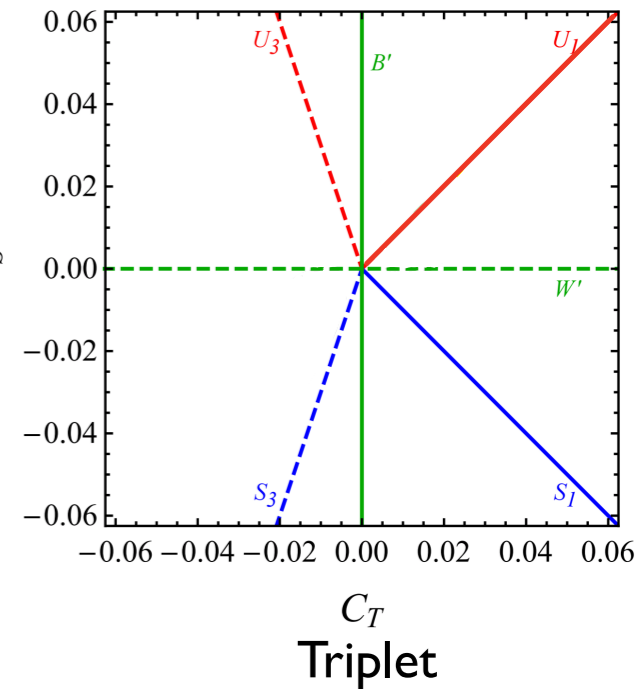
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Singlet  $C_S$



**Leptoquarks**

[1308.1501, 1310.1082, 1403.1269,  
1411.3161, 1501.00993, 1503.03477,  
1505.03079, 1506.01705, 1509.01249,  
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LQ review: [Doršner, Fajfer, AG, Košnik, F. Kamenik],  
Phys.Rept. 641 (2016) 1-68

[1411.4773, 1503.01084, 1505.05164, 1510.08757,  
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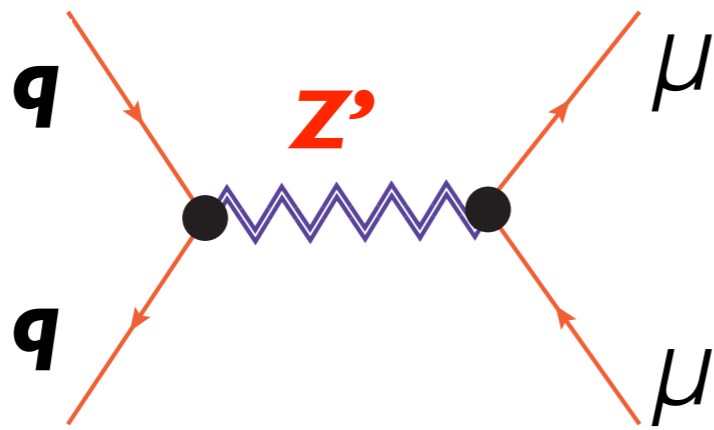
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Lesson for  
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## Z' bosons

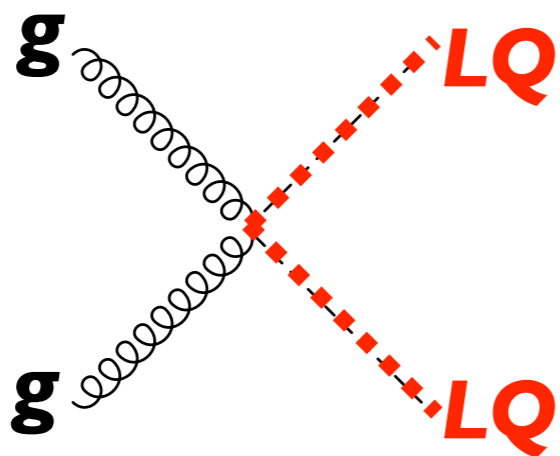


- Resonance searches
- Deviations in the tails

Final states:

$\tau\tau, \mu\mu, tt, bb, jj, \dots$

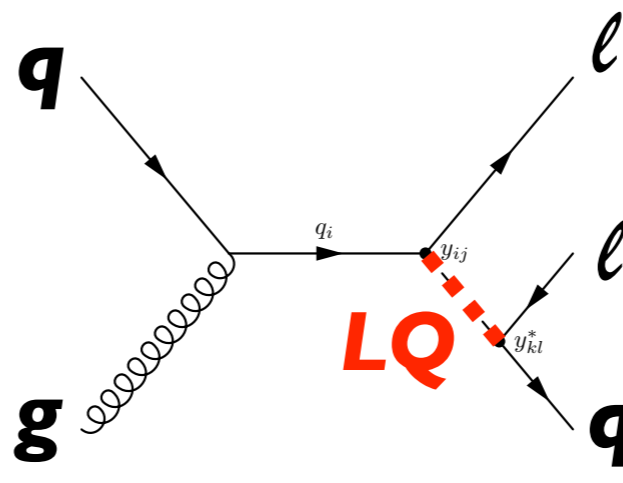
## Leptoquarks



**QCD pair production**

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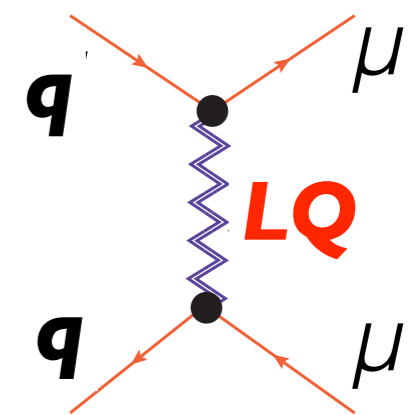
$b\tau b\tau, t\nu b\tau, b\tau b\mu, b\mu b\mu, \dots$



**Single LQ + lepton production**

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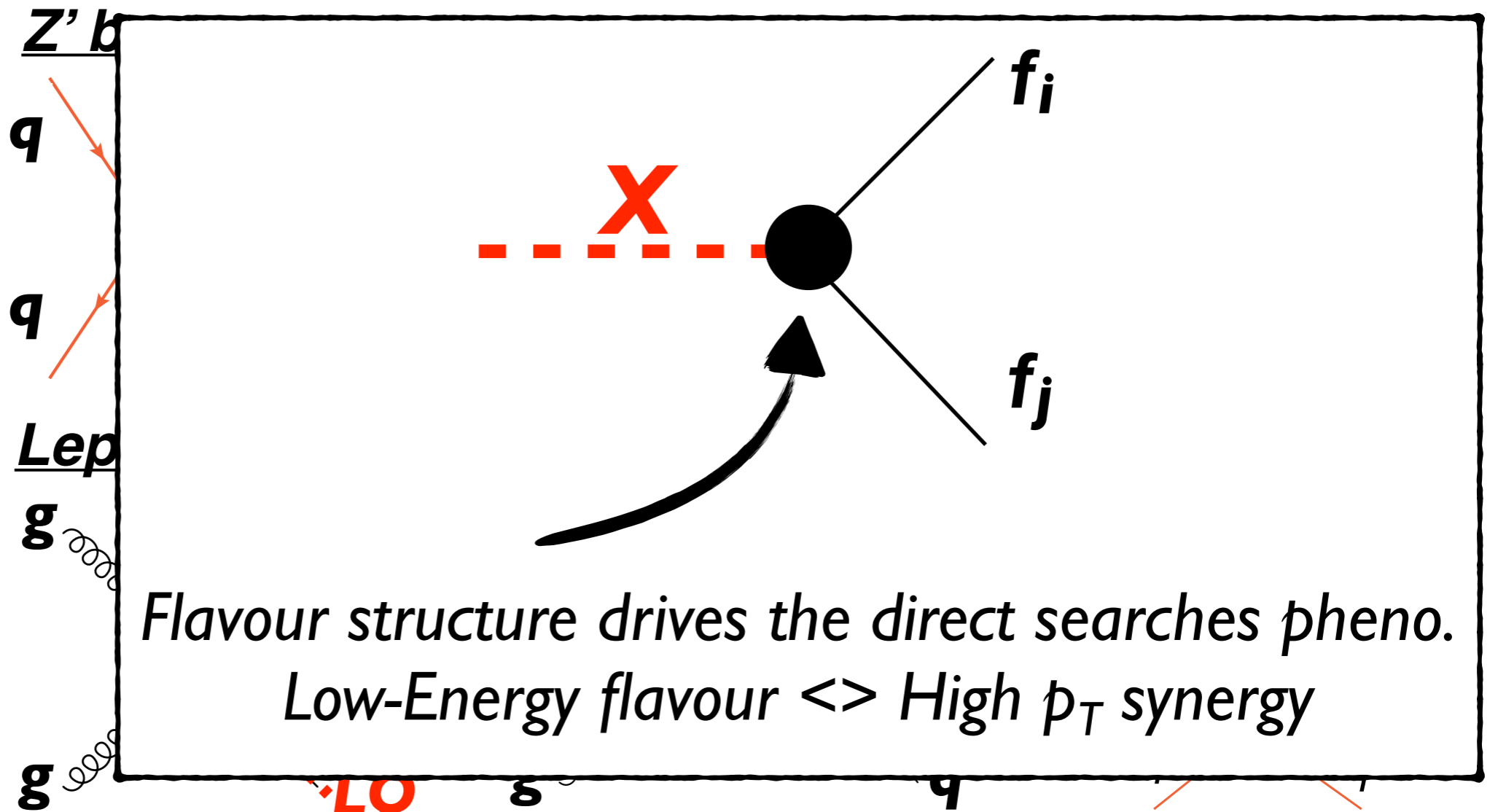
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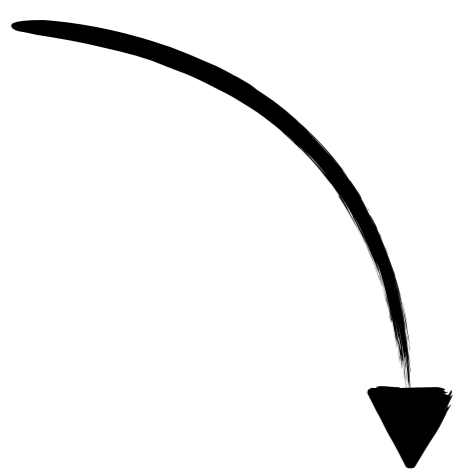
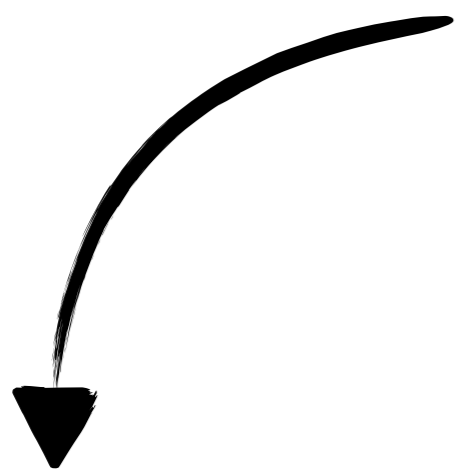
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# Flavour lesson I



Classify UV dynamics based on the relative size of *semi-leptonic* vs. *4-quark operators*.

