

# Supersymmetry and LHC Physics

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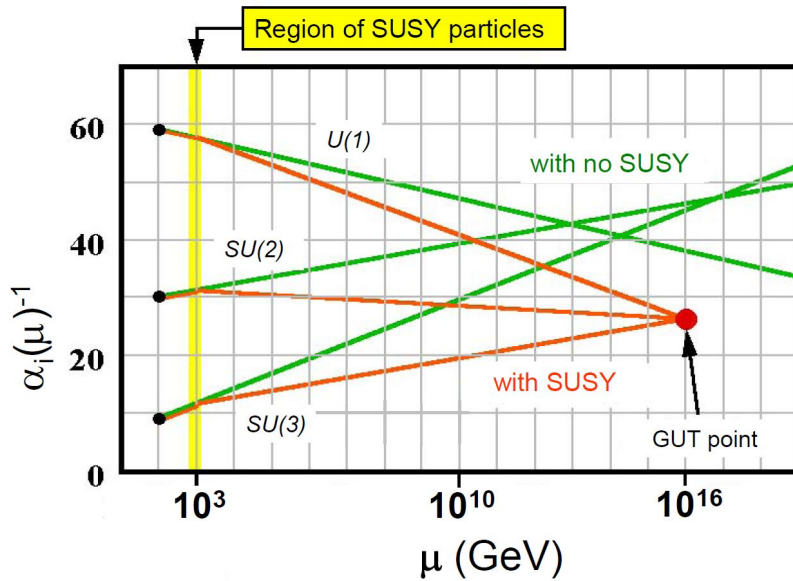


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# Consequences of SUSY

## Unification



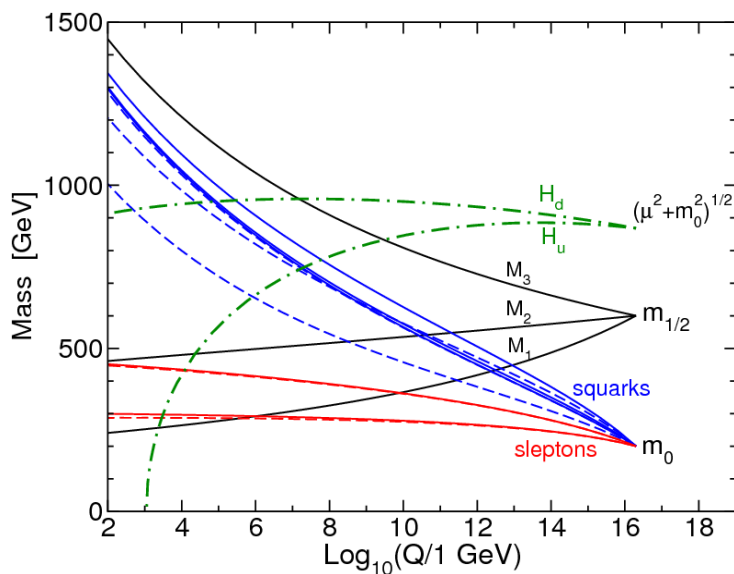
## SUSY Algebra

$$\{Q_\alpha, \bar{Q}_{\dot{\alpha}}\} = 2\sigma^\mu_{\alpha\dot{\alpha}} P_\mu$$

$$[Q_\alpha, P_\mu] = [\bar{Q}_{\dot{\alpha}}, P_\mu] = 0$$

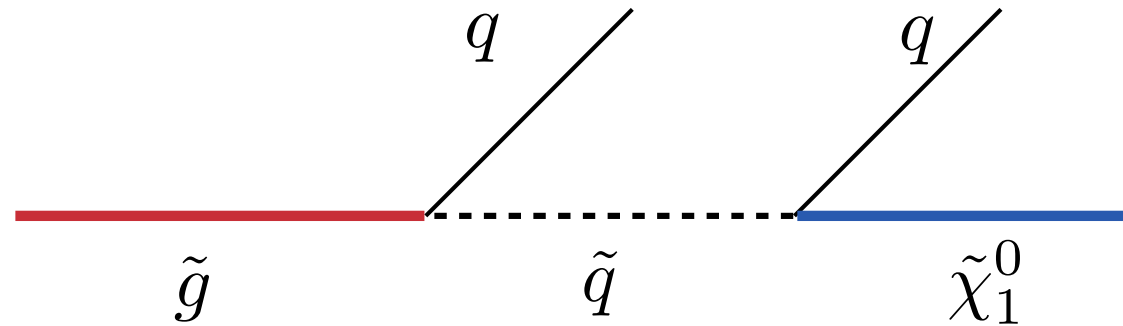
## Quantum Gravity ?

## Electroweak Symmetry Breaking



If R-Parity is Conserved the Lightest SUSY particle is a good Dark Matter candidate

## Glauino Decays (Simplified Scenario)



- Rate tends to be prompt.
- Assuming R-Parity, LSP is stable at collider scales, implying large missing energy.
- Although the gluino has no other way of decaying, the decay of squarks can be much more complicated
- Lightest squark dominates the decay.

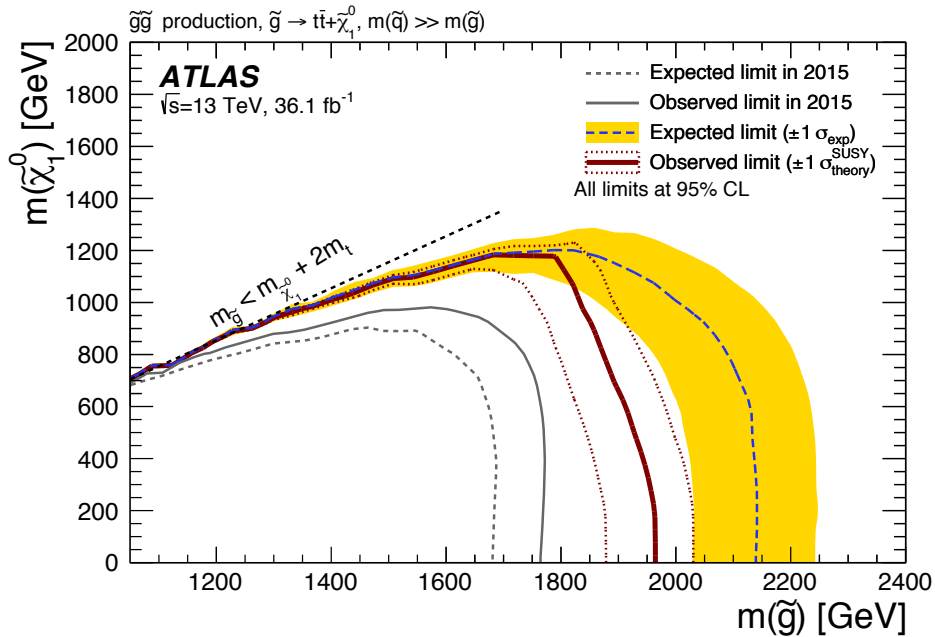
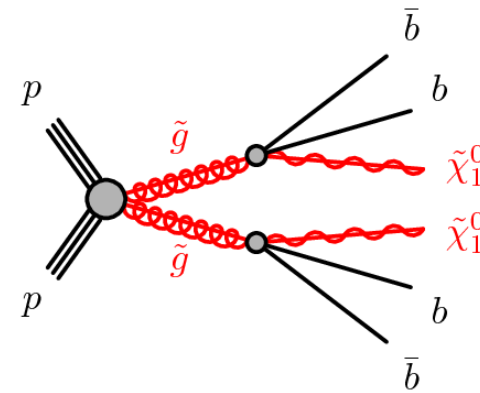
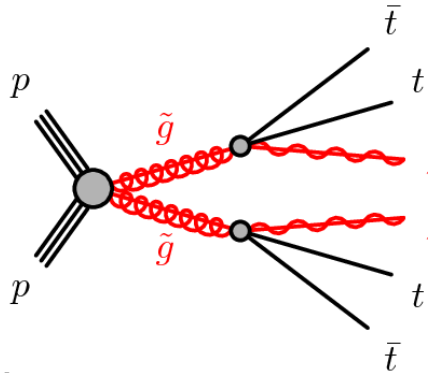
# Theoretical Prejudice

- Due to RG running of mass parameters, heavier gluinos tend to push up the squark masses
- **The third generation** SUSY breaking masses receive large negative corrections in the RG running (related to the ones driving the Higgs mass parameter negative) and **tend to be the lightest.**
- Due to its large coupling to the Higgs sector, stops are particularly relevant and have important phenomenological effects at low energies.

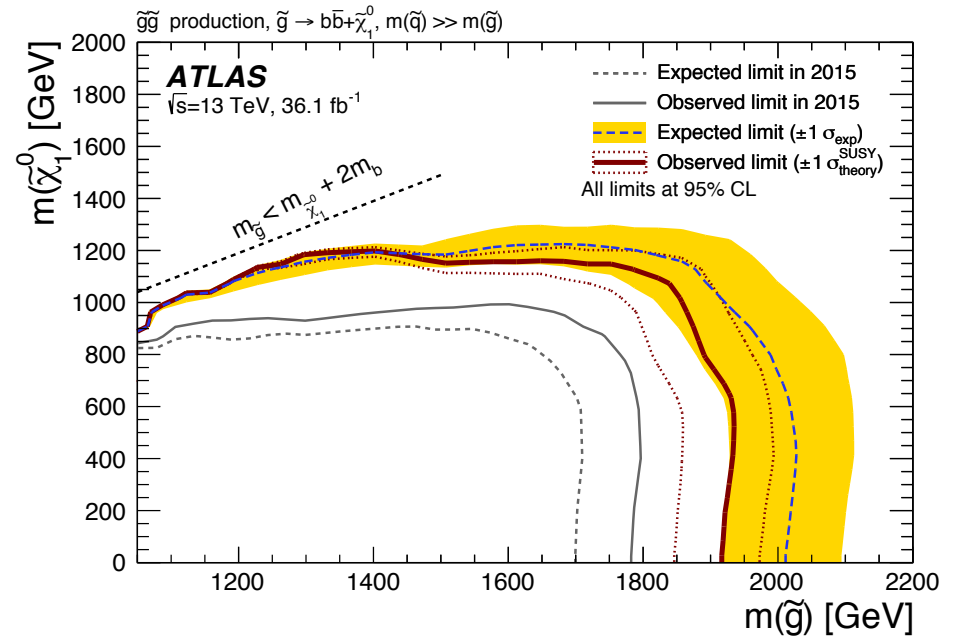
# Glino Searches :

## Glino couples to SM via quark-squark vertices

### Squarks can decay in a variety of ways



Excess in channel with four tops ?  
 Events with b's, jets, leptons and Missing ET



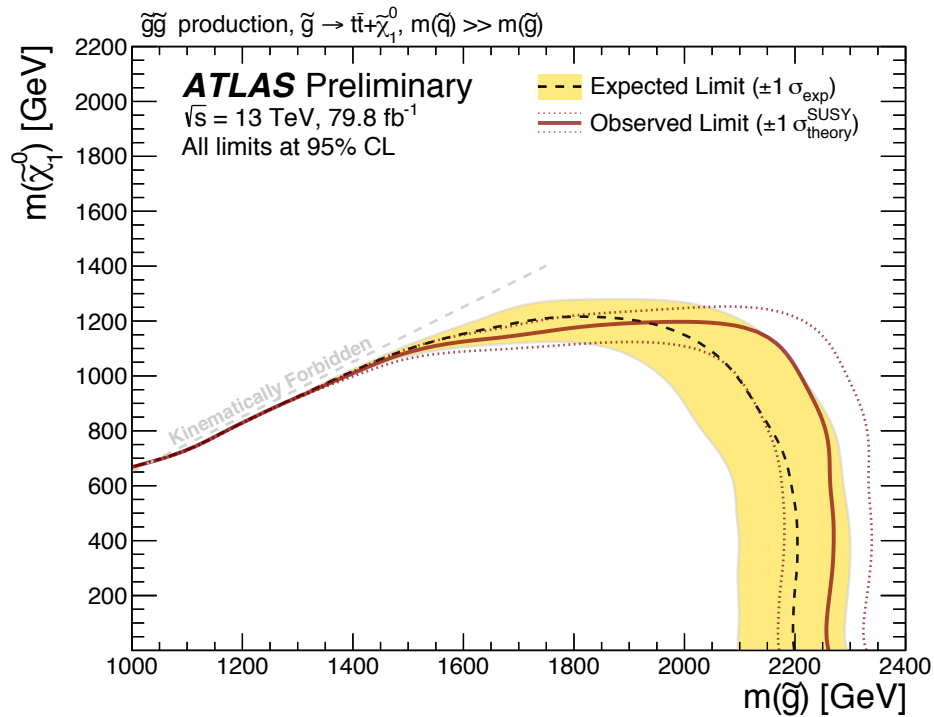
Events with b's and Missing Energy  
 CMS Analysis not sensitive to the Excess Region

# New ATLAS Results

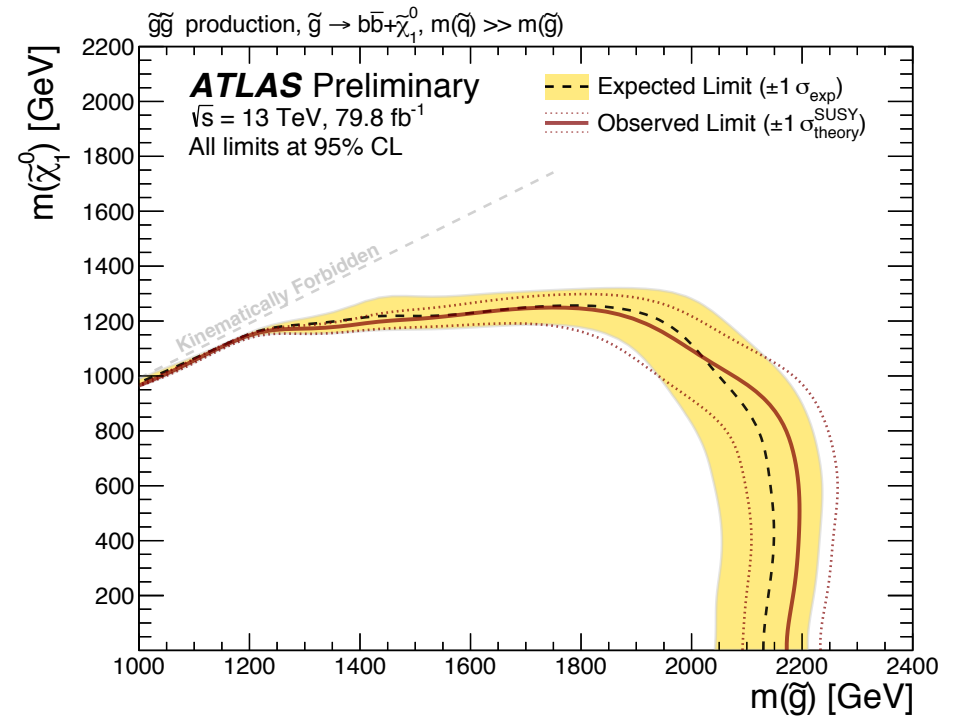
## ATLAS CONF Note

ATLAS-CONF-2018-041

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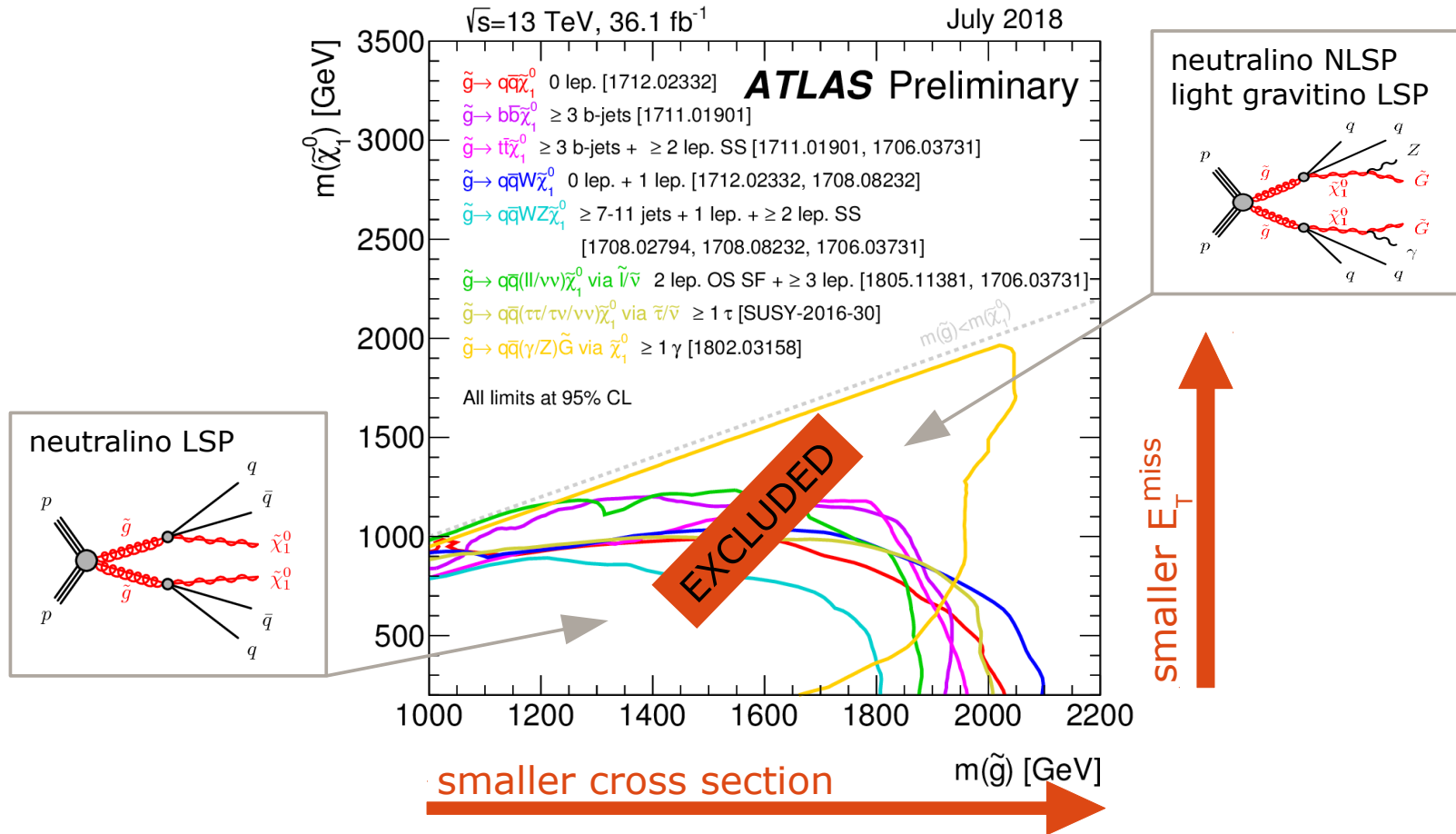


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What happened to the apparent excess ?

# Gluino Searches

Summary by Sara Strandberg at ICHEP 18.



Channels with cascade decays into intermediate chargino/neutralino states and compressed spectrum present the weakest limits, and the bound falls short of 2 TeV for non-compressed spectrum. Bound of 2.2 TeV in the most extreme case. Hard to evade the TeV bound.

