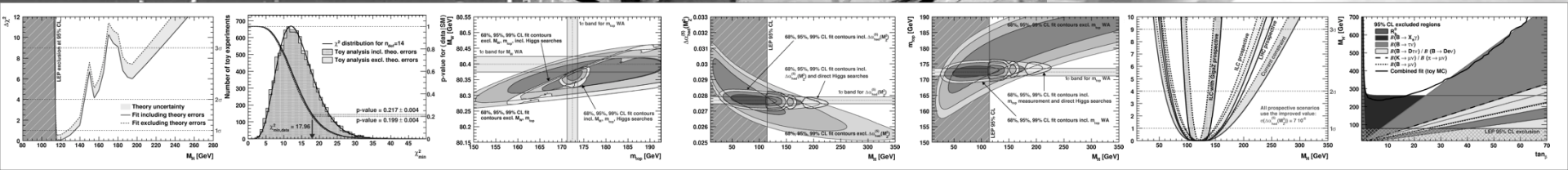
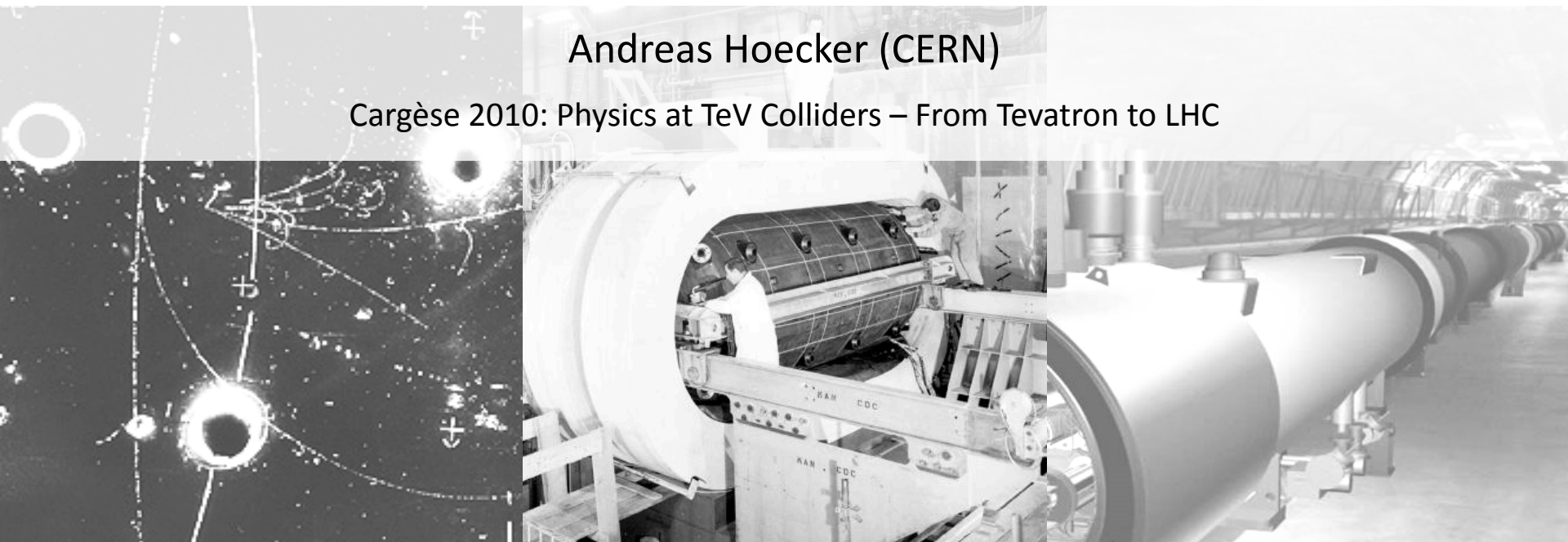




Introduction to Higgs and Electroweak Precision Physics (III)

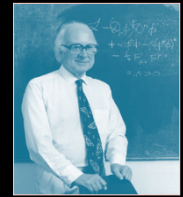
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Indirect Constraints on the Higgs

from Electroweak Precision Data



Precision measurements allow us to probe physics at much higher energy scales than the masses of the particles directly involved in experimental reactions by exploiting contributions from quantum loops. These tests do not only require accurate and well understood experimental data but also theoretical predictions with controlled uncertainties that match the experimental precision.

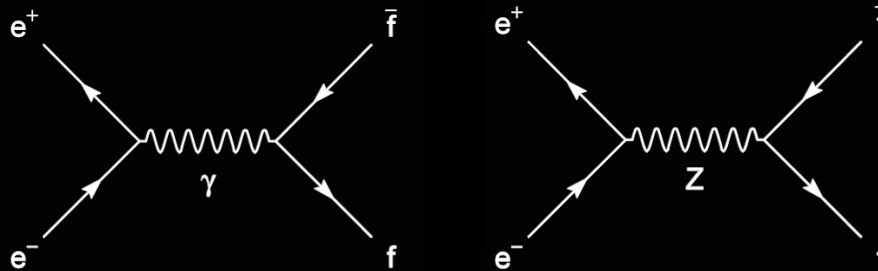
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Since the Z^0 boson couples to all fermion-antifermion pairs, it is ideal for measuring and studying electroweak and strong interactions

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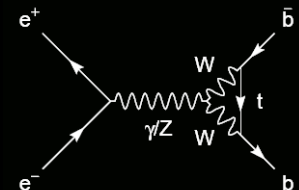
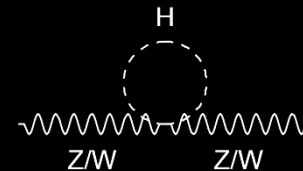
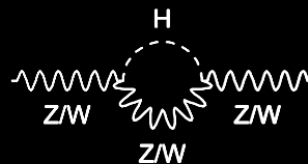
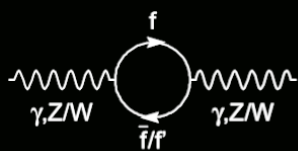
Most important experimental inputs to fit:

- Electroweak precision data measured at the Z^0 resonance
- Processes studied: $e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{fermion} + \text{anti-fermion}$ (quarks, charged leptons, neutrinos)
- Lowest order diagrams:



Z-to-fermion coupling has vector and axial-vector components \rightarrow parity violation

- Photon exchange cross section falls with s^{-1}
- Resonance at $E_{\text{CM}} = M_Z$ (LEP-1, SLC), W -pair production at $E_{\text{CM}} > 2 M_W$ (LEP-2)
- Electroweak unification: relation between weak and electromagnetic couplings
- Gauge sector of SM on tree level is given by 3 free parameters, e.g., α , M_Z , G_F
- Sensitivity to heavy fermions (top) and bosons (Higgs) via **radiative corrections**:



And – remember – radiative corrections are important:

From electroweak unification: $M_W = M_Z \cdot \cos \theta_W$, or: $\sin^2 \theta_W = 1 - \frac{M_W^2}{M_Z^2}$

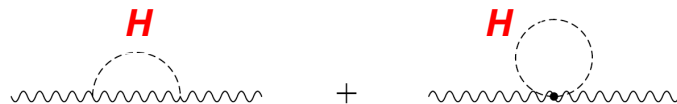
- Use, e.g., $\sin^2 \theta_W = 0.2314 \pm 0.0002$ as obtained from deep-inelastic neutrino–nucleon scattering
- ...and using world average mass measurements from LEP and Tevatron gives:

$$M_W = (80.399 \pm 0.023) \text{ GeV} |_{\text{LEP+Tevatron}} \stackrel{?}{=} (79.944 \pm 0.010) \text{ GeV} |_{\text{EW theory (tree level)}}$$

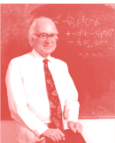
$$\sin^2 \theta_W = 0.2314 \pm 0.0002 \stackrel{?}{=} 0.2226 \pm 0.0004 |_{\text{EW theory (tree level)}}$$

Strong disagreement (20 σ) !

Logarithmic Higgs dependence enters through virtual corrections, e.g. :



$$\Delta\rho_{(\text{Higgs})} = \frac{11G_F m_Z^2 \cos^2 \theta_W}{24\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \log \left(\frac{m_H^2}{m_W^2} \right)$$



Electroweak fits have a long history ...

Based on a huge amount of preparatory work

- Needed to understand importance of loop corrections
- Precise Standard Model (SM) predictions and measurements required

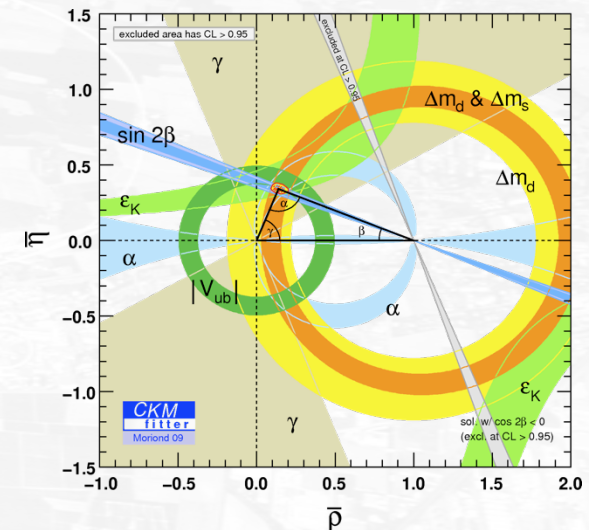
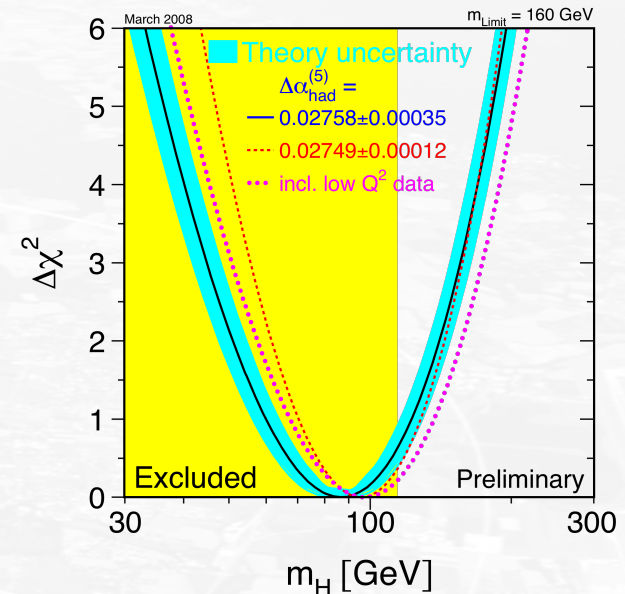
EW fits routinely performed by many groups

- D. Bardinet *et al.* (ZFITTER), G. Passarino *et al.* (TOPAZ0), LEP EW WG (M. Grünewald, K. Mönig *et al.*), J. Erler (GAPP), ...
- Important results obtained !

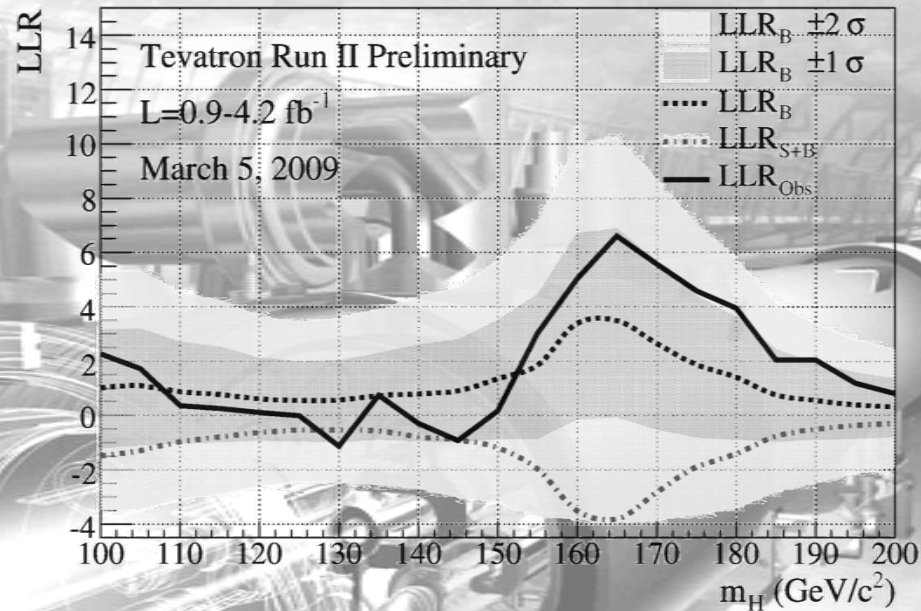
Global SM fits also used at lower energies

- CKMfitter (J. Charles *et al.*), UTfit (M. Bona *et al.*), ...
- Mostly concentrating on CKM matrix

Also many groups pursuing global beyond-SM fits



Experimental Inputs



Measurements at the Z Pole

Important experimental input to the fit: electroweak precision data measured at the Z^0 -resonance

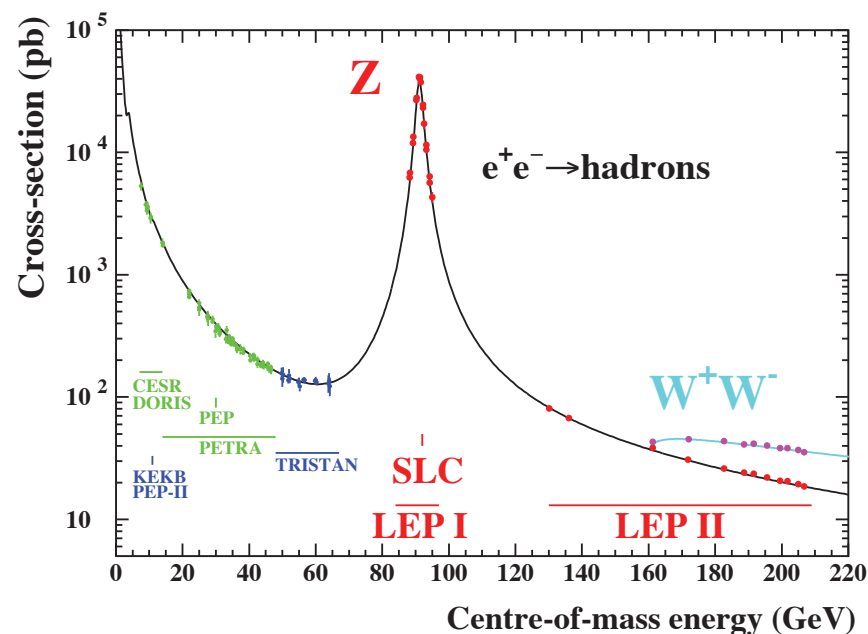
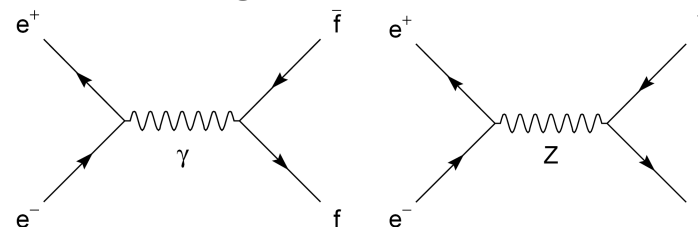
Process under study: $e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$

- f = all fermions (quarks, charged leptons, neutrinos) light enough to be pair produced

Hadronic cross-section:

- s^{-1} fall-off due to virtual photon exchange
- Resonance at $\sqrt{s} = M_Z$
- For $\sqrt{s} > 2M_W$: pair-production of W 's kinematically allowed
- Measurements around M_Z : SLC, LEP I

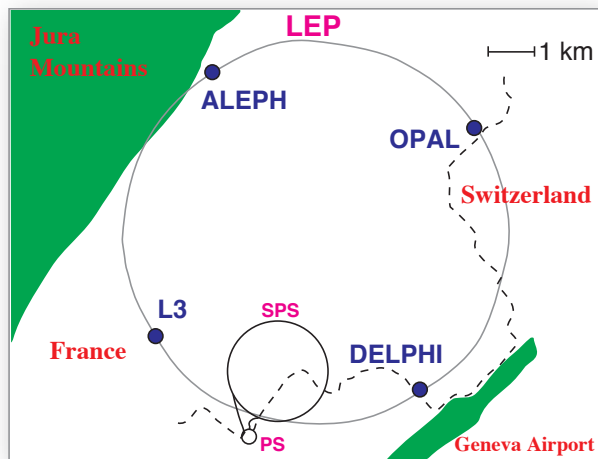
Lowest order diagrams $e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f}$



Combined paper LEP + SLC:
Phys. Rept. 427, 257 (2006)

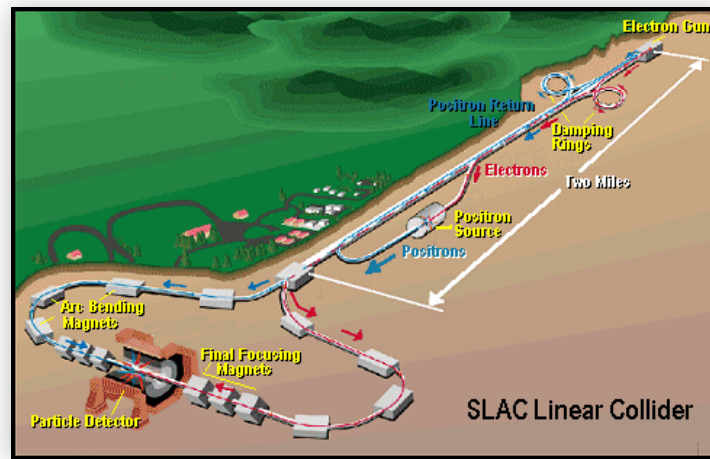
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LEP I:



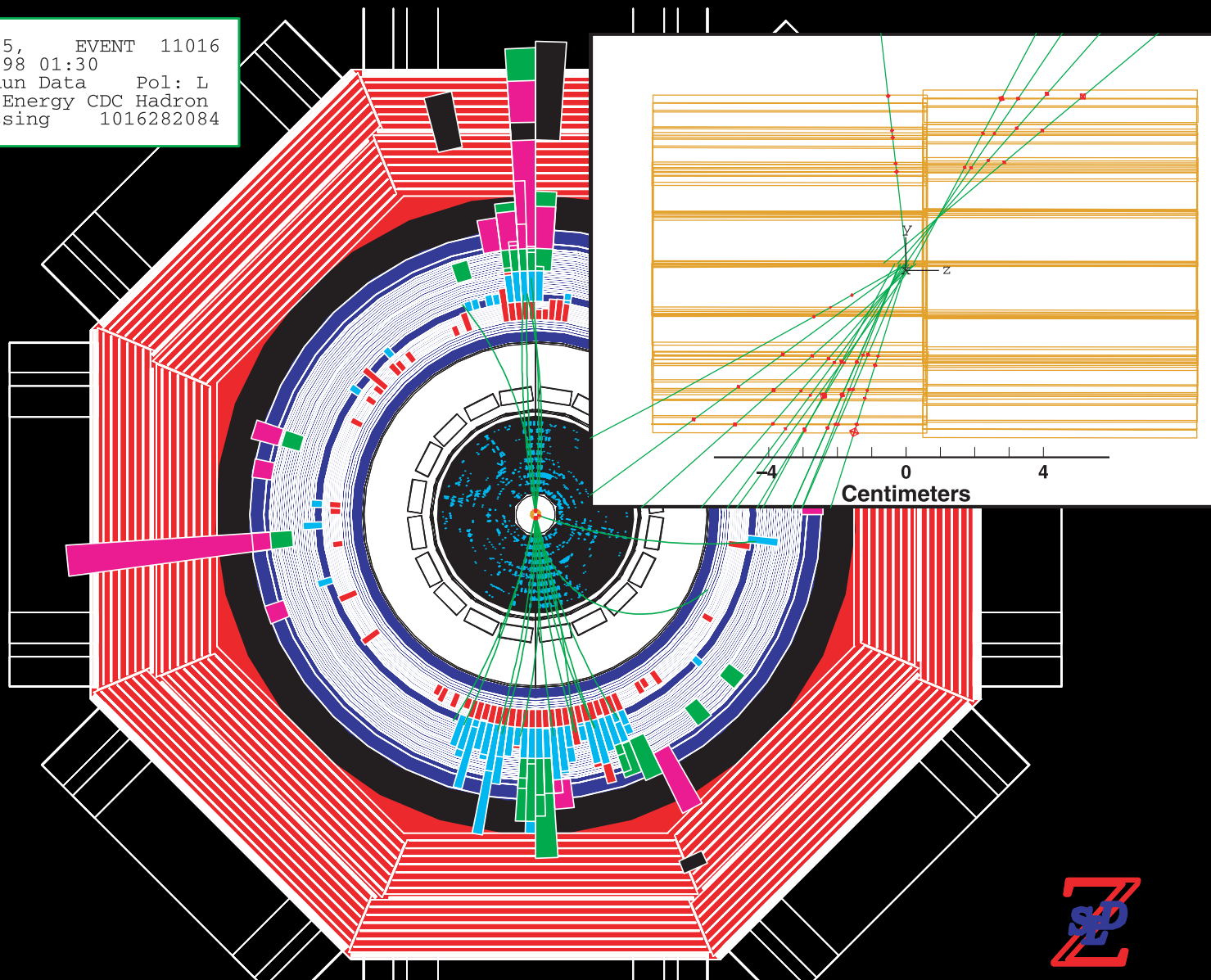
- Four experiments: ADLO
- 1989–1995: $\sqrt{s} \sim M_Z$
- \sqrt{s} extremely well measured (2 MeV)
- Peak $L = 2 \cdot 10^{31} \text{ cm}^{-2}\text{s}^{-1}$
 - 1000 Z's per hour per experiment
 - “Z-Factory”
- In total: ~ 17 million Z decays (SLD: 600k)

SLC:



- Low repetition rate (120 Hz cf. LEP: 45 kHz)
- Longitudinally polarized electron beam (up to $P_e \sim 80\%$)
- Small beam dimensions ($1.5 \times 0.7 \mu\text{m}^2$, LEP: $150 \times 5 \mu\text{m}^2$) + low bunch rate allowed use of slow but high-res. CCD arrays
 - superior vertex reconstruction

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A $Z \rightarrow bb$ event with displaced vertices seen in SLD

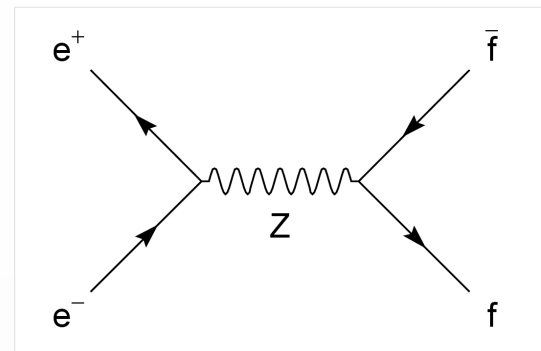
Measurements at the Z Pole

A look at the theory – tree level relations

Vector and axial-vector couplings for $Z \rightarrow f\bar{f}$ in SM:

$$g_{V,f}^{(0)} \equiv g_{L,f}^{(0)} + g_{R,f}^{(0)} = I_3^f - 2Q^f \sin^2 \theta_W \quad \sin^2 \theta_W = 1 - \frac{M_W^2}{M_Z^2}$$

$$g_{A,f}^{(0)} \equiv g_{L,f}^{(0)} - g_{R,f}^{(0)} = I_3^f$$



Electroweak unification: relation between weak and electromagnetic couplings:

$$G_F = \frac{\pi\alpha(0)}{\sqrt{2}(M_W^{(0)})^2 \left(1 - (M_W^{(0)})^2 / M_Z^2\right)}$$

$$M_W^2 = \frac{M_Z^2}{2} \cdot \left(1 + \sqrt{1 - \frac{\sqrt{8}\pi\alpha}{G_F M_Z^2}}\right)$$