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## Colorless vectors

## Leptoquarks

$\Delta F = 2$

Tree-level

Flavour suppression needed (e.g. MFV)

Lower NP scale!

$\Delta F = 2$

One-level



[Altmannshofer, Straub], 1411.3161  
 [AG, Isidori, Marzocca], 1506.01705

[Hiller, Nisandzic], 1704.05444  
 Talk by Jure Zupan

$$W' = (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{3}, 0)$$

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[AG, Isidori, Marzocca]  
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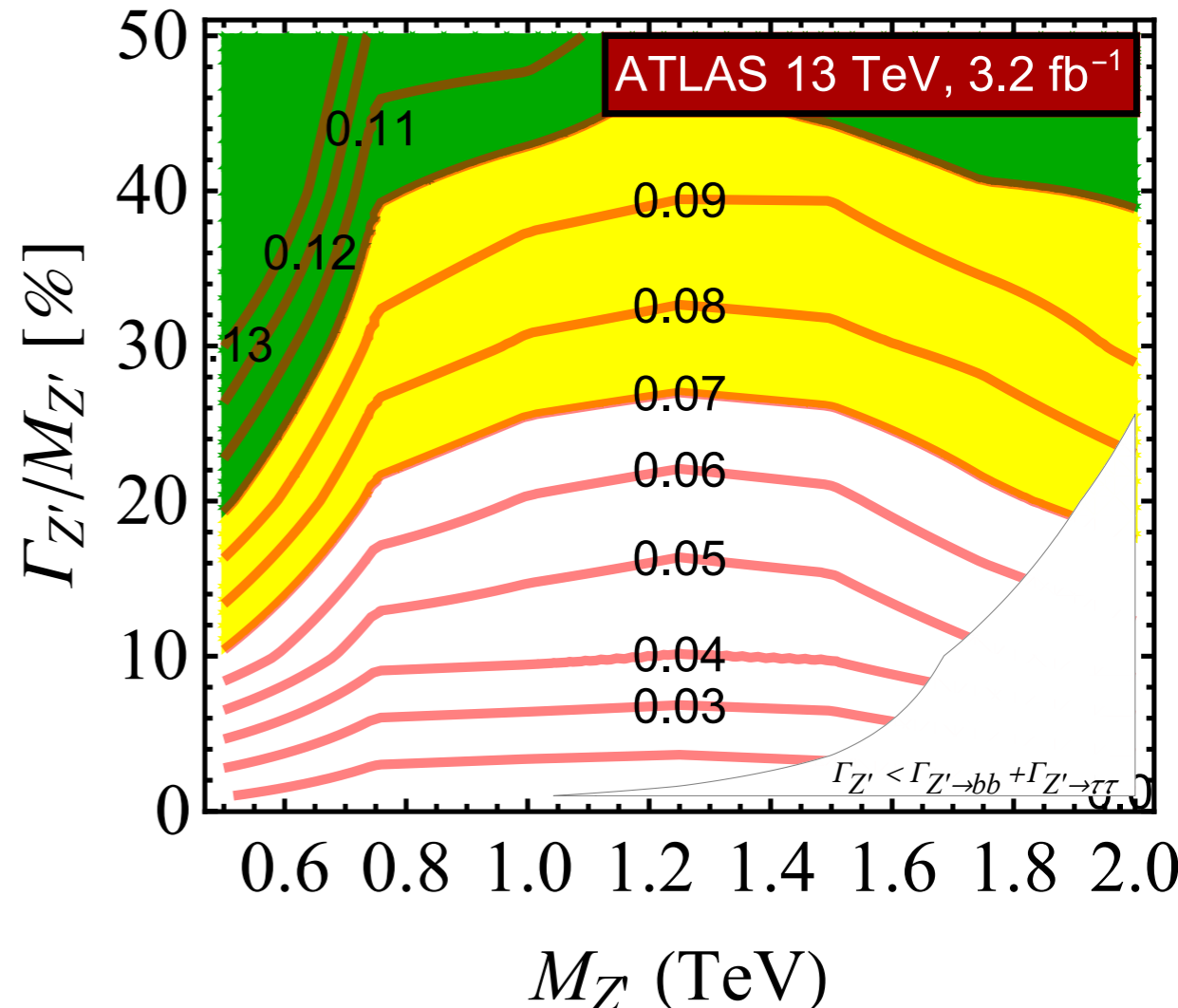
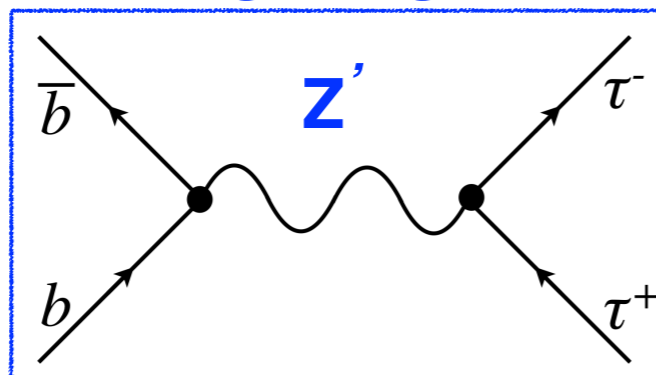
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**Large signal**



[Faroughy, AG, F. Kamenik]

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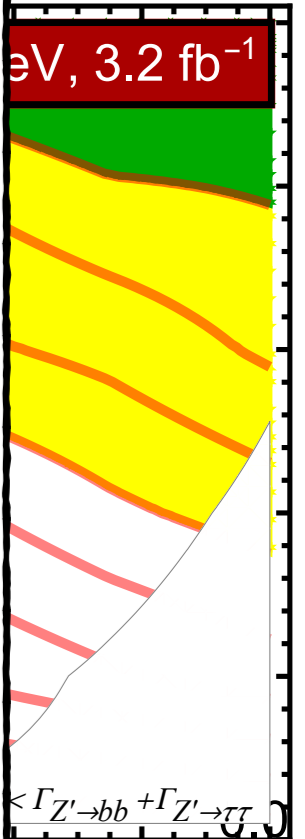
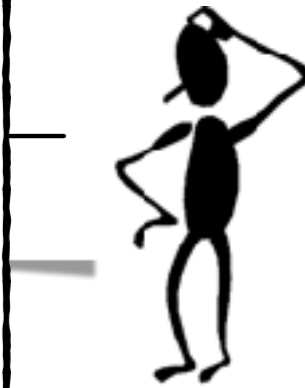
$$|\lambda_{sb}^q|$$

Tree-  
Fit to  
 $|g_b g_\tau|$

- If no dynamical or symmetry suppression in  $\Delta F=2$ :  
Very low NP scale to fit  $R(D^*)$
- **Already tension with high  $p_T$**

$$\frac{\bar{b}}{b}$$

$$\frac{b}{\bar{b}}$$



$M_{Z'} \text{ (TeV)}$

[Faroughy, AG, F. Kamenik]

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# A coherent picture...

[Buttazzo, AG, Isidori, Marzocca], 1706.07808

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} - \frac{1}{v^2} \lambda_{ij}^q \lambda_{\alpha\beta}^\ell \left[ C_T (\bar{Q}_L^i \gamma_\mu \sigma^a Q_L^j) (\bar{L}_L^\alpha \gamma^\mu \sigma^a L_L^\beta) + C_S (\bar{Q}_L^i \gamma_\mu Q_L^j) (\bar{L}_L^\alpha \gamma^\mu L_L^\beta) \right]$$

## Gauge

Leading NP effects:  
Semi-leptonic operators built from left-handed doublets **Q** and **L**