## MSSM Guidance ?

Lightest SM-like Higgs mass strongly depends on:

- \* CP-odd Higgs mass  $m_A$
- \*  $\tan \beta = \frac{v_u}{v_d}$
- \* the top quark mass

\* the stop masses and mixing

$$\mathbf{M}_{\tilde{t}}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{m}_Q^2 + \mathbf{m}_t^2 + \mathbf{D}_L & \mathbf{m}_t \mathbf{X}_t \\ \mathbf{m}_t \mathbf{X}_t & \mathbf{m}_U^2 + \mathbf{m}_t^2 + \mathbf{D}_R \end{pmatrix}$$

$M_h$  depends logarithmically on the averaged stop mass scale  $M_{SUSY}$  and has a quadratic and quartic dep. on the stop mixing parameter  $X_t$ . [and on sbottom/stau sectors for large  $\tan \beta$ ]

For moderate to large values of  $\tan \beta$  and large non-standard Higgs masses

$$m_h^2 \cong M_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta + \frac{3}{4\pi^2} \frac{m_t^4}{v^2} \left[ \frac{1}{2} \tilde{X}_t + t + \frac{1}{16\pi^2} \left( \frac{3}{2} \frac{m_t^2}{v^2} - 32\pi\alpha_3 \right) (\tilde{X}_t t + t^2) \right]$$

$$t = \log(M_{SUSY}^2 / m_t^2) \quad \tilde{X}_t = \frac{2X_t^2}{M_{SUSY}^2} \left( 1 - \frac{X_t^2}{12M_{SUSY}^2} \right) \quad \underline{X_t = A_t - \mu / \tan \beta \rightarrow \text{LR stop mixing}}$$

Carena, Espinosa, Quiros, C.W.'95,96

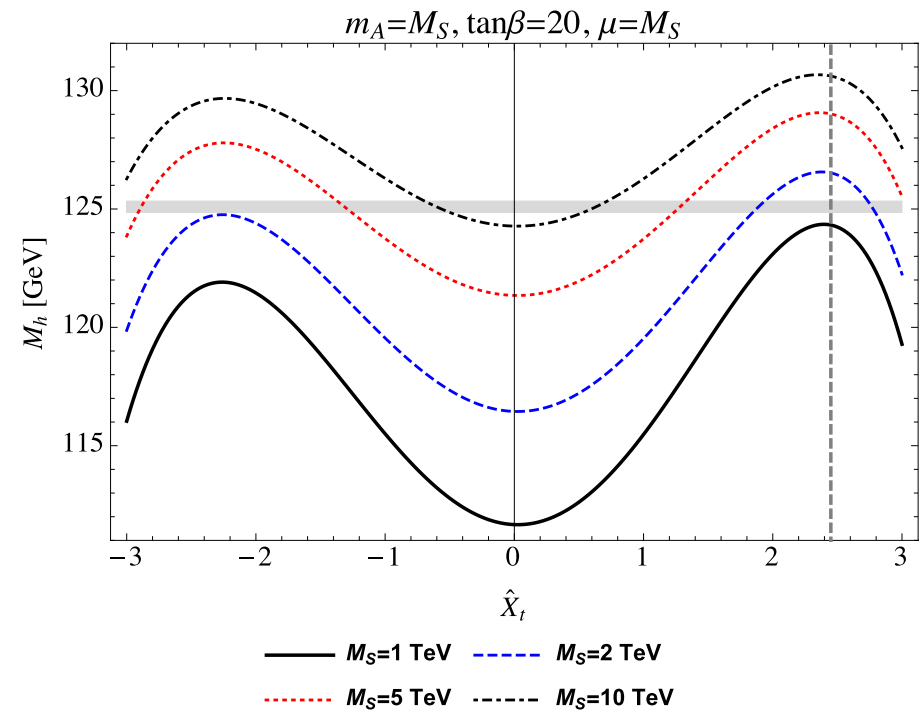
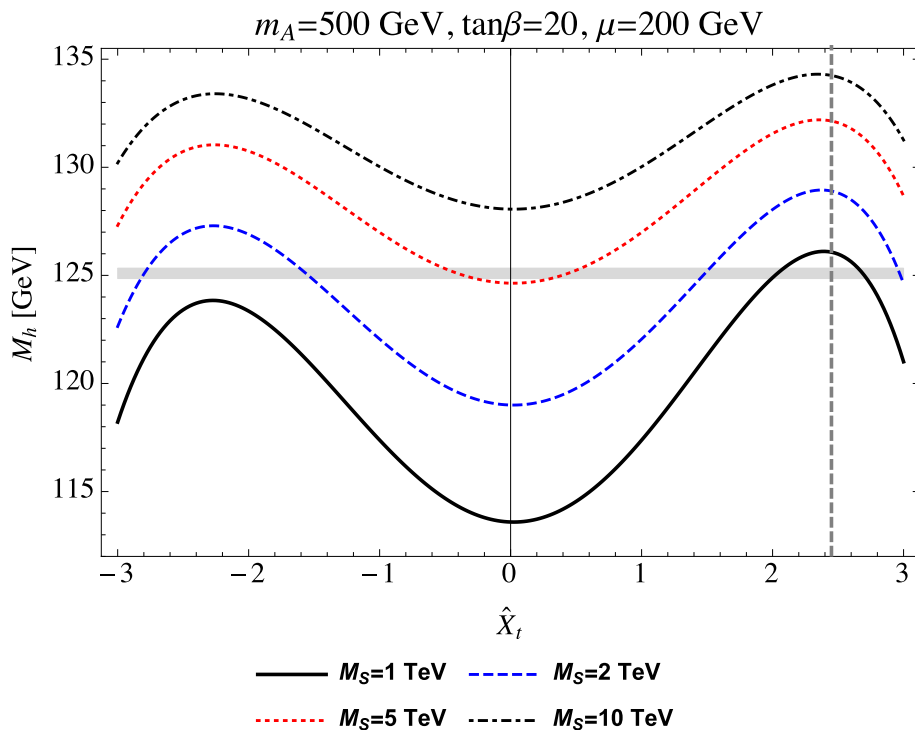
Analytic expression valid for  $M_{SUSY} \sim m_Q \sim m_U$



# MSSM Guidance: Stop Masses above about 1 TeV lead to the right Higgs Mass

P. Draper, G. Lee, C.W.'13, Bagnaschi et al' 14, Vega and Villadoro '14, Bahl et al'17

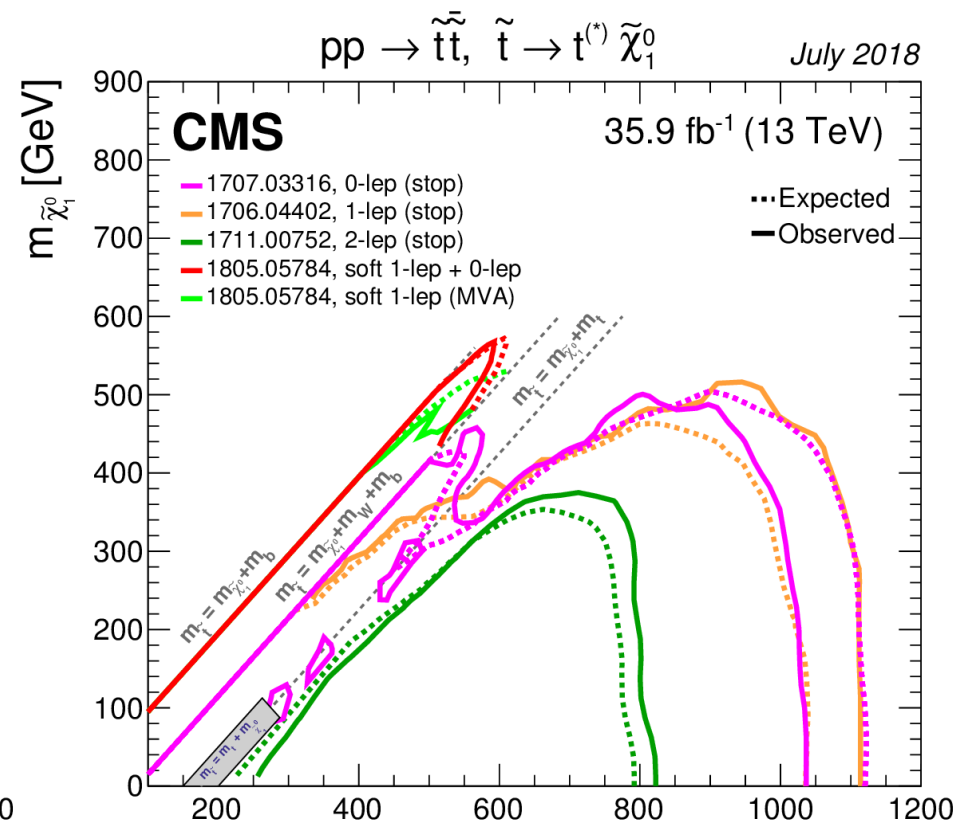
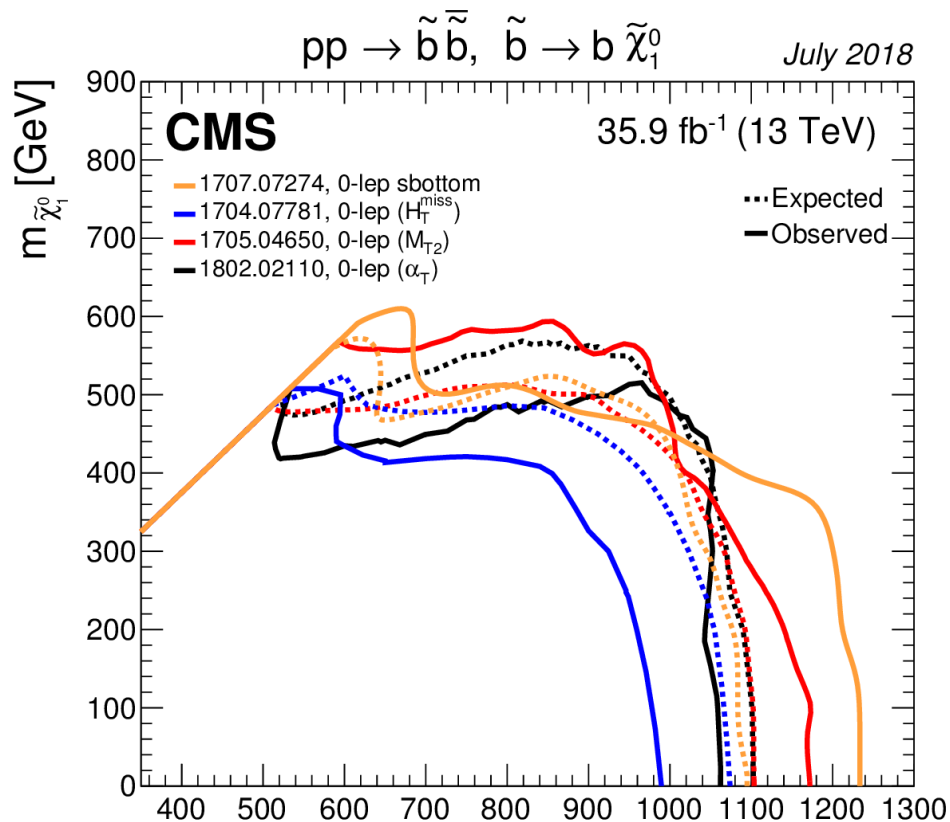
G. Lee, C.W. arXiv:1508.00576



Necessary stop masses increase for lower values of  $\tan\beta$ , larger values of  $\mu$  smaller values of the CP-odd Higgs mass or lower stop mixing values.

Lighter stops demand large splittings between left- and right-handed stop masses

# Stop-sbottom Searches

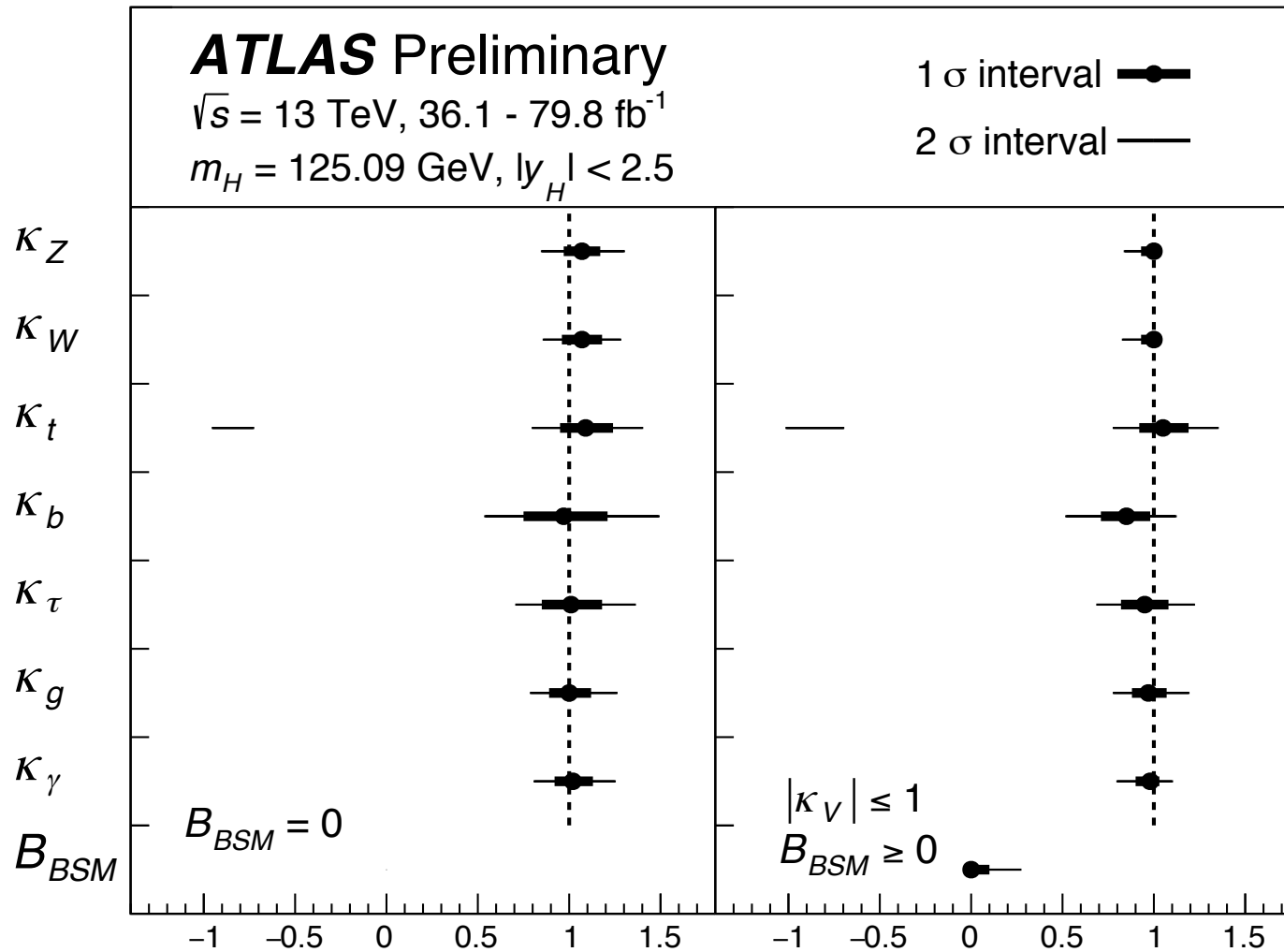


Combining all searches, in the simplest decay scenarios, it is hard to avoid the constraints of 700 GeV for bottoms and 550 GeV for stops. Islands in one search are apparently covered by other searches.

We are just starting to explore the mass region suggested by the Higgs mass determination !

# ATLAS and CMS Fit to Higgs Couplings

Departure from SM predictions of the order of few tens of percent allowed at this point



## Modifying the top and bottom couplings in two Higgs Doublet Models

- Modification of about ten (or fifteen) percent are still possible
- Large modifications are certainly ruled out, with the exception of an inversion of the sign of the bottom Yukawa coupling.

$$h = -\sin \alpha H_d^0 + \cos \alpha H_u^0$$
$$H = \cos \alpha H_d^0 + \sin \alpha H_u^0$$

$$\kappa_t = \sin(\beta - \alpha) + \cot \beta \cos(\beta - \alpha)$$
$$\kappa_b = \sin(\beta - \alpha) - \tan \beta \cos(\beta - \alpha)$$
$$\kappa_V = \sin(\beta - \alpha) \simeq 1$$

$$\tan \beta = \frac{v_u}{v_d}$$

- Alignment condition :  $\cos(\beta - \alpha) = 0$  J. Gunion, H. Haber '02
- In the MSSM, it can only be achieved for large values of  $\mu$

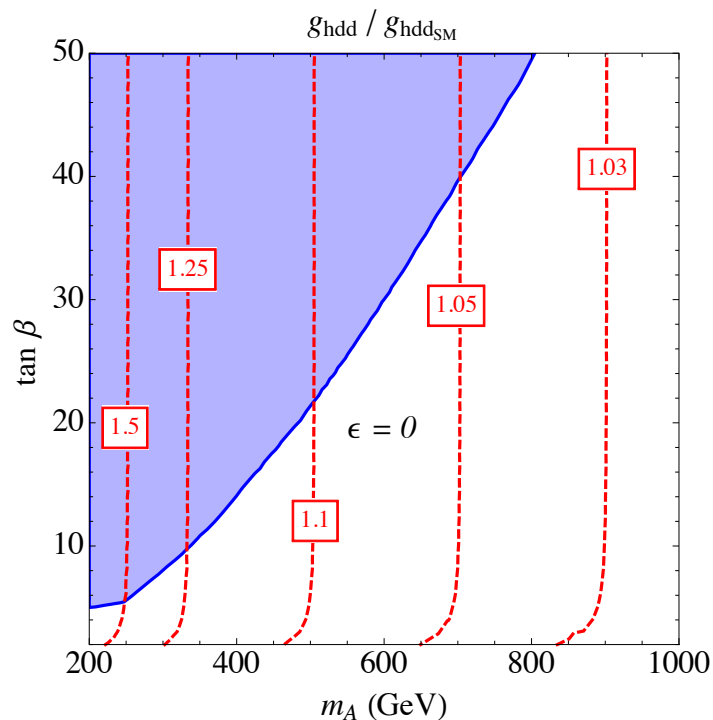
# Down Couplings in the MSSM for low values of $\mu$

Higgs Decay into bottom quarks is the dominant one

A modification of the bottom quark coupling affects all other decays

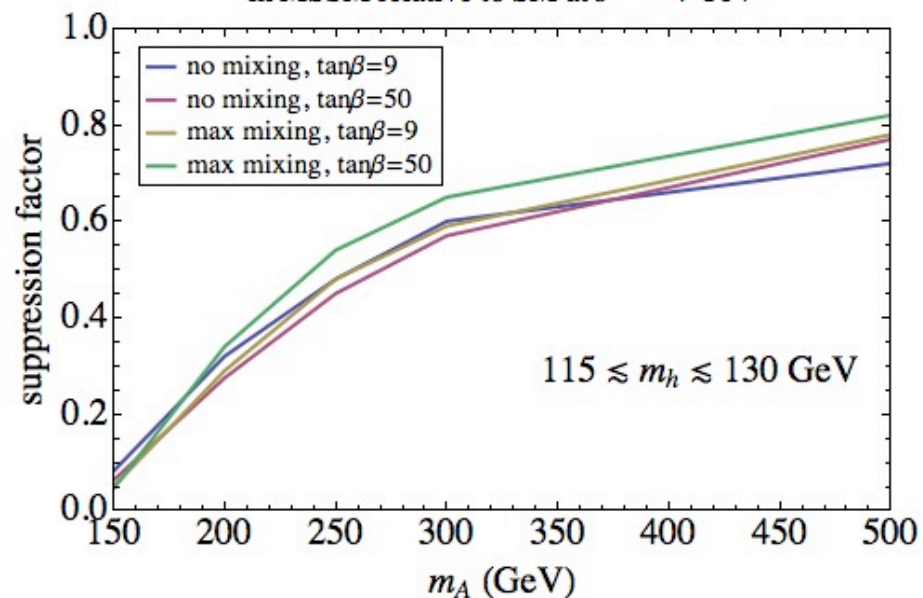
$$t_\beta c_{\beta-\alpha} \simeq \frac{-1}{m_H^2 - m_h^2} \left[ m_h^2 + m_Z^2 + \frac{3m_t^4}{4\pi^2 v^2 M_S^2} \left\{ A_t \mu t_\beta \left( 1 - \frac{A_t^2}{6M_S^2} \right) - \mu^2 \left( 1 - \frac{A_t^2}{2M_S^2} \right) \right\} \right]$$

Carena, Haber, Low, Shah, C.W. '14



Carena, Low, Shah, C.W.'13

$\sigma_{ggh} \times \text{Br}(h \rightarrow WW, ZZ, \gamma\gamma)$  suppression for SM-like Higgs  
in MSSM relative to SM at  $s^{1/2} = 7$  TeV



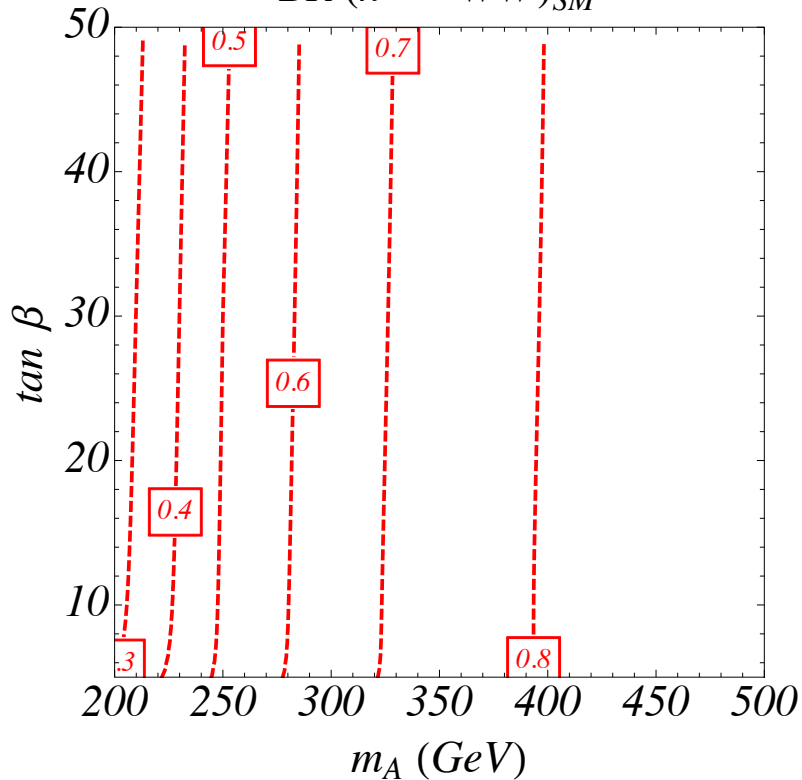
Enhancement of bottom quark and tau couplings independent of  $\tan \beta$