Since uncertainty on G_F and M_Z small, relation often used to eliminate direct M_W dependence:

Gauge sector of SM on tree level is given by 3 free parameters, e.g.: α , M_Z , G_F

Measurements at the Z Pole

Radiative corrections – modifying propagators and vertices

Parametrisation of radiative corrections:
“electroweak form-factors”: ρ , κ , Δr

- Modified (“effective”) couplings at the Z pole:

$$g_{V,f} = \sqrt{\rho_Z^f} \left(I_3^f - 2Q^f \sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^f \right)$$

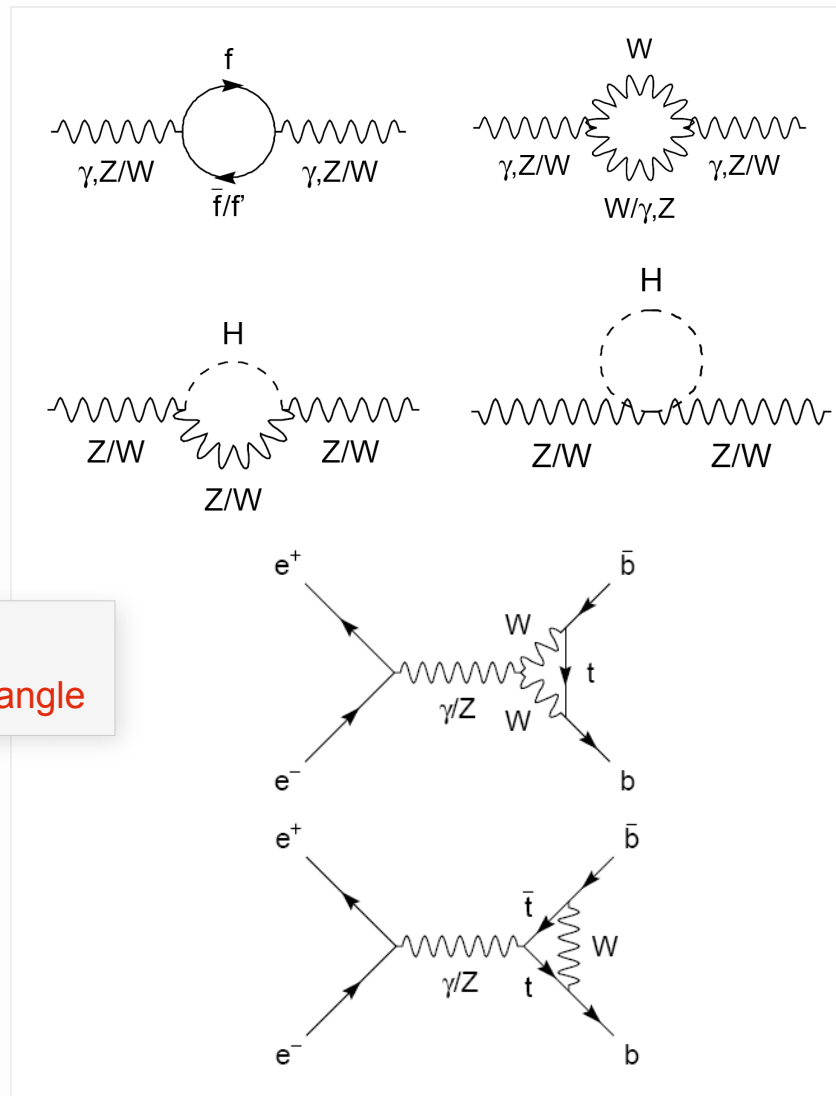
$$g_{A,f} = \sqrt{\rho_Z^f} I_3^f$$

$$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^f = \kappa_Z^f \sin^2 \theta_W$$

ρ : overall scale
 κ : on-shell mixing angle

- Modified W mass:

$$M_W^2 = \frac{M_Z^2}{2} \cdot \left(1 + \sqrt{1 - \frac{\sqrt{8\pi\alpha} \cdot (1 - \Delta r)}{G_F M_Z^2}} \right)$$



Measurements at the Z Pole

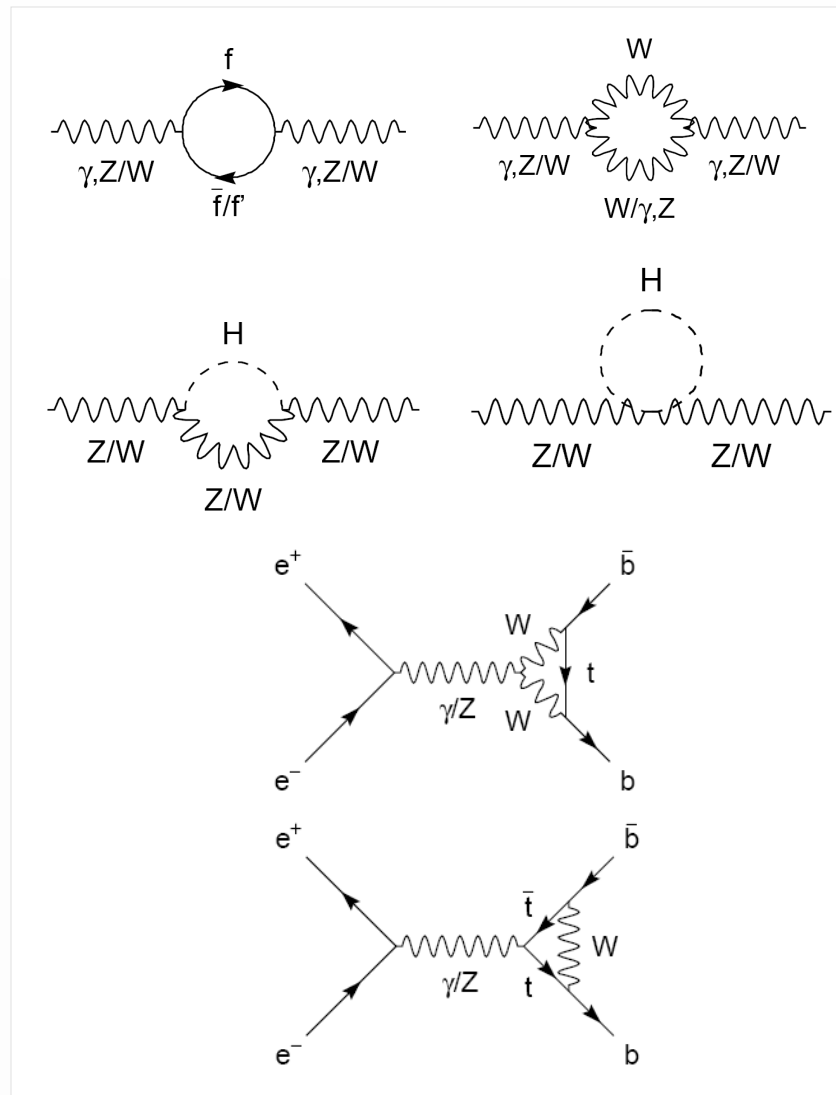
Radiative corrections –
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Important consequences

→ **All other SM parameters enter the calculations**

- In particular corrections are $\sim m_{\text{top}}^2$ and $\sim \ln(M_H)$
- Loop correction of the order $\sim 1\%$.
- Precision observables measured at LEP/SLC to much better precision !

→ **Can test the SM and constraint the unknown SM Parameters**



Measurements at the Z Pole

Radiative corrections – modifying propagators and vertices

Leading order terms ($M_H \ll M_W$)

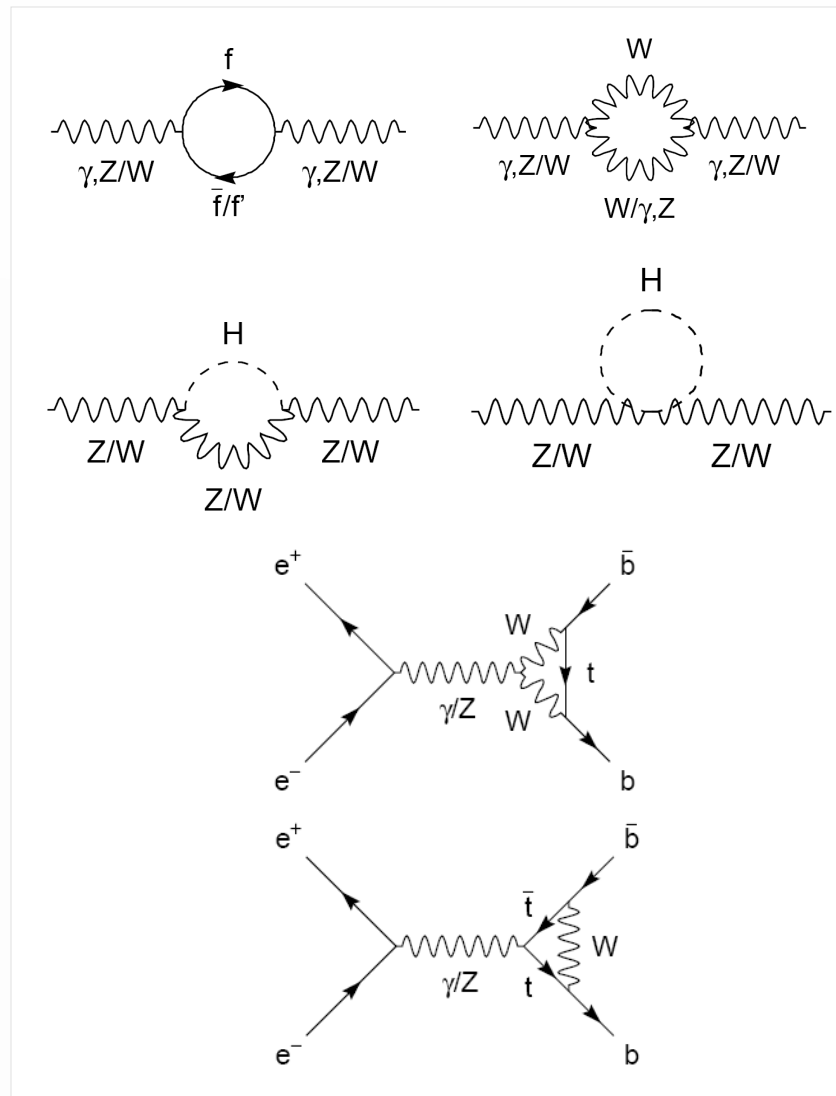
- ρ_Z and κ_Z can be split into sum of universal contributions from propagator self-energies:

$$\Delta\rho_Z = \frac{3G_F M_W^2}{8\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \left[\frac{m_t^2}{M_W^2} - \tan^2 \theta_W \left(\ln \frac{M_H^2}{M_W^2} - \frac{5}{6} \right) + \dots \right]$$

$$\Delta\kappa_Z = \frac{3G_F M_W^2}{8\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \left[\frac{m_t^2}{M_W^2} \cot^2 \theta_W - \frac{10}{9} \left(\ln \frac{M_H^2}{M_W^2} - \frac{5}{6} \right) + \dots \right]$$

- and flavour-specific vertex corrections, which are very small, except for top quarks, due to large $|V_{tb}|$ CKM element

$$\Delta\rho^f = -2\Delta\kappa^f = -\frac{G_F m_t^2}{2\sqrt{2}\pi^2} + \dots$$



Measurements at the Z Pole

Example – electroweak cross-section formula for unpolarised beams (LEP)

$$\frac{2s}{\pi} \frac{1}{N_c^f} \frac{d\sigma_{ew}(e^+e^- \rightarrow f\bar{f})}{d\cos\theta} = |\alpha(s) \cdot Q_f|^2 (1 + \cos^2\theta) - 8\text{Re}\left\{\alpha^*(s)Q_f\chi_{BW}(s)\left[g_{V,e}g_{V,f}(1 + \cos^2\theta) + 2g_{A,e}g_{A,f}\cos\theta\right]\right\} + 16|\chi_{BW}(s)|^2\left[\left(|g_{V,e}|^2 + |g_{A,e}|^2\right)\left(|g_{V,f}|^2 + |g_{A,f}|^2\right)(1 + \cos^2\theta) + 8\text{Re}\{g_{V,e}g_{A,e}^*\}\text{Re}\{g_{V,f}g_{A,f}^*\}\cos\theta\right]$$

• Pure γ exchange
• γ -Z interference
• Pure Z exchange

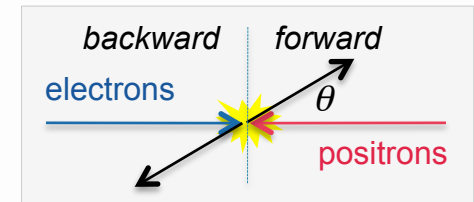
Neglects photon ISR & FSR, gluon FSR, fermion masses

The $\propto (1 + \cos^2\theta)$ terms contribute to total **cross-sections**

- Measure cross-sections around M_Z via corrected event counts: $\sigma = (N_{\text{sel}} - N_{\text{bg}}) / \epsilon_{\text{sel}} L$

The $\propto \cos\theta$ terms contribute only to **asymmetries**

- Measure *Forward–Backward asymmetries* in angular distributions final-state fermions: $A_{FB} = (N_F - N_B) / (N_F + N_B)$



Other asymmetries (not in above cross section formula)

- Dependence of Z^0 production on helicities of initial state fermions (SLC) \rightarrow *Left–Right asymmetries*
- Polarisation of final state fermions (can be measured in tau decays)

Measurements at the Z Pole

Total hadronic cross section – measurement and prediction

Total cross-section (from $\cos\theta$ symmetric terms) expressed in Breit-Wigner form:

$$\sigma_{ff}^Z = \sigma_{ff}^0 \cdot \frac{s \cdot \Gamma_Z^2}{(s - M_Z^2)^2 + s^2 \Gamma_Z^2 / M_Z^2} \cdot \frac{1}{R_{\text{QED}}}$$

$$\sigma_{ff}^0 = \frac{12\pi}{M_Z^2} \frac{\Gamma_{ee} \Gamma_{ff}}{\Gamma_Z^2}$$

Corrected for QED radiation

Partial widths add up to full width: $\Gamma_Z = \Gamma_{ee} + \Gamma_{\mu\mu} + \Gamma_{\tau\tau} + \Gamma_{\text{hadronic}} + \Gamma_{\text{invisible}}$

- Measured cross sections depend on products of partial and total widths
- Highly correlated set of parameters !

Instead: use less correlated set of six measurements

- Z mass and width: M_Z, Γ_Z
- Hadronic pole cross section: σ_{had}^0
- Three leptonic ratios (use lepton-univ.): $R_\ell^0 = R_e^0 = \Gamma_{\text{had}} / \Gamma_{ee} = R_\mu^0 = R_\tau^0$
- Hadronic width ratios: R_b^0, R_c^0



Taken from LEP:

- precise \sqrt{s}
- high statistics

Include also SLD:

- higher effi./purity for heavy quarks

Measurements at the Z Pole

Partial width – sensitive to QCD and QED corrections

Partial width are defined **inclusively**, *i.e.*, they contain final state QED and QCD vector and axial-vector corrections via “radiator functions”: $R_{A,f}$, $R_{V,f}$

$$\Gamma_{f\bar{f}} = N_c^f \frac{G_F M_Z^3}{6\sqrt{2}\pi} \left(|g_{A,f}|^2 R_{A,f} + |g_{V,f}|^2 R_{V,f} \right)$$

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 (though much smaller due to $\alpha \ll \alpha_S$)

Digression: Running of $\alpha_{\text{QED}}(M_Z)$

Define: photon vacuum polarisation function $\Pi_\gamma(q^2)$

$$i \int d^4x e^{iqx} \langle 0 | T J_{\text{em}}^\mu(x) (J_{\text{em}}^\nu(0))^\dagger | 0 \rangle = - (g^{\mu\nu} q^2 - q^\mu q^\nu) \Pi_\gamma(q^2)$$

Only vacuum polarisation “screens” electron charge

$$\alpha(s) = \frac{\alpha(0)}{1 - \Delta\alpha(s)} \quad \text{with:} \quad \Delta\alpha(s) = -4\pi\alpha \text{Re} [\Pi_\gamma(s) - \Pi_\gamma(0)]$$

$$= \Delta\alpha_{\text{lep}}(s) + \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(s)$$

Leptonic $\Delta\alpha_{\text{lep}}(s)$ calculable in QED (known to 3-loops). However, quark loops are modified by long-distance hadronic physics, **cannot be calculated with perturbative QCD**

Way out: **Optical Theorem** (*unitarity*) ...

... and the subtracted **dispersion relation** of $\Pi_\gamma(q^2)$ (*analyticity*)

$$\text{Born: } \sigma^{(0)}(s) = \sigma(s) (\alpha / \alpha(s))^2$$

$$12\pi \text{Im} \Pi_\gamma(s) = \frac{\sigma^{(0)}[e^+e^- \rightarrow \text{hadrons}]}{\sigma^{(0)}[e^+e^- \rightarrow \mu^+\mu^-]} \equiv R(s)$$

$$\text{Im} [\text{diagram with shaded blob}] \propto | \text{diagram with hadrons} |^2$$

$$\Pi_\gamma(s) - \Pi_\gamma(0) = \frac{s}{\pi} \int_0^\infty ds' \frac{\text{Im} \Pi_\gamma(s')}{s'(s' - s) - i\epsilon} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(s) = -\frac{\alpha s}{3\pi} \text{Re} \int_0^\infty ds' \frac{R(s')}{s'(s' - s) - i\epsilon}$$

Digression: Running of $\alpha_{\text{QED}}(M_Z)$

Hadronic dispersion integral solved by combination of experimental data and perturbative QCD

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(M_Z^2) = -\frac{\alpha M_Z^2}{3\pi} P \int_0^\infty ds' \frac{R(s')}{s'(s' - M_Z^2)}$$

The task is to properly correct, average and integrate the cross section data.

Use perturbative QCD where possible (“global quark–hadron duality” allows one to extend perturbative QCD into the non-continuum regions)

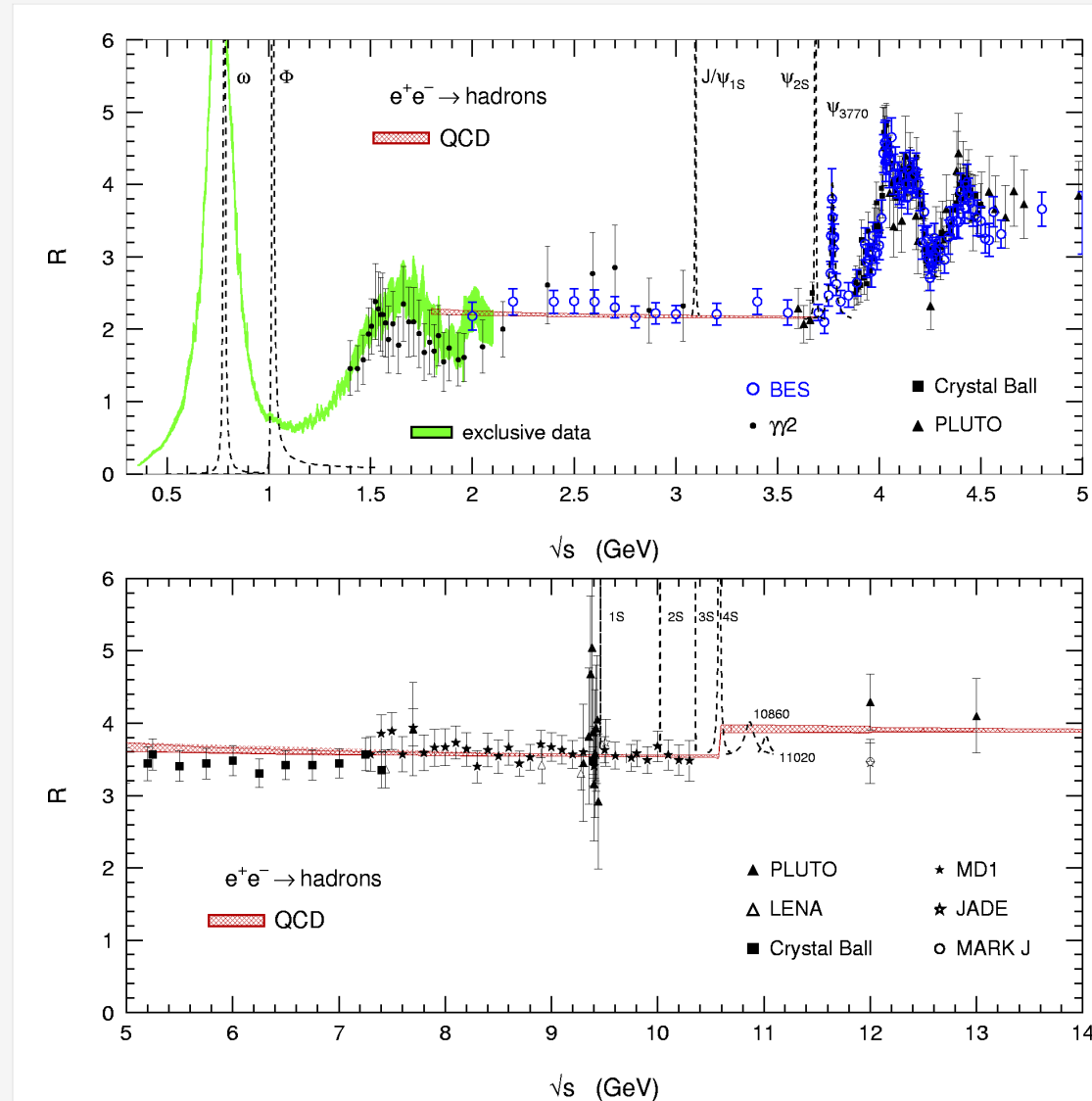
Traditionally separate:

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(M_Z^2) = \Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2) + \Delta\alpha_{\text{top}}(M_Z^2)$$

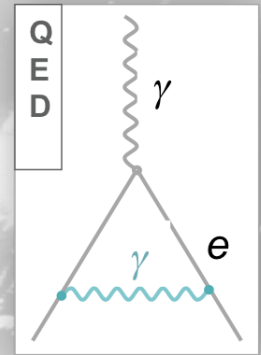
Results [Hagiwara et al, PLB 649:, 73 (2007)]

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta\alpha(M_Z^2) = & 0.03149769_{\text{lep}} \\ & + 0.02768(22)_{\text{had}^{(5)}} \\ & - 0.000073(02)_{\text{top}} \end{aligned}$$