## Flavour

Minimally broken  $U(2)_q \times U(2)_\ell$  flavour symmetry:

$$V_q \sim (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{1}) \text{ and } V_\ell \sim (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{2})$$

$$\lambda_{bb}^q = \lambda_{\tau\tau}^\ell = 1$$

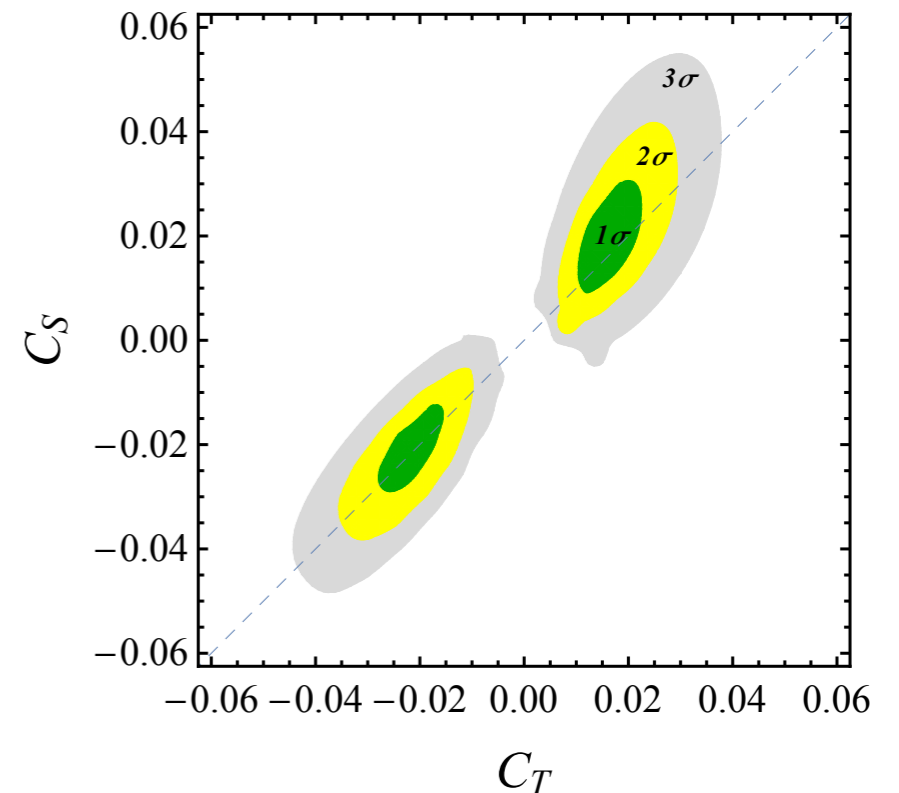
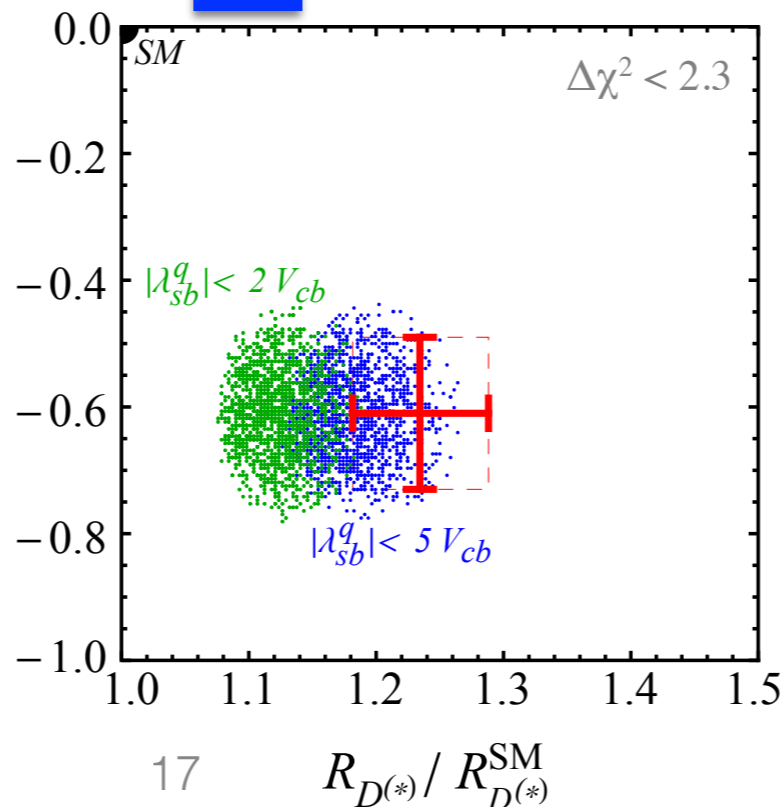
$$\lambda_{sb}^q = \mathcal{O}(|V_{cb}|), \quad \lambda_{\tau\mu}^\ell = \mathcal{O}(|V_{\tau\mu}|), \quad \lambda_{\mu\mu}^\ell = \mathcal{O}(|V_{\tau\mu}|^2).$$

Observable

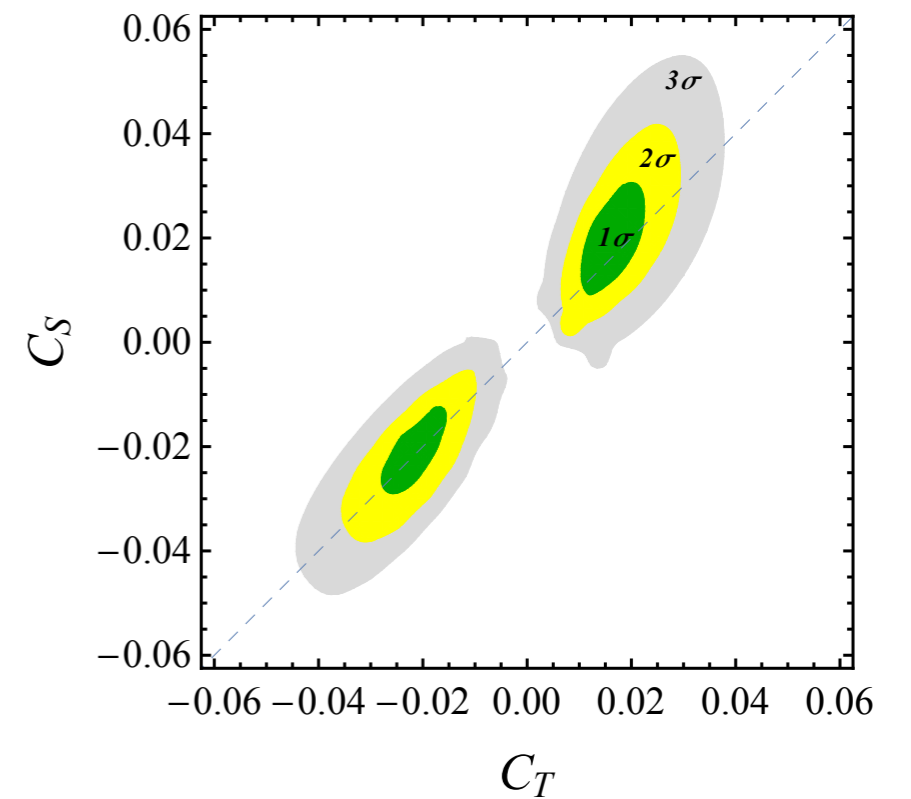
- $R_{D^{(*)}}^{\tau\ell}$
- $\Delta C_9^\mu = -\Delta C_{10}^\mu$
- $R_{b \rightarrow c}^{\mu e} - 1$
- $B_{K^{(*)}\nu\bar{\nu}}$
- $\delta g_{\tau L}^Z$
- $\delta g_{\nu\tau}^Z$
- $|g_\tau^W / g_\ell^W|$
- $\mathcal{B}(\tau \rightarrow 3\mu)$

Good fit!

$$\Delta C_9^\mu = -\Delta C_{10}^\mu$$



- *So which (simplified) UV model?*



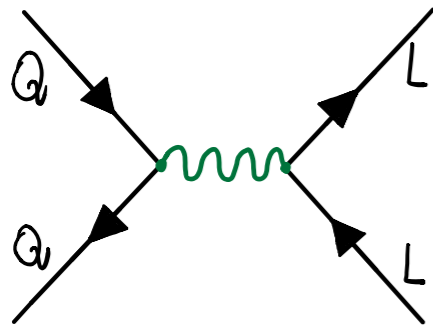
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Colour triplet

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$$W'_\mu \sim (1, 3, 0)$$

$$B'_\mu \sim (1, 1, 0)$$



Scalar LQ:

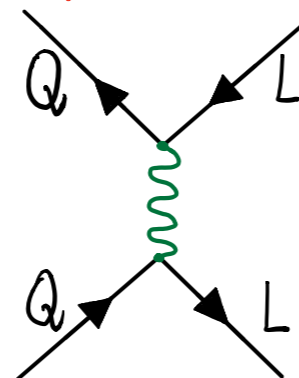
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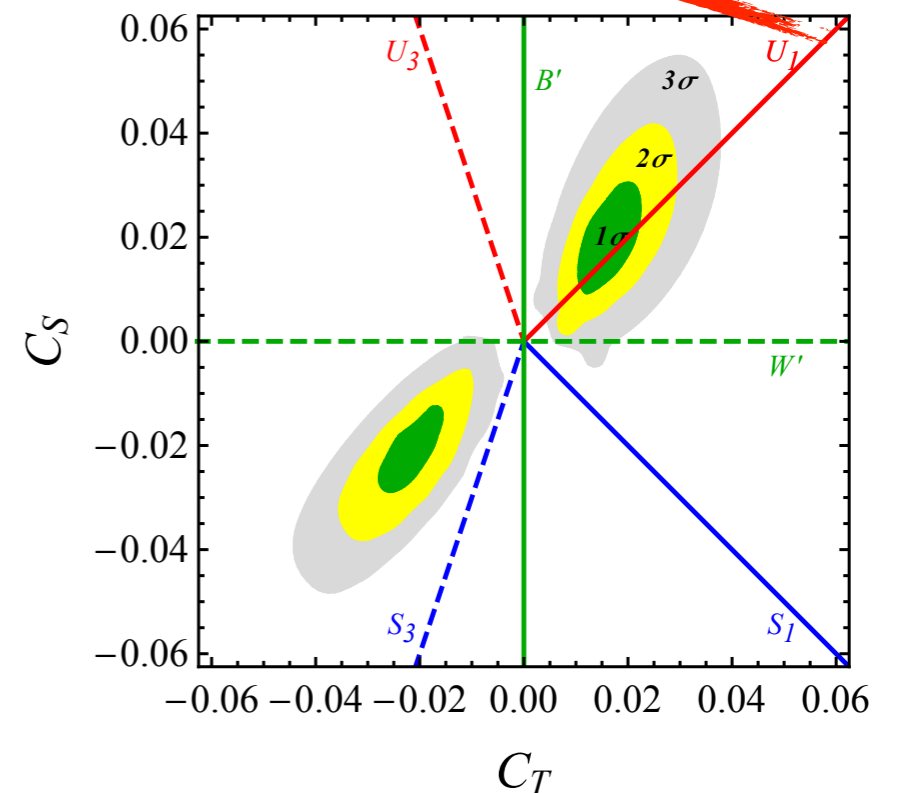
Vector LQ:

$$U_1^\mu \sim (3, 1, 2/3)$$

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- $U_1$  alone works well
- Combinations are possible, e.g.  $S_1 + S_3$