# Higgs Decay into Gauge Bosons

Mostly determined by the change of width

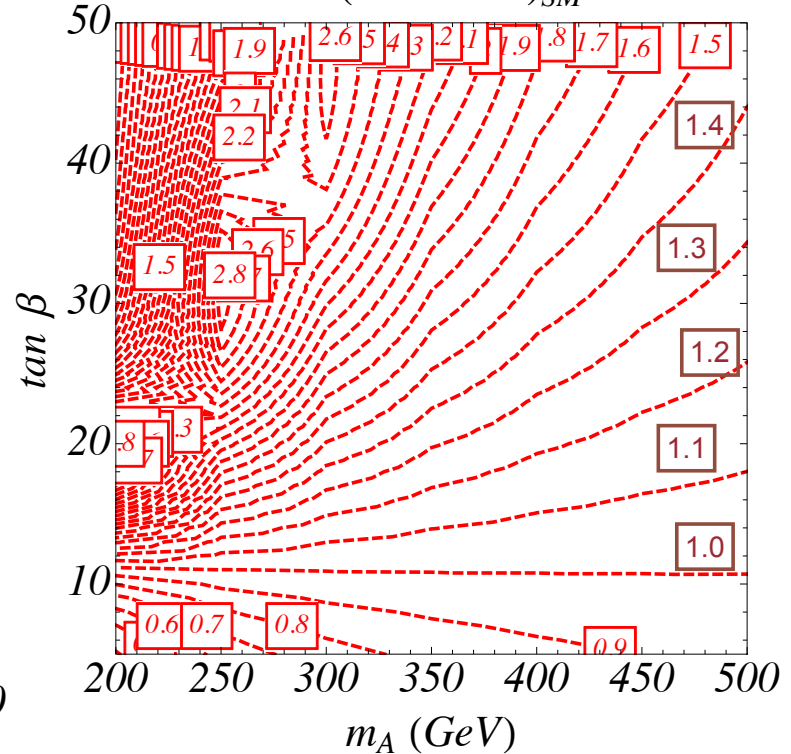
Small  $\mu$

$$\frac{BR(h \rightarrow WW)}{BR(h \rightarrow WW)_{SM}}$$



$\mu/M_{SUSY} = 2, \quad A_t/M_{SUSY} \simeq 3$

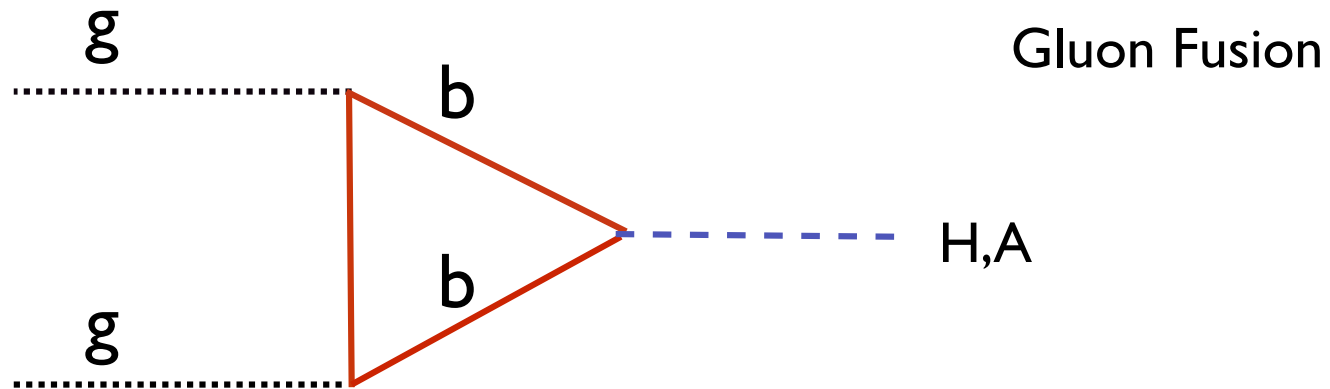
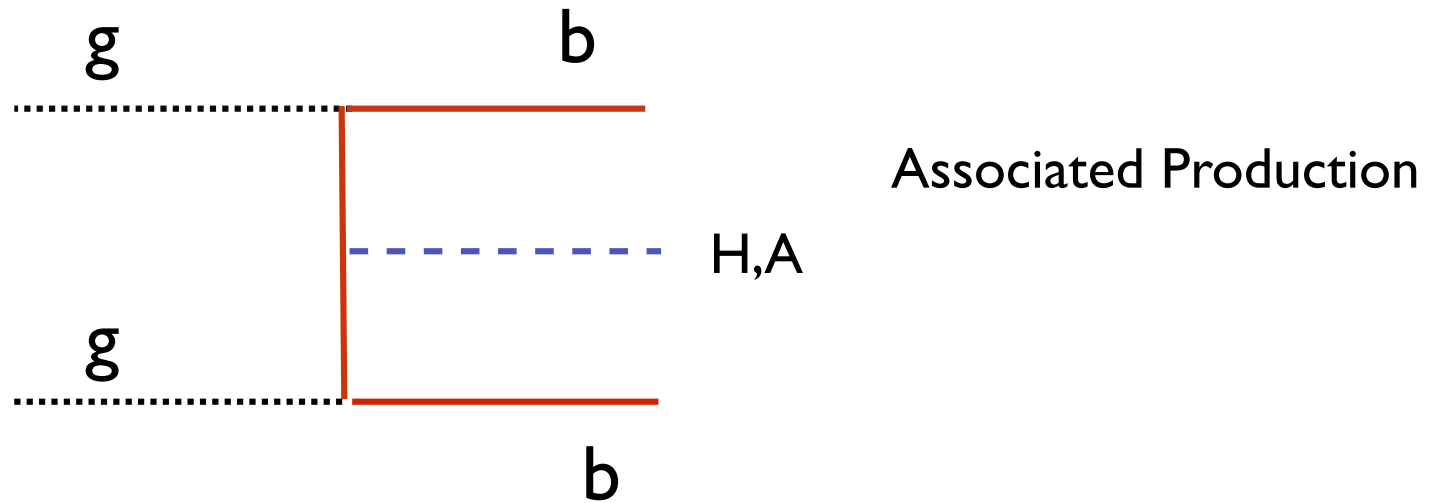
$$\frac{BR(h \rightarrow WW)}{BR(h \rightarrow WW)_{SM}}$$



CP-odd Higgs masses of order 200 GeV and  $\tan\beta = 10$  OK in the alignment case

# Non-Standard Higgs Production

QCD: S. Dawson, C.B. Jackson, L. Reina, D. Wackerroth, hep-ph/0603112

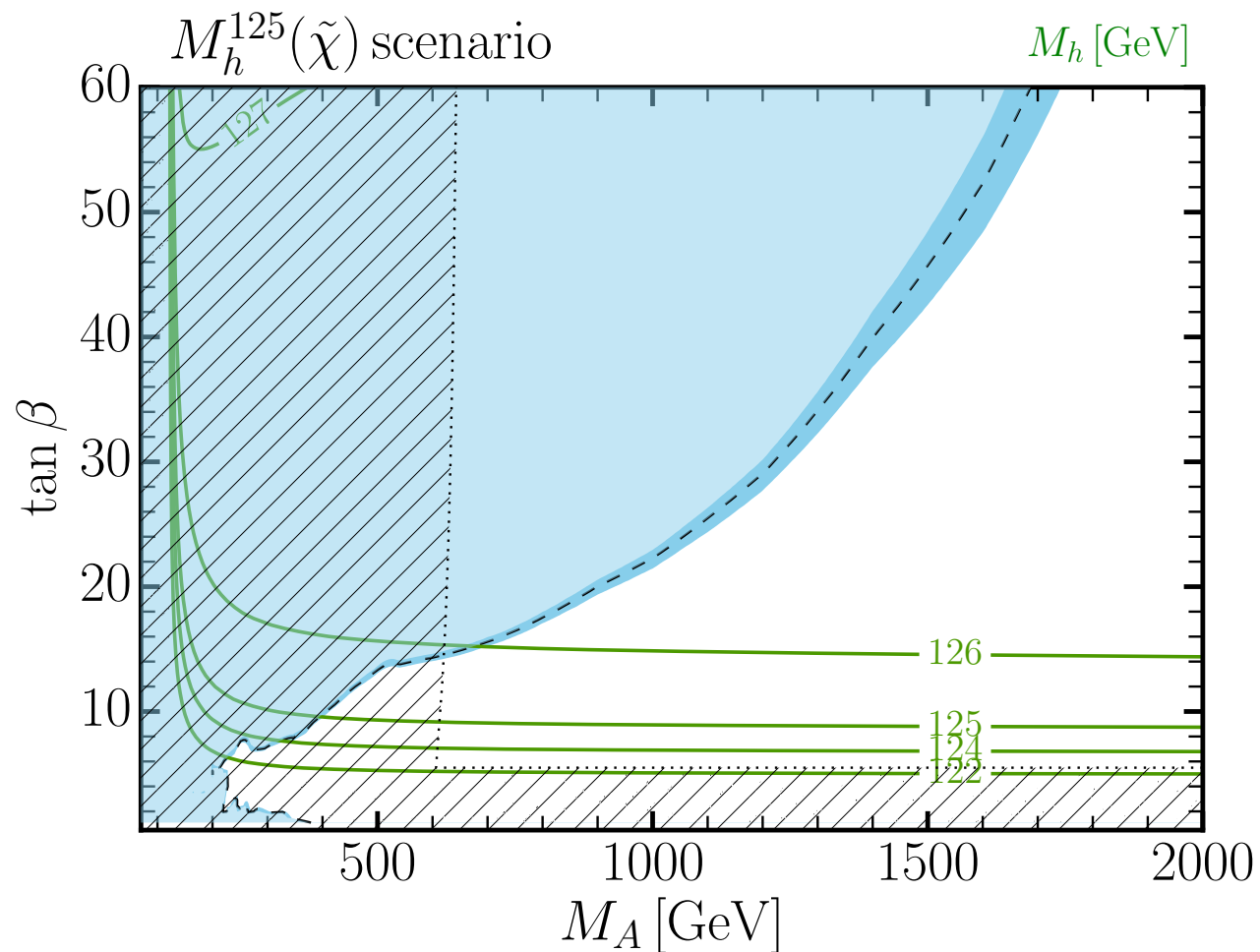


$$g_{Abb} \simeq g_{Hbb} \simeq \frac{m_b \tan \beta}{(1 + \Delta_b)v}, \quad g_{A\tau\tau} \simeq g_{H\tau\tau} \simeq \frac{m_\tau \tan \beta}{v}$$

# Complementarity of Direct and Indirect Bounds

Bahl, Fuchs, Hahn, Heinemeyer, Liebler, Patel, Slavich, Stefaniak, Weiglein, C.W. arXiv:1808.07542

Dashed area, constrained by precision measurements.  
Low values of the Higgsino Mass assumed in this Figure.





# Naturalness and Alignment in the (N)MSSM

see also Kang, Li, Li, Liu, Shu'13, Agashe, Cui, Franceschini'13

- It is well known that in the NMSSM there are new contributions to the lightest CP-even Higgs mass,

$$W = \lambda S H_u H_d + \frac{\kappa}{3} S^3$$

$$m_h^2 \simeq \lambda^2 \frac{v^2}{2} \sin^2 2\beta + M_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta + \Delta_{\tilde{t}}$$

- It is perhaps less known that it leads to sizable corrections to the mixing between the MSSM like CP-even states. In the Higgs basis, (correction to  $\Delta\lambda_4 = \lambda^2$ )

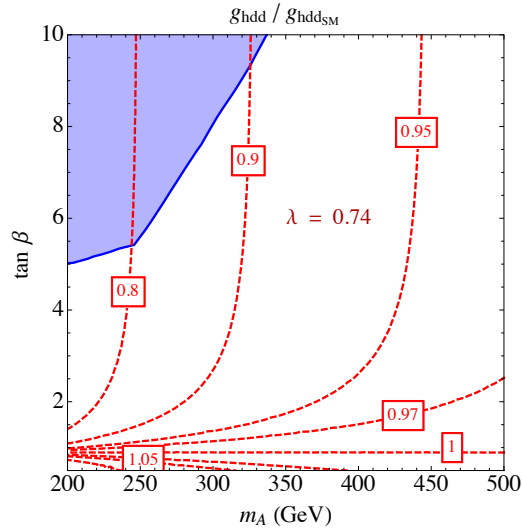
$$M_S^2(1, 2) \simeq \frac{1}{\tan \beta} (m_h^2 - M_Z^2 \cos 2\beta - \lambda^2 v^2 \sin^2 \beta + \delta_{\tilde{t}})$$

- The values of lambda end up in a very narrow range, between 0.65 and 0.7 for all values of tan(beta), that are the values that lead to naturalness with perturbativity up to the GUT scale

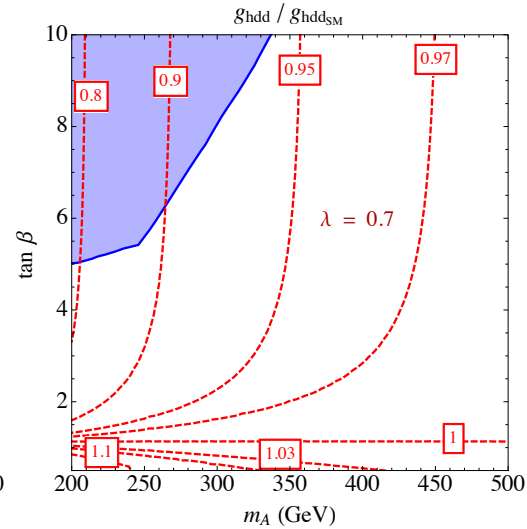
$$\lambda^2 = \frac{m_h^2 - M_Z^2 \cos 2\beta}{v^2 \sin^2 \beta}$$

# Alignment in the NMSSM (heavy or Aligned singlets)

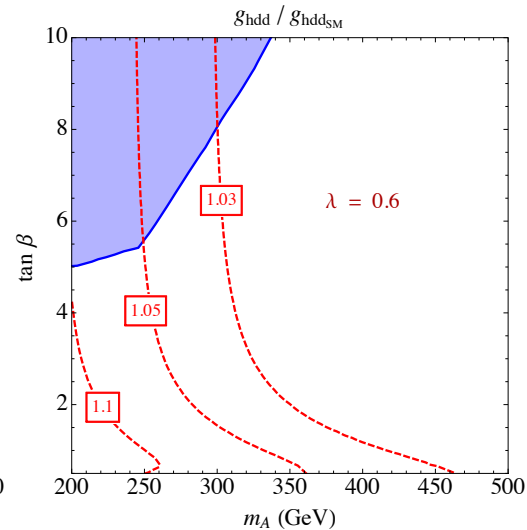
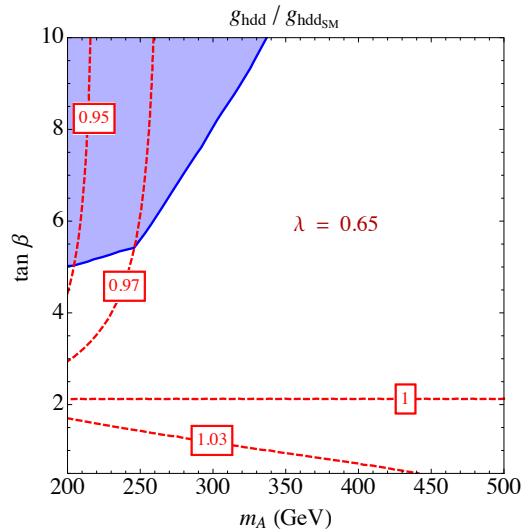
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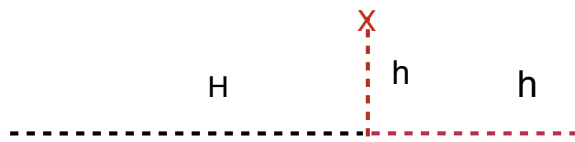
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It is clear from these plots that the NMSSM does an amazing job in aligning the MSSM-like CP-even sector, provided  $\lambda \sim 0.65$

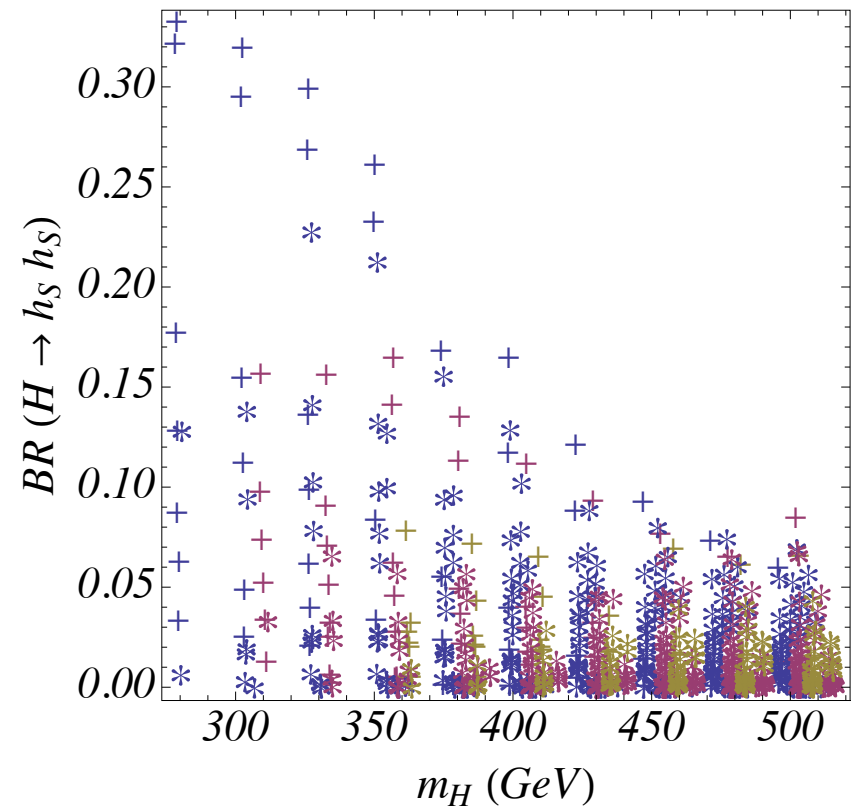
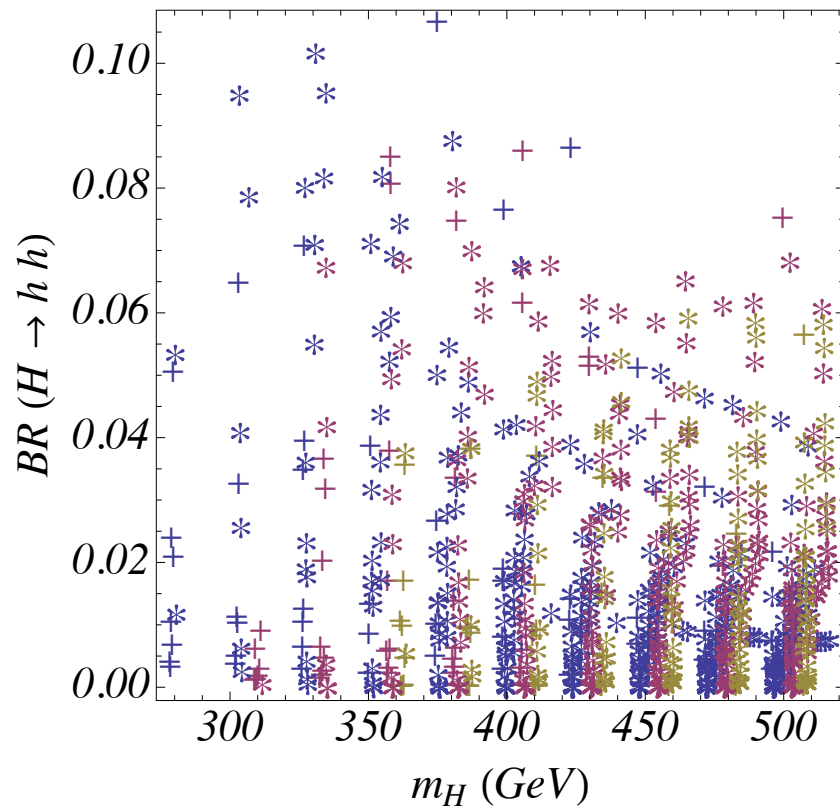
# Decays into pairs of SM-like Higgs bosons suppressed by alignment

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Crosses : H1 singlet like  
Asterix : H2 singlet like