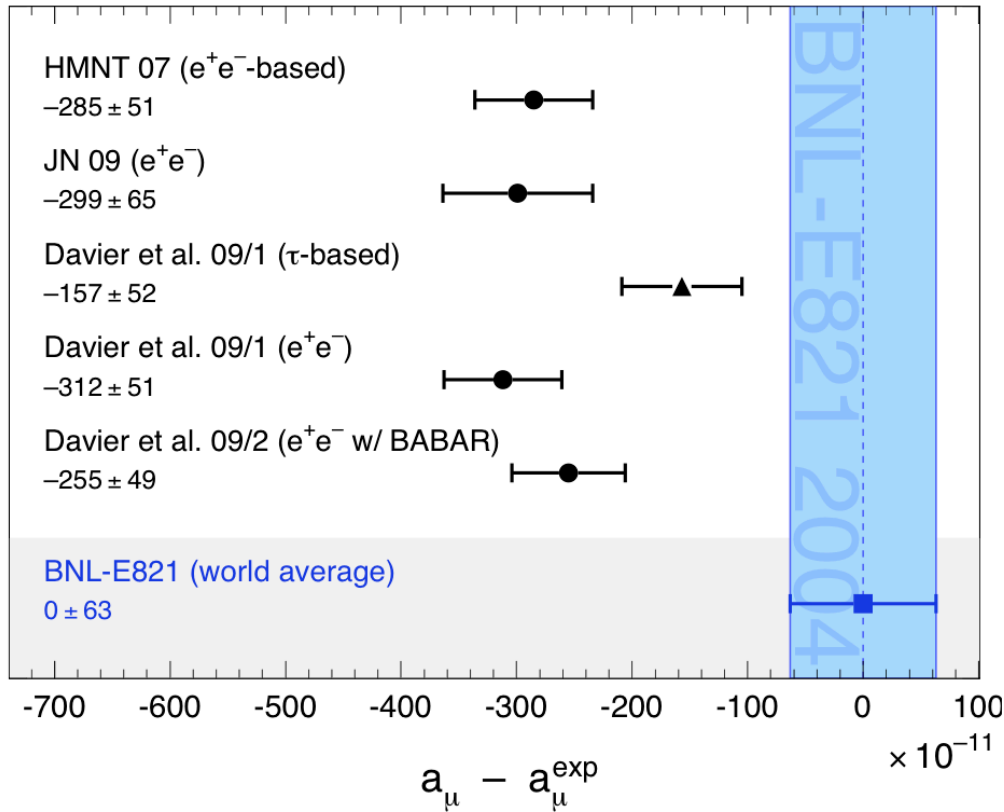
$$\alpha^{-1}(M_Z^2) = 128.937 \pm 0.030$$



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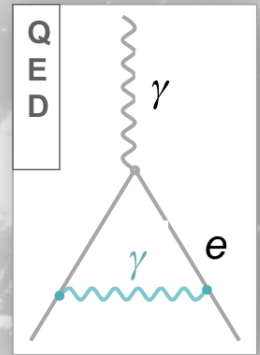
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Standard Model prediction:

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{SM}} = a_{\mu}^{\text{QED}} + a_{\mu}^{\text{EW}} + a_{\mu}^{\text{Had-LO}} + a_{\mu}^{\text{Had-NLO}}$$
$$= (116\,591\,834 \pm 2 \pm 41 \pm 26) \times 10^{-11}$$

where: $a_{\mu}^{\text{QED}} = (116\,584\,718.09 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-11}$

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{EW}} = (154 \pm 1_{\text{theo}} \pm 2_{M_H=100\dots 500 \text{ GeV}}) \times 10^{-11}$$

$$a_{\mu}^{\text{Had-LO}} = (6\,955 \pm 40_{\text{exp}} \pm 7_{\text{pQCD}}) \times 10^{-11}$$

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Experimental result (BNL):

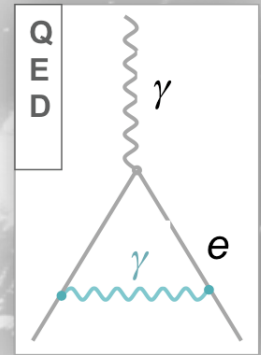
$$a_{\mu}^{\text{exp}} = (116\,592\,089 \pm 54_{\text{stat}} \pm 33_{\text{syst}}) \times 10^{-11}$$

Deviation exp – SM: $(255 \pm 63 \pm 49) \times 10^{-11}$ (“3.2 σ ”)

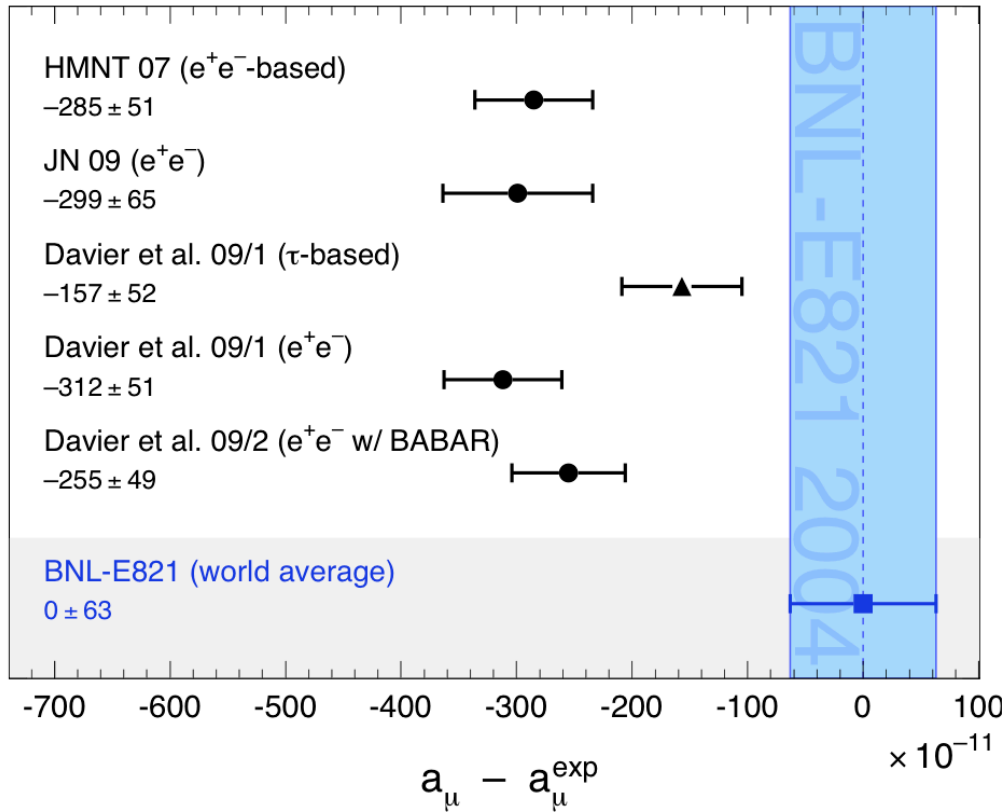
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(though much smaller due to $\alpha \ll \alpha_s$)

We know what this is !

Measurements at the Z Pole

Asymmetry and polarisation – quantify parity violation

Distinguish vector and axial-vector couplings of the Z (i.e., $\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^f$)

Convenient to use “asymmetry parameters”:

$$A_f = \frac{g_{L,f}^2 - g_{R,f}^2}{g_{L,f}^2 + g_{R,f}^2} = 2 \frac{g_{V,f}/g_{A,f}}{1 + (g_{V,f}/g_{A,f})^2} \quad \text{dependent on } \sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^f: \quad \frac{\text{Re}(g_{V,f})}{\text{Re}(g_{A,f})} = 1 - 4 |Q_f| \sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^f$$

Via final state (FS) angular distribution in unpolarised scattering (LEP)

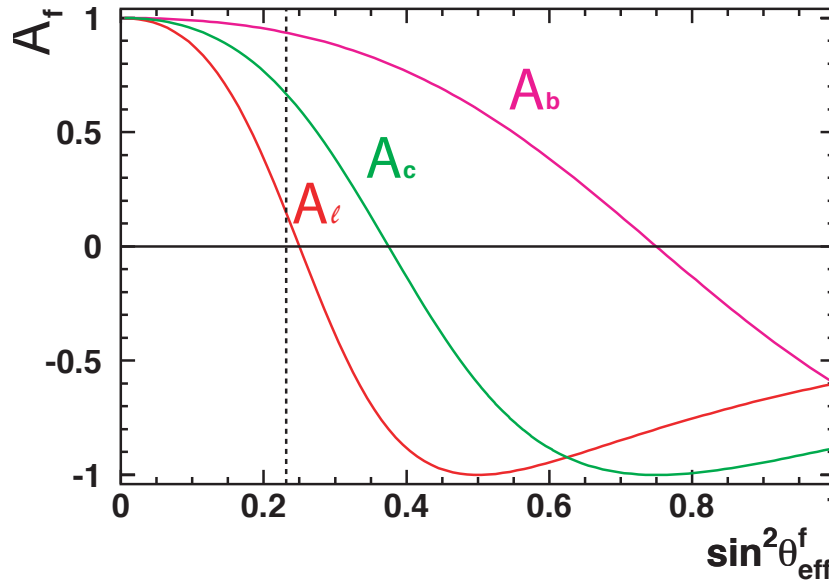
- Forward-backward asymmetries: $A_{\text{FB}}^f = \frac{N_F - N_B}{N_F + N_B}$, $A_{\text{FB}}^{0,f} = \frac{3}{4} A_e A_f$
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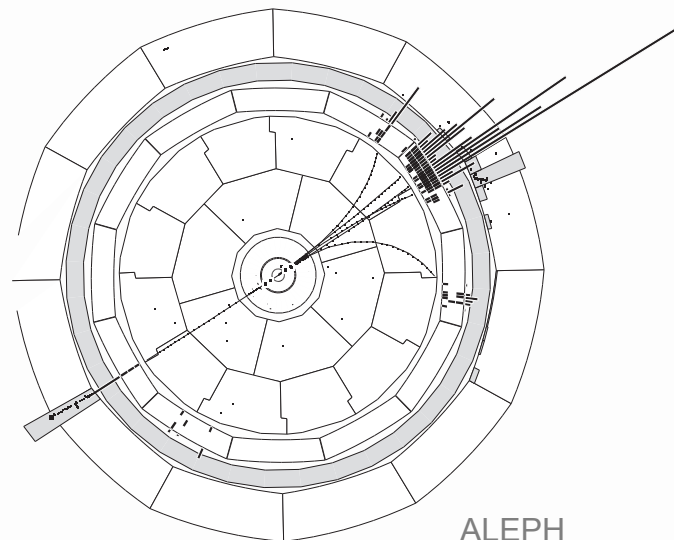
dependent on $\sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^f$: $\frac{\text{Re}(g_{V,f})}{\text{Re}(g_{A,f})} = 1 - 4 |Q_f| \sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^f$

Via *final state polarisation* (LEP):

- **Tau polarisation:**

$$P_\tau(\cos \theta) = - \frac{A_\tau (1 + \cos^2 \theta) + 2A_e \cos \theta}{1 + \cos^2 \theta + 2A_\tau A_e \cos \theta}$$

- Measure τ spin versus from energy and angular correlations in τ decays
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ALEPH
 $Z \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$ candidate

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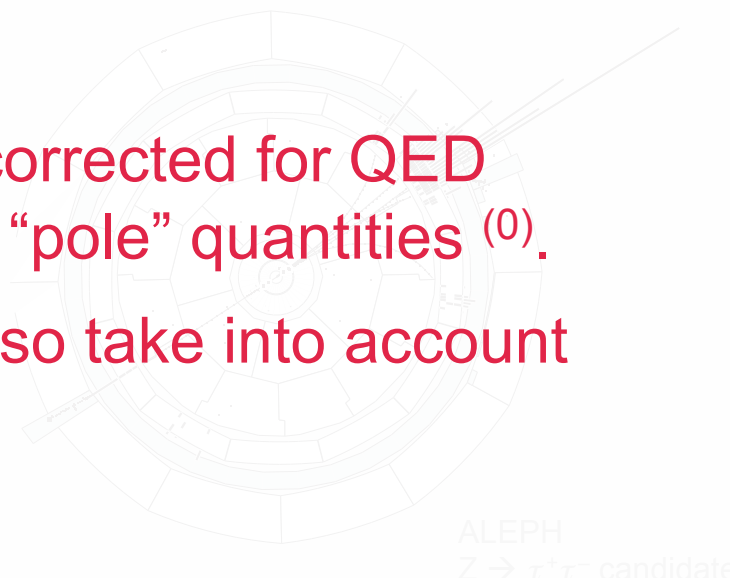
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Via final state polarisation (LEP):

- The measured asymmetries are corrected for QED radiation, γ -Z interference to give “pole” quantities $(^0)$.
- In case of e^+e^- final state, must also take into account correlations in τ decays.
- Fit at LEP determines: A_{τ}, A_e



Measurements at the Z Pole

Initial and final state QED radiation

Measured cross-section and asymmetries are modified by initial and final state QED radiation

- Effects are corrected for by the collaborations (using the programs TOPAZ0 and ZFITTER)

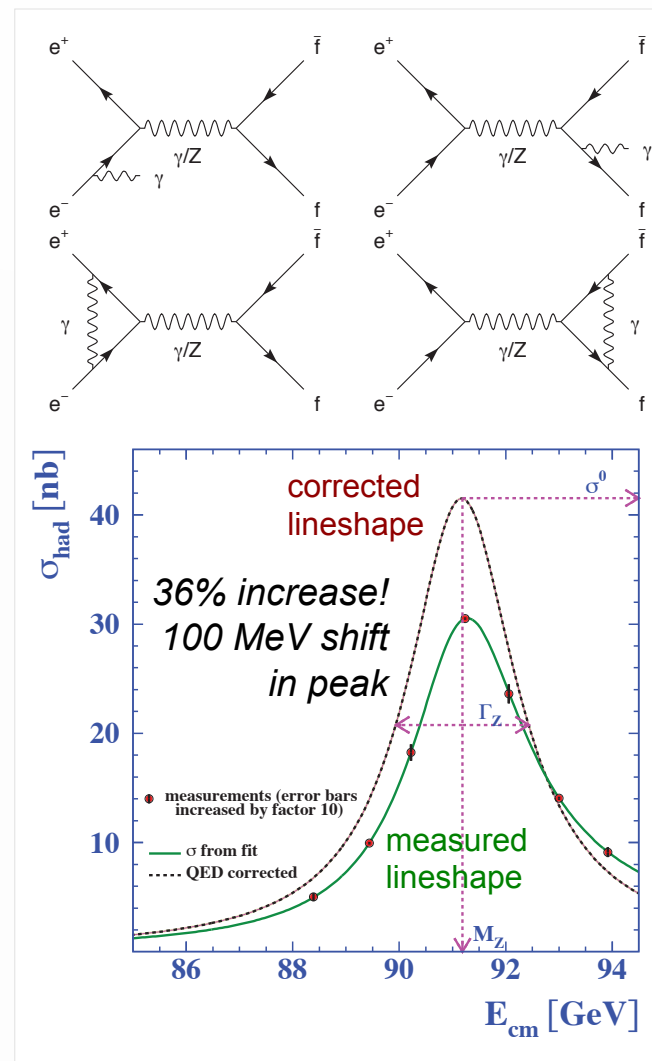
$$\sigma(s) = \int_{4m_f^2/s}^1 dz \cdot H_{\text{QED}}^{\text{tot}}(z, s) \cdot \sigma(zs)$$

Convolution of kernel cross section by QED radiator function

- *Very large corrections applied in some cases!*
- Measured observables become “pseudo-observables”
- *E.g.*, hadronic pole-cross section σ_{had}^0

In the electroweak fit the published “pseudo-observables” are used

Important: these QED corrections are independent of the electroweak corrections discussed before!



Measurements at the Z Pole

Summary – experimental results on the Z pole

Experimental Input

Parameter	Input value	
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Total cross-sections around M_Z

- Measured by: $M_Z, \Gamma_Z, \sigma_{\text{had}}^0, R_l^0, R_c^0, R_b^0$
- Sensitive to the total coupling strength of the Z to fermions

Asymmetries on the Z pole

- Measured by: $A_{\text{FB}}^{0,l}, A_{\text{FB}}^{0,b}, A_{\text{FB}}^{0,c}, A_l, A_c, A_b, \sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}^l(Q_{\text{FB}})$
- Sensitive to the ratio of the Z⁰ vector to axial-vector couplings (*i.e.* $\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}$)

And additional observables in fit

- M_W is subject to rad. corr. via:
 $\Delta r = \Delta\alpha(M_Z) - \Delta\rho + \dots$ (higher orders)
- m_t due to its large loop corrections

All Observables Entering the Fit

Experimental results:

- **Z-pole observables**: LEP/SLD results (corrected for ISR/FSR QED effects)
[ADLO+SLD, Phys. Rept. 427, 257 (2006)]
- M_W and Γ_W : LEP + Tevatron (incl. Moriond-09 result from D0)
[ADLO, hep-ex/0612034] [D0 Conference Note 5893-CONF] [CDF, Phys Rev. D77, 112001 (2008)]
[CDF, Phys. Rev. Lett. 100, 071801 (2008)] [CDF+D0, Phys. Rev. D 70, 092008 (2004)]
- m_t : latest Tevatron average [arXiv:0903.2503]
- m_c, m_b : world averages [PDG, J. Phys. G33,1 (2006)]
- $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(M_Z)$: [K. Hagiwara et al., Phys. Lett. B649, 173 (2007)] + rescaling mechanism to account for α_s dependency
- **Direct Higgs searches** at LEP and Tevatron (incl. Moriond-09 Tevatron average)
[ADLO: Phys. Lett. B565, 61 (2003)] [CDF+D0: arXiv:0903.4001]

Not considered: results on $\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}$ from

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- APV, fixed target polarised Møller scattering: present experimental accuracy too low

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M_H [GeV] ^(o)	Likelihood ratios
M_W [GeV]	80.399 ± 0.023
Γ_W [GeV]	2.098 ± 0.048
\bar{m}_c [GeV]	1.25 ± 0.09
\bar{m}_b [GeV]	4.20 ± 0.07
m_t [GeV]	173.1 ± 1.3
$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2)$ ^(†Δ)	2769 ± 22
$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$	–
$\delta_{\text{th}} M_W$ [MeV]	$[-4, 4]_{\text{theo}}$
$\delta_{\text{th}} \sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}^\ell$ ^(†)	$[-4.7, 4.7]_{\text{theo}}$
$\delta_{\text{th}} \rho_Z^f$ ^(†)	$[-2, 2]_{\text{theo}}$
$\delta_{\text{th}} \kappa_Z^f$ ^(†)	$[-2, 2]_{\text{theo}}$

Correlations for observables from Z lineshape fit

	M_Z	Γ_Z	σ_{had}^0	R_ℓ^0	$A_{\text{FB}}^{0,\ell}$
M_Z	1	-0.02	-0.05	0.03	0.06
Γ_Z		1	-0.30	0.00	0.00
σ_{had}^0			1	0.18	0.01
R_ℓ^0				1	-0.06
$A_{\text{FB}}^{0,\ell}$					1

Correlations for heavy-flavour observables at Z pole

	$A_{\text{FB}}^{0,c}$	$A_{\text{FB}}^{0,b}$	A_c	A_b	R_c^0	R_b^0
$A_{\text{FB}}^{0,c}$	1	0.15	0.04	-0.02	-0.06	0.07
$A_{\text{FB}}^{0,b}$		1	0.01	0.06	0.04	-0.10
A_c			1	0.11	-0.06	0.04
A_b				1	0.04	-0.08
R_c^0					1	-0.18

Precision Measurement of the W mass

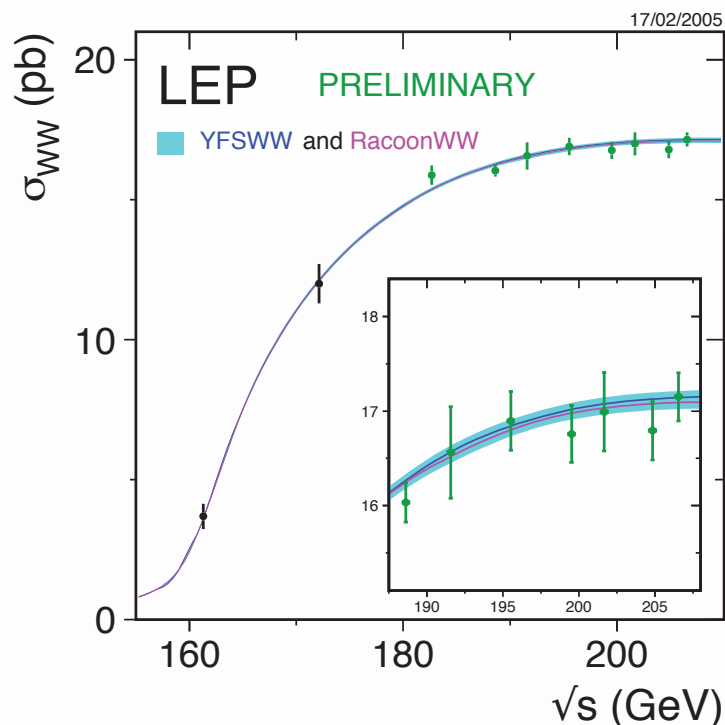
Results from LEP-2:

- 10 pb⁻¹ per experiment recorded close to the WW threshold
 - M_W from σ_{WW} measurements
 - Much less precise result than kinematic W reconstruction (200 MeV statistical error)
- 700 pb⁻¹ per experiment above the threshold
 - M_W directly reconstructed from invariant mass of observed leptons (dominant) and jets
 - Large “colour reconnection” systematics in hadronic channel (35 MeV)
 - Combination: $M_W = (80.376 \pm 0.025 \pm 0.022)$ GeV

Results from Tevatron:

- Using leptonic W decays
 - M_W from template fits to the transverse mass or transverse momentum of lepton
 - Extremely challenging, systematics dominated measurement (energy calibration)
 - Combination (2009): $M_W = (80.420 \pm 0.031)$ GeV

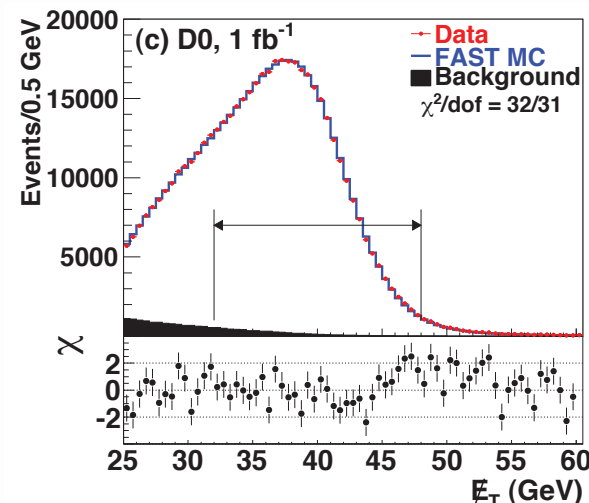
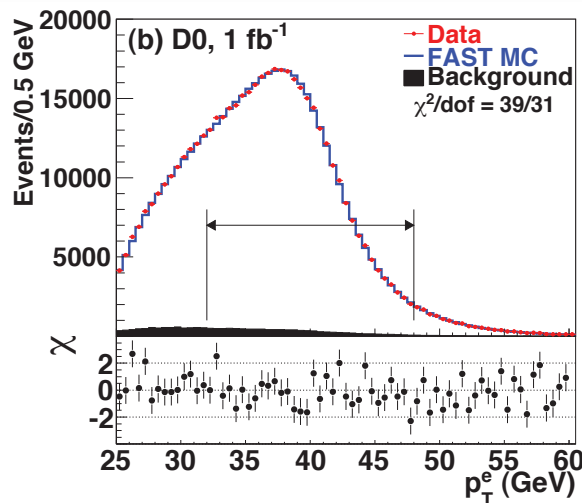
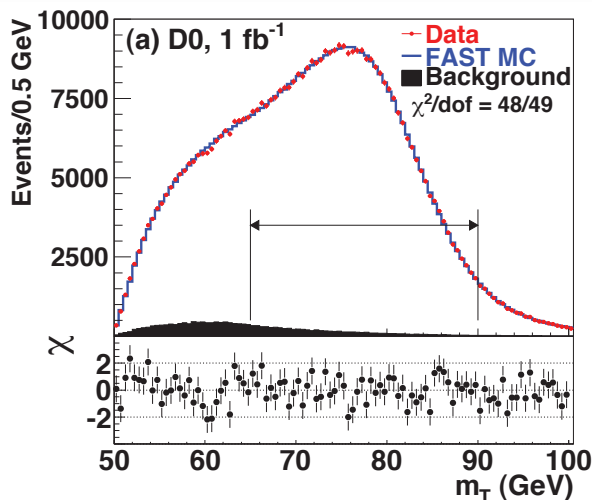
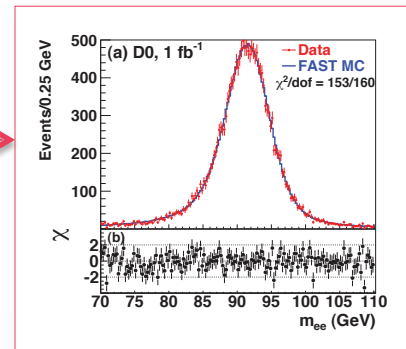
$4 \times 700 \text{ pb}^{-1}$ taken for $\sqrt{s} = 161\text{--}209$ GeV between 1996 and 2000 at LEP-2



Precision Measurement of the W mass

Recent D0 measurement of M_W in $W \rightarrow e\nu$

- Analysis relies on energy calibration with $Z \rightarrow ee$
- Result: $M_W = (80.401 \pm 0.021 \pm 0.038)$ GeV
- Greatly deserves the label “*precision measurement*”



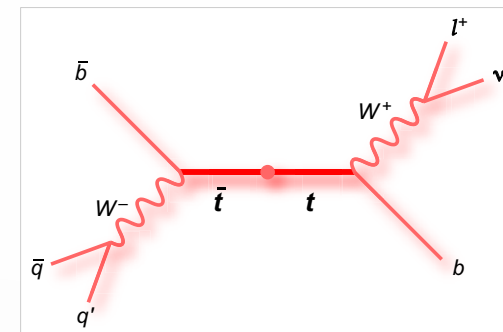
The (a) m_T , (b) p_T^e , and (c) $E_{T,miss}$ distributions for data and fastmc simulation with backgrounds. The χ values are shown below each distribution where $\chi_i = [N_i - (\text{fastmc}_i)]/\sigma_i$ for each point in the distribution, N_i is the data yield in bin i and only the statistical uncertainty is used. The fit ranges are indicated by the double-ended horizontal arrows.