# Vector Leptoquark

$$U_1^\mu \equiv (\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{1}, 2/3)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_U = -\frac{1}{2}U_{1,\mu\nu}^\dagger U^{1,\mu\nu} + M_U^2 U_{1,\mu}^\dagger U_1^\mu + g_U (J_U^\mu U_{1,\mu} + \text{h.c.})$$

$$J_U^\mu \equiv \beta_{i\alpha} \bar{Q}_i \gamma^\mu L_\alpha$$

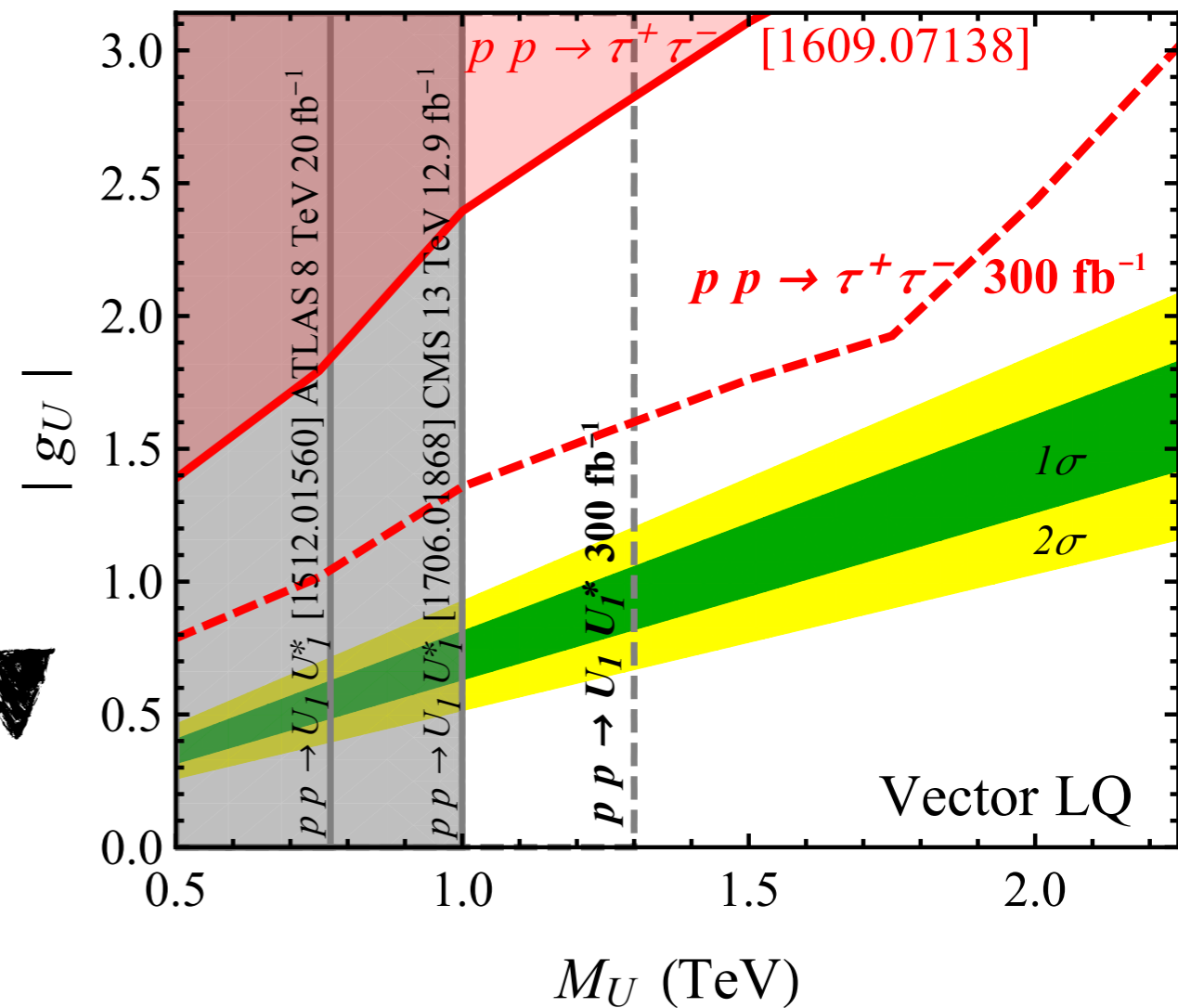
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**We need HL- or even HE- LHC!**

[Buttazzo, AG, Isidori, Marzocca],  
1706.07808

Technical note:

Massive vector requires UV completion,  
otherwise ambiguities in predictions...  
e.g.  $B_s$  mixing at one-loop, LQ pair production, etc.



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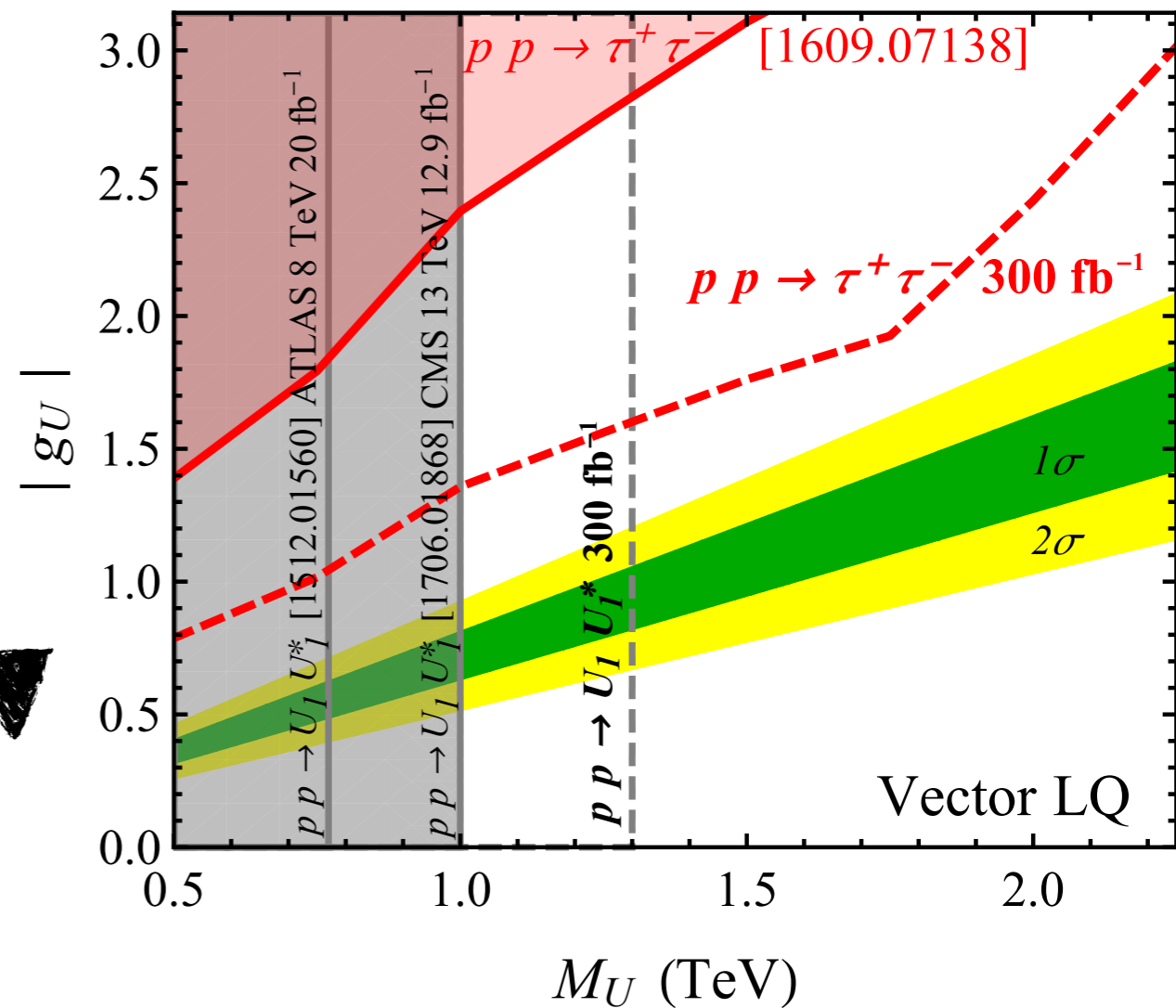
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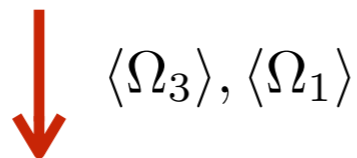


# Gauge leptoquark model

[Di Luzio, AG, Nardecchia], 1708.08450

- Extended gauge symmetry

$$G = SU(4) \times SU(3)' \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)'$$



$$G_{SM} = SU(3)_C \times SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$$

$$SU(3)_C = [SU(3)_4 \times SU(3)']_{diag}$$

$$Y = X + Y'$$

Massive gauge bosons:

1) **Leptoquark**

2) Coloron

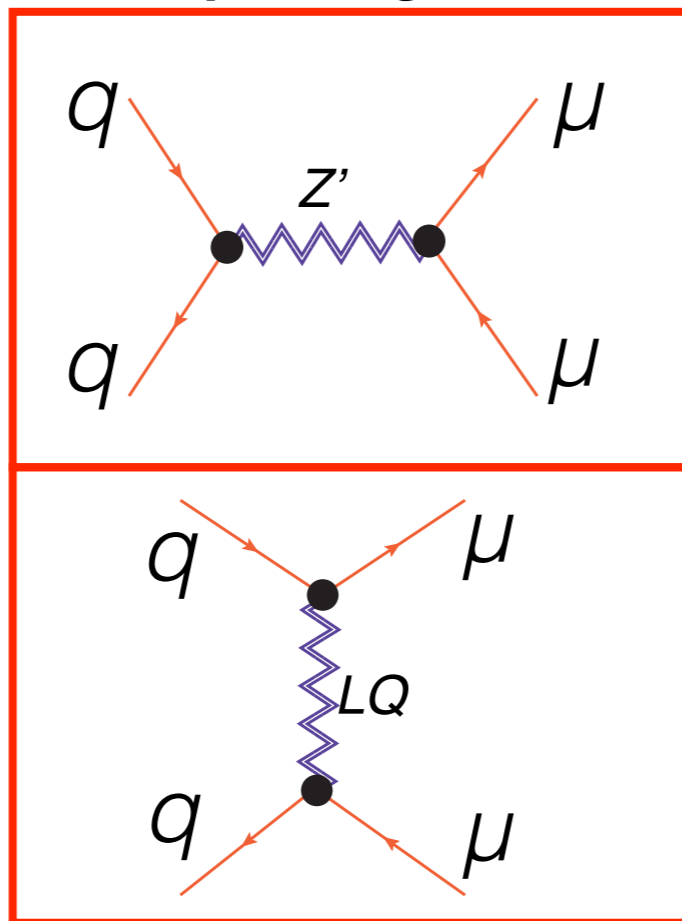
3) Z'

**Calculable!**

**UV completion**

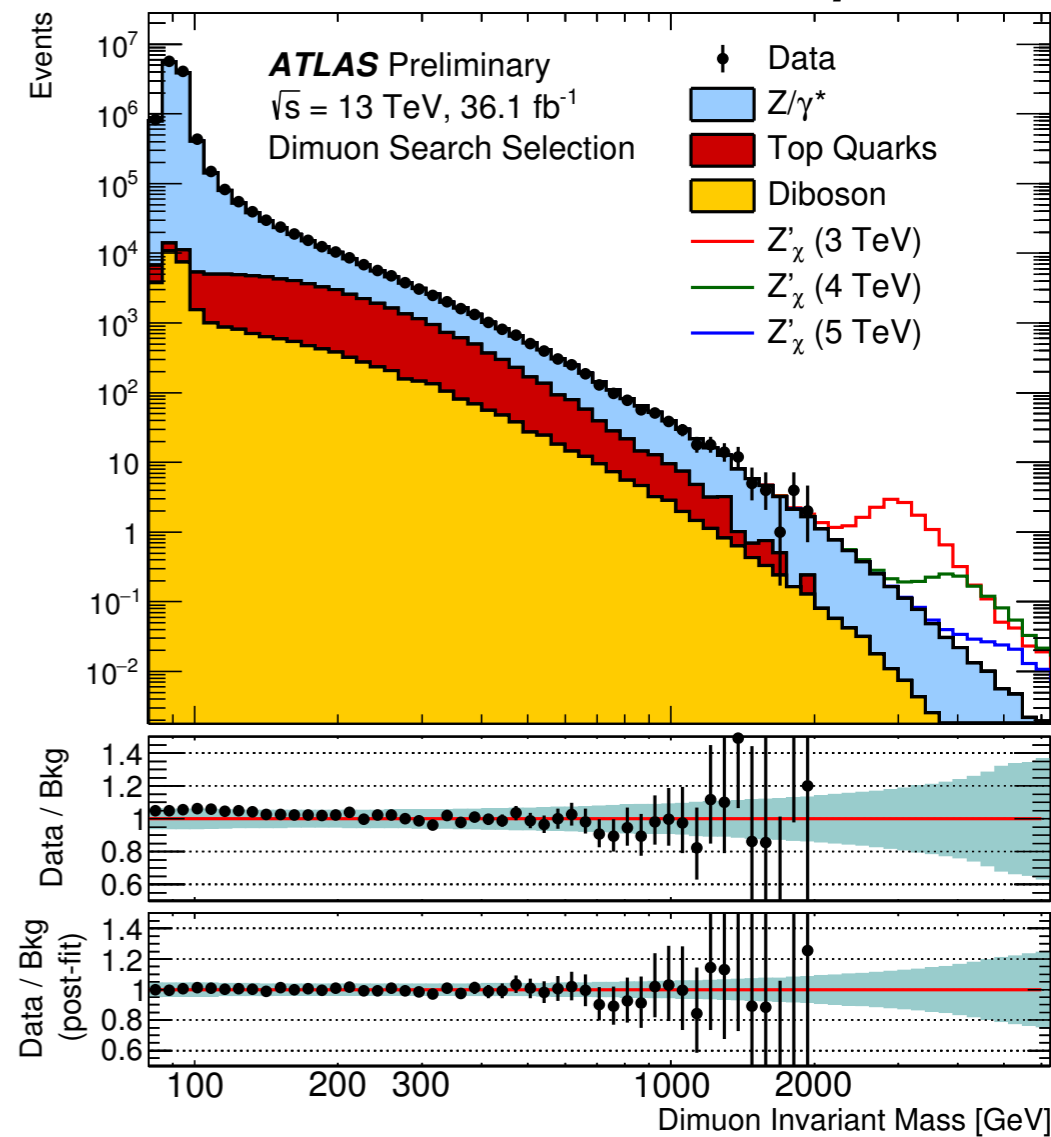
$$pp \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$

Example diagrams:



[AG, and D. Marzocca]  
1704.09015

Dimuon invariant mass spectrum



[ATLAS-CONF-2017-027]

Let us  
focus on  
 $R(K^{(*)})$   
alone...



- *Bump hunt* e.g. [1706.06575]
- *Non-resonant deviations in the tail*

$$b \rightarrow s l \bar{l}$$

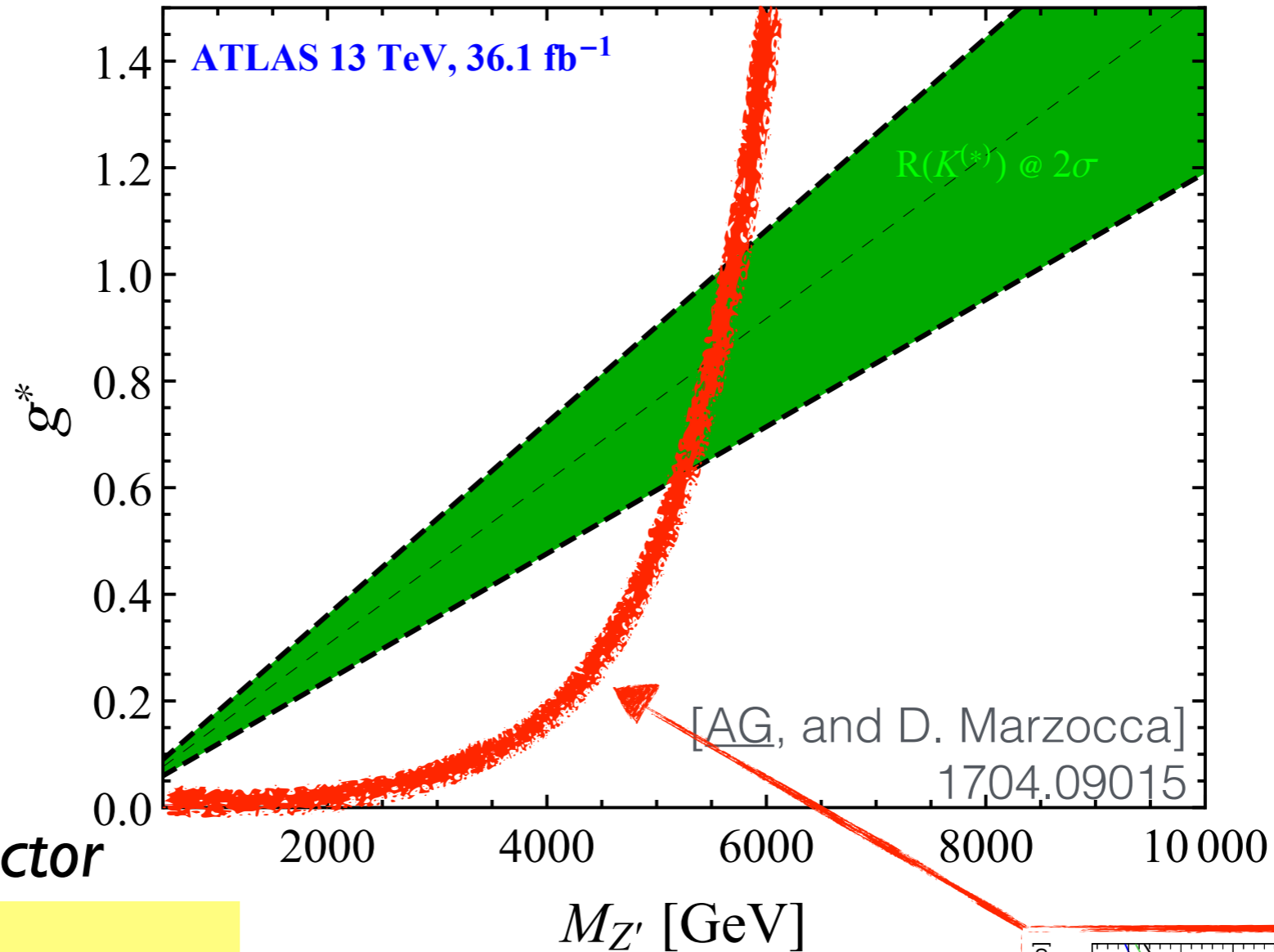
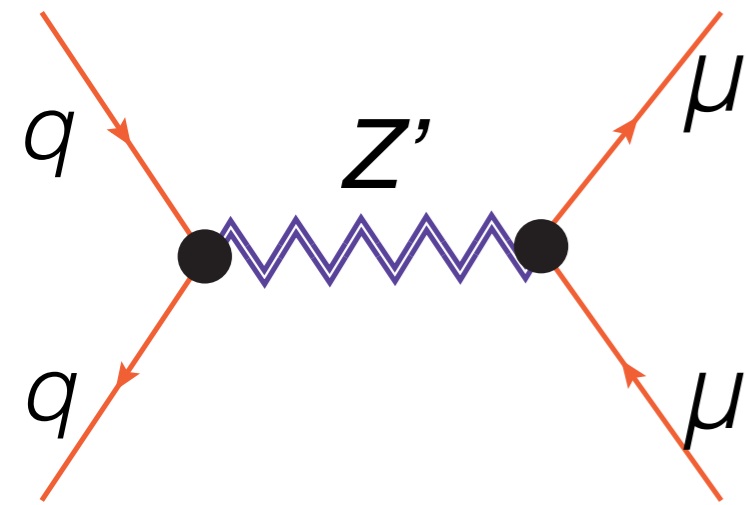
“Bump hunt” projections at HL-LHC and HE-LHC in the *pessimistic scenario* [1710.06363].