Blue :  $\tan \beta = 2$   
Red :  $\tan \beta = 2.5$   
Yellow :  $\tan \beta = 3$



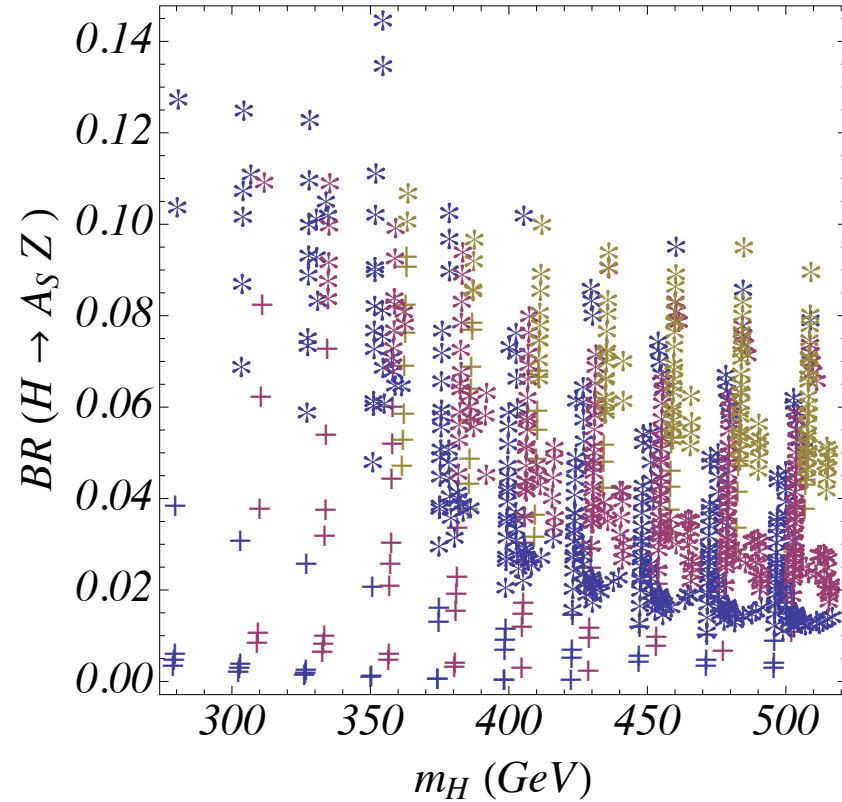
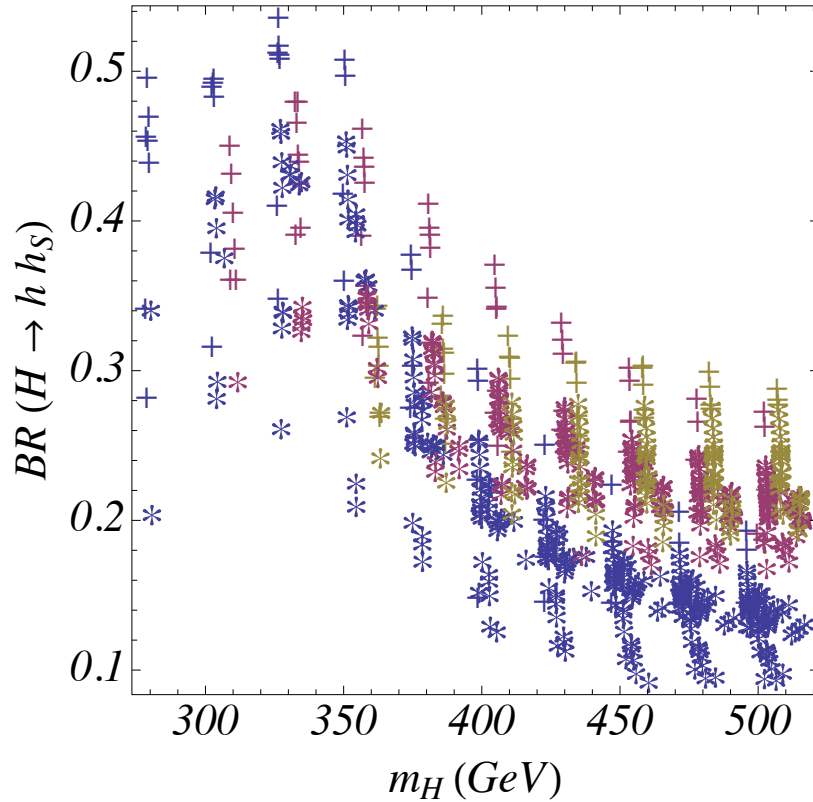
# Significant decays of heavier Higgs Bosons into lighter ones and Z's

Relevant for searches for Higgs bosons

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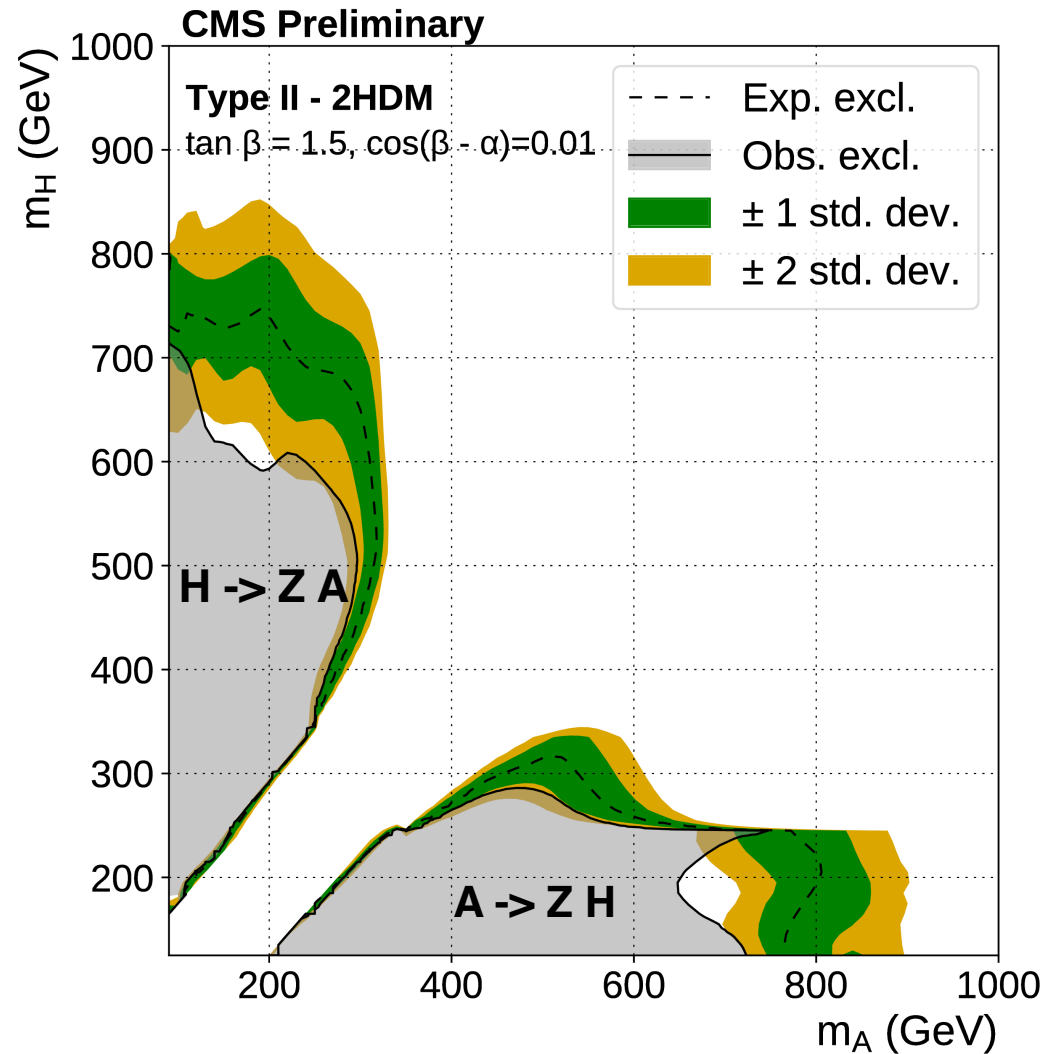
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# Search for (pseudo-)scalars decaying into lighter ones

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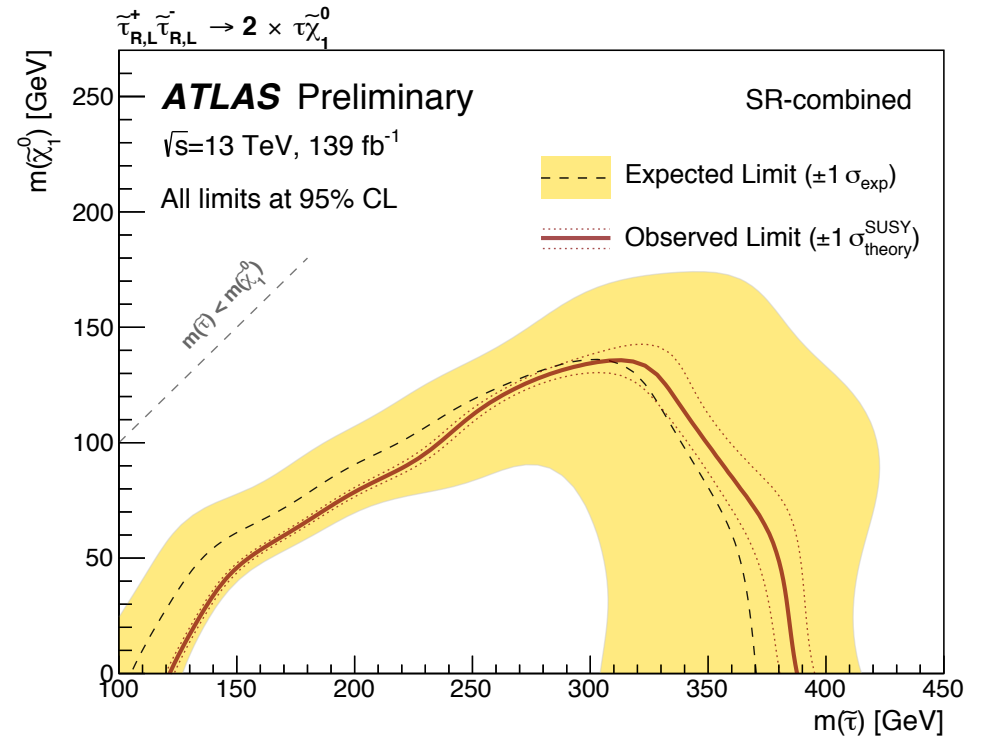
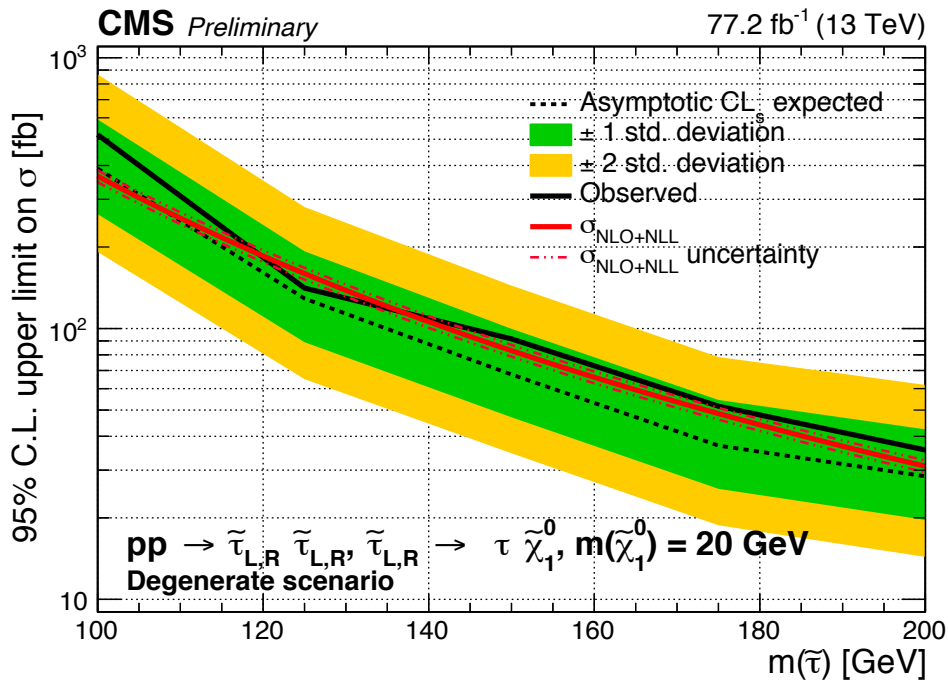


It is relevant to perform similar analyses replacing the Z by a SM Higgs (and changing the CP property of the Higgs)

# Electroweak Sector

- Situation here is far less well defined than in the strongly interacting sector
- Sleptons, in particular staus are only weakly constrained beyond the LEP limits
- Winos as NLSP's are the strongest constrained particles.
- Sensitivities in the search for these particles will increase only at high luminosities, but bounds on Higgsinos will remain weak.
- In general, a scenario with large cascade decays with light electroweakinos is the most natural one and the highest hope for SUSY at the weak scale.

# Stau Searches : Bounds depend on stau mixing.



Weak limit at this point, start to explore region beyond the LEP ones.  
 Observe that this assumes both staus are degenerate

# MSSM charginos and neutralinos

## Mass matrices

charginos

in  $(\tilde{W}^-, \tilde{H}^-)$  basis

$$\begin{pmatrix} M_2 & \sqrt{2}m_W c_\beta \\ \sqrt{2}m_W s_\beta & \mu \end{pmatrix}$$

neutralinos

in  $(\tilde{B}^0, \tilde{W}^0, \tilde{H}_1^0, \tilde{H}_2^0)$  basis

$$\begin{pmatrix} M_1 & 0 & -m_Z c_\beta s_w & m_Z s_\beta s_w \\ 0 & M_2 & m_Z c_\beta c_w & -m_Z s_\beta c_w \\ -m_Z c_\beta s_w & m_Z c_\beta c_w & 0 & -\mu \\ m_Z s_\beta s_w & -m_Z s_\beta c_w & -\mu & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$M_2 \text{ real, } M_1 = |M_1|e^{i\Phi_1}, \quad \mu = |\mu|e^{i\Phi_\mu}$$

At tree level:

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{charginos} \\ \text{neutralinos} \end{array} \quad M_2, \mu, \tan \beta \quad + M_1$$

$$\Phi_\mu, \Phi_1$$

CP phases

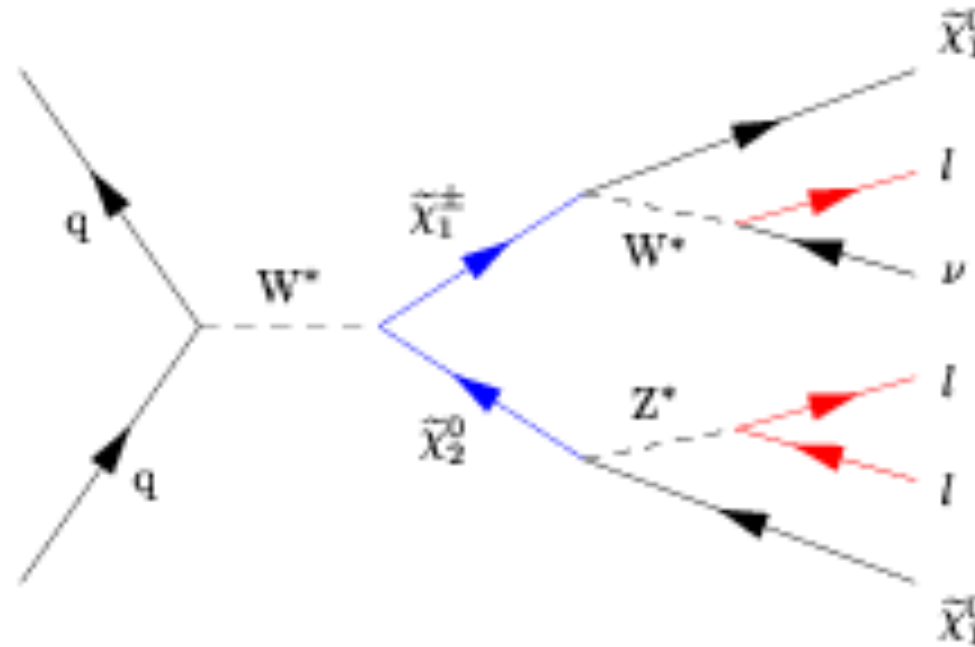
Expected to be among the lightest sparticles



A good starting point towards SUSY parameter determination



# Chargino-Neutralino Production



- Winos, in the adjoint representation of  $SU(2)$ , are produced at a stronger rate than Higgsinos.
- The cross section for **Wino production** is about a factor 4 larger than the one for **Higgsino production**.
- Mixing increases for smaller mass differences, leading to a reduction of the wino cross section.

# Excess in Trilepton channel ?

Signal region	SR2 $\ell$ _High	SR2 $\ell$ _Med	SR2 $\ell$ _Low	SR2 $\ell$ _ISR
Total observed events	0	1	19	11
Total background events	$1.9 \pm 0.8$	$2.4 \pm 0.9$	$8.4 \pm 5.8$	$2.7^{+2.8}_{-2.7}$
Signal region	SR3 $\ell$ _High	SR3 $\ell$ _Med	SR3 $\ell$ _Low	SR3 $\ell$ _ISR
Total observed events	2	1	20	12
Total background events	$1.1 \pm 0.5$	$2.3 \pm 0.5$	$10 \pm 2$	$3.9 \pm 1.0$

Low Effective Masses.  
Low Masses/Mass Splittings  
Compressed region/ISR jets

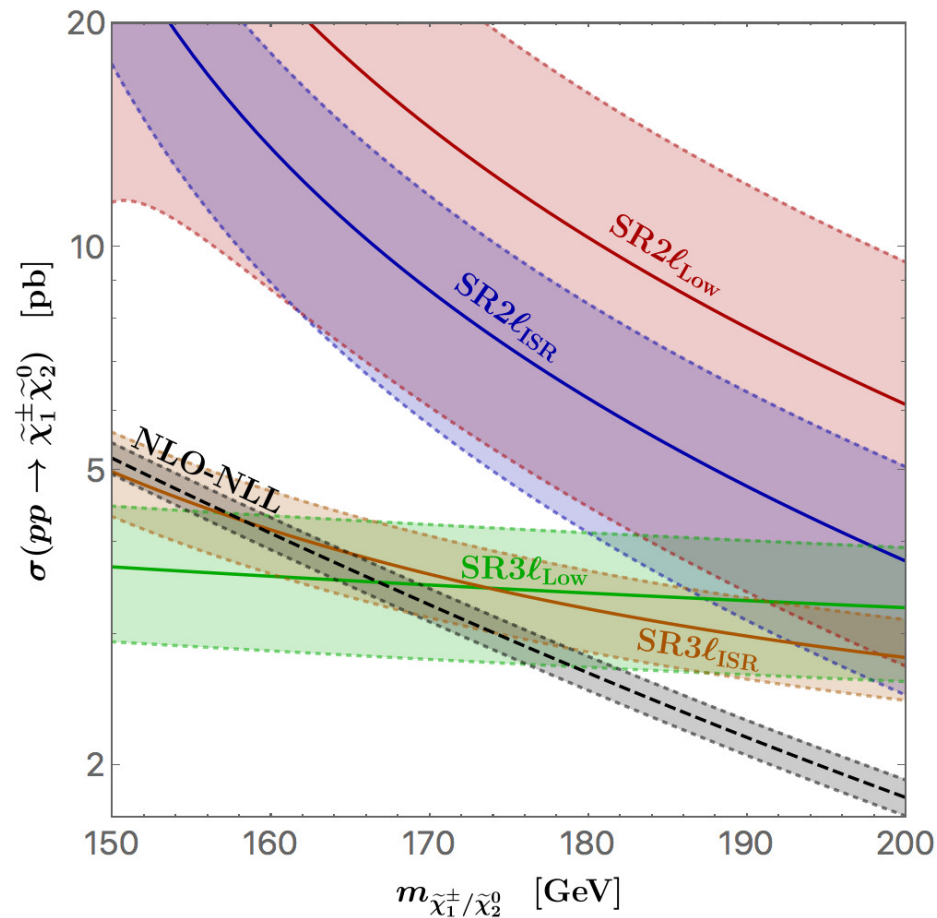
# Cross Sections Consistent with Observed Excesses

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Concentrated on the region consistent with 3-leptons plus missing energy that is the most sensitive one.

Masses of about 165 GeV and cross section of about 3pb.