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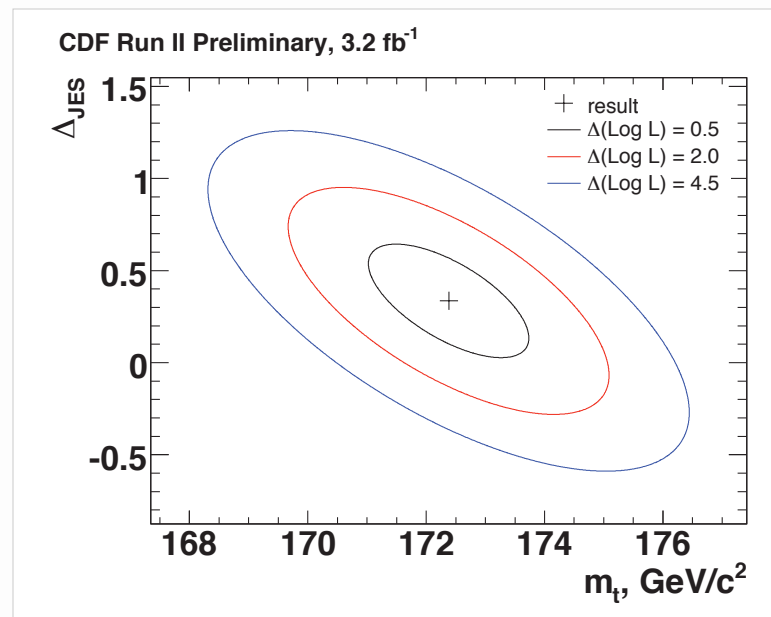
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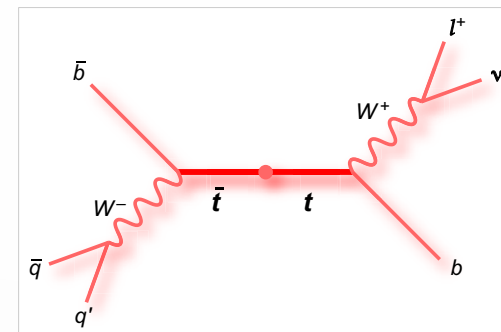
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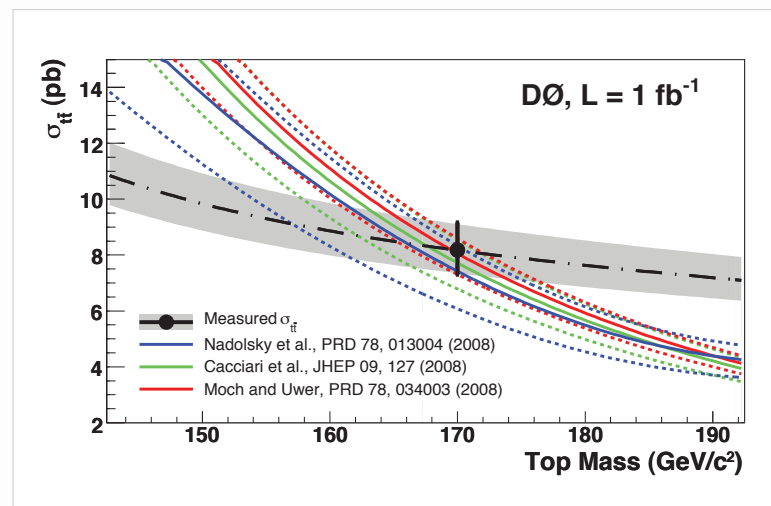
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Can also extract m_t from top cross section measurement

- Complementary method [PRD 80, 071102 (2009)]
- **Unambiguous** definition of running top mass, but limited by precision on luminosity

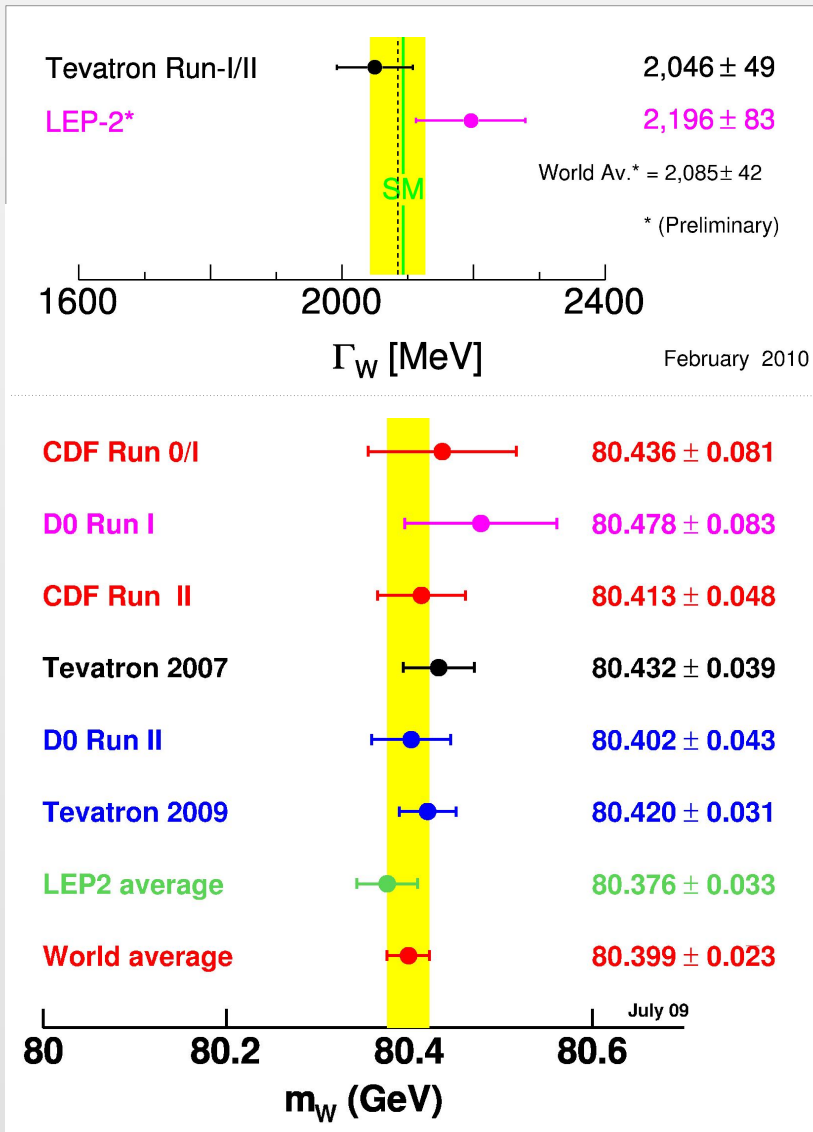


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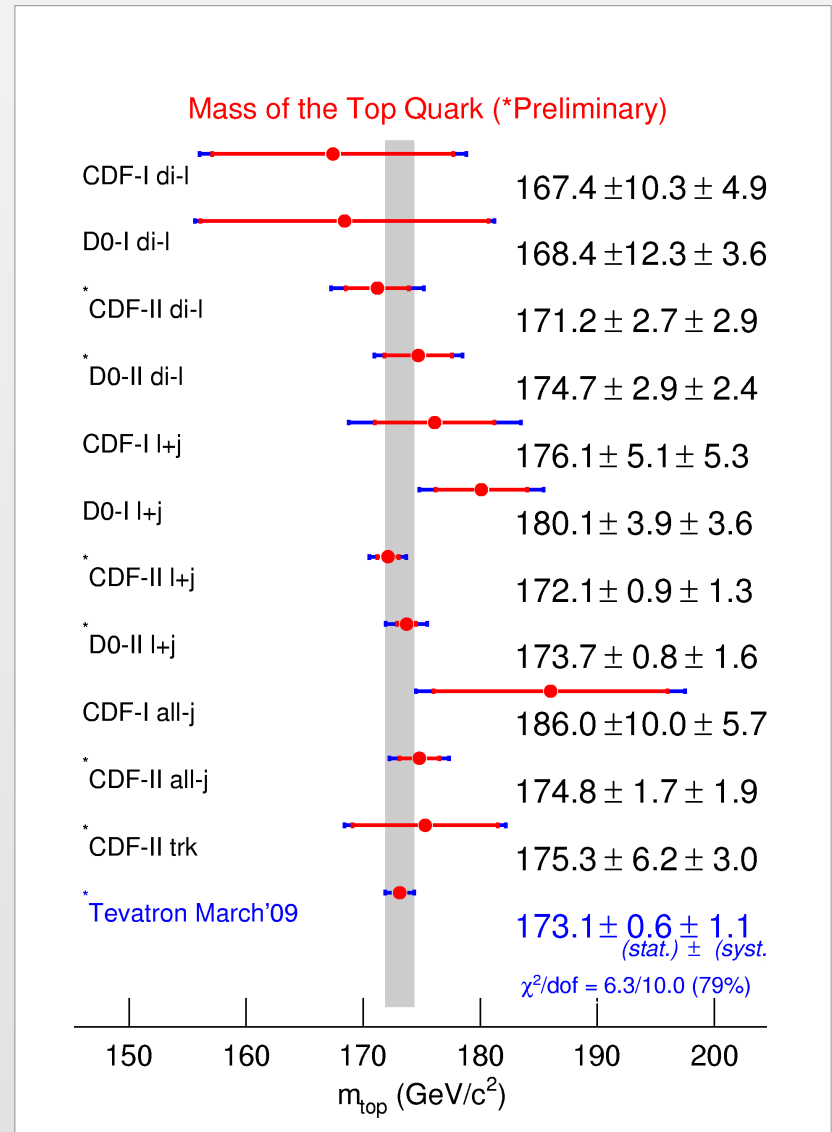


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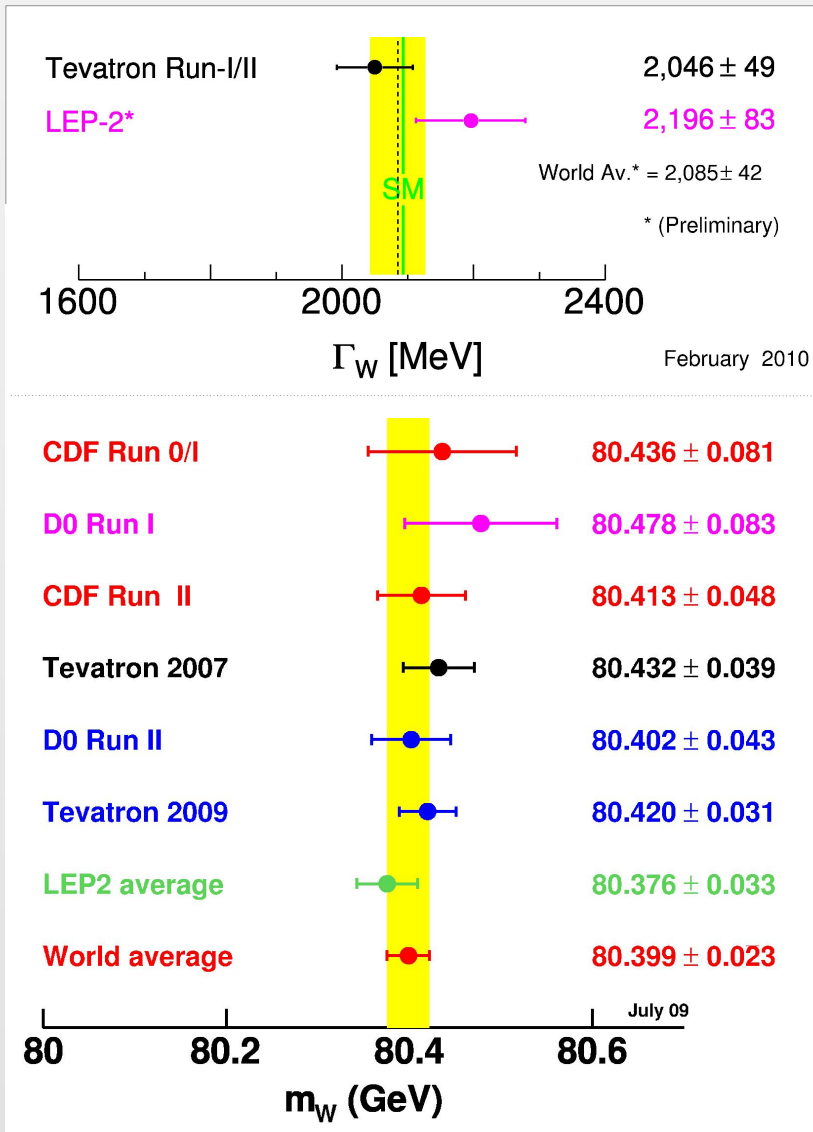


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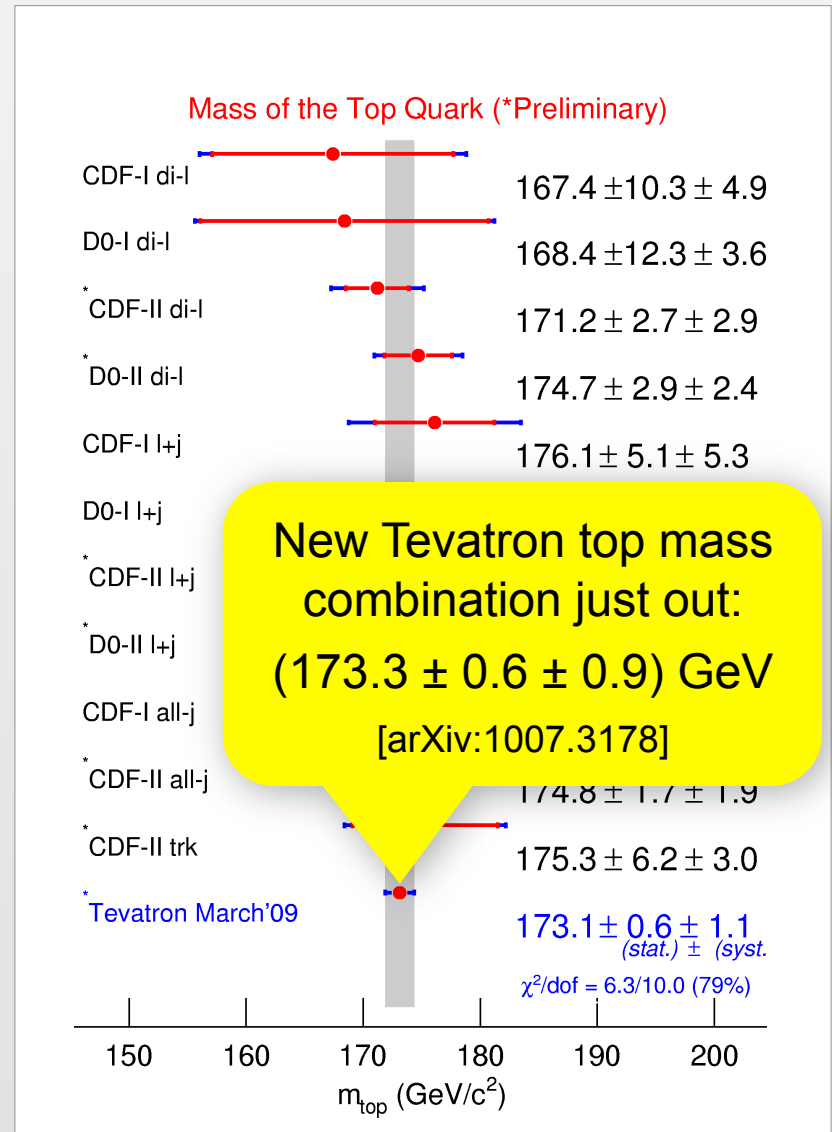


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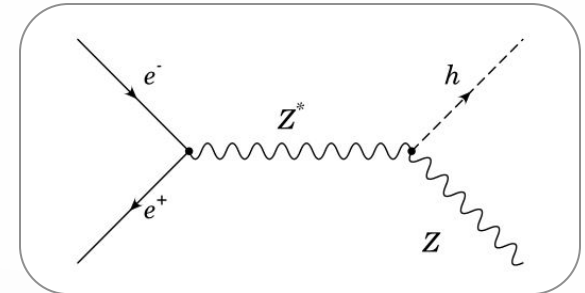
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Constraints from Direct Higgs Searches

LEP-2: Higgs production via “Higgs-Strahlung”

- $ee \rightarrow ZH$ ($H \rightarrow bb, \tau\tau$)
[ADLO: Phys. Lett. B565, 61 (2003)]

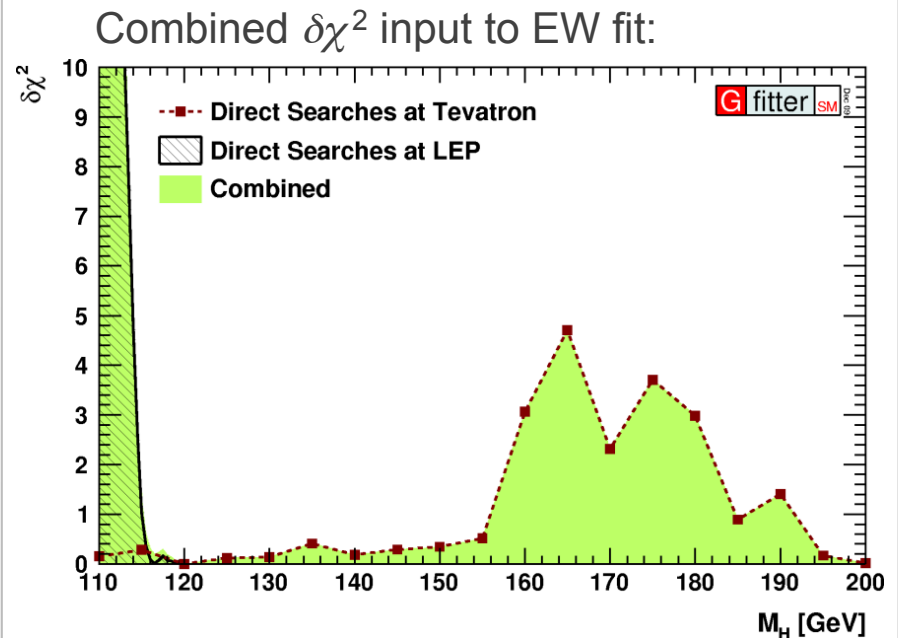
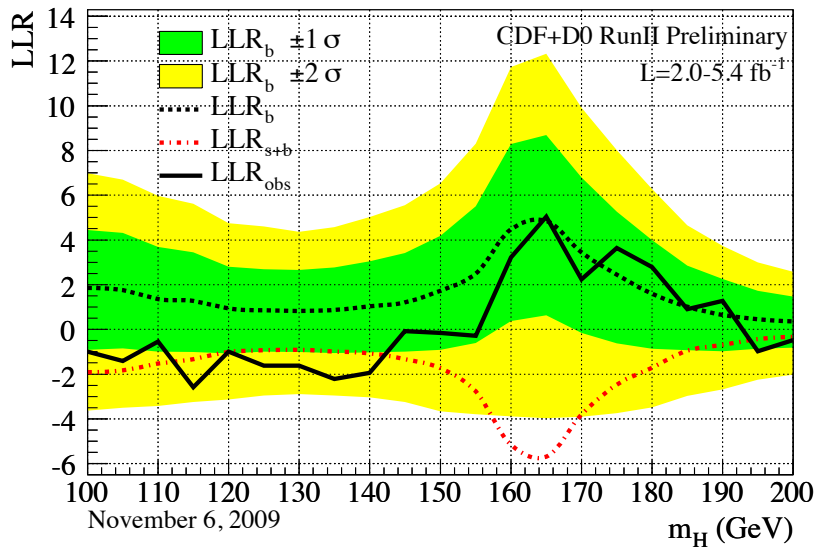
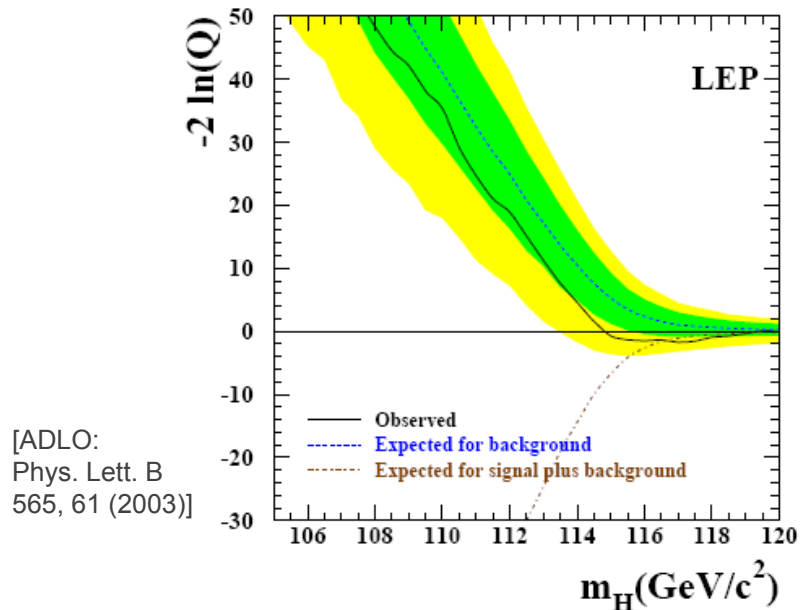


Tevatron: see *yesterday's lecture*

Statistical interpretation in global fit: *two-sided* CL_{S+B}

- Experiments measure test statistics $LLR = -2\ln Q$, where $Q = L_{S+B} / L_B$
- LLR is transformed by experiments into CL_{S+B} using pseudo-MC experiments
- We transform one-sided CL_{S+B} into a **two-sided** CL_{S+B} (measure *deviation* from SM !)
- Contribution to χ^2 estimator obtained via inverse error function: $\Delta\chi^2 = \text{Erf}^{-1}\left(1 - CL_{S+B}^{2\text{-sided}}\right)$
- Alternative treatments:
 - Use one-sided CL_{S+B} : however, different interpretation – want SM Higgs (not *any* Higgs)
 - Directly use $\Delta\chi^2 \approx LLR$: Bayesian interpretation, lacks pseudo-MC information

Direct Higgs Searches



Note: "hypothesis-only" test

(like the $-2\ln Q$ curves delivered by the collaborations)

- Procedure tests only the M_H under consideration
- It neglects that a given SM signal hypothesis entails background hypotheses
 → if SM Higgs is found at a certain M_H other values of M_H are excluded
- Effect expected to be small today, but relevant once the Higgs is discovered.