Talk by Tevong You

# Z' model

**Example**

95% CL limits on MFV Z' from  $p p \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$



MFV in the quark sector

$$\mathcal{L} \supset Z'_\mu J_\mu$$

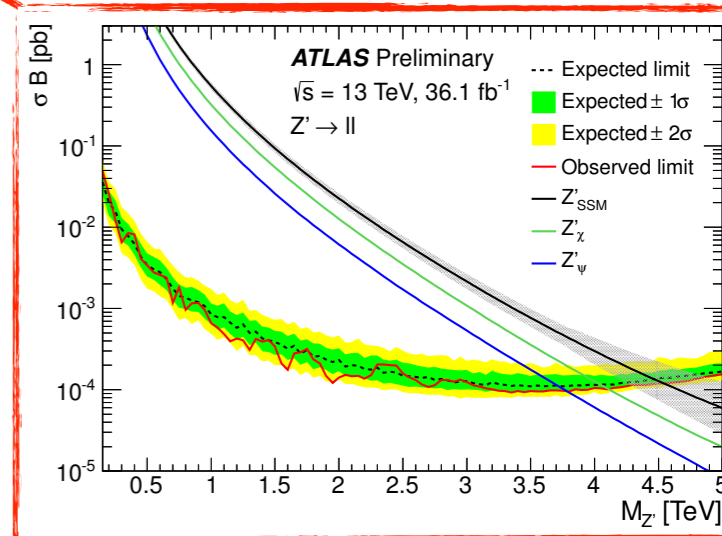
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$$\Delta F = 2$$

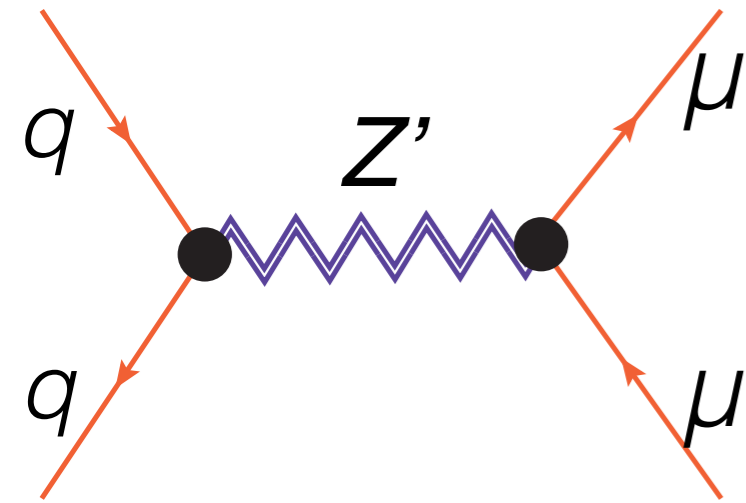
Resonance search limits



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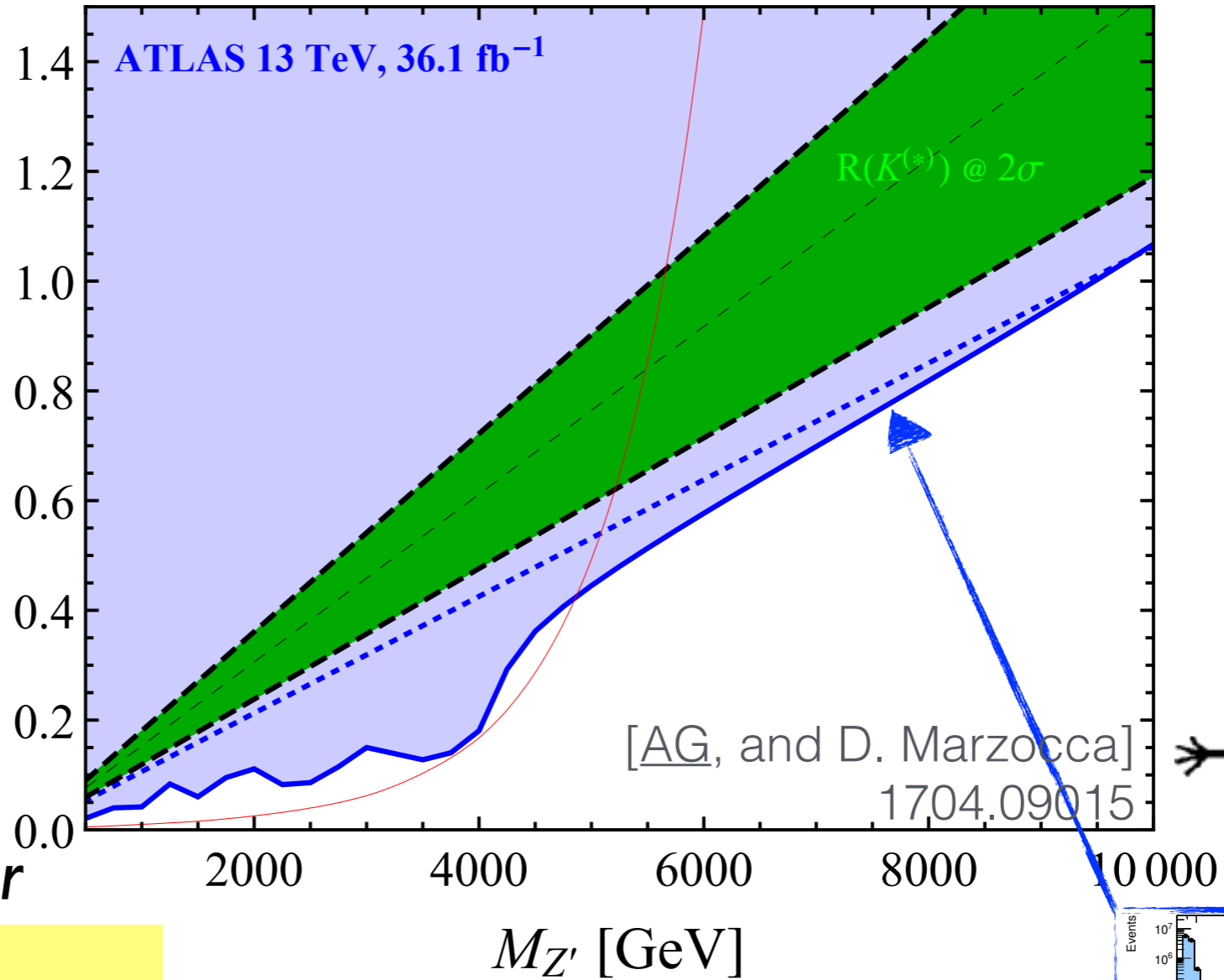
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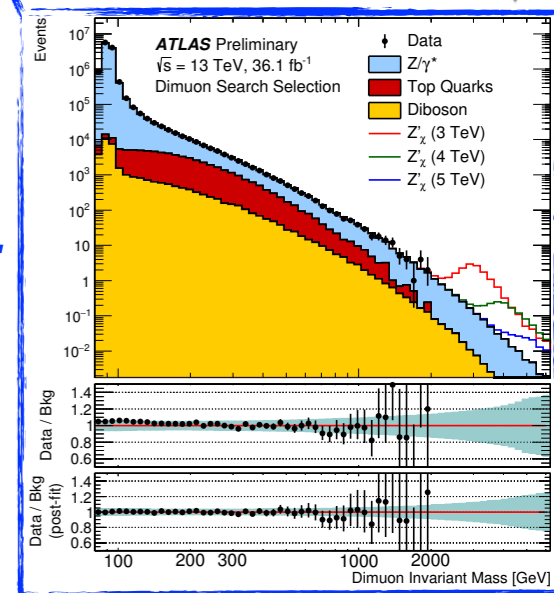
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**Correct limit**  
(from the tail)