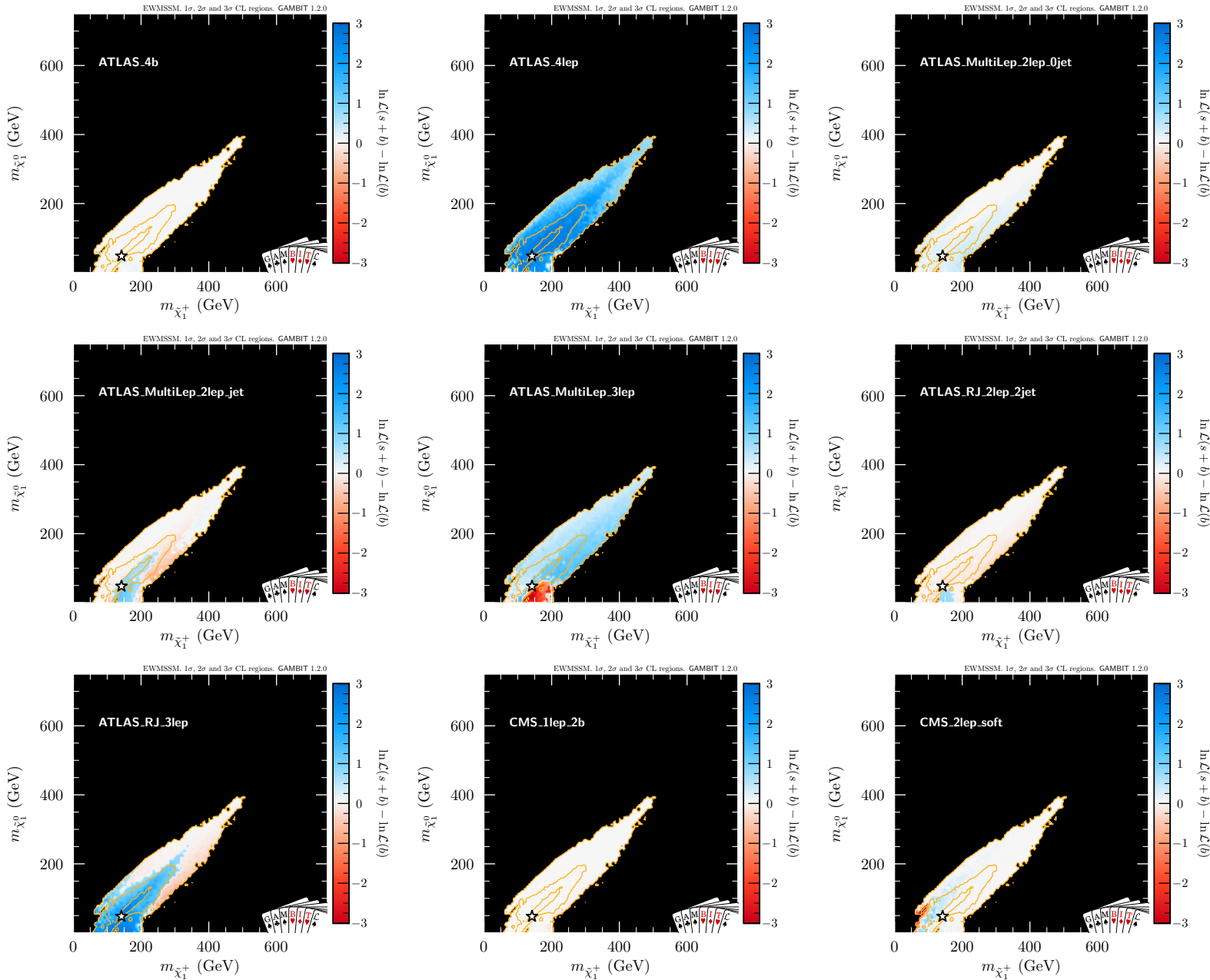
Additional region with masses of 200 GeV interesting, too.



# Fit to the Data

RJR Optimized for region where  
 $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2} - m_{\tilde{\chi}_1} \simeq 100$  GeV

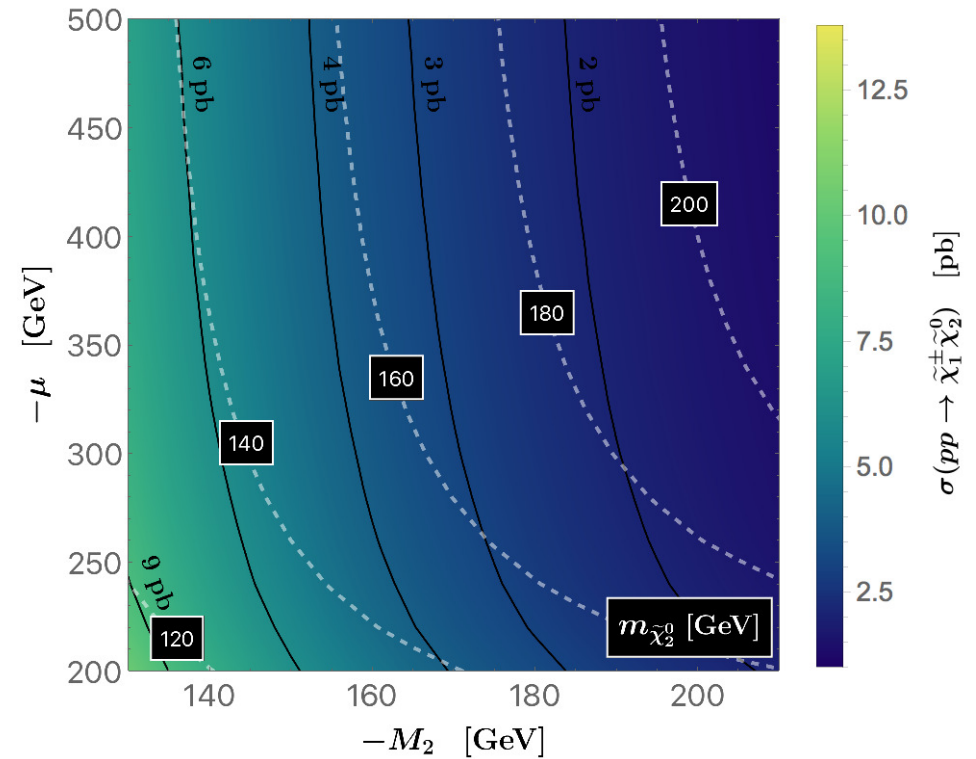
GAMBIT Collaboration,  
arXiv:1807.03208, 1809.02097



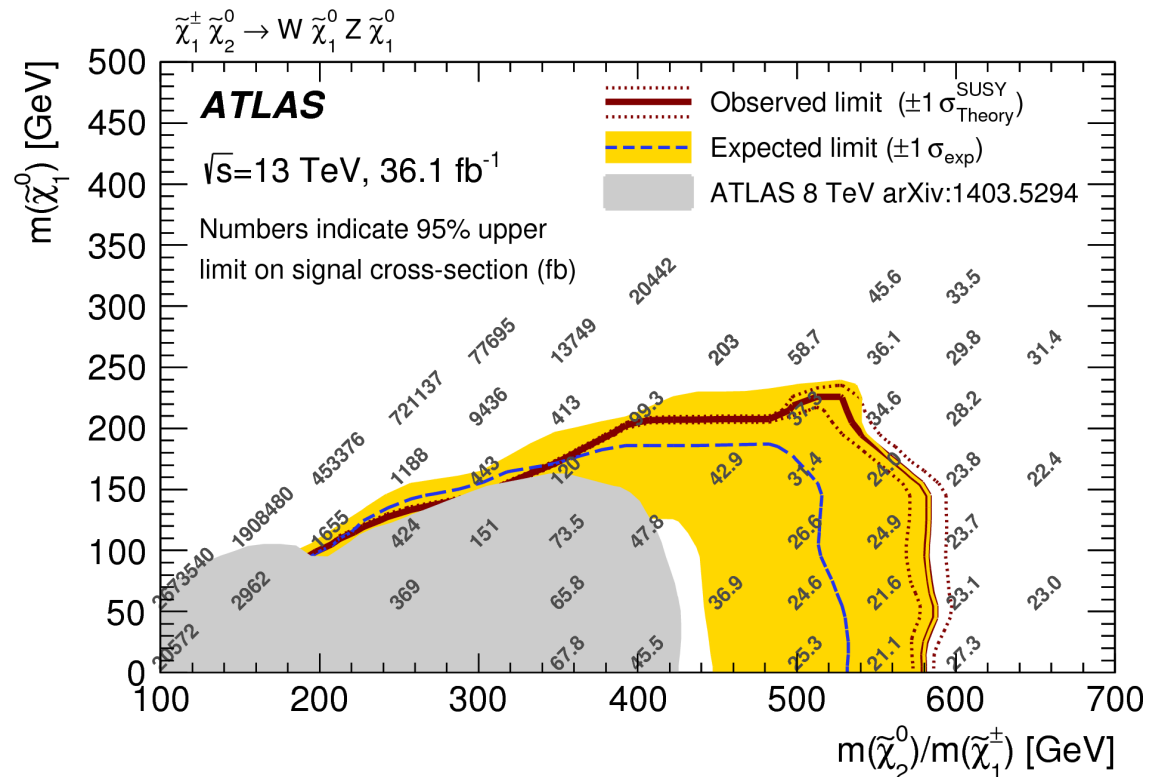
Claim that bounds from conventional searches become weaker once realistic spectrum is taken into account.

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## Comparison with Limits from Conventional Searches



Chargino Masses of about 165 GeV and Neutralino Masses of about 65 GeV, with cross sections of about 3 pb are in marginal tension with conventional searches and lead to an explanation of the RJR excess within 1 standard deviation.



ATLAS-CONF-2019-020	SR-low	SR-ISR
Observed events	51	30
Fitted SM events	$46 \pm 5$	$23.0 \pm 2.2$

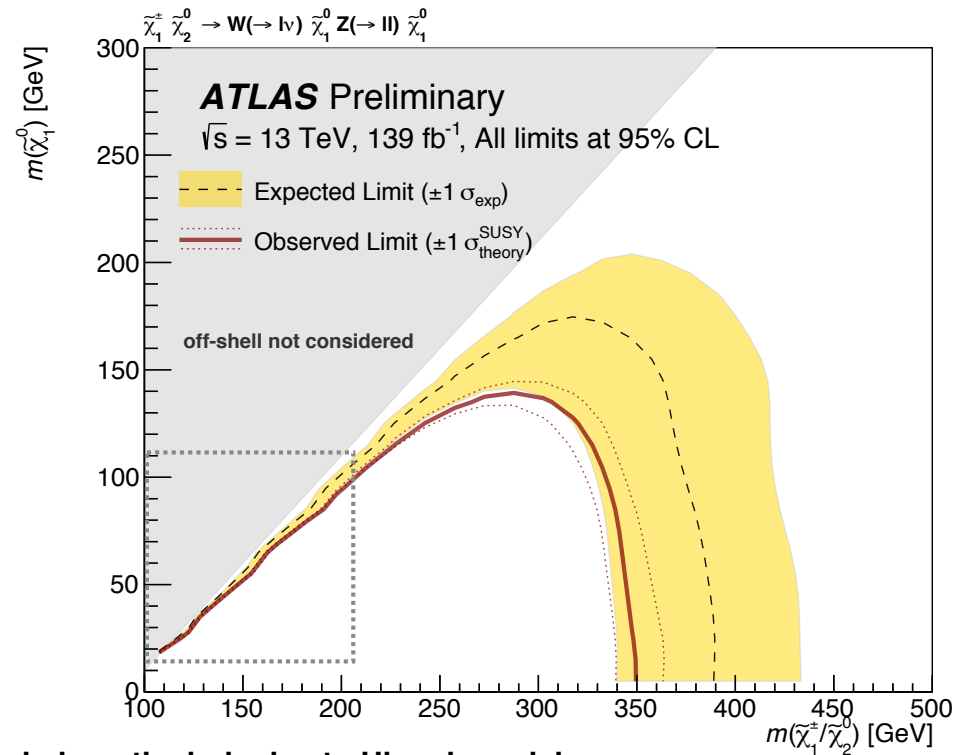
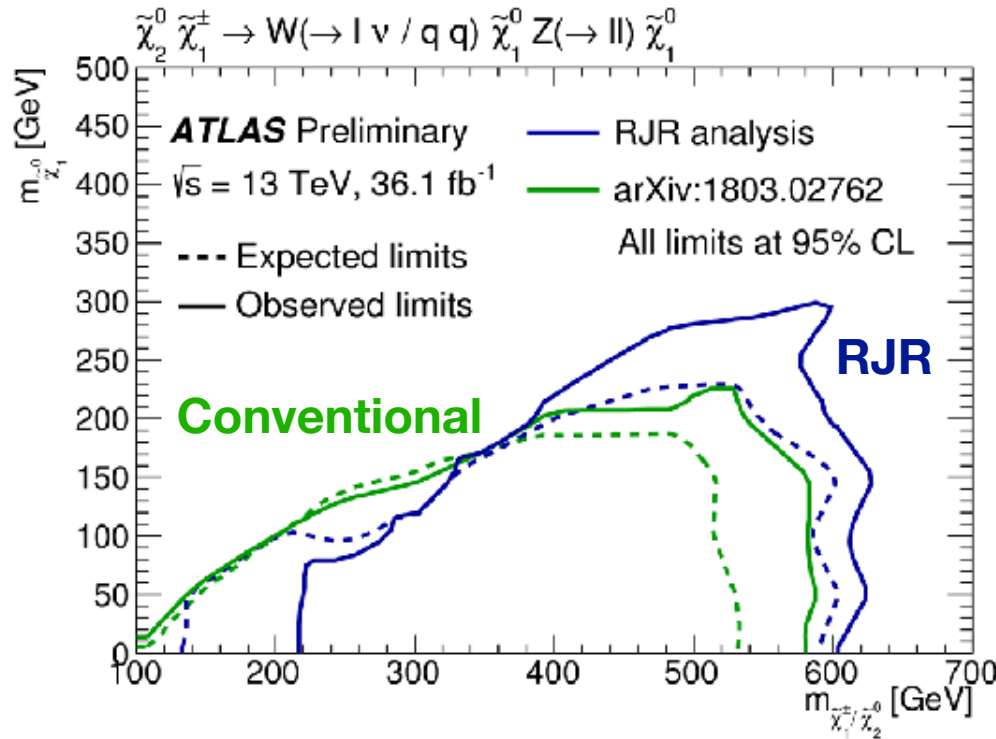
- **Emulated Recursive Jigsaw Reconstruction (eRJR)** confirmed the  $3\sigma$  excess with  $36 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ , but **sees a reduction in excess significance with full  $139 \text{ fb}^{-1}$**
- Low mass sensitivity now observes  **$1\sigma$  excess of events** in signal regions designed for  $3\ell$ +ISR processes

D. W. Miller (EFI, Chicago)

Electroweak SUSY at ATLAS – SUSY 2019

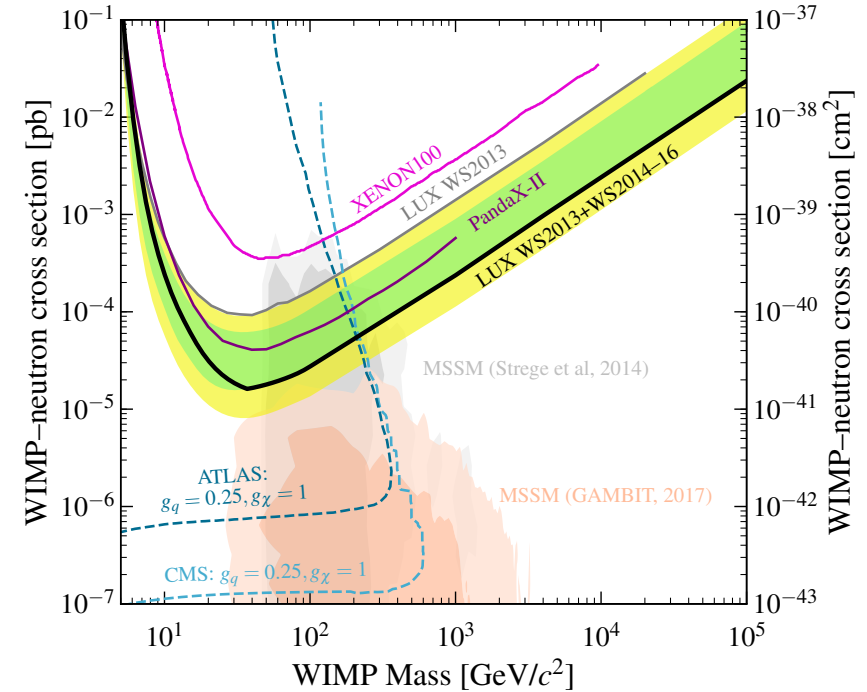
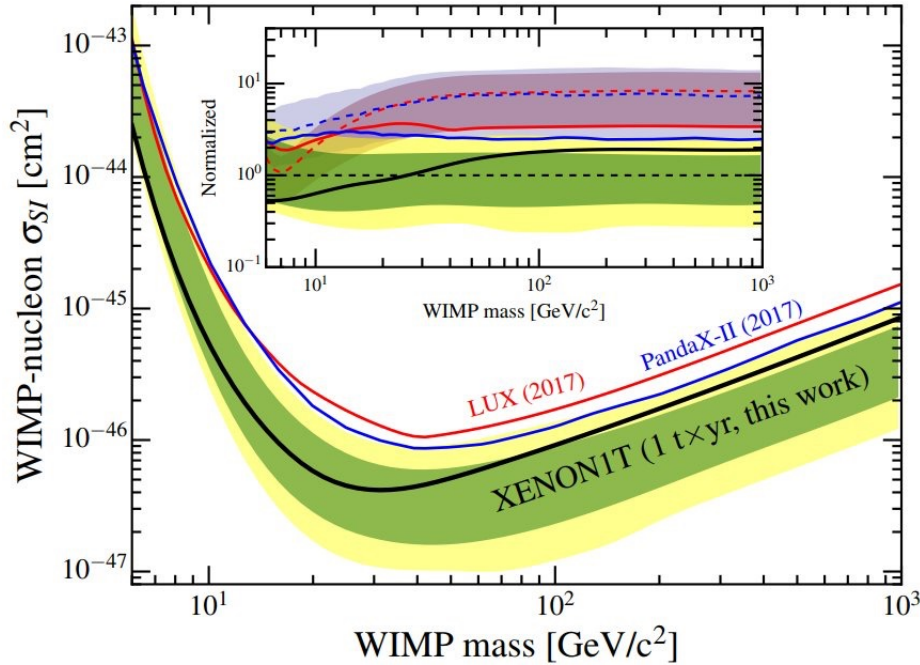
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Region with mass difference of about 100 GeV not excluded, particularly due to Higgsino mixing.  
 But if the RJR confirms these new limits, the

# DM : Direct Detection Bounds



$$\sigma_p^{\text{SI}} \propto \frac{m_Z^4}{\mu^4} \left[ 2(m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} + 2\mu/\tan\beta) \frac{1}{m_h^2} + \mu \tan\beta \frac{1}{m_H^2} + (m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} + \mu \tan\beta/2) \frac{1}{m_{\tilde{Q}}^2} \right]^2$$

Blind Spot :

$$2 \left( m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} + 2 \frac{\mu}{\tan\beta} \right) \frac{1}{m_h^2} \simeq -\mu \tan\beta \left( \frac{1}{m_H^2} + \frac{1}{2m_{\tilde{Q}}^2} \right) \quad \begin{array}{l} \mu \times m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} < 0 \\ m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \simeq M_1 \end{array}$$