The Global Electroweak Fit

Fit parameters – unknown SM parameters are floating in fit

Naïve set of free parameters relevant for the electroweak analysis:

- Coupling constants: electromagnetic (α), weak (G_F), strong (α_S)
- Boson masses: M_γ , M_Z , M_W , M_H
- Fermion masses: m_f with $f = e, \mu, \tau, \nu_e, \nu_\mu, \nu_\tau, u, c, t, d, s, b$

Simplification: massless neutrinos : $m_{\nu_e} = m_{\nu_\mu} = m_{\nu_\tau} = 0$

Simplification from electroweak unification:

- Massless photon: $M_\gamma = 0$
- Can express M_W as a function of M_Z and the couplings α and G_F

Further simplification by fixing parameters with insignificant uncertainties compared to sensitivity of the fit

- G_F , and leptonic contribution to running of α

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Masses of leptons and light quarks are small and/or sufficiently well known
→ uncertainties are negligible in the fit

- Masses are fixed to world-averages from PDG
- Except for the running charm, bottom and top masses → m_t strongest impact on fit !



List of remaining parameters in the SM fit:

$$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z), \alpha_S(M_Z), M_Z, M_H, \bar{m}_c, \bar{m}_b, m_t$$

State-of-the art calculations, in particular:

- M_W and $\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}^f$: full two-loop + leading beyond-two-loop form factor corrections
[M. Awramik et al., Phys. Rev D69, 053006 (2004) and ref.] [M. Awramik et al., JHEP 11, 048 (2006) and refs.]
- **Radiator functions**: 3NLO prediction of the massless QCD cross section
[P.A. Baikov et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 101 (2008) 012022]

The Global Electroweak Fit

Fit parameters – theoretical uncertainties are also floating parameters

Fit minimises test statistics: $\chi^2 = -2 \ln L$

The likelihood function “ L ” is a product of contributions that

- Measure the agreement between $x_{\text{theo}}(y_{\text{mod}})$ and x_{exp}
- Expresses prior knowledge of some of the y_{mod} parameters (if available)

The fit shown in the following treats errors as follows:

- Statistical and systematic **experimental errors** obey **Gaussian** likelihood functions
- **Theoretical errors** have bound uniform likelihoods \rightarrow **allowed ranges**

Most important theoretical uncertainties included in the SM fit:

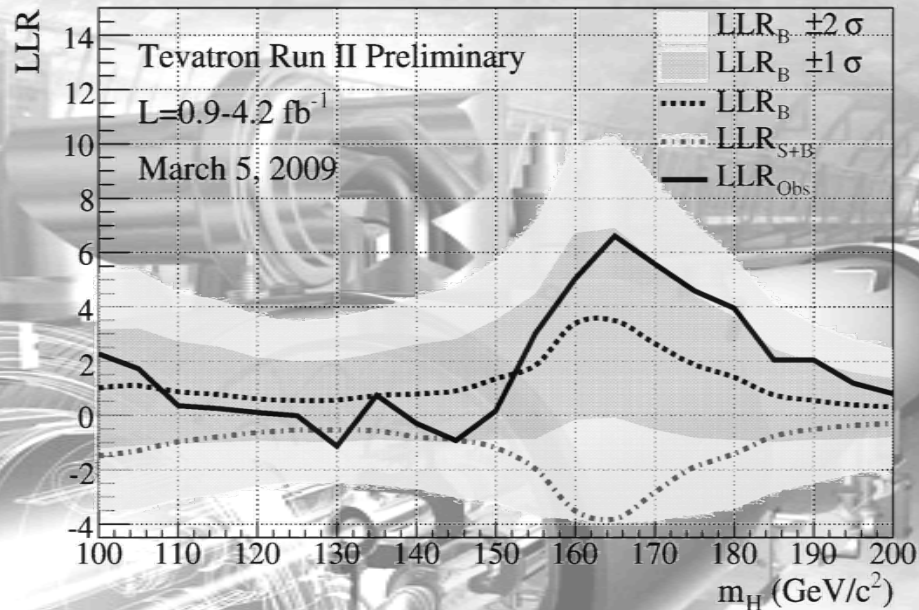
- Uncertainty on M_W from missing higher order corrections: $\delta M_W = 4 - 6 \text{ MeV}$
- Uncertainty on $\sin^2 \theta'_{\text{eff}}$ from missing higher order corrections: $\delta \sin^2 \theta'_{\text{eff}} = 4.7 \cdot 10^{-5}$

Fit Results^(*)

Distinguish two fit types:

Standard Fit: all data except for direct Higgs searches

Complete Fit: all data including direct Higgs searches



Parameter	Input value	Free in fit	Results from global EW fits:		<i>Complete fit w/o exp. input in line</i>
			<i>Standard fit</i>	<i>Complete fit</i>	
M_Z [GeV]	91.1875 ± 0.0021	yes	91.1874 ± 0.0021	91.1877 ± 0.0021	$91.1974^{+0.0146}_{-0.0159}$
Γ_Z [GeV]	2.4952 ± 0.0023	–	2.4959 ± 0.0015	$2.4954^{+0.0016}_{-0.0013}$	$2.4954^{+0.0008}_{-0.0012}$
σ_{had}^0 [nb]	41.540 ± 0.037	–	41.478 ± 0.014	41.472 ± 0.001	41.469 ± 0.015
R_ℓ^0	20.767 ± 0.025	–	20.742 ± 0.018	20.741 ± 0.018	20.718 ± 0.027
$A_{\text{FB}}^{0,\ell}$	0.0171 ± 0.0010	–	0.01638 ± 0.0002	0.01624 ± 0.0002	0.01618 ± 0.0002
$A_\ell^{(*)}$	0.1499 ± 0.0018	–	0.1478 ± 0.0010	0.1472 ± 0.0009	–
A_c	0.670 ± 0.027	–	$0.6682^{+0.00045}_{-0.00044}$	$0.6679^{+0.00043}_{-0.00037}$	$0.6679^{+0.00044}_{-0.00034}$
A_b	0.923 ± 0.020	–	0.93469 ± 0.00009	$0.93464^{+0.00006}_{-0.00007}$	$0.93463^{+0.00006}_{-0.00007}$
$A_{\text{FB}}^{0,c}$	0.0707 ± 0.0035	–	$0.0741^{+0.0006}_{-0.0005}$	0.0737 ± 0.0005	0.0738 ± 0.0005
$A_{\text{FB}}^{0,b}$	0.0992 ± 0.0016	–	0.1036 ± 0.0007	0.1032 ± 0.0006	$0.1037^{+0.0004}_{-0.0005}$
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R_b^0	0.21629 ± 0.00066	–	$0.21579^{+0.00004}_{-0.00006}$	0.21577 ± 0.00005	0.21577 ± 0.00005
$\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}^\ell(Q_{\text{FB}})$	0.2324 ± 0.0012	–	$0.23145^{+0.00011}_{-0.00016}$	0.23151 ± 0.00011	$0.23148^{+0.00013}_{-0.00010}$
M_H [GeV] ^(o)	Likelihood ratios	yes	$82.8^{+30.2[+75.2]}_{-23.2[-41.5]}$	$119.1^{+13.4[+37.9]}_{-4.0[-4.9]}$	$82.8^{+30.2[+75.2]}_{-23.2[-41.5]}$
M_W [GeV]	80.399 ± 0.023	–	$80.384^{+0.014}_{-0.015}$	$80.370^{+0.008}_{-0.010}$	$80.365^{+0.009}_{-0.026}$
Γ_W [GeV]	2.098 ± 0.048	–	2.092 ± 0.001	2.091 ± 0.001	2.092 ± 0.001
\overline{m}_c [GeV]	1.25 ± 0.09	yes	1.25 ± 0.09	1.25 ± 0.09	–
\overline{m}_b [GeV]	4.20 ± 0.07	yes	4.20 ± 0.07	4.20 ± 0.07	–
m_t [GeV]	173.1 ± 1.3	yes	173.2 ± 1.2	173.6 ± 1.2	$177.9^{+11.2}_{-3.5}$
$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2)$ ^(†Δ)	2769 ± 22	yes	2772 ± 22	2764 ± 22	2733^{+57}_{-46}
$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$	–	yes	$0.1192^{+0.0028}_{-0.0027}$	0.1193 ± 0.0028	0.1193 ± 0.0028
$\delta_{\text{th}}M_W$ [MeV]	$[-4, 4]_{\text{theo}}$	yes	4	4	–
$\delta_{\text{th}}\sin^2\theta_{\text{eff}}^\ell$ ^(†)	$[-4.7, 4.7]_{\text{theo}}$	yes	4.7	0.8	–
$\delta_{\text{th}}\rho_Z^f$ ^(†)	$[-2, 2]_{\text{theo}}$	yes	2	2	–
$\delta_{\text{th}}\kappa_Z^f$ ^(†)	$[-2, 2]_{\text{theo}}$	yes	2	2	–

Correlation coefficients of free fit parameters

Parameter	$\ln M_H$	$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2)$	M_Z	$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$	m_t	\overline{m}_c	\overline{m}_b
$\ln M_H$	1	-0.395	0.113	0.041	0.309	-0.001	-0.006
$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2)$		1	-0.006	0.101	-0.007	0.001	0.003
M_Z			1	-0.019	-0.015	-0.000	0.000
$\alpha_s(M_Z^2)$				1	0.021	0.011	0.043
m_t					1	0.000	-0.003
\overline{m}_c						1	0.000

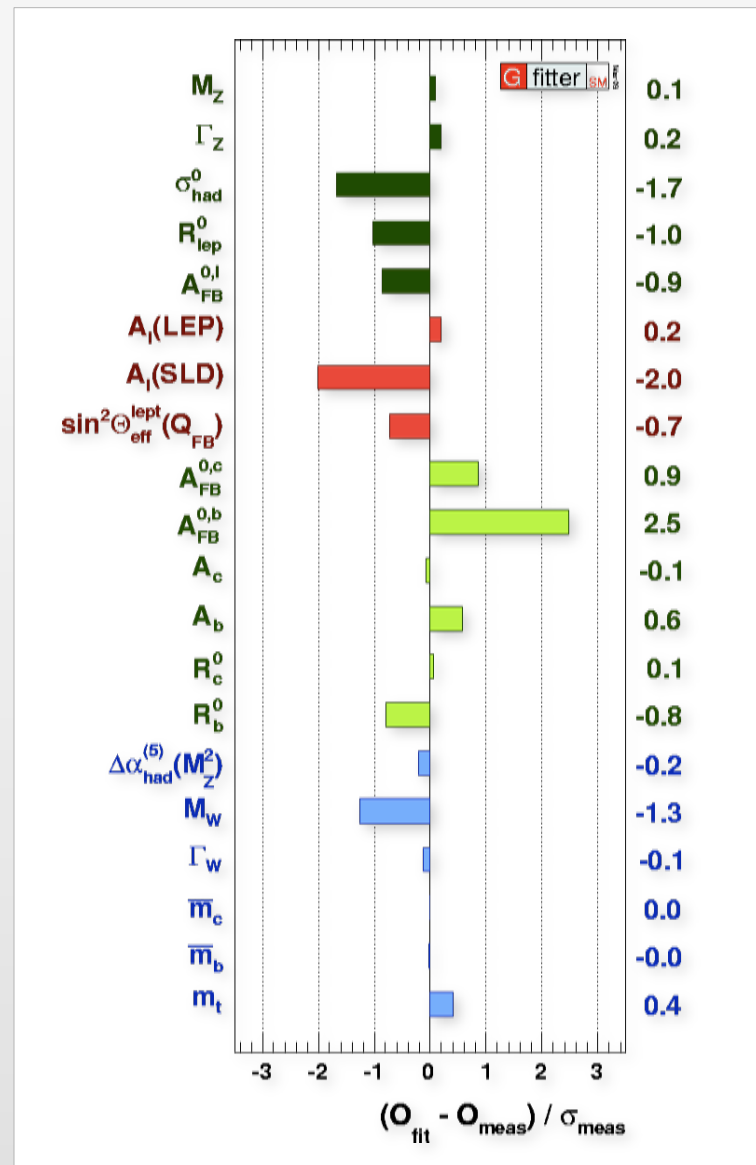
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- *Standard fit*: $\chi^2_{\min} = 16.4 \rightarrow \text{Prob}(\chi^2_{\min}, 13) = 0.23$
- *Complete fit*: $\chi^2_{\min} = 17.9 \rightarrow \text{Prob}(\chi^2_{\min}, 14) = 0.21$

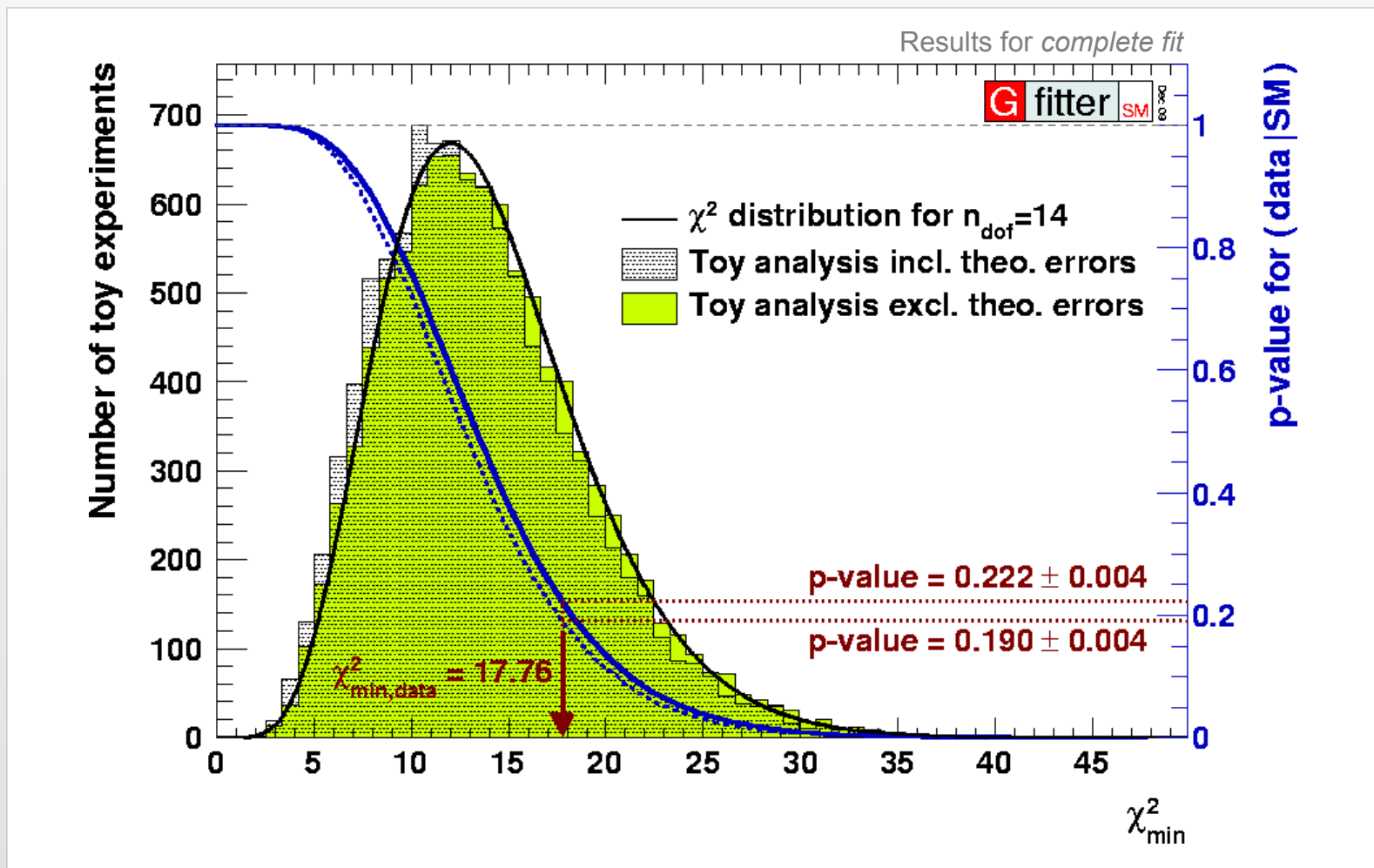
Pull values for complete fit (right figure \rightarrow)

- No individual pull exceeds 3σ
- $\text{FB}(b)$ asymmetry largest contributor to χ^2_{\min}
- Small contributions from M_Z , $\Delta\alpha^{\text{had}}(M_Z)$, m_c , m_b indicate that their input accuracies exceed fit requirements \rightarrow parameters could have been fixed in fit
- Can describe data with only two floating parameters (α_S , M_H)



Goodness-of-Fit

Toy analysis: p-value for wrongly rejecting the SM = $0.20 \pm 0.01 - 0.02_{\text{theo}}$



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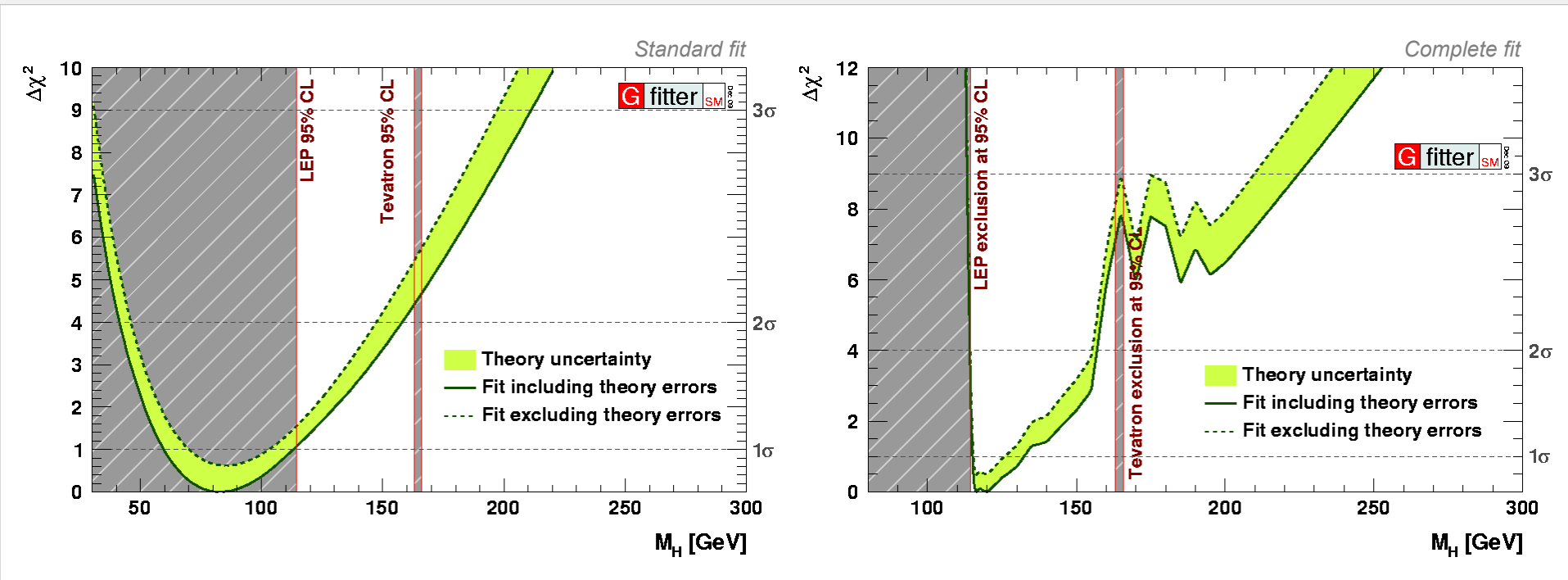
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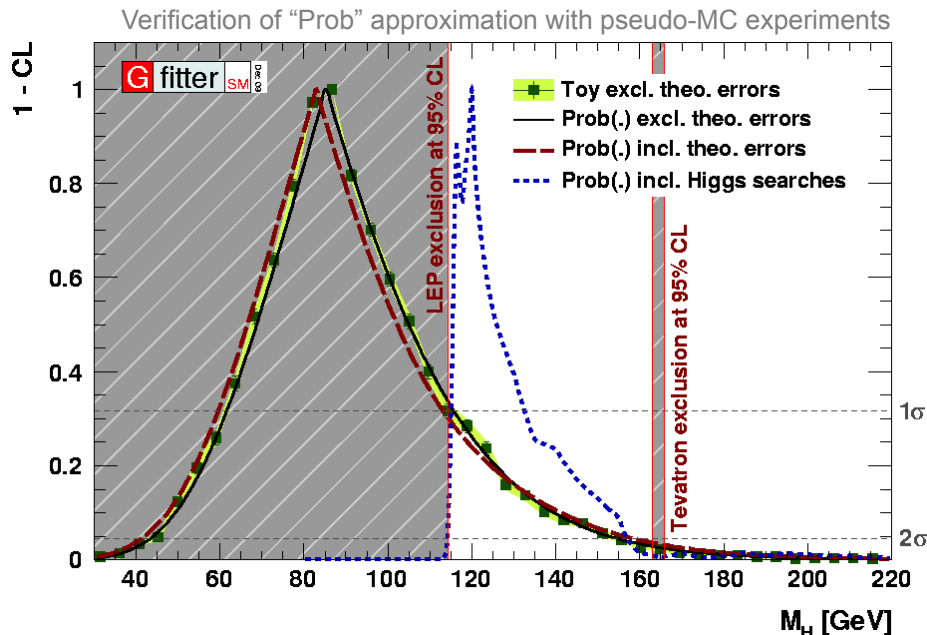
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Verify Gaussian $\text{Prob}(\Delta\chi^2, 1)$ approximation

- Fix M_H , perform two fits and calculate $\text{Prob}(\Delta\chi^2(M_H) = \chi^2_{\min}(M_H) - \chi^2_{\min}, 1)$
- Generate pseudo experiments ("toy MC") using fitted values for M_H with experimental errors
- For each toy experiment perform two fits and compute $\Delta\chi^2_{\text{toy}}(M_H)$ exactly as in real data
- Compute 1-CL at M_H by integrating normalised $\Delta\chi^2_{\text{toy}}(M_H)$ distribution from $\Delta\chi^2(M_H)$ to infinity
- **Assumes that $\Delta\chi^2_{\text{toy}}(M_H)$ distribution is independent of nuisance parameters !**