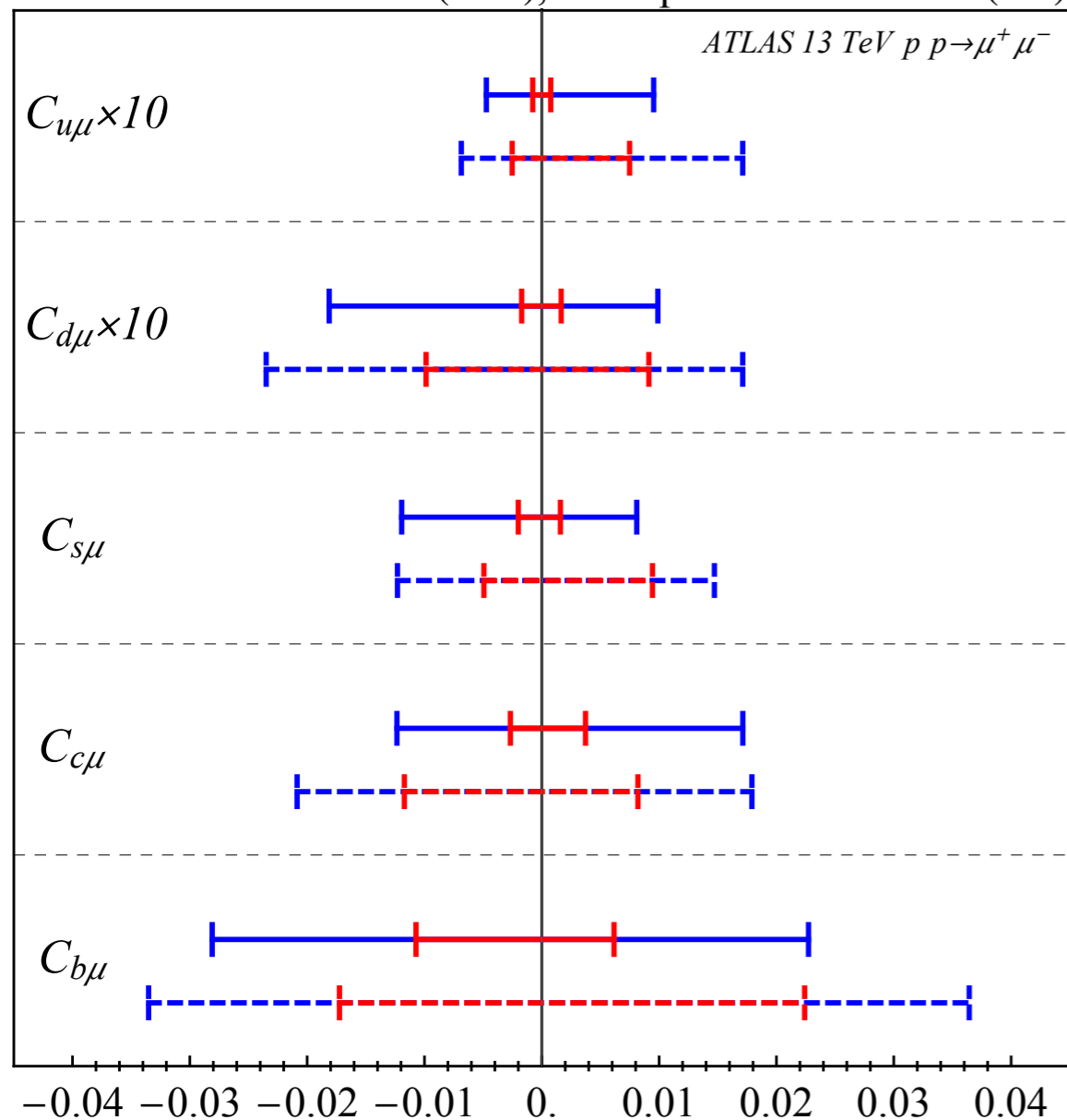
# Drell-Yan tails

\*See also talk by Marco Farina

$$pp \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-$$

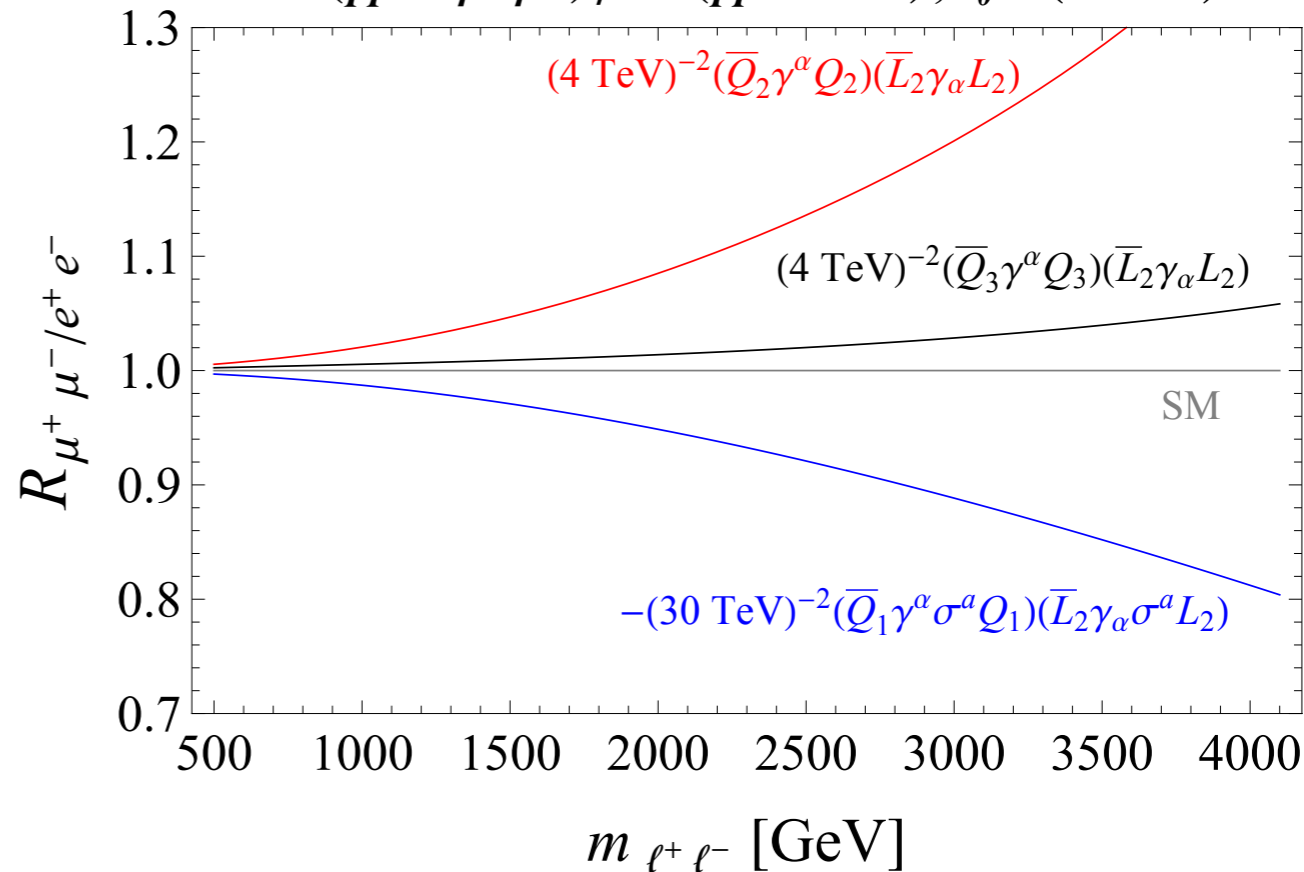
$$\mathcal{L}^{\text{eff}} \supset \frac{C_{ij}^{U\mu}}{v^2} (\bar{u}_L^i \gamma_\mu u_L^j) (\bar{\mu}_L \gamma^\mu \mu_L) + \frac{C_{ij}^{D\mu}}{v^2} (\bar{d}_L^i \gamma_\mu d_L^j) (\bar{\mu}_L \gamma^\mu \mu_L)$$

$2\sigma$  observed:  $36.1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (blue),  $2\sigma$  expected:  $3000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (red)



## R ratios at high- $p_T$ ?

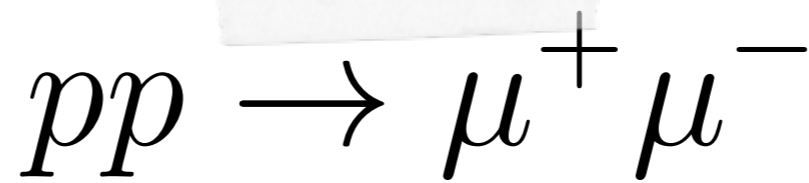
$d\sigma (pp \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^-) / d\sigma (pp \rightarrow e^+ e^-), s_0 = (13 \text{ TeV})^2$



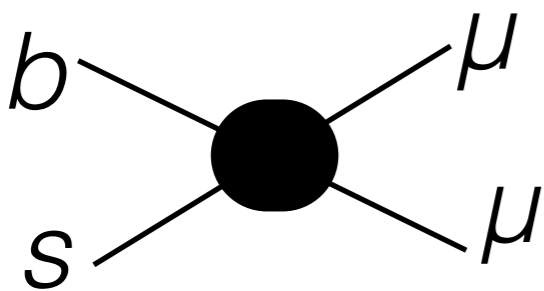
Great improvement at HL-LHC, how about HE-LHC?

[AG, and D. Marzocca]