Cheung, Hall, Pinner, Ruderman'12, Huang, C.W.'14, Cheung, Papucci, Shah, Stanford, Zurek'14, Han, Liu, Mukhopadhyay, Wang'18

$$\sigma^{\text{SD}} \propto \frac{m_Z^4}{\mu^4} \cos^2(2\beta)$$

# Blind Spots in the Spin-Independent Cross Section

C. Cheung, L. Hall, D. Pinner, J. Ruderman'12

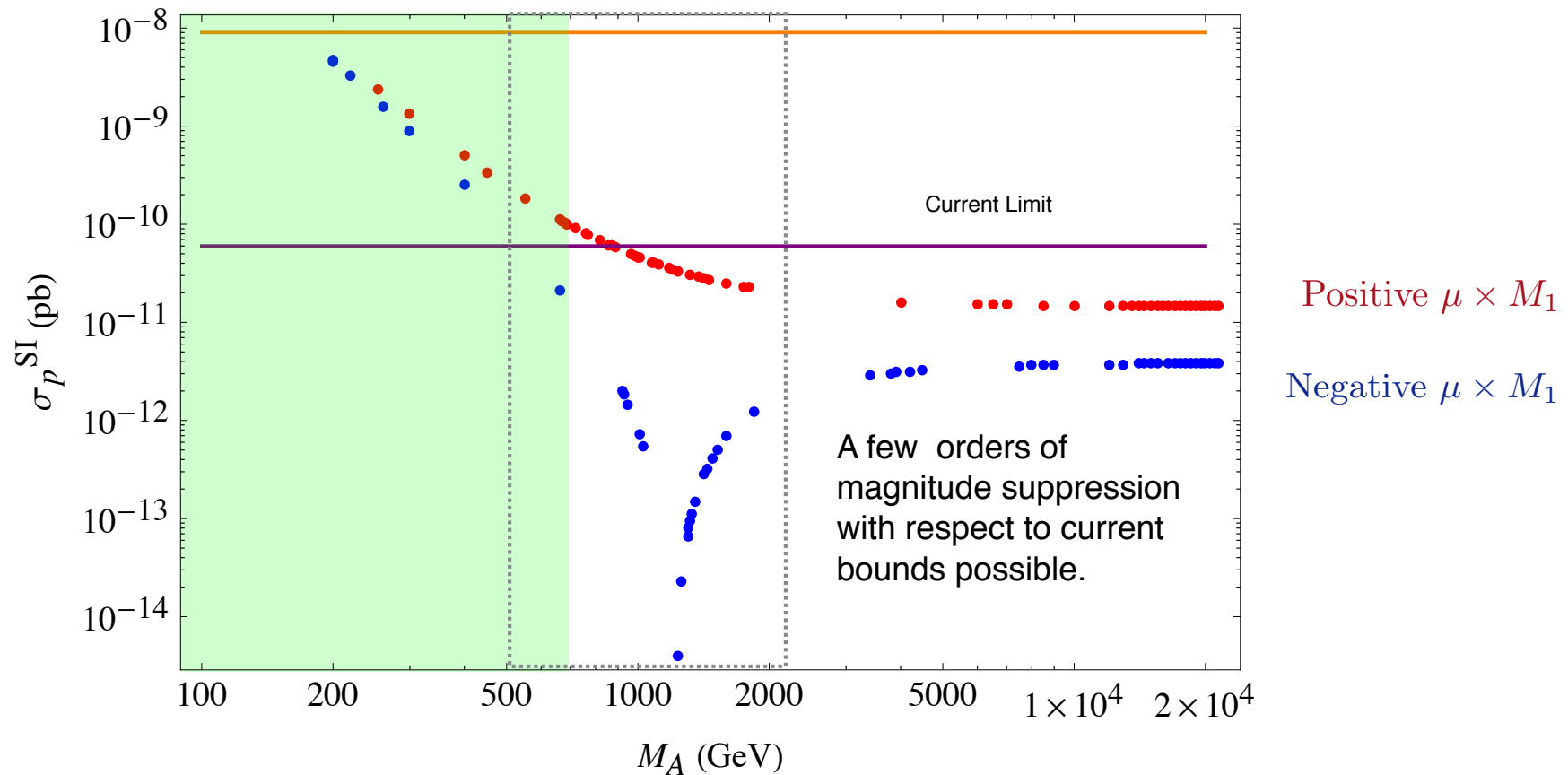
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$$\tan\beta = 30, \quad \mu = \pm M_1, \quad M_1 \simeq 60 \text{ GeV}$$





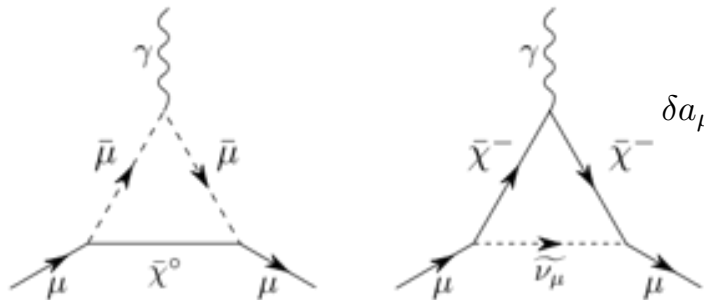
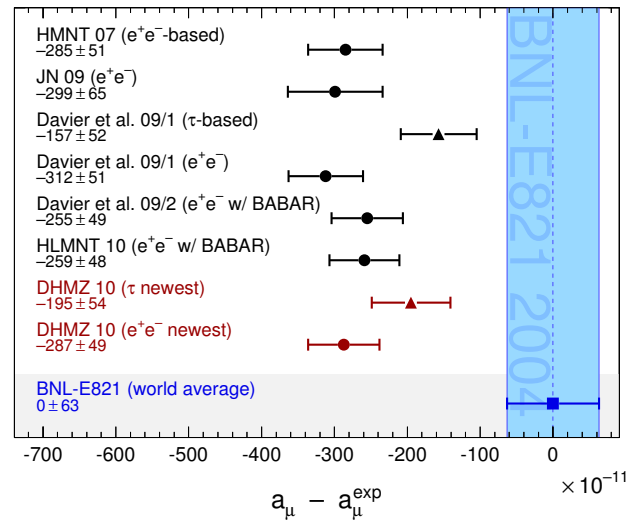
# Muon Anomalous Magnetic Moment

Present status: Discrepancy between Theory and Experiment at more than three Standard Deviation level

$$\delta a_\mu = a_\mu^{\text{exp}} - a_\mu^{\text{theory}} = 268(63)(43) \times 10^{-11}$$

3.6 $\sigma$  Discrepancy

New Physics at the Weak scale can fix this discrepancy. Relevant example : Supersymmetry



$$\delta a_\mu \simeq \frac{\alpha}{8\pi s_W^2} \frac{m_\mu^2}{\tilde{m}^2} \text{Sgn}(\mu M_2) \tan \beta \simeq 130 \times 10^{-11} \left( \frac{100 \text{ GeV}}{\tilde{m}} \right)^2 \text{Sgn}(\mu M_2) \tan \beta$$

Grifols, Mendez'85, T. Moroi'95,  
Giudice, Carena, C.W.'95, Martin and Wells'00 ....

Here  $\tilde{m}$  represents the weakly interacting supersymmetric particle masses.

For  $\tan \beta \simeq 10$  (50), values of  $\tilde{m} \simeq 230$  (510) GeV would be preferred.

Masses of the order of the weak scale lead to a natural explanation of the observed anomaly !

# Benchmark Point

Carena, Osborne, Shah, C.W. '18

Blind Spots :  $\mu \times M_1 < 0$

$(g - 2)_\mu : \mu \times M_2 > 0$

$\tan \beta = 20$

Param.	[GeV]	Param.	[GeV]	Param.	[GeV]	Param.	[GeV]
$\mu$	-300	$M_2$	-172	$M_{\tilde{L}}$	400	$M_H$	1500
$M_1$	63.5	$M_3$	2000	$M_{\tilde{Q}}$	2000	$A_t$	3000

Part.	$m$ [GeV]	Part.	$m$ [GeV]	Part.	$m$ [GeV]	Part.	$m$ [GeV]
$h$	125.84	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$	165.0	$\tilde{\nu}_e$	395.0	$\tilde{u}_R$	2069.8
$H$	1500.03	$\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm$	333.6	$\tilde{\nu}_\mu$	395.0	$\tilde{u}_L$	2069.5
$H_3$	1500.00	$\tilde{\tau}_1$	389.5	$\tilde{\nu}_\tau$	395.0	$\tilde{d}_R$	2070.3
$H^\pm$	1502.38	$\tilde{\tau}_2$	415.0	$\tilde{g}$	2129.2	$\tilde{d}_L$	2071.0
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	61.7	$\tilde{e}_R$	402.4	$\tilde{t}_1$	1927.7	$\tilde{s}_R$	2070.3
$\tilde{\chi}_2^0$	164.8	$\tilde{e}_L$	402.6	$\tilde{t}_2$	2131.6	$\tilde{s}_L$	2071.0
$\tilde{\chi}_3^0$	314.2	$\tilde{\mu}_R$	402.4	$\tilde{b}_1$	2067.1	$\tilde{c}_R$	2069.8
$\tilde{\chi}_4^0$	331.2	$\tilde{\mu}_L$	402.6	$\tilde{b}_2$	2074.1	$\tilde{c}_L$	2069.5

$$\sigma(pp \rightarrow \chi_1^\pm \chi_2^0) = 2.92 \text{ pb}$$

$$\Omega_{\text{CDM}} h^2 = 0.121$$

$$a_\mu^{\text{MSSM}} = 248 \times 10^{-11}.$$

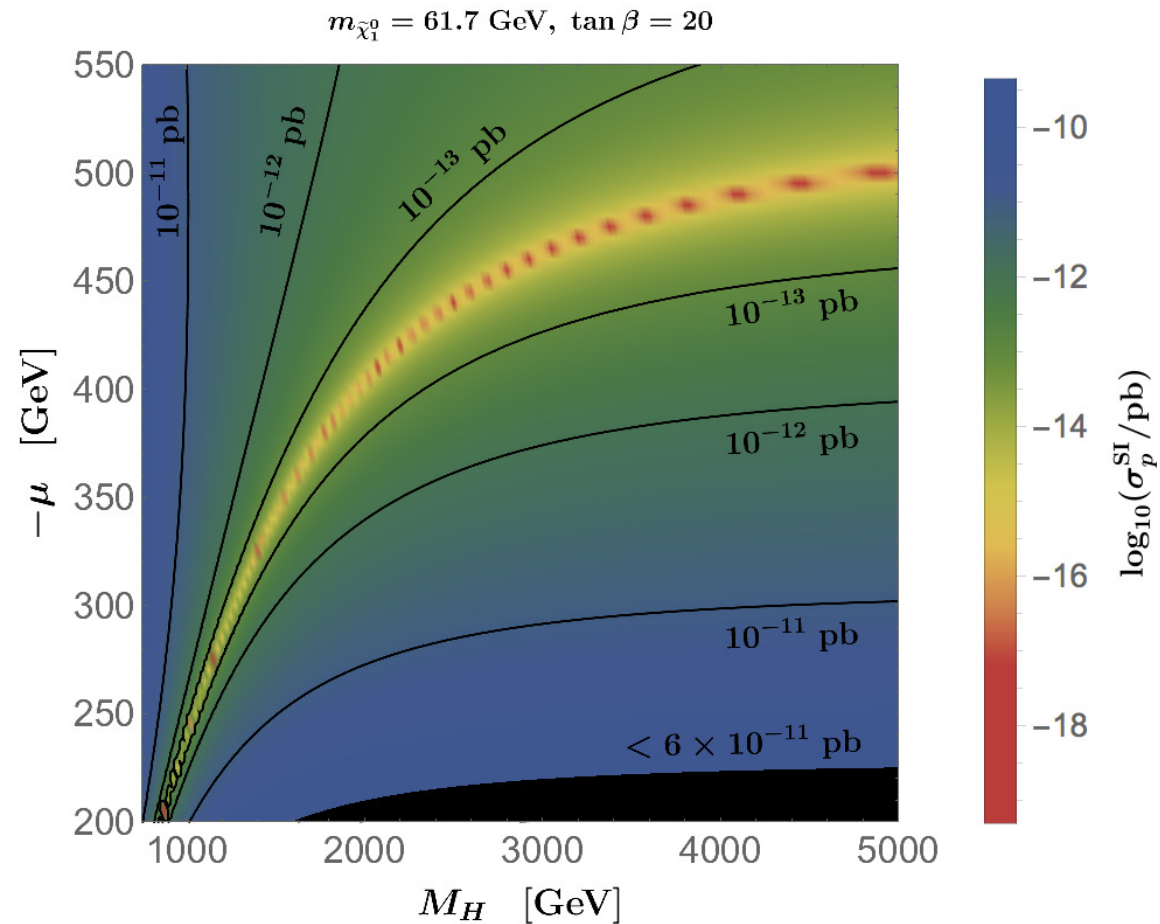
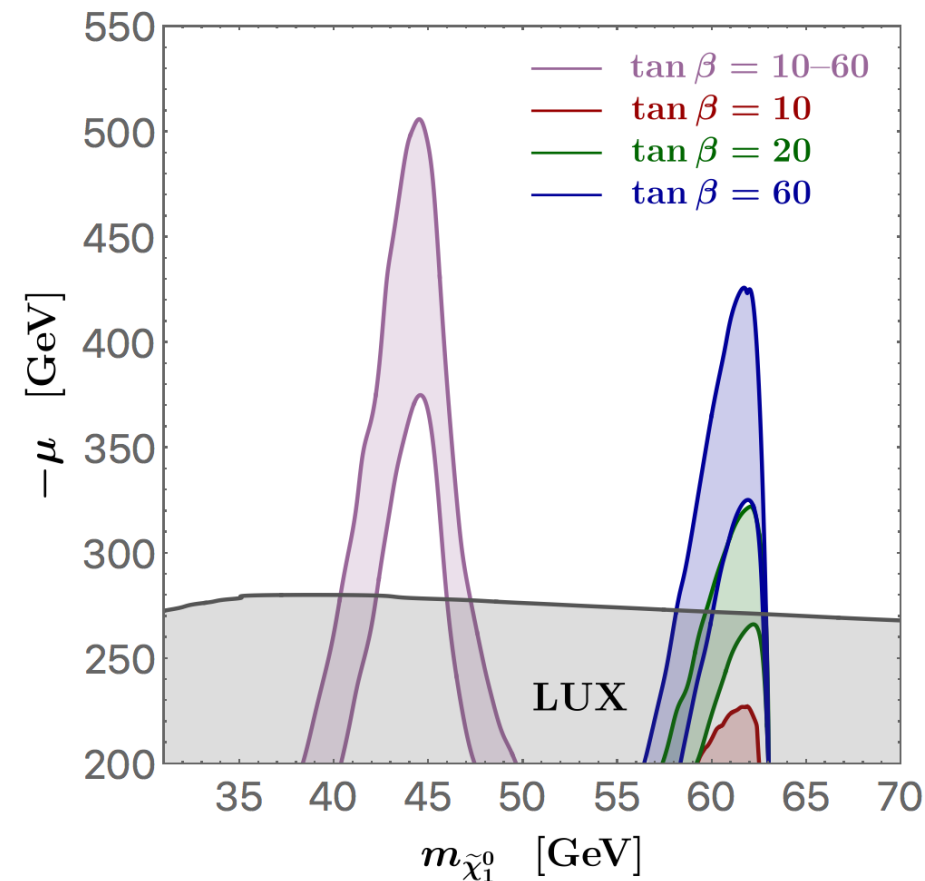
$$\sigma_p^{\text{SI}} = 6.82 \times 10^{-13} \text{ pb}, \quad \sigma_p^{\text{SD}} = 1.70 \times 10^{-5} \text{ pb},$$

$$\sigma_n^{\text{SI}} = 4.70 \times 10^{-13} \text{ pb}, \quad \sigma_n^{\text{SD}} = 1.33 \times 10^{-5} \text{ pb}.$$

## ATLAS Excess : Dark Matter Phenomenology

Higgs and Z Resonant Annihilation Regions  
SD Cross Section Bounds satisfied  
provided  $|\mu| > 270$  GeV

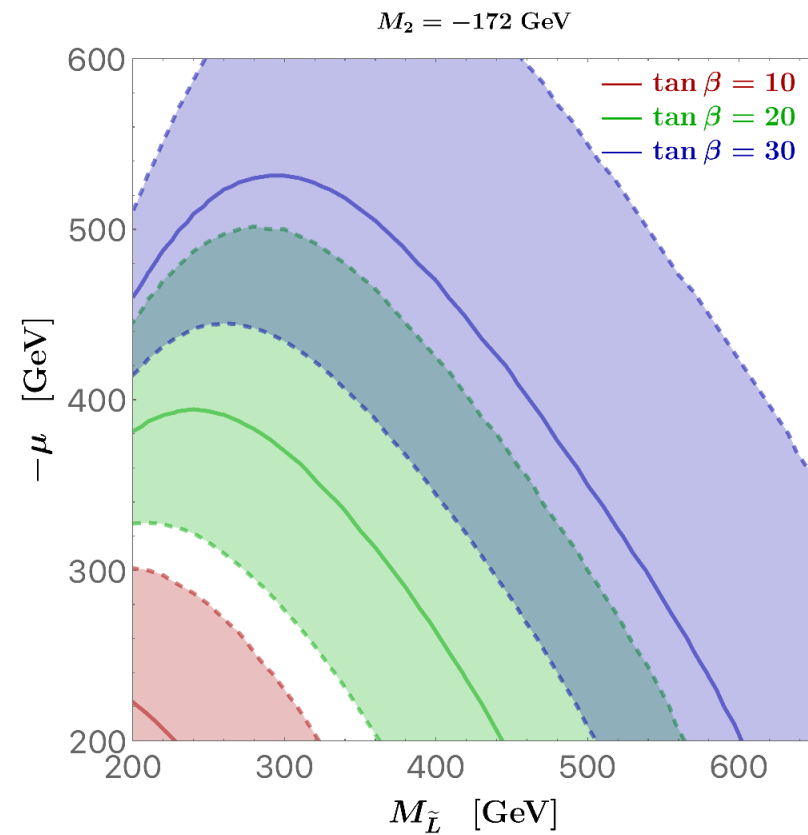
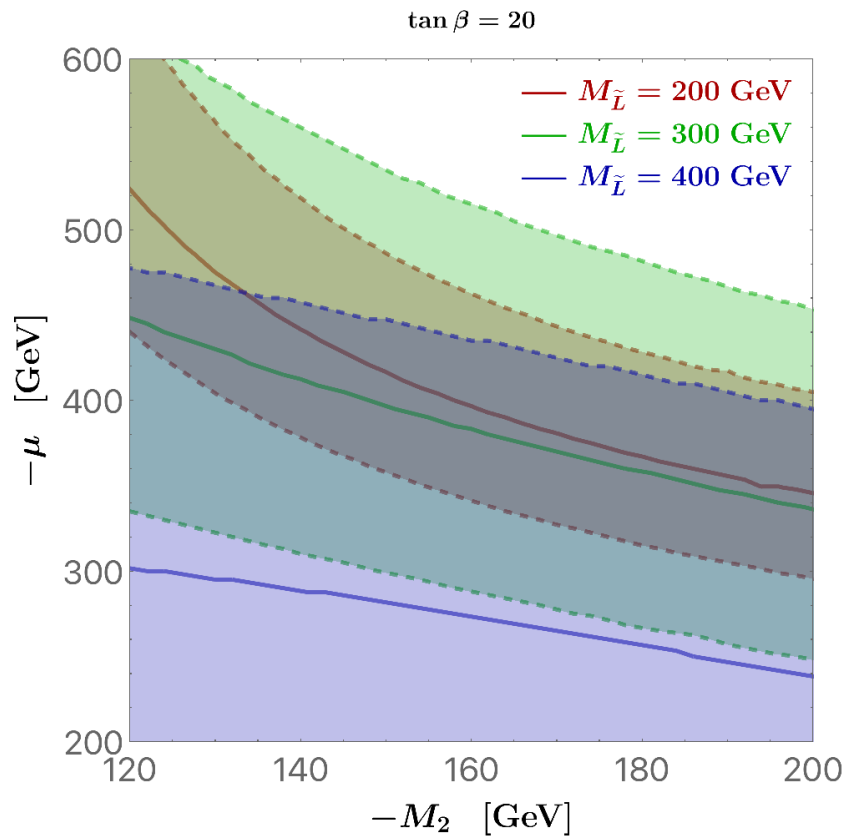
Existence of Blind Spot Regions Suppresses  
the SI cross section below the current limits  
in most of the parameter space.



# ATLAS Excess : Anomalous Magnetic Moment $(g - 2)_\mu$

As expected, s-leptons with masses of the order of 400 GeV lead to an explanation of g-2 for the benchmark point.

Dependence on  $\tan(\beta)$  follows the expected behavior

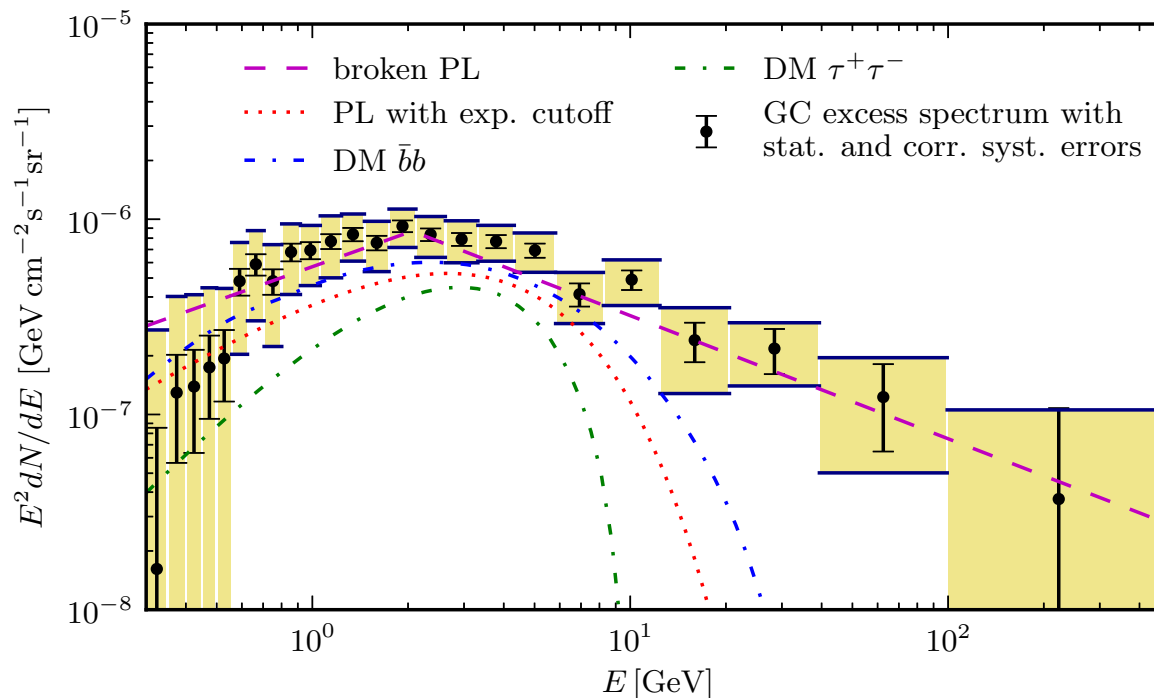


# Galactic Center Gamma Ray Excess

Significant Excess of Gamma Rays at the Center of the Galaxy  
Could be due to either Dark Matter annihilation or Astrophysical sources.