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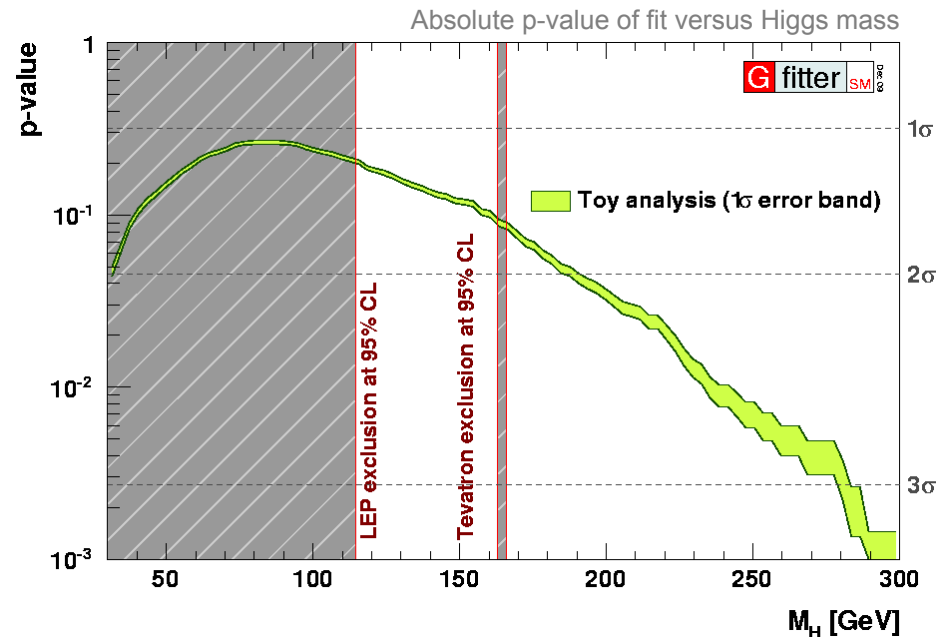
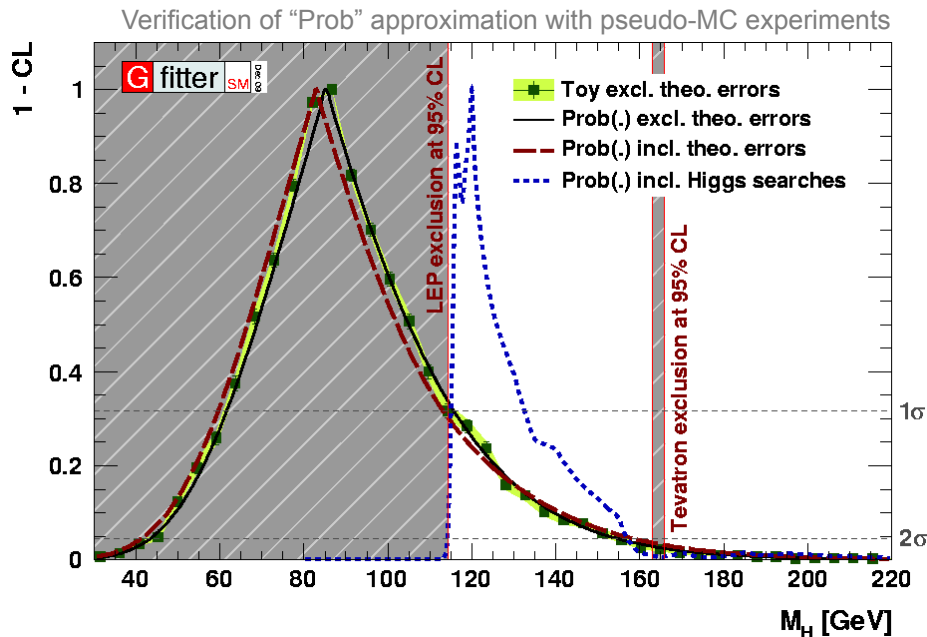
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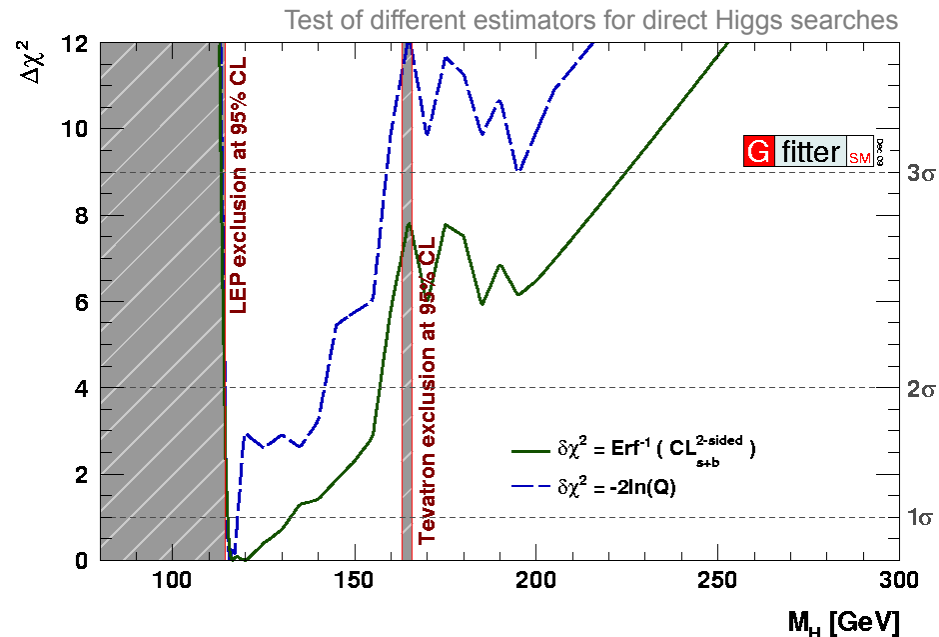
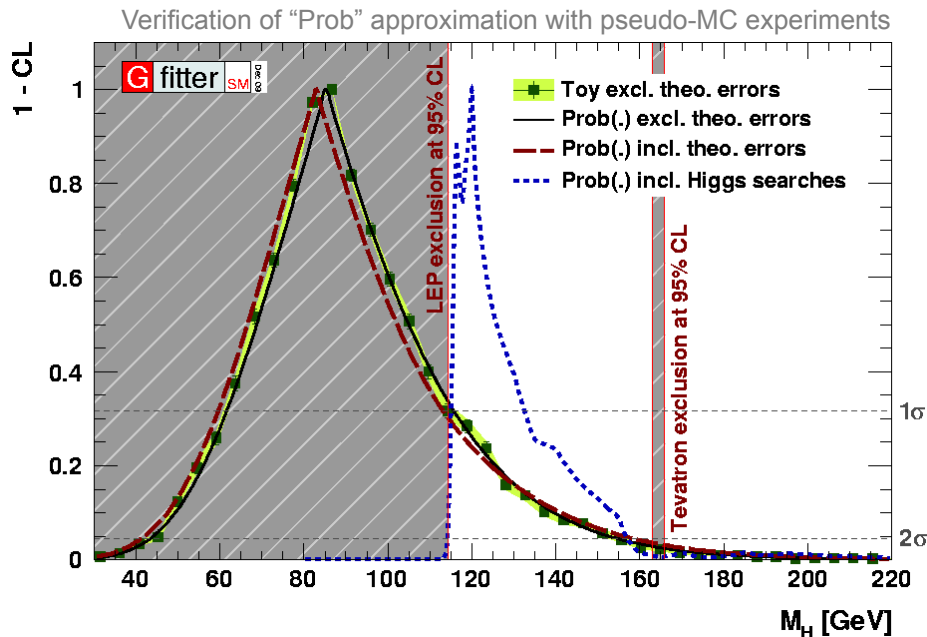
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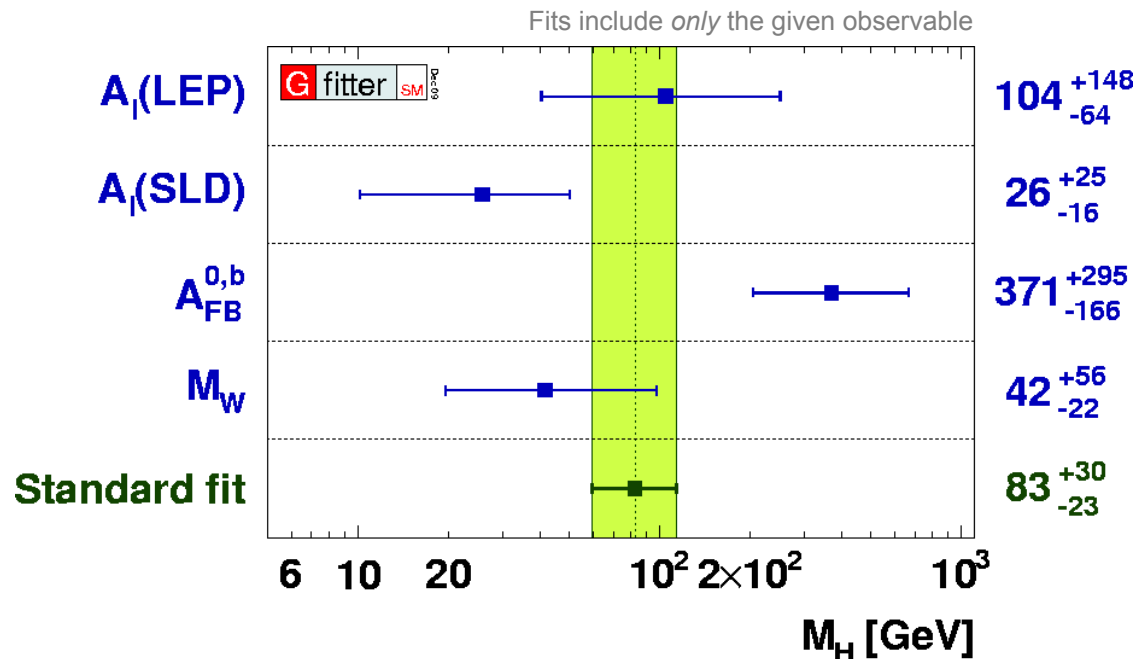
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Known tension between $A_{FB}^{0,b}$ and $A_{lep}(SLD)$ and M_W :

- Pseudo-MC analysis to evaluate
“Probability to observe a $\Delta\chi^2 = 8.0$ when removing the least compatible input”
 → accounts for “look-elsewhere effect”
- Find: 1.4% (2.5σ)



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Quadratic sensitivity to m_{top}

- *Standard fit*: $m_{\text{top}} = 177.2^{+10.5}_{-7.8}$ GeV
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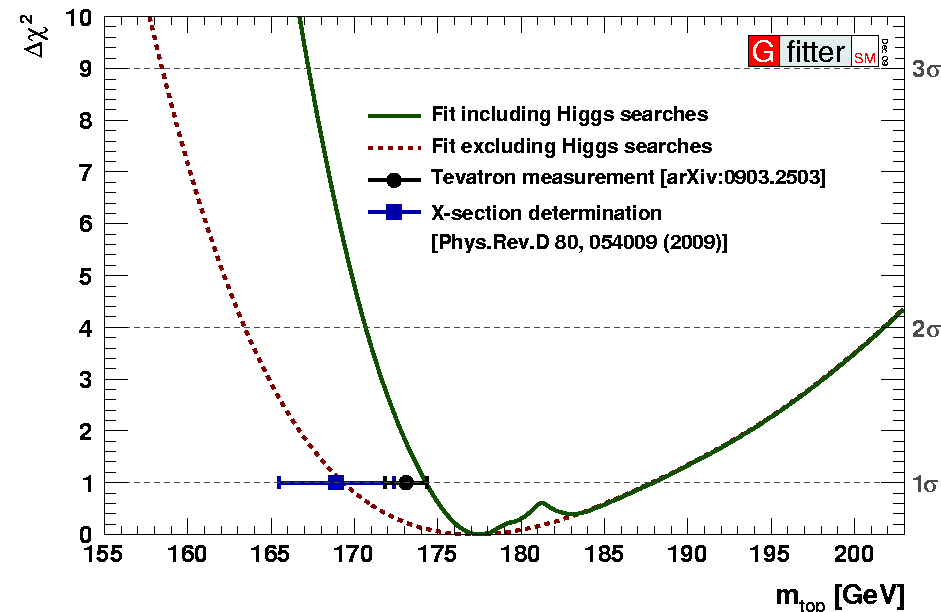
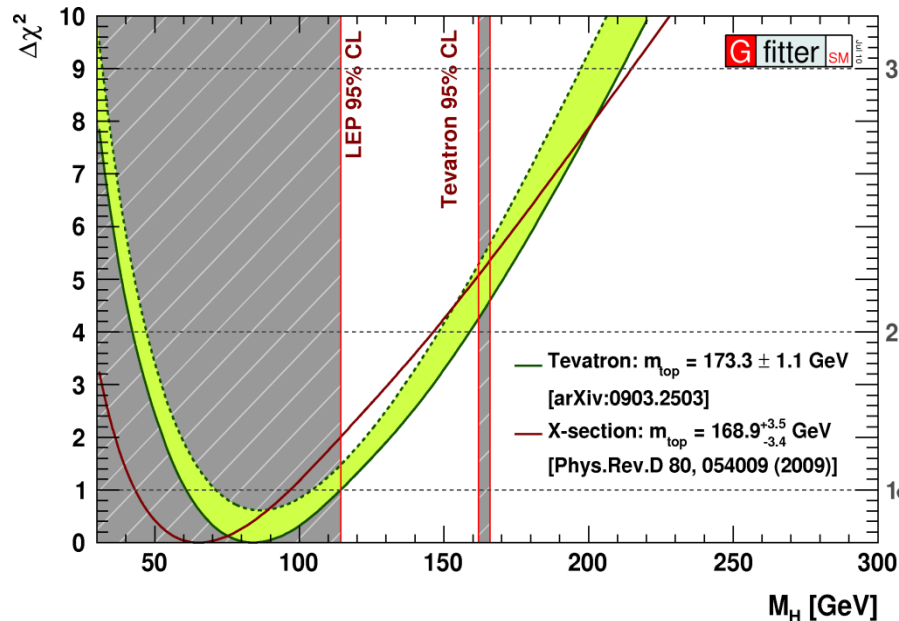
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→ What is this mass? Pole mass? “MC” mass?

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What happens if we use the cross section mass in the fit ?



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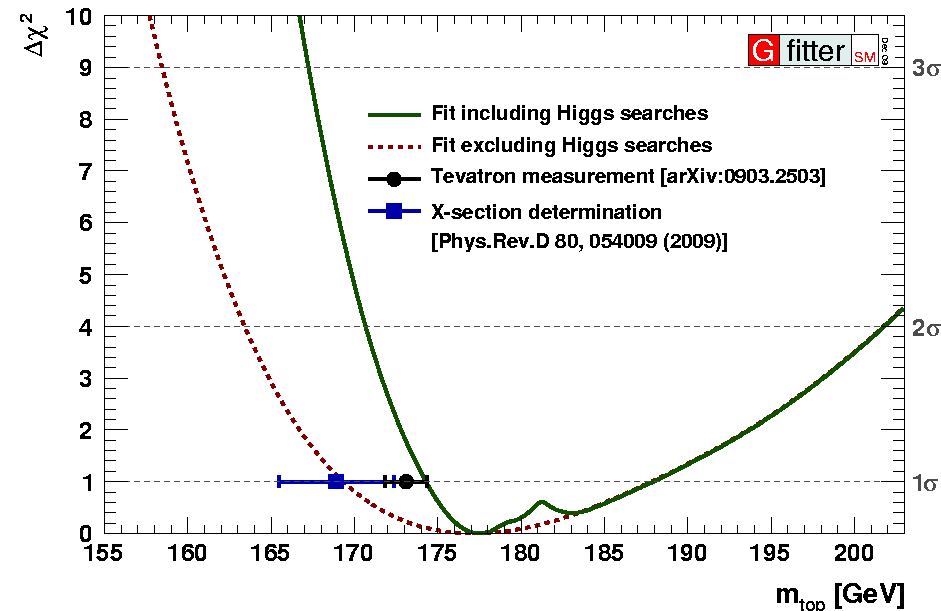
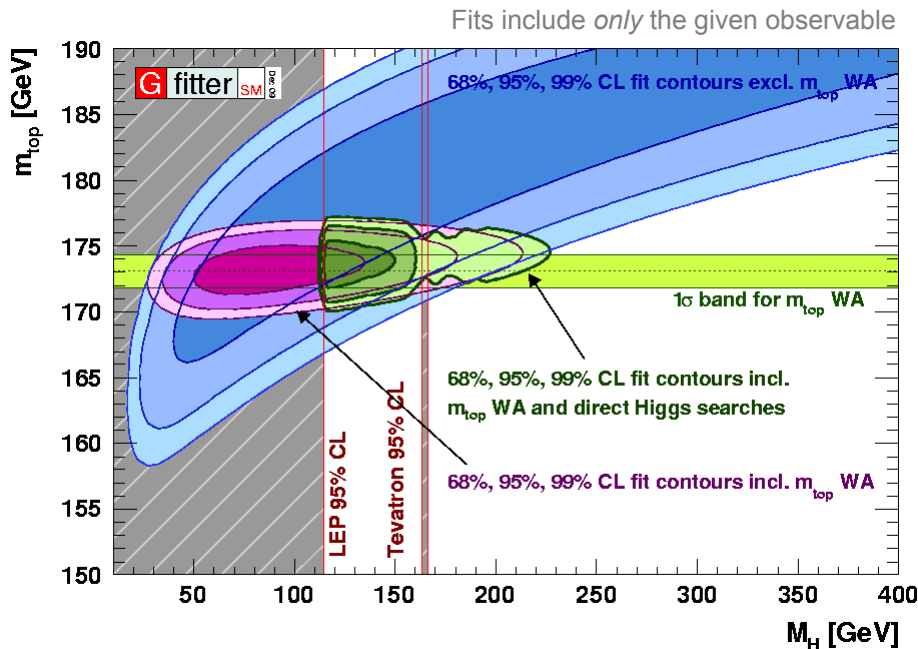
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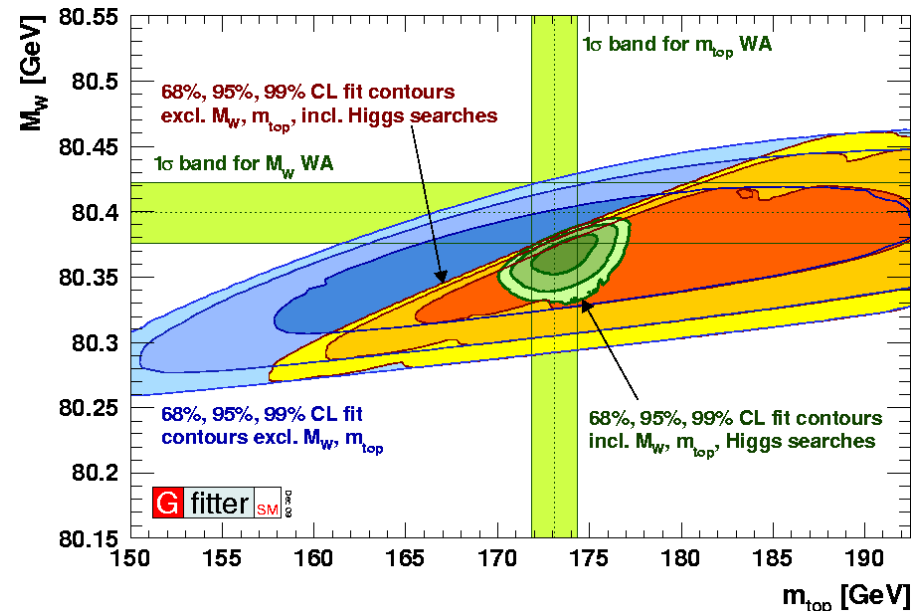
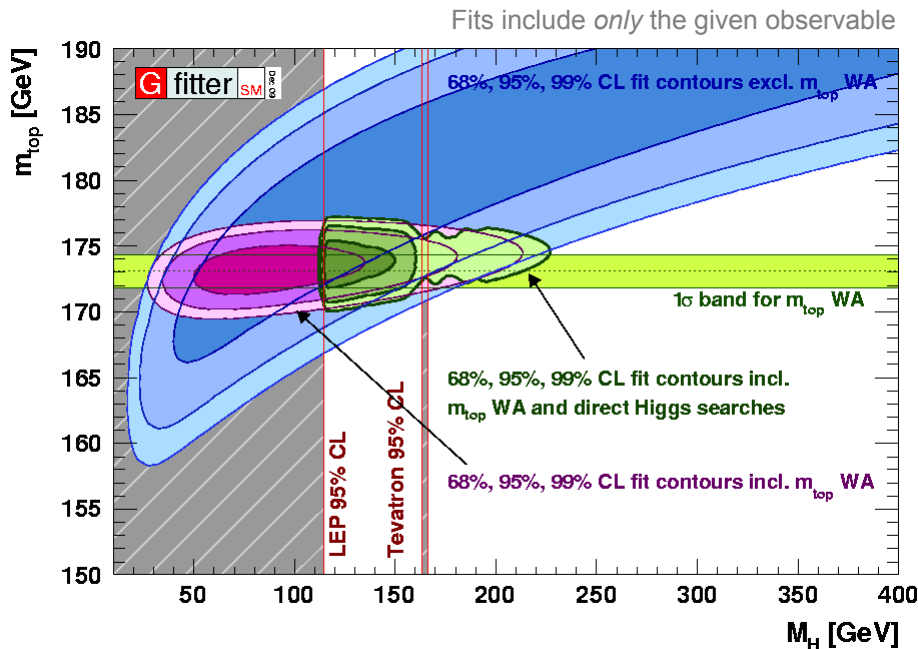
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$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(M_Z)$

Strong sensitivity to $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(M_Z)$

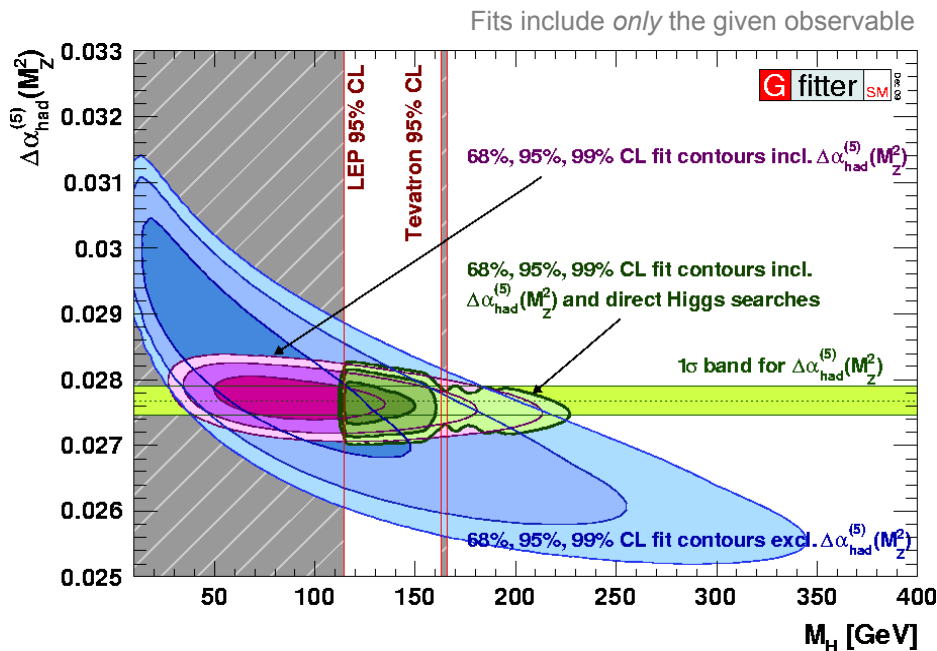
- Complete fit: $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2) = (273.3^{+5.7}_{-4.6}) \cdot 10^{-4}$

Phenomenological value: $(277.2 \pm 2.2) \cdot 10^{-4}$

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- The structures reflect presence of local minima in $(\Delta\chi^2 \text{ vs. } M_H)$ -plot
- Today's precision in m_t and $\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}(M_Z)$ sufficient for the EW fit