# Drell-Yan tails



1) "Pessimistic" scenario



$O(1)$  from  $R(K)$

Now

$$\left| \frac{\pi}{\alpha V_{tb} V_{ts}^*} C_{bs\mu} \right| < 100 \quad (39)$$

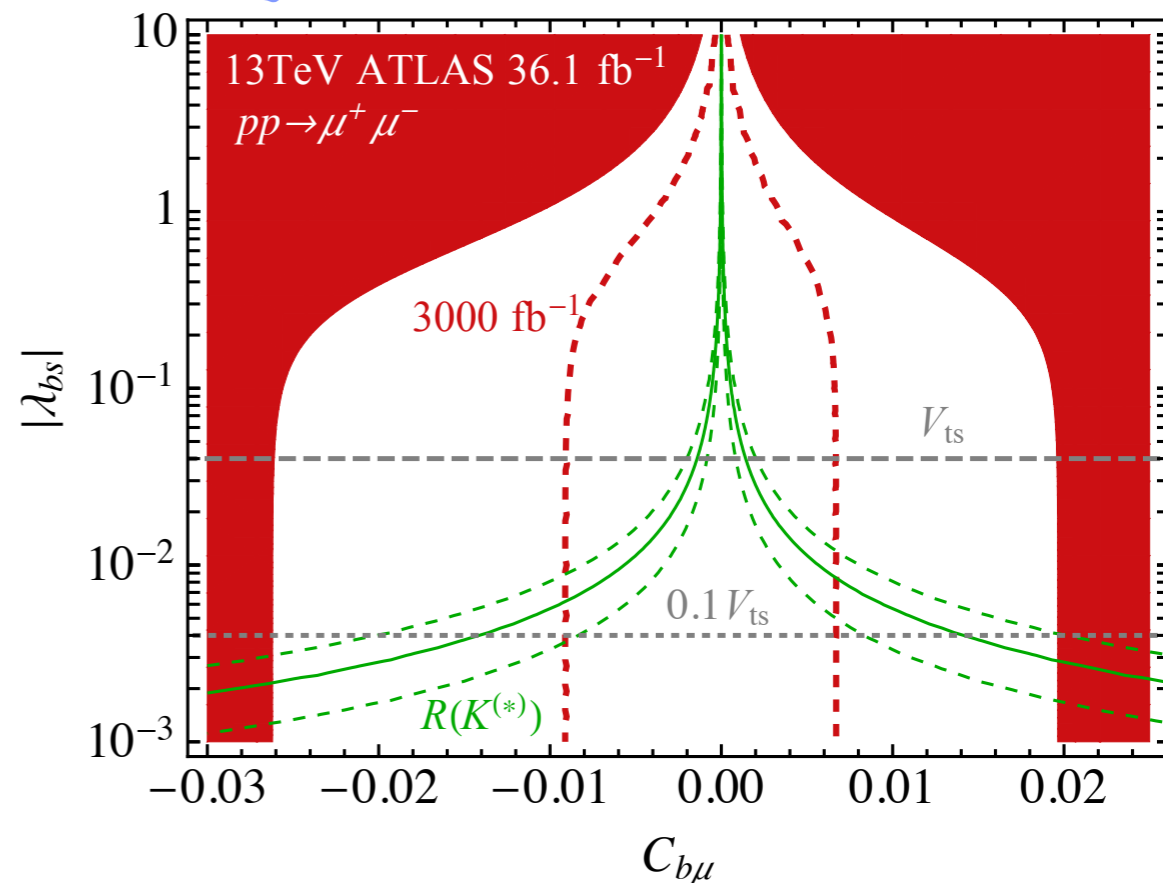
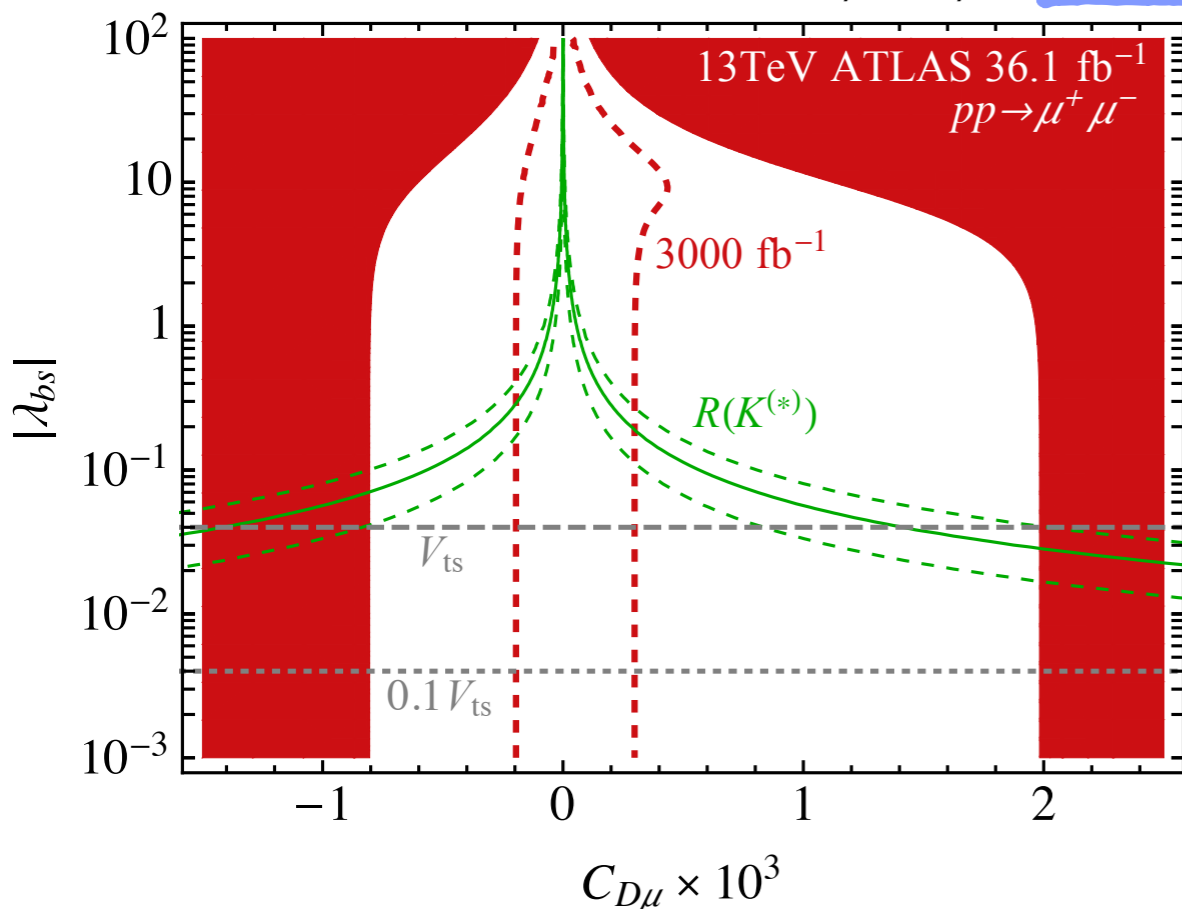
HL-LHC

2) Two motivated flavour structures

$$\lambda_{bs}^q \equiv C_{bs\mu} / C_{q\mu}$$

MFV case. Singlet:  $C_{U\mu} = C_{D\mu}$

$U(2)_Q$  case.  $C_{D\mu} = C_{U\mu} = 0$



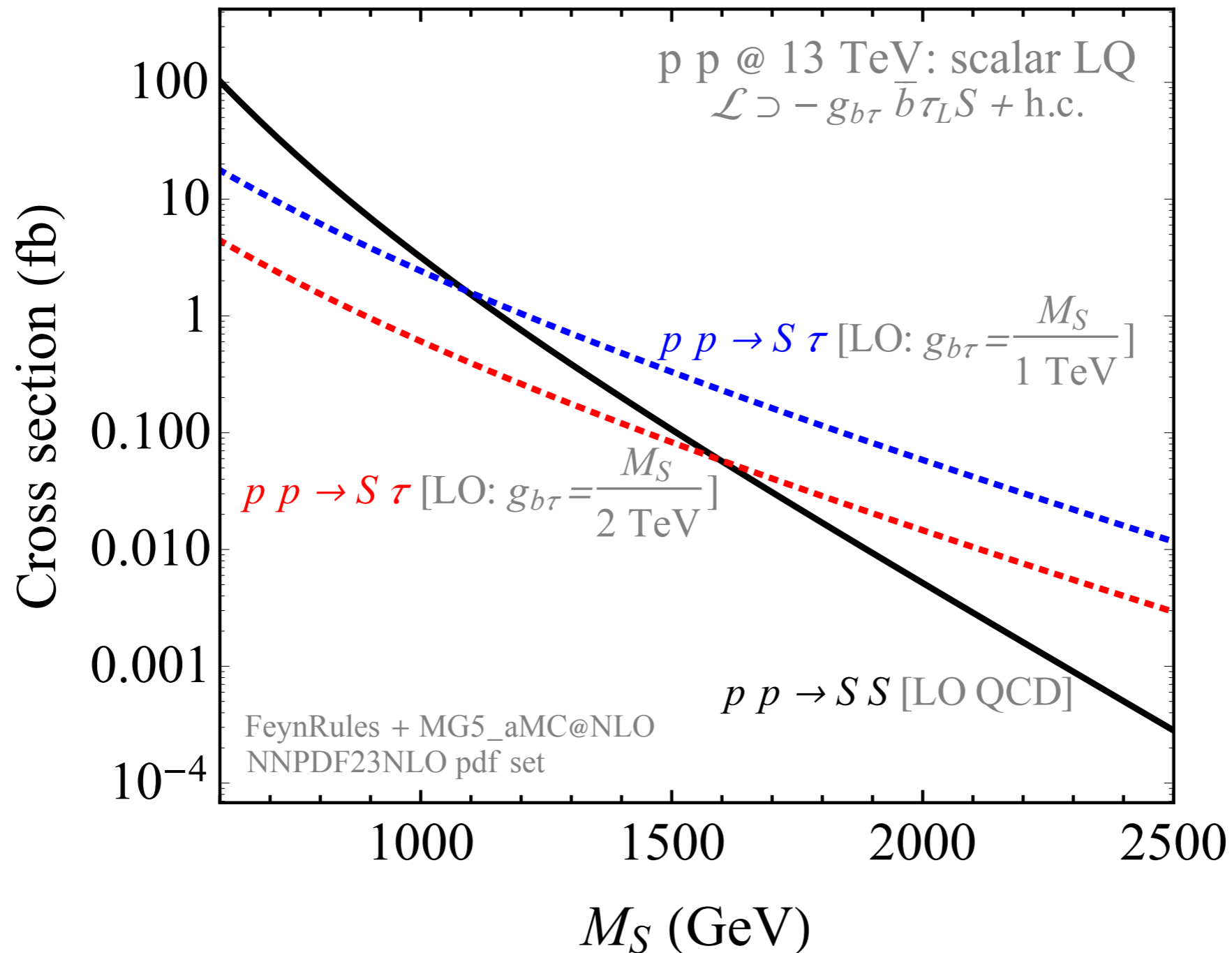
# Conclusions

- Standard model *might be cracking down* in the semi-leptonic  $B$ -decays
- *If true*, clear indication of the NP scale  
[ $\lesssim 80$  TeV (NC) and  $\lesssim 9$  TeV (CC)] [Di Luzio and Nardecchia]
- Signatures at high  $p_T$ :  
 **$Z'$ , Leptoquark**
- *Can we formulate a “no-lose” theorem?*  
[Requires a dedicated study: non-resonant deviations, wide resonances, etc.]



**Backup slides**

# Pair vs. single LQ production



**Single LQ + lepton process is dominant at high LQ masses**