Four years ago a detailed analysis revealed preference towards Astrophysics.  
arXiv:1506.05124

However, some of the same authors discovered last systematics in the previous analysis, implying that the Dark Matter annihilation explanation becomes possible  
arXiv:1904.08430



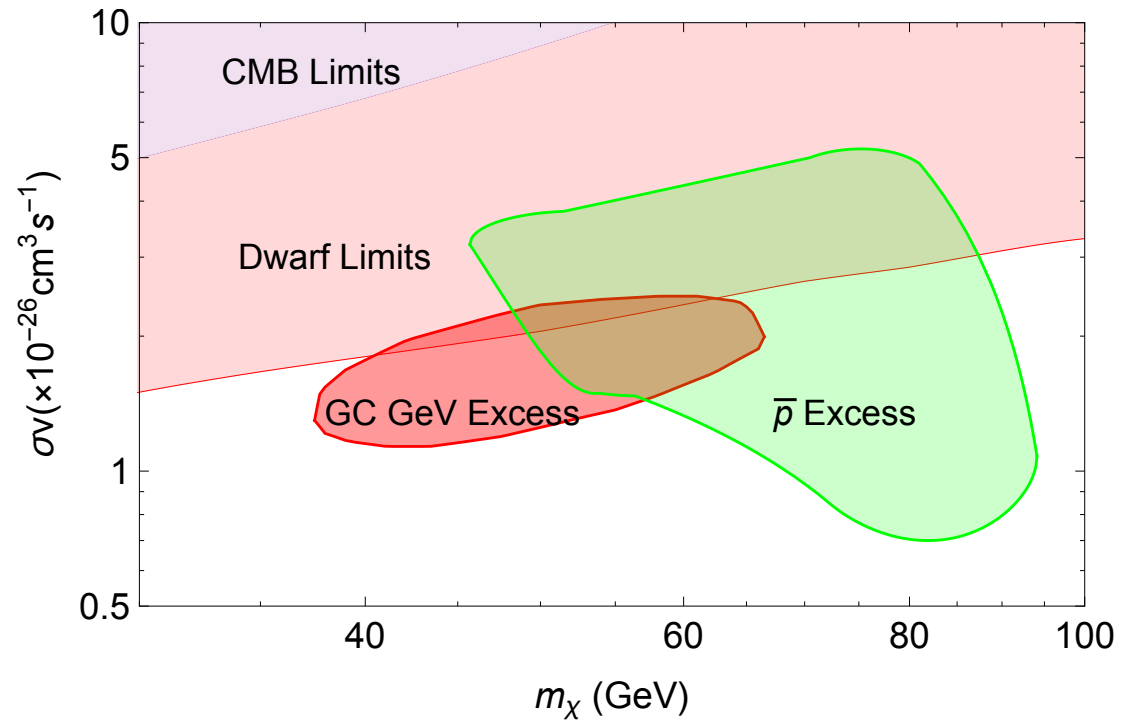
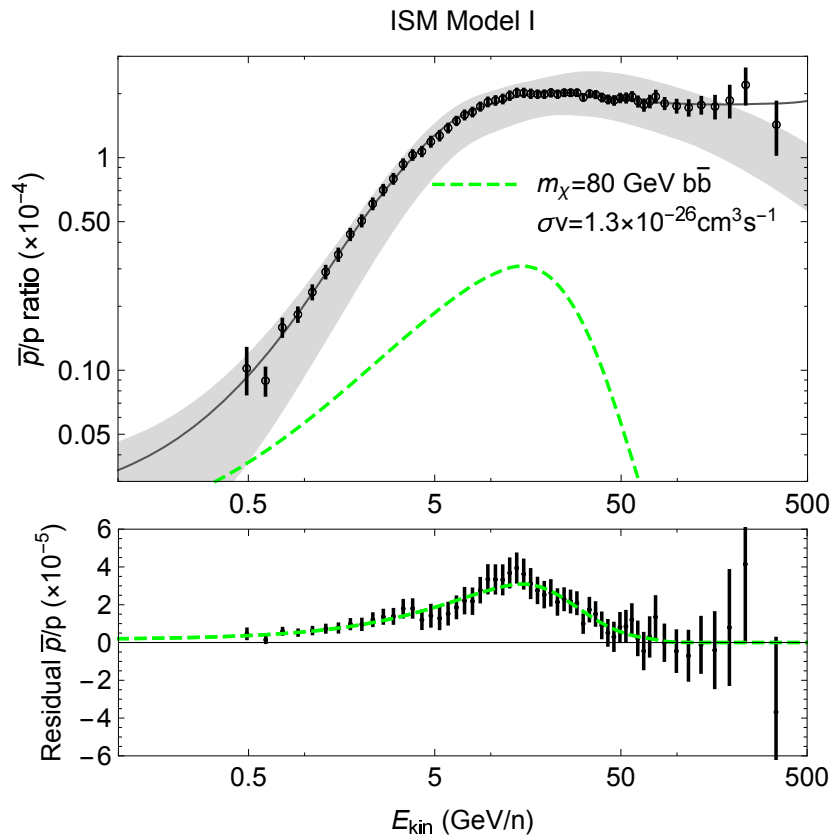
Fermi-LAT arXiv:1409.0042

# Galactic Center Excess and Antiproton Excess

AMS02 measured the antiproton cosmic ray flux, leading to evidence of an excess with respect to expectations.

Intriguingly, both the Galactic Center Excess and the Antiproton excess may be explained through the annihilation of a **Dark Matter candidate of mass 60 GeV**. Similar to the value coming from collider searches

This motivated us to explore a possible common origin of these excesses within the MSSM and the NMSSM.



## CP-Violating Benchmark Scenario

A mass of 60 GeV open the possibility of fixing the DM relic density via annihilations with the Standard Model Higgs boson. However, our previous scenario would lead to p-wave suppression. The **addition of CP-violation in the Bino sector** leads to a pseudo-scalar coupling of the Higgs to Dark Matter and also to a sizable indirect signal.

Param.	Value	Param.	[GeV]	Param.	[GeV]	Param.	[GeV]
$\arg[M_1]$	$5.8^\circ$	$\mu$	-300	$M_3$	3000	$A_t$	2500
$\tan \beta$	20	$M_1$	63.425	$M_{\tilde{L}}$	3000	$A_b$	2500
$M_{H^\pm}$	1500 GeV	$M_2$	-185	$M_{\tilde{Q}}$	3000	$A_\tau$	1000

Using CPsuperH as spectrum generator, one gets

Part.	$m$ [GeV]	Part.	$m$ [GeV]	Part.	$m$ [GeV]	Part.	$m$ [GeV]
$h$	125.5	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$	165.2	$\tilde{\nu}_e$	2999.3	$\tilde{u}_R$	2999.8
$H_2$	1497.9	$\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm$	331.9	$\tilde{\nu}_\mu$	2999.3	$\tilde{u}_L$	2999.5
$H_3$	1497.9	$\tilde{\tau}_1$	2998.4	$\tilde{\nu}_\tau$	2999.3	$\tilde{d}_R$	3000.1
$H^\pm$	1500.0	$\tilde{\tau}_2$	3002.3	$\tilde{g}$	3000.0	$\tilde{d}_L$	3000.6
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	62.7	$\tilde{e}_R$	3000.3	$\tilde{t}_1$	2945.8	$\tilde{s}_R$	3000.1
$\tilde{\chi}_2^0$	165.0	$\tilde{e}_L$	3000.4	$\tilde{t}_2$	3058.4	$\tilde{s}_L$	3000.6
$\tilde{\chi}_3^0$	309.6	$\tilde{\mu}_R$	3000.3	$\tilde{b}_1$	2997.6	$\tilde{c}_R$	2999.8
$\tilde{\chi}_4^0$	329.0	$\tilde{\mu}_L$	3000.4	$\tilde{b}_2$	3003.1	$\tilde{c}_L$	2999.5

# Experimental Predictions

Relic density together with an **annihilation into bottom-quark** pairs of the proper order of magnitude to explain the galactic center and antiproton excesses are obtained. This is achieved keeping the SI and SD detection cross sections small.

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega h^2 &= 0.119, & \sigma_{\text{SI}}^p &= 2.17 \times 10^{-12} \text{ pb}, & \sigma_{\text{SI}}^n &= 1.84 \times 10^{-12} \text{ pb}, \\ \sigma v|_{v=0} &= 2.69 \times 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}, & \sigma_{\text{SD}}^p &= 1.76 \times 10^{-5} \text{ pb}, & \sigma_{\text{SD}}^n &= 1.36 \times 10^{-5} \text{ pb}. \end{aligned} \quad (2.3)$$

$$\begin{aligned} BR(h \rightarrow b\bar{b}) &\sim 58\%, & BR(h \rightarrow WW) &\sim 22\%, & \sigma v(\chi\chi \rightarrow b\bar{b}) &\sim 1.5 \times 10^{-26} \text{ ecm} \\ BR(h \rightarrow gg) &\sim 8\%, & BR(h \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-) &\sim 7\% \end{aligned}$$

Interestingly enough, this scenario leads to one and two loop contributions to the electric dipole moment. As Prof. Nath and collaborators investigated years ago, there are interesting cancellations between the one and two loop contributions.

Ibrahim and Nath, arXiv:0705.2008

$$d_e = 1.8 \times 10^{-30} e \text{ cm}$$

$$d_e = 1.1 \times 10^{-30} e \text{ cm for slepton masses at 2 TeV} \quad (\text{Current experimental limit})$$

**Almost exact cancellation for slepton masses of about 4 TeV !**



## NMSSM Benchmark Scenario

Alternatively, one can add alight CP-odd scalars, like can be obtained in the NMSSM.

This allows to avoid the p-wave suppression, by using the DM annihilation with the this Higgs boson.

The rest of the scenario is as before. choosing kappa larger than lambda allows to push all other singlet states to large values. For instance,

Param.	Value	Param.	[GeV]	Param.	[GeV]	Param.	[GeV]
$\tan \beta$	20	$\mu_{\text{eff}}$	-300	$M_3$	3000	$A_\lambda$	-1260
$\lambda$	0.15	$M_1$	62.62	$M_{\tilde{L}}$	450	$A_\kappa$	-10.8
$\kappa$	-0.55	$M_2$	-171.	$M_{\tilde{Q}}$	3000	$A_t$	4000

With these parameters one obtains

Part.	$m$ [GeV]	Part.	$m$ [GeV]	Part.	$m$ [GeV]	Part.	$m$ [GeV]
$h$	124.8	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$	165.2	$A_1$	120.8	$\tilde{u}_R$	3100.7
$H_2$	969.6	$\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm$	336.7	$A_2$	974.1	$\tilde{u}_L$	3100.5
$H_3$	2185.5	$\tilde{\tau}_1$	438.3	$\tilde{\nu}_{e,\mu,\tau}$	445.7	$\tilde{d}_R$	3101.0
$H^\pm$	972.9	$\tilde{\tau}_2$	465.5	$\tilde{g}$	3198.1	$\tilde{d}_L$	3101.5
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	60.7	$\tilde{e}_R$	452.0	$\tilde{t}_1$	2955.6	$\tilde{s}_R$	3101.0
$\tilde{\chi}_2^0$	165.0	$\tilde{e}_L$	452.3	$\tilde{t}_2$	3120.5	$\tilde{s}_L$	3101.5
$\tilde{\chi}_3^0$	315.8	$\tilde{\mu}_R$	452.0	$\tilde{b}_1$	3076.3	$\tilde{c}_R$	3100.7
$\tilde{\chi}_4^0$	333.9	$\tilde{\mu}_L$	452.3	$\tilde{b}_2$	3077.8	$\tilde{c}_L$	3100.5

## Experimental Predictions

The experimental predictions of this scenario with respect to the DM phenomenology are similar to the CP violating case. One obtains the proper relic density and a large enough cross section into bottom quark pairs to explain the galactic center and antiproton excesses. The SI and SD direct detection cross sections remain small.

$$\begin{aligned} \Omega h^2 &= 0.119, & \sigma_{\text{SI}}^p &= 5.6 \times 10^{-12} \text{ pb}, & \sigma_{\text{SI}}^n &= 7.23 \times 10^{-12} \text{ pb}, \\ \sigma v|_{v=0} &= 2.25 \times 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}, & \sigma_{\text{SD}}^p &= 1.59 \times 10^{-5} \text{ pb}, & \sigma_{\text{SD}}^n &= 1.23 \times 10^{-5} \text{ pb}. \end{aligned}$$

$$BR(A_1 \rightarrow b\bar{b}) \sim 90\% \text{ and } BR(A_1 \sim \tau^+\tau^-) \sim 10\%, \quad \sigma v(\chi\chi \rightarrow b\bar{b}) \sim 2 \times 10^{-26} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$$

One difference between the CP-violating and CP-conserving scenario is that in the latter case one can push the I slepton masses to values of the order of a few hundred GeV, implying the possibility of obtaining a large value of the anomalous magnetic moment of the muon. Indeed, for the benchmark choice one obtains values consistent with current experimental observations.

$$a_\mu = 217 \times 10^{-11}$$

# Conclusions

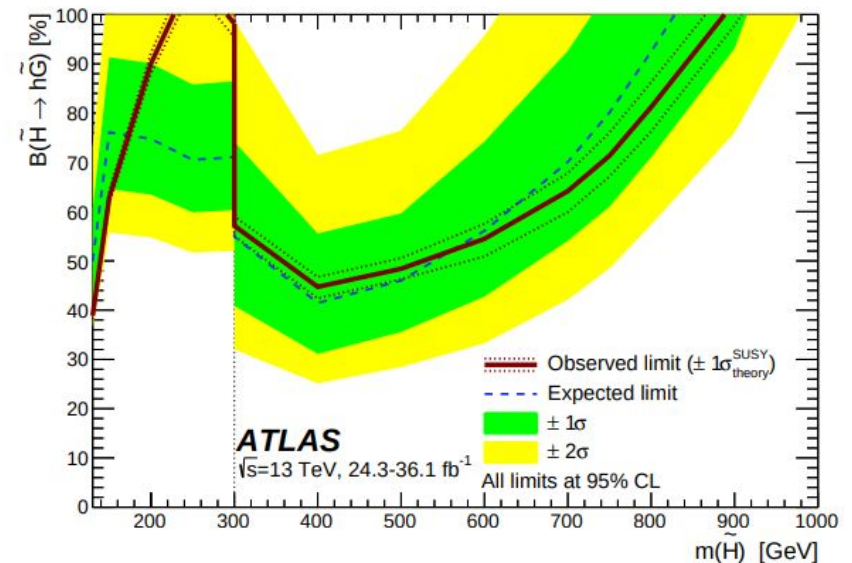
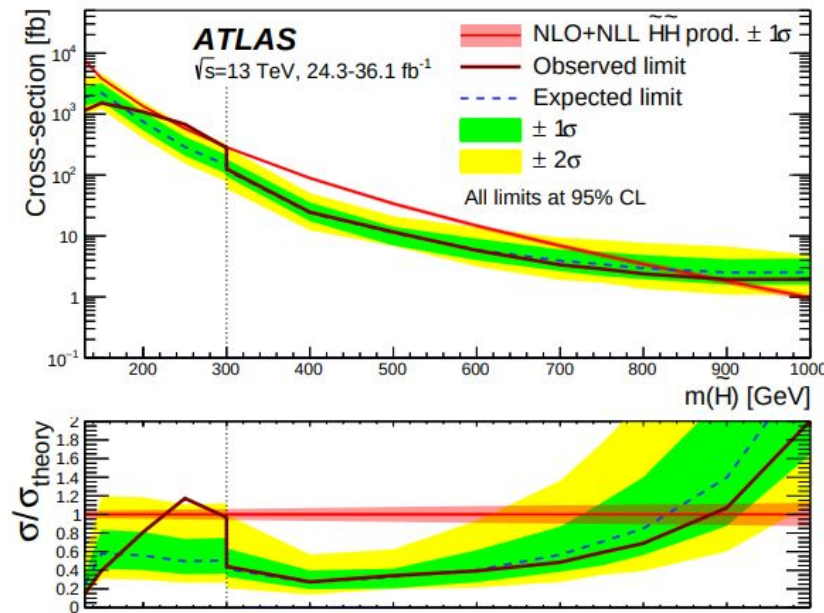
- No clear deviation of Higgs coupling from SM expectations
- Strongly interacting particles are restricted to be heavier than about 1 TeV
- We are just starting to constrain the region of masses consistent with the MSSM Higgs mass determination !
- Case of low energy SUSY : Clearly there is still a chance !
- One thing is for sure : If there is SUSY at the weak scale, it could lead to a solution of the DM problem without any tension with present experimental constraints.
- $g-2$  can also be explained. There could be implications for e.d.m.'s
- Astrophysics and cosmic ray excesses may be addressed.
- Not to mention all the “benefits” of SUSY