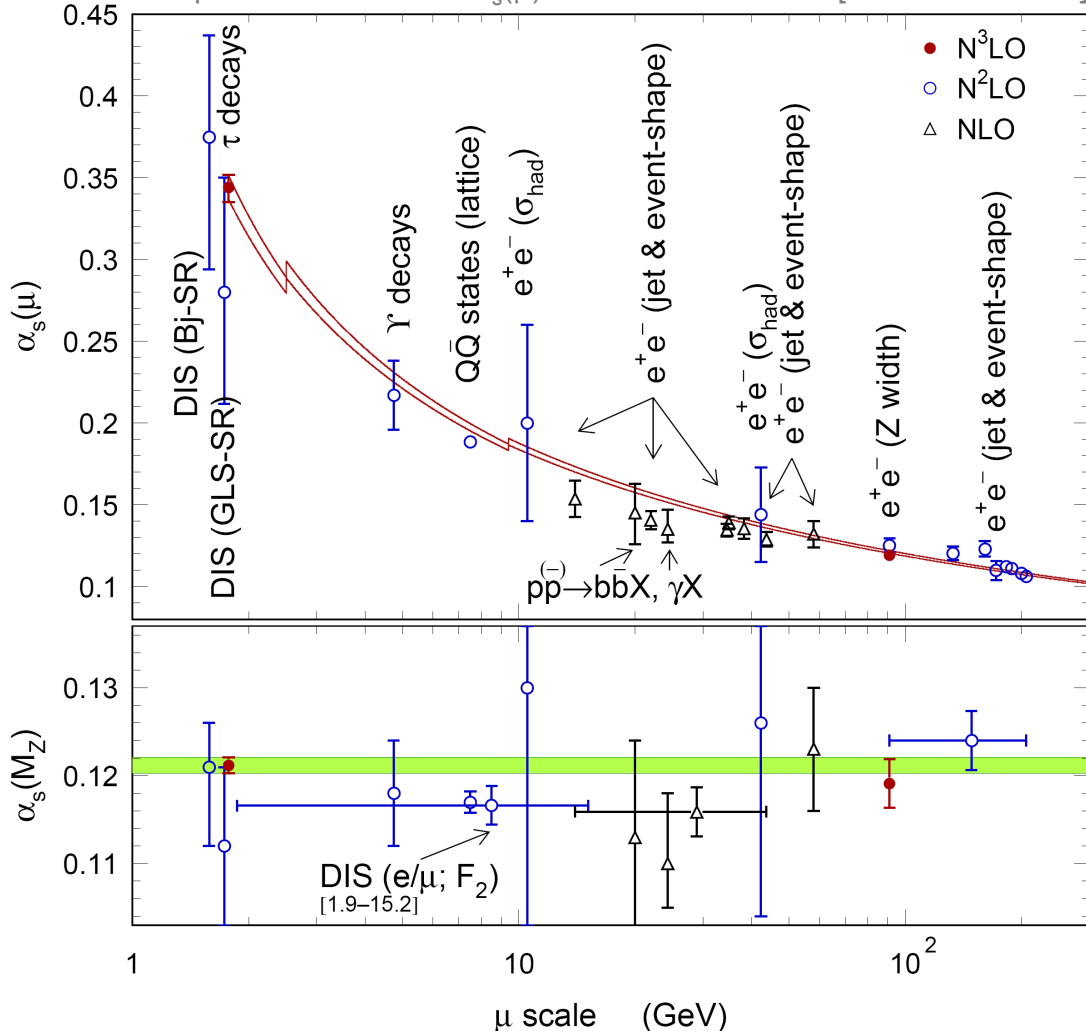
3NLO Determination of α_s

From Complete Fit:

$$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1193 \pm 0.0028 \pm 0.0001$$

- First error experimental
 - Second error theoretical (!) [incl. variation of renorm. scale from $M_Z/2$ to $2M_Z$ and massless terms of order/beyond $\alpha_s^5(M_Z)$ and massive terms of order/beyond $\alpha_s^4(M_Z)$]
 - Excellent agreement with N³LO result from hadronic τ decays [M. Davier et al., arXiv:0803.0979]
- $$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.1212 \pm 0.0005_{\text{exp}} \pm 0.0008_{\text{theo}} \pm 0.0005_{\text{evol}}$$
- Best current test of asymptotic freedom property of QCD !

4-loop RGE evolution of $\alpha_s(\mu)$ with measurements [arXiv:0803.0979]



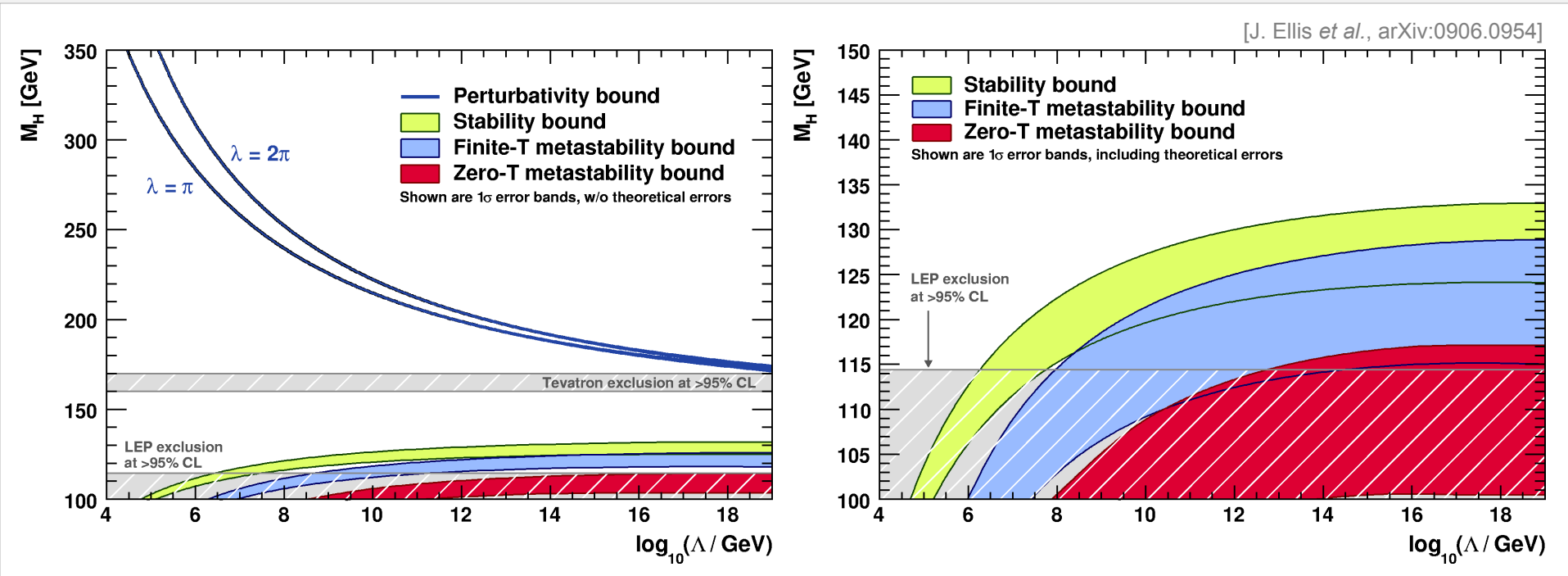
The Fate of the Standard Model



Driving the SM to M_{Planck}

Remember, the behaviour of the quartic Higgs couplings as function of the cut-off scale Λ puts bounds on M_H

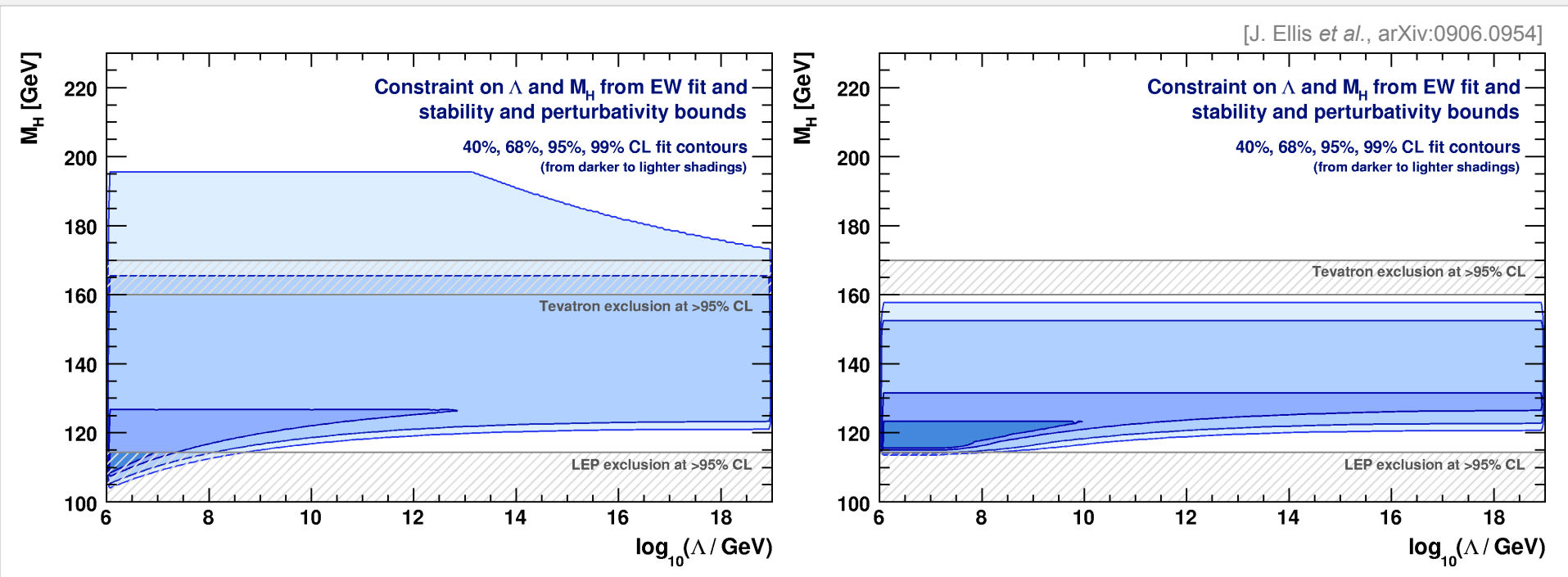
- For too large M_H , the couplings become non-perturbative (“triviality” or “blow-up” scenario)
 - For too small M_H , the vacuum becomes unstable
- obtain three lower bounds on M_H from different requirement: **absolute stability, finite- T and zero- T metastability**



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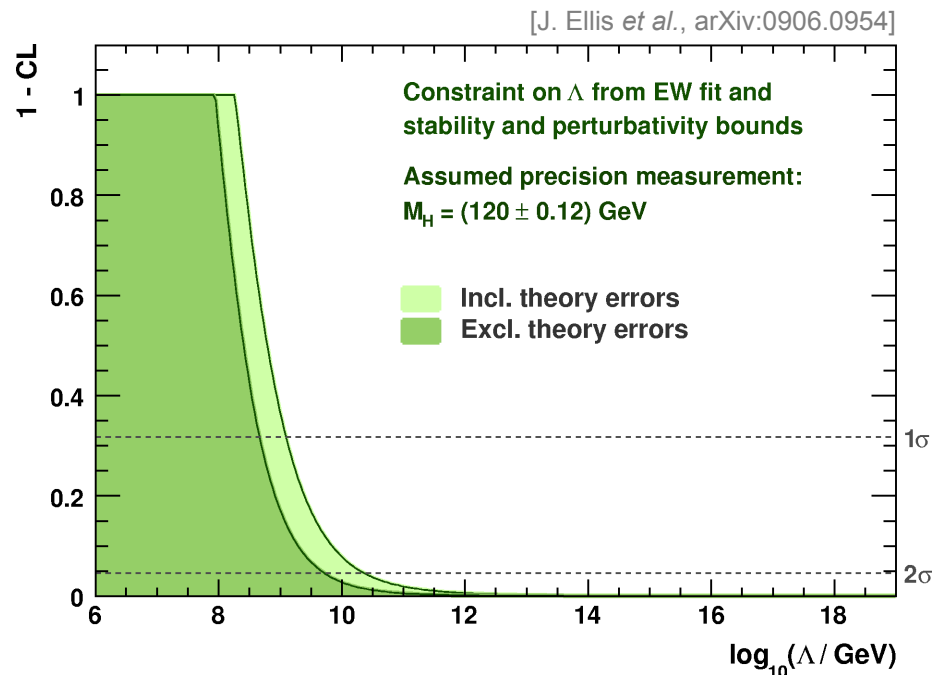
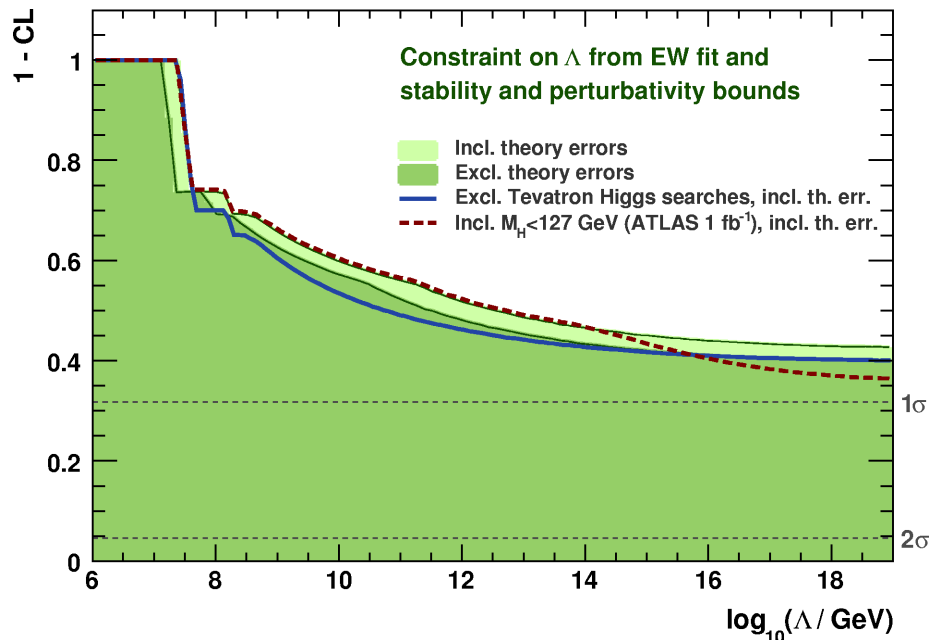
- Non-perturbativity excluded at 95.7% CL \rightarrow raise to 99.1% with Tevatron Higgs searches !
- Cannot distinguish between vacuum stability, metastability or collapse scenarios
 \rightarrow requires $M_H > 122$ GeV to exclude collapse scenario at 95% CL



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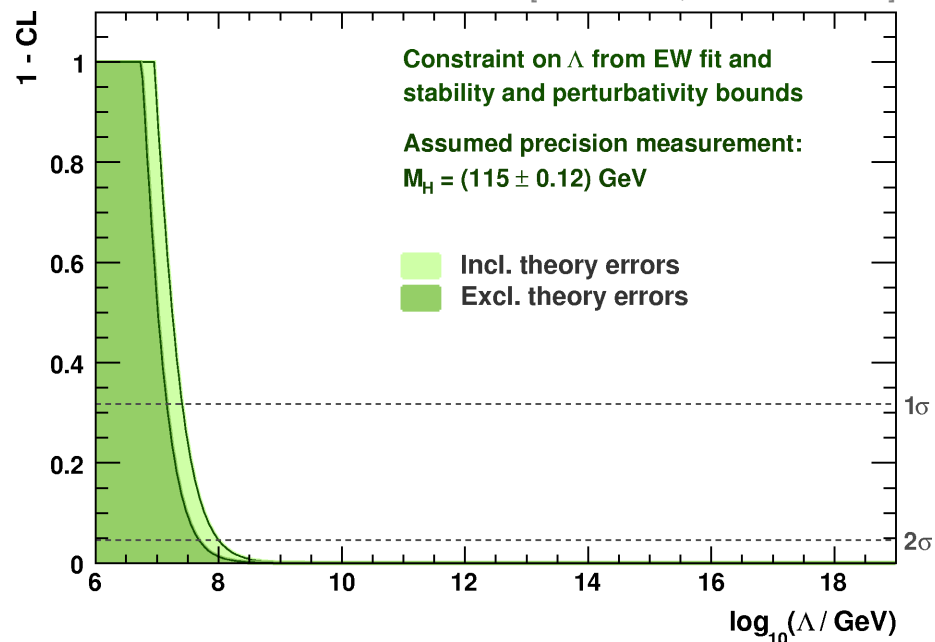
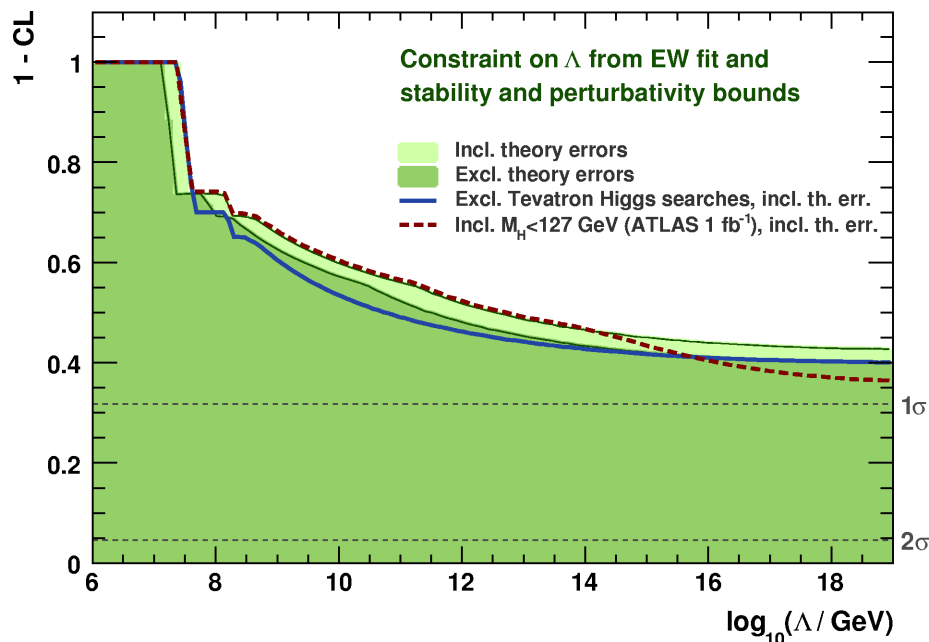
- Requiring absolute vacuum stability (at all times), one can obtain upper bound Λ
 - Left plot: current situation \rightarrow no significant information
 - Right plot: case for precise M_H measurement of **120 GeV**



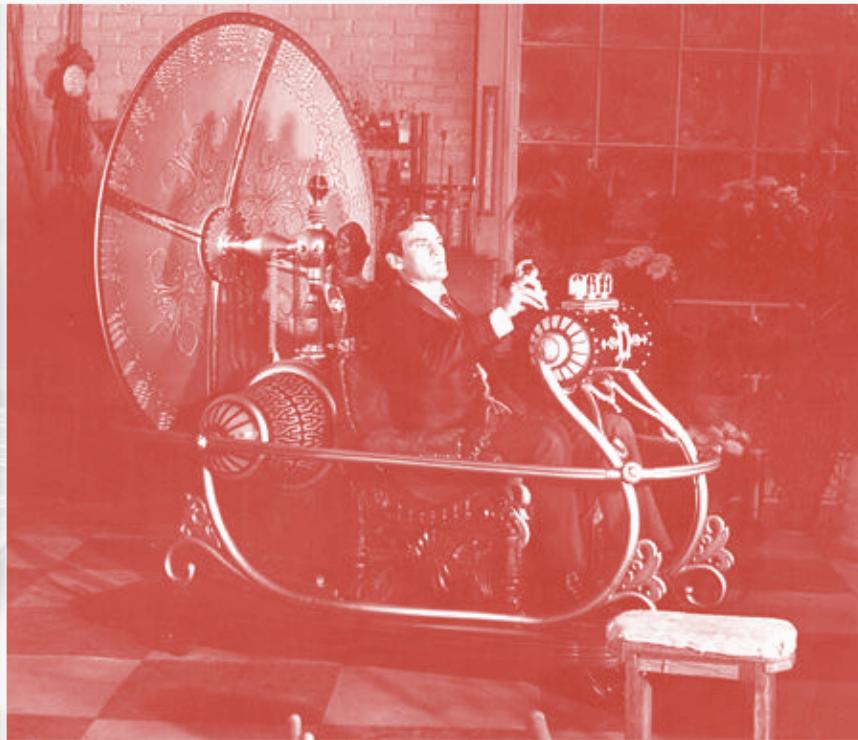
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Prospects for the Standard Model Fit



Prospects for LHC, ILC and ILC with Giga-Z

New colliders (LHC/ILC) will increase precision in electroweak observables

- Improvement of the predictive power of the fit
- Higgs discovery \rightarrow testing goodness-of-fit \rightarrow sensitivity to new physics

Expected improvement from LHC (10 fb^{-1}):

- δM_W : 25 MeV \rightarrow 15 MeV (*at least*)
- δm_t : 1.2 GeV \rightarrow 1.0 GeV

Expected improvement from ILC:

- From threshold scan $\delta m_t = 50 \text{ MeV}$, translates to 100–200 MeV on the running mass

Expected improvement from GigaZ:

- From WW threshold scan: $\delta M_W = 6 \text{ MeV}$
- From A_{LR} : $\delta \sin^2 \theta_{\text{eff}}^l$: $17 \cdot 10^{-5} \rightarrow 1.3 \cdot 10^{-5}$
- δR_l^0 : $2.5 \cdot 10^{-2} \rightarrow 0.4 \cdot 10^{-2}$

Improved determination of $\Delta \alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z)$ will become necessary

- Needs improvement in hadronic cross section data around cc res.
- Expected uncertainty of $7 \cdot 10^{-5}$ (today $22 \cdot 10^{-5}$) if relative cross-section precision below J/Ψ at 1% [Jegerlehner, hep-ph/0105283]
- Experiments with better acceptances and control of systematics needed
- Promising: ISR analyses at B and Φ factories; new data from BES-III