Backup

# Higgsino : Higgs Final States

D. Miller—Pascos Conference

## Higgsino multi-b

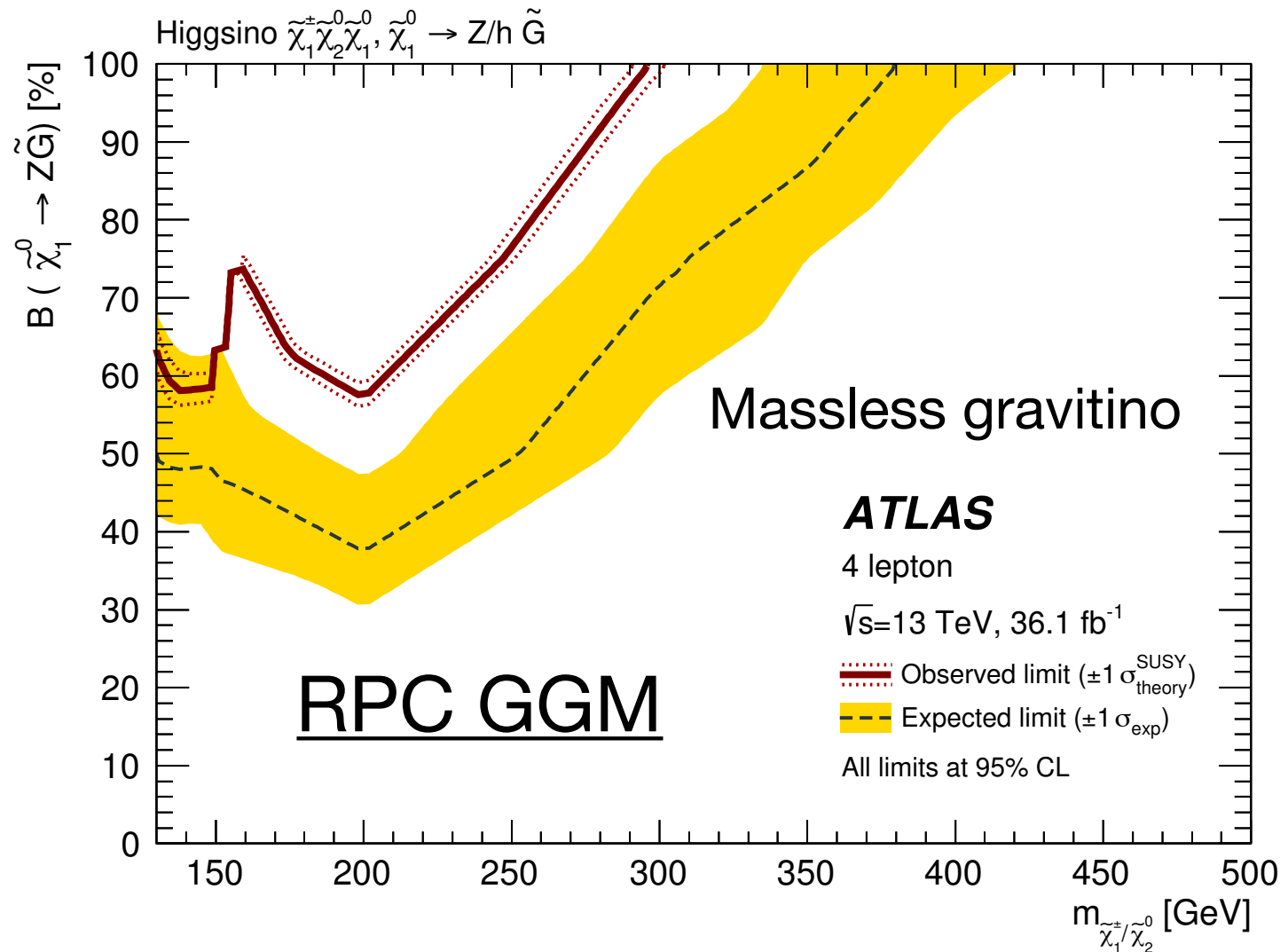


Four bottom final states

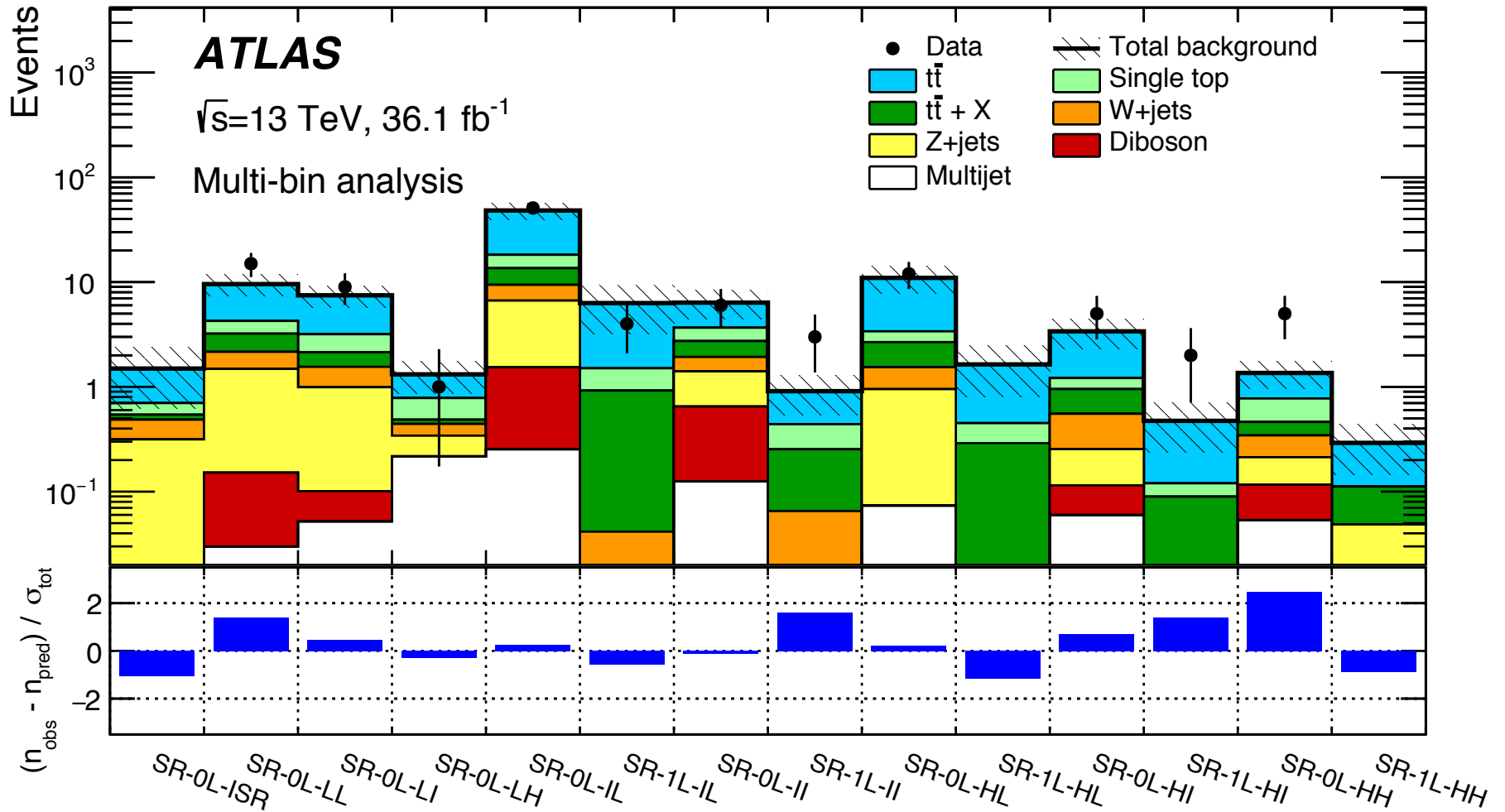
Reconstruction of the two Higgses by 2b invariant masses

Excess in region where background is obtained by data driven methods

# Four lepton Searches

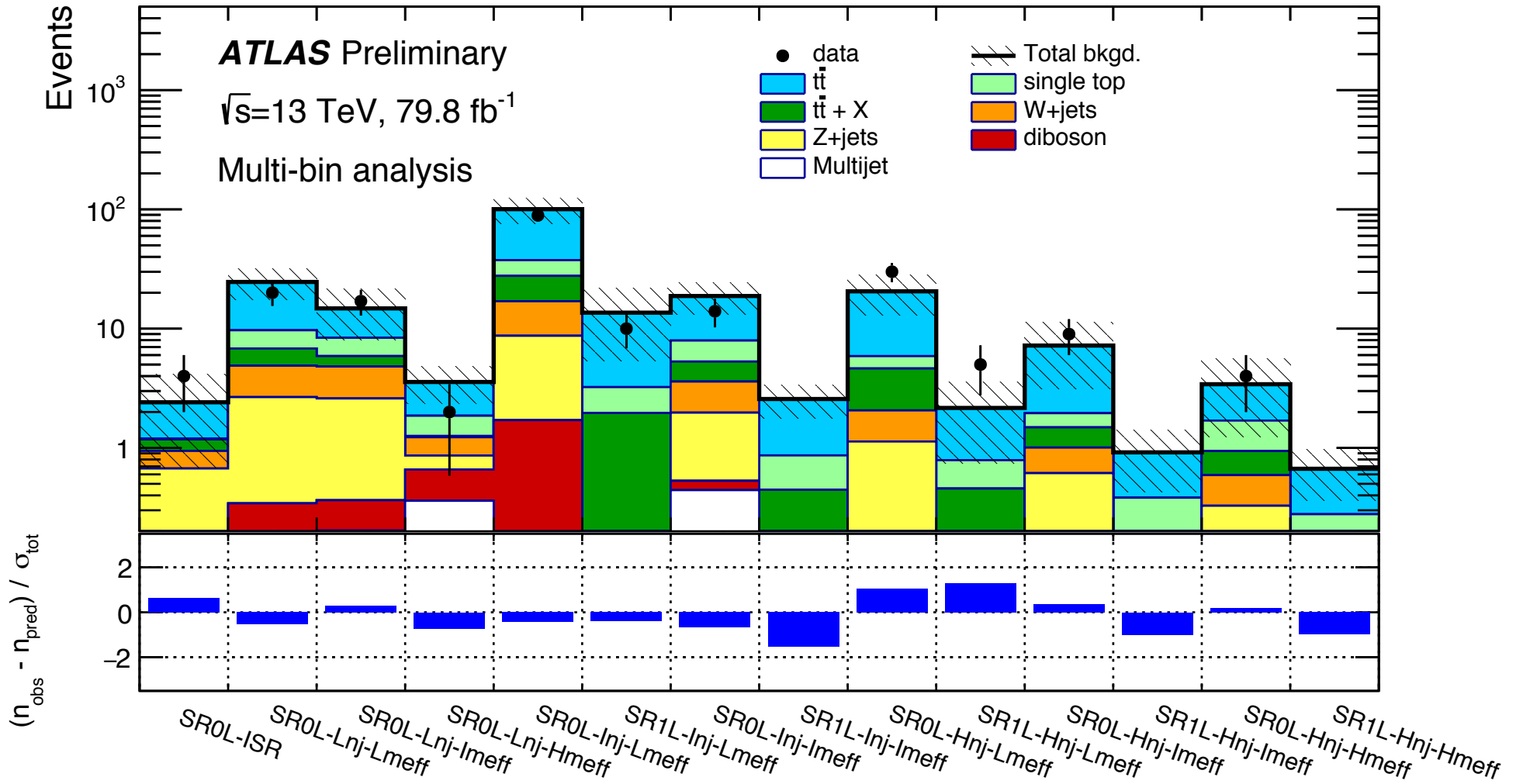


# Where was the excess ?



No Significant Excesses seen

Excess disappeared with more data



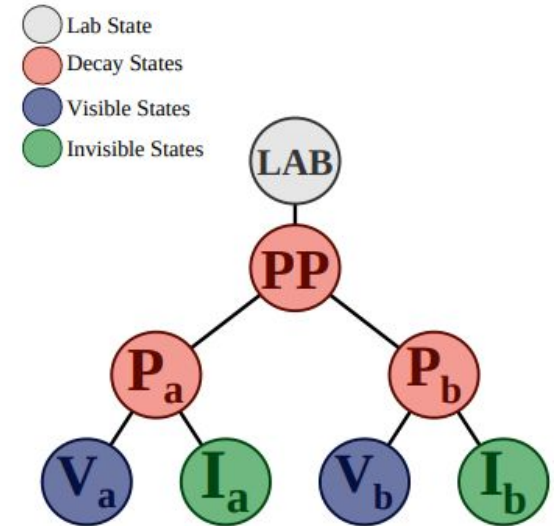


# Recursive jigsaw in a nutshell

A method for decomposing measured properties event-by-event to provide a basis of kinematic variables.

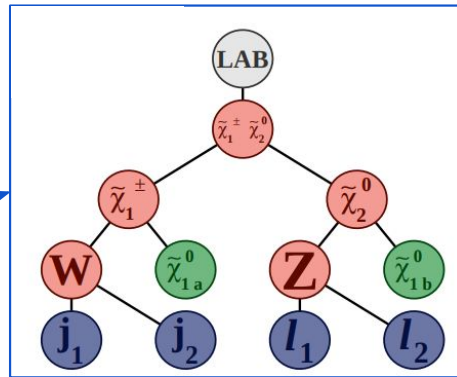
→ Achieved by approximating the **rest frames** of intermediate particle states in each event.

→ A natural basis of kinematic observables calculated by recursively evaluating the momentum and energy of different objects in these reference frames.



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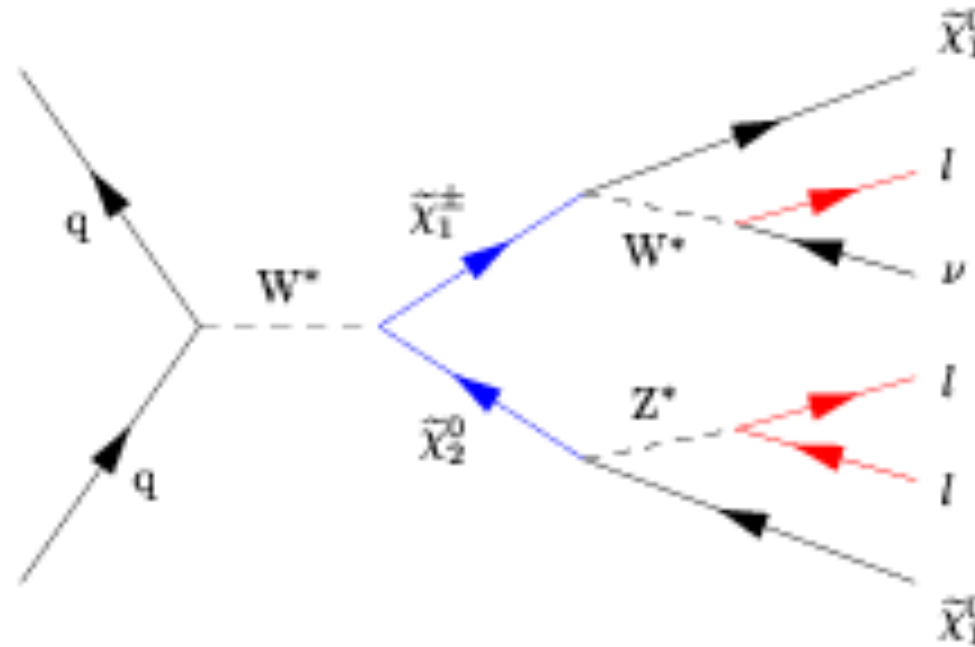
Reconstructed objects:  
leptons, jets,  $E_T^{\text{miss}}$  as  
input



Assignment to decay tree

Set of kinematic  
observables  
discriminating **S** from **B**

# Chargino-Neutralino Production



- For values of the wino and Higgsino masses larger than the weak scale, the mixing between them is small.
- Winos, in the adjoint representation of  $SU(2)$ , are produced at a stronger rate than Higgsinos.
- The cross section for **Wino production is about a factor 4 larger** than the one for **Higgsino production**.
- Mixing increases for smaller mass differences, leading to a reduction of the wino cross section, and to the **addition of new channels, some of them mixed “Wino-Higgsino”**.

# MSSM Cross Sections

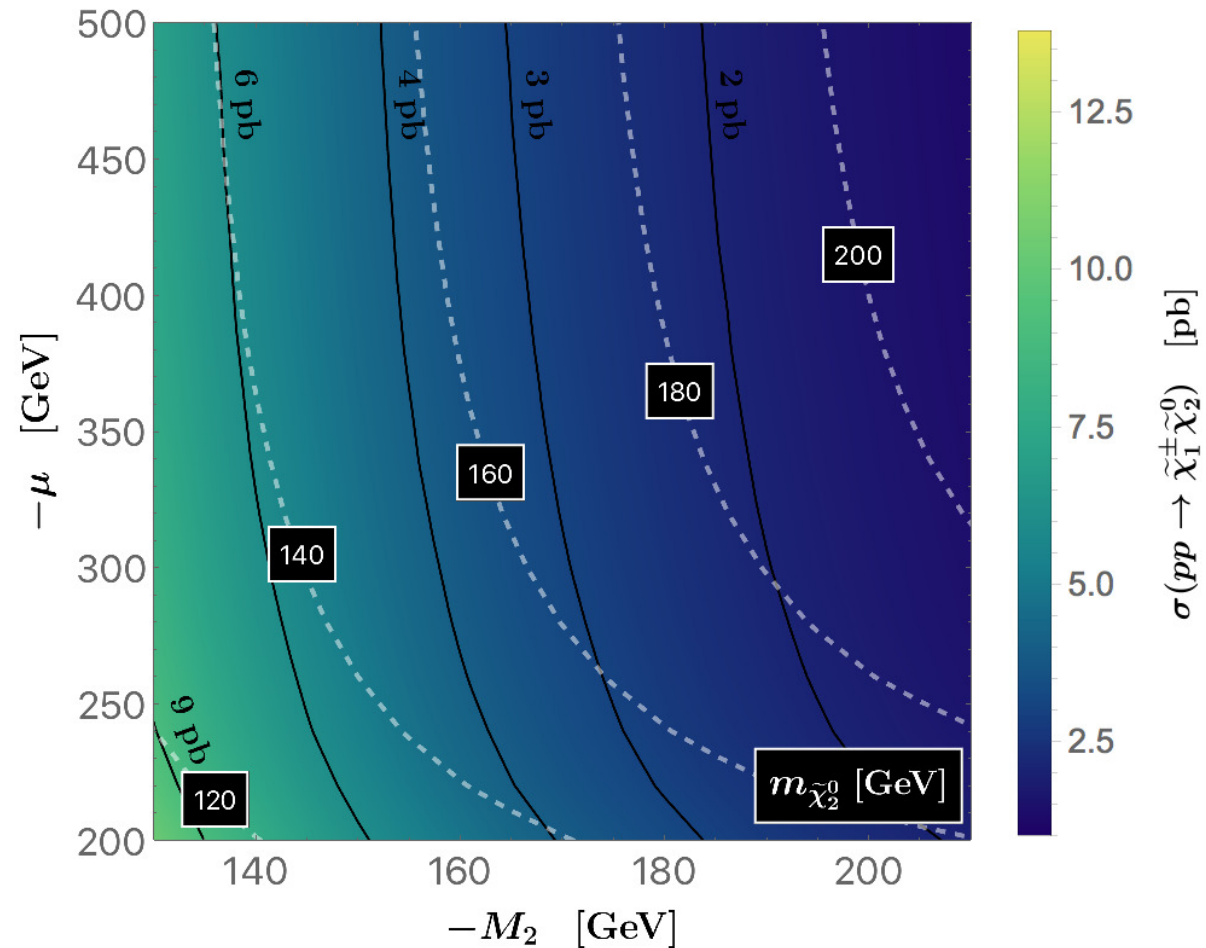
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Strong dependence on  $M_2$

Weak Dependence on  $\mu$ .

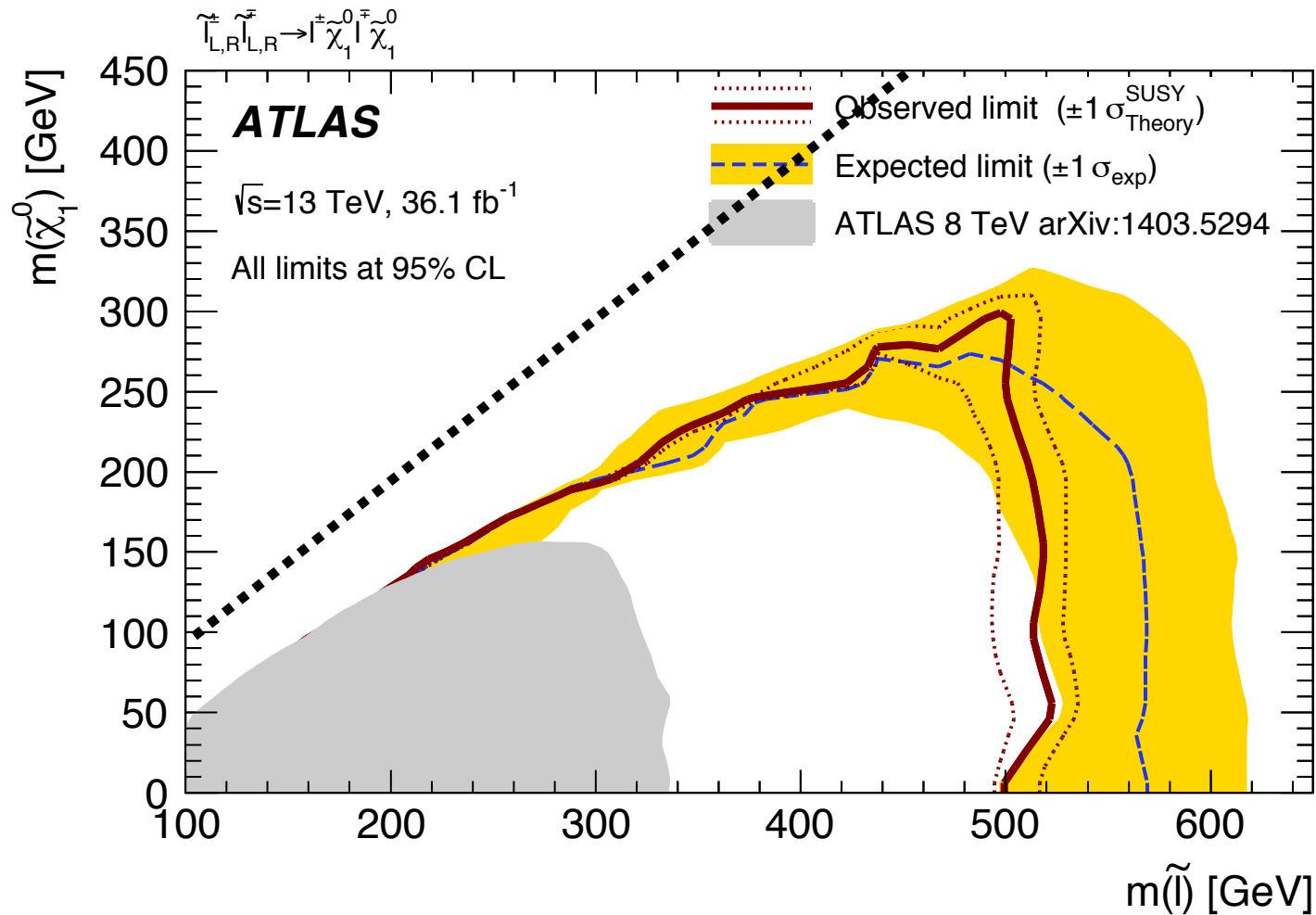
Wino cross section larger by about a factor 4 than the Higgsino one.

Values of  $\mu \simeq 300$  GeV lead to the desired cross sections.



# Slepton production

All four light generation leptons mass degenerate



Limits may be different in the case of cascade decays of the leptons into lighter electroweakino states.

# Stop bound may be somewhat relaxed in complex cascade decays

Bino/Higgsino Mix Model:  $\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{b}_1$  production,  $\Delta m(\tilde{\chi}_2^0, \tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 20-50$  GeV, March 2018