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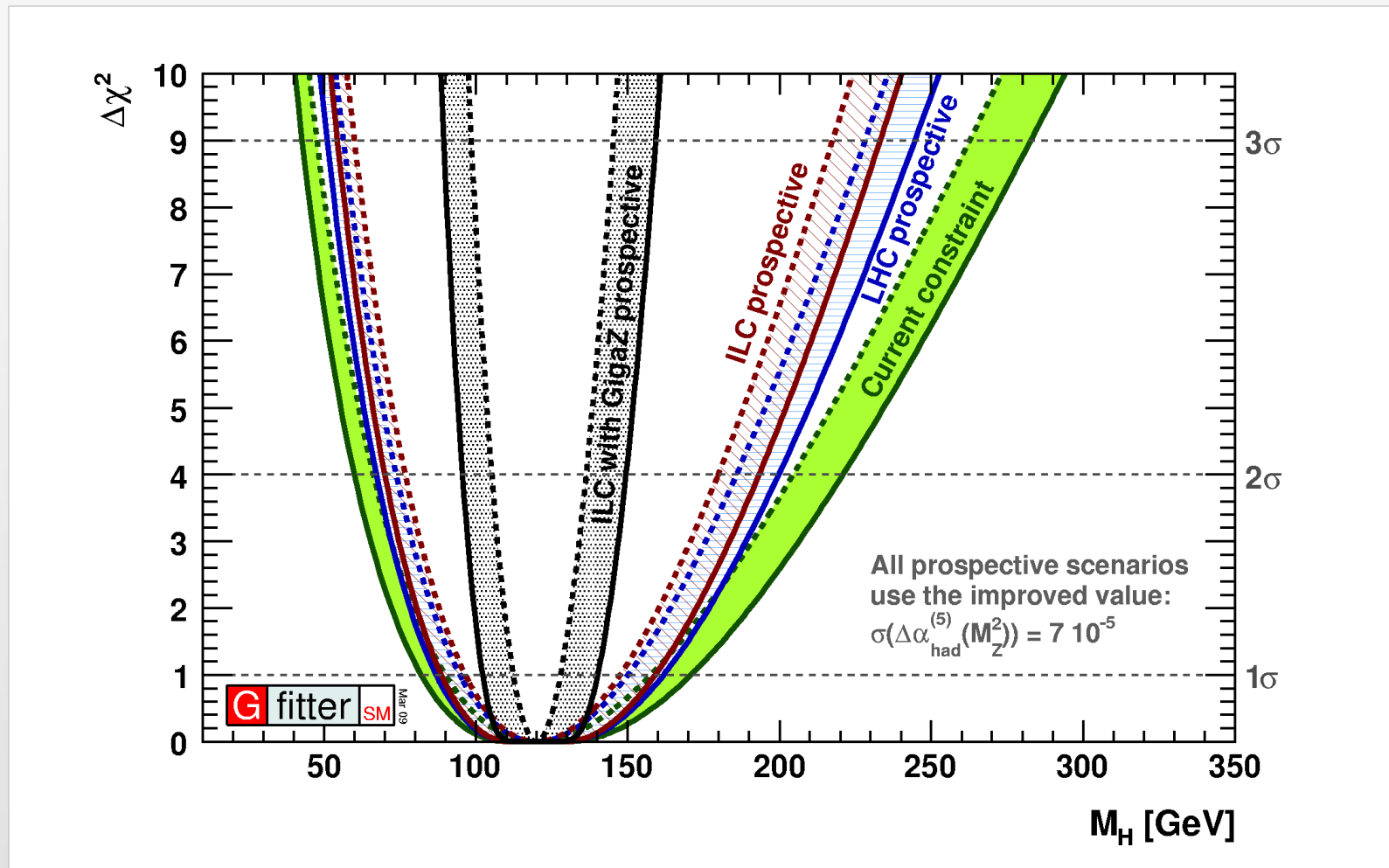
Assumed experimental improvements for prospective study:

- LHC: M_W, m_{top}
- ILC: M_W, m_{top}
- Giga-Z: $M_W, m_{\text{top}}, \sin^2\theta'_{\text{eff}}, R_{\text{lep}}$
- ISR-based (BABAR) and BESIII cross-section measurements should improve $\Delta\alpha^{\text{had}}(M_Z)$

Quantity	Expected uncertainty			
	Present	LHC	ILC	GigaZ (ILC)
M_W [MeV]	23	15	15	6
m_t [GeV]	1.3	1.0	0.2	0.1
$\sin^2\theta'_{\text{eff}} [10^{-5}]$	17	17	17	1.3
$R_\ell^0 [10^{-2}]$	2.5	2.5	2.5	0.4
$\Delta\alpha_{\text{had}}^{(5)}(M_Z^2) [10^{-5}]$	22 (7)	22 (7)	22 (7)	22 (7)
$M_H(= 120 \text{ GeV})$ [GeV]	+54 (+51) [+38] -40 (-38) [-30]	+45 (+42) [+30] -35 (-33) [-25]	+42 (+39) [+28] -33 (-31) [-23]	+26 (+20) [+8] -23 (-18) [-8]
$\alpha_s(M_Z^2) [10^{-4}]$	28	28	28	6

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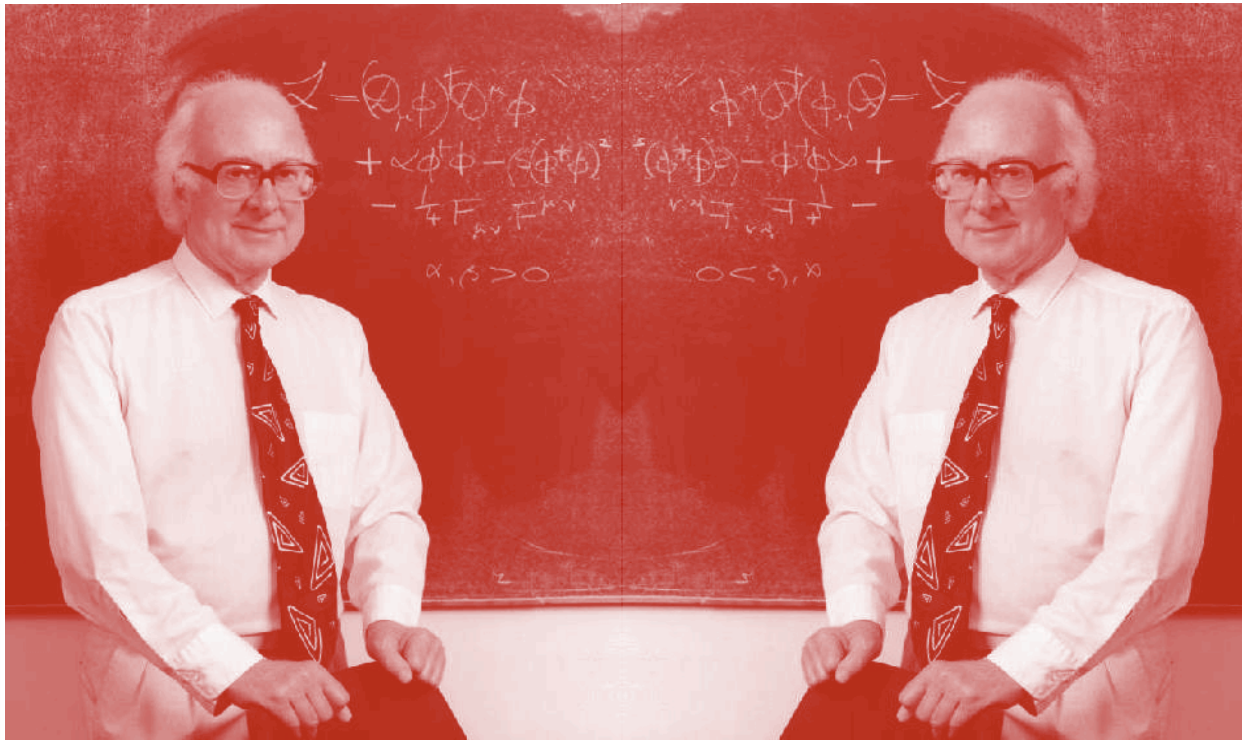
Results on M_H , including (solid) and excluding (dotted) theoretical errors



Probing New Physics with the EW Fit



The Two-Higgs-Doublet Model (2HDM)



Two-Higgs-Doublet Model

Extend SM by adding another scalar Higgs doublet (2HDM)

- *Type-II* 2HDM: one doublet couples to up-type and the other one to down-type fermions only
- 6 free parameters: $M_{\underline{H}}$, M_{A0} , M_{H0} , $M_{H\pm}$, $\tan\beta = v_2/v_1$, α (governing $h-H^0$ mixing)
- Resembles Higgs sector of MSSM

Look, e.g., at processes sensitive to charged Higgs: $M_{H\pm}$

$$L_{H^\pm ff} = \frac{g}{2\sqrt{2}M_W} \left\{ H^+ \bar{U} \left[M_U V_{CKM} (1 - \gamma_5) \cot\beta + V_{CKM} M_D (1 + \gamma_5) \tan\beta \right] D + \text{h.c.} \right\}$$

- Interaction has similar structure as W boson
- Left-handed coupling: $1/\tan\beta$, right-handed coupling: $\tan\beta$
- Sensitive parameters are $M_{H\pm}$ and $\tan\beta$
- LEP limit: $M_{H\pm} > 78.6$ GeV (95% CL), for any value of $\tan\beta$

Sensitive observables mostly from B -physics sector, but also c and s

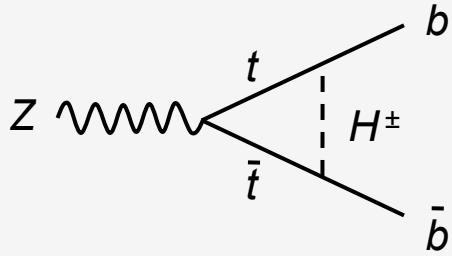
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Observables used to constrain charged Higgs in 2HDM

Observable	Input value	Exp. Ref.	Calculation
R_b^0	0.21629 ± 0.00066	[ADLO, Phys. Rept. 427, 257 (2006)]	[H. E. Haber and H. E. Logan, Phys. Rev. D62, 015011 (2000)]
$\text{BR}(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma)$	$(3.52 \pm 0.23 \pm 0.09) \cdot 10^{-4}$	[HFAG, latest update]	[M. Misiak et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 98, 022002 (2007)]
$\text{BR}(B \rightarrow \tau \nu)$	$(1.73 \pm 0.33) \cdot 10^{-4}$	[P.Chang, Talk at ICHEP 2008]	[W. S. Hou, Phys. Rev. D48, 2342 (1993)]
$\text{BR}(B \rightarrow \mu \nu)$	$(-5.7 \pm 6.8 \pm 7.1) \cdot 10^{-4}$	[E. Baracchini, Talk at ICHEP 2008]	[W. S. Hou, Phys. Rev. D48, 2342 (1993)]
$\text{BR}(K \rightarrow \mu \nu) / \text{BR}(\pi \rightarrow \mu \nu)$	1.004 ± 0.007	[FlaviaNet, arXiv: 0801.1817]	[FlaviaNet, arXiv: 0801.1817]
$\text{BR}(B \rightarrow D \tau \nu) / \text{BR}(B \rightarrow D e \nu)$	$0.416 \pm 0.117 \pm 0.052$	[Babar, Phys. Rev. Lett 100, 021801 (2008)]	[J. F. Kamenik and F. Mescia, arXiv: 0802.3790]

R_b^0 and $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$

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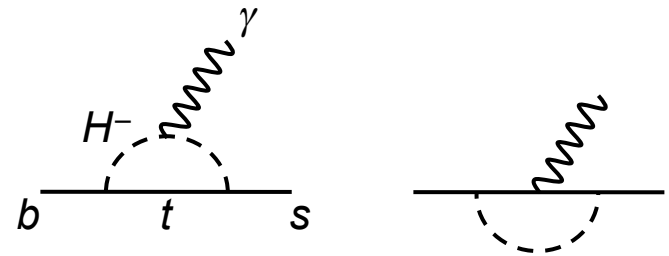
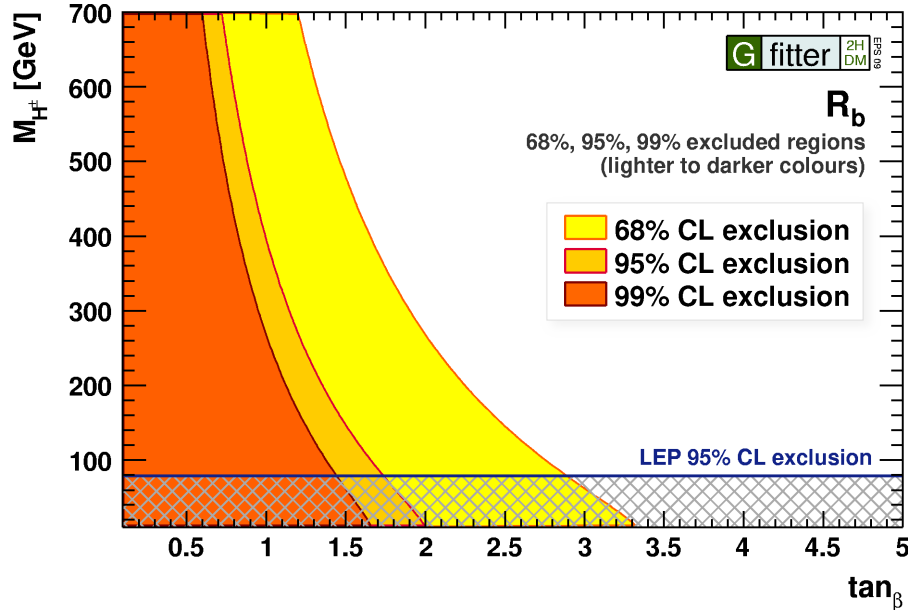
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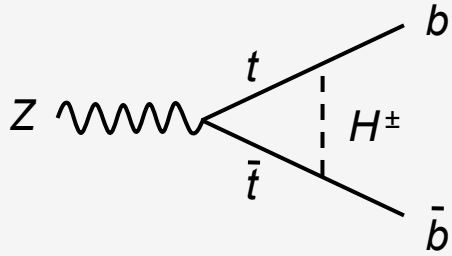
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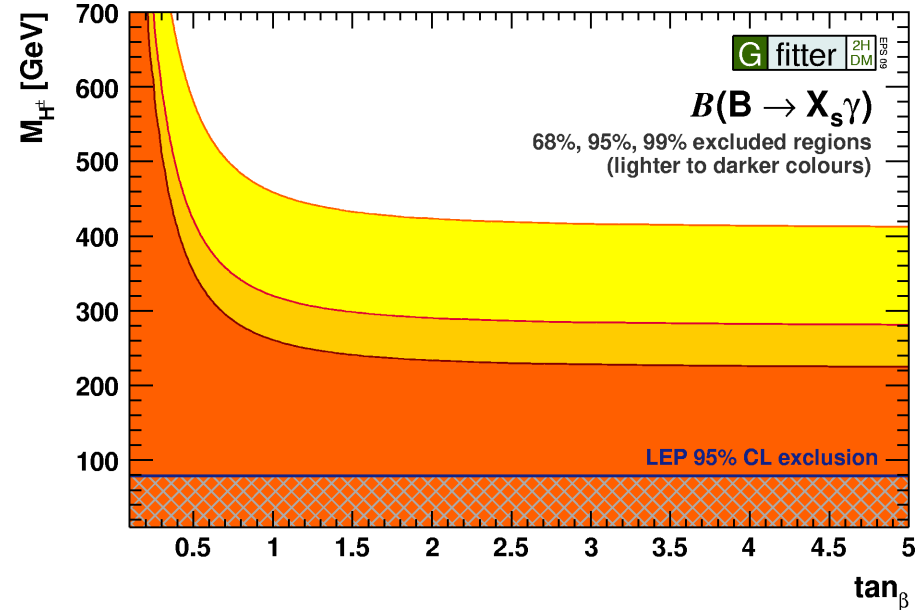
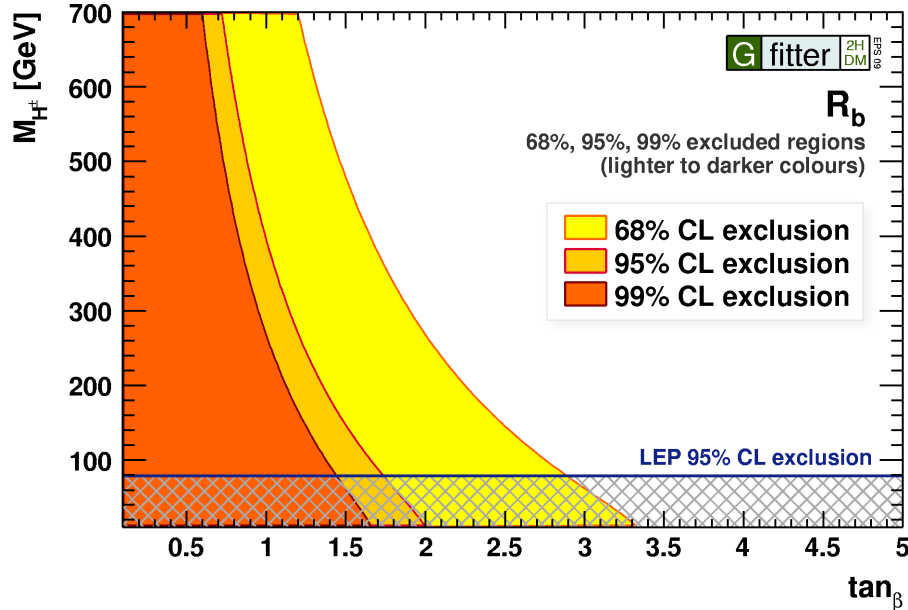
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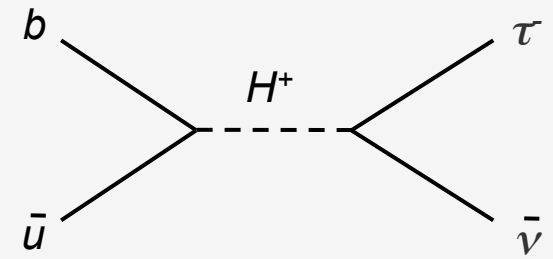


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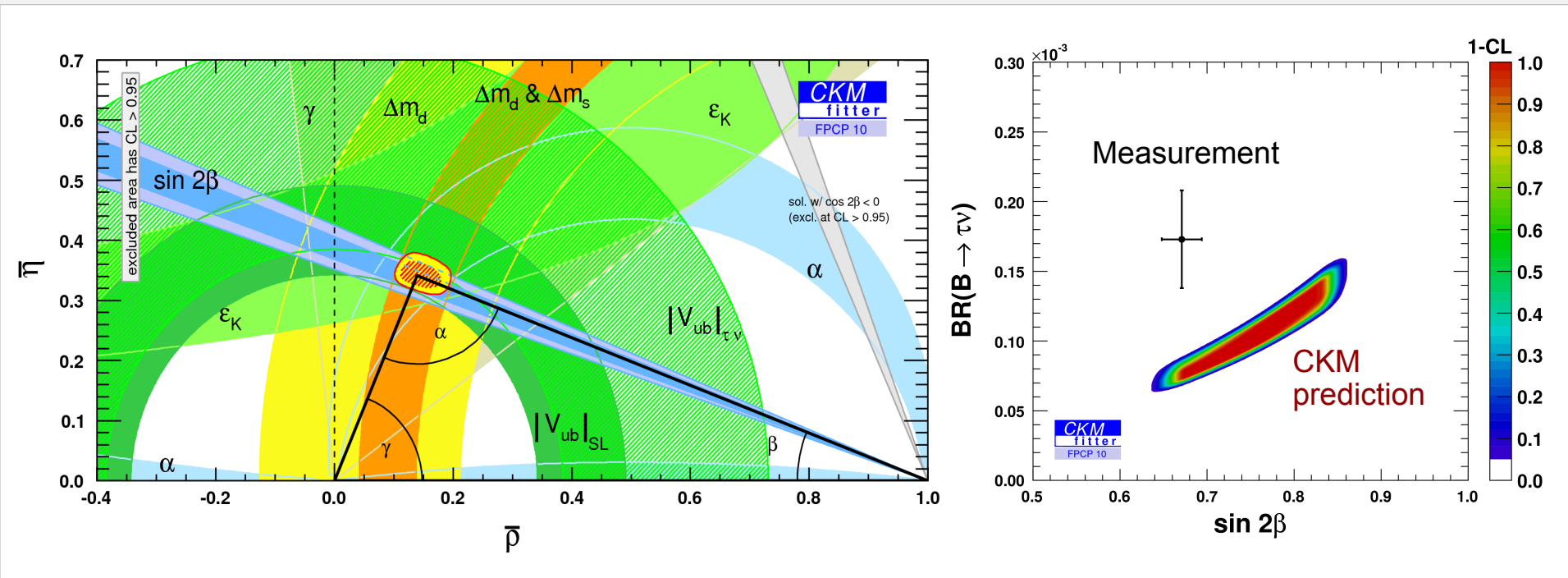
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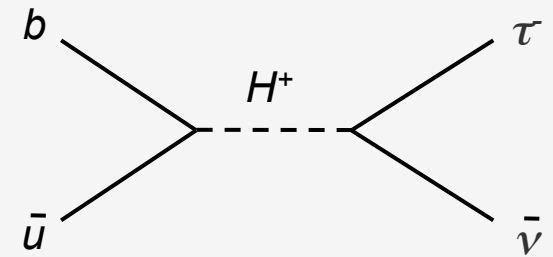


Conflict (2.6σ) between direct BR measurement and SM prediction governed by CKM angle β



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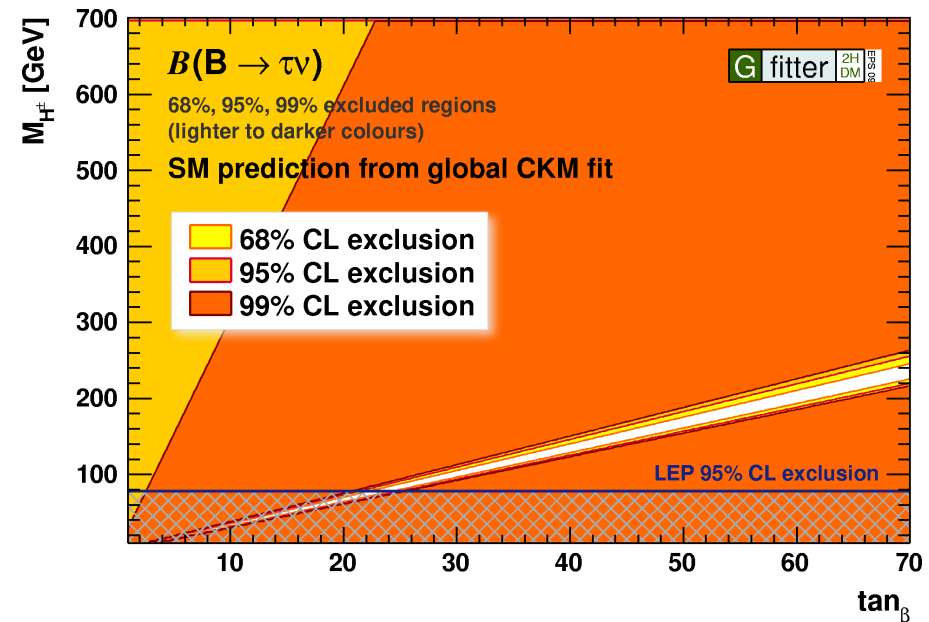
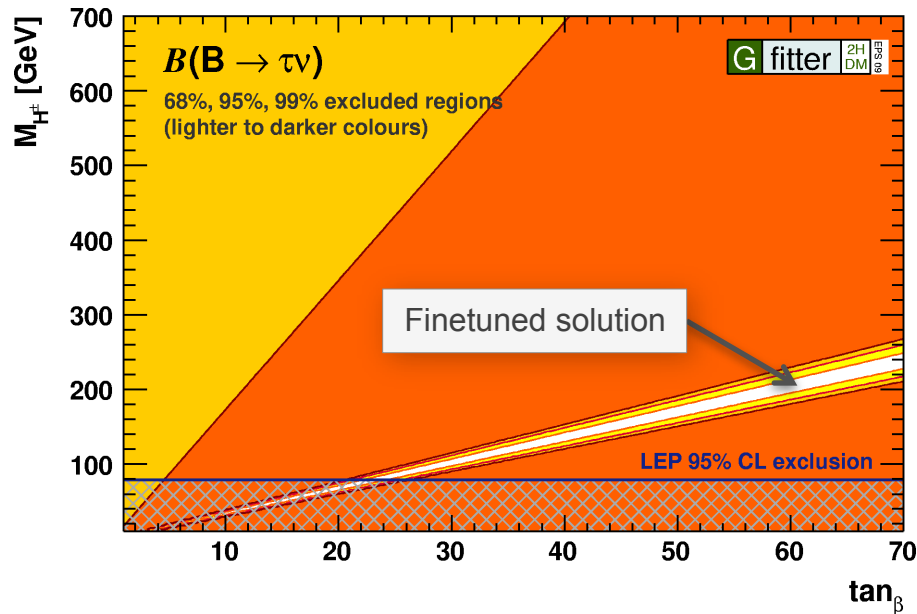
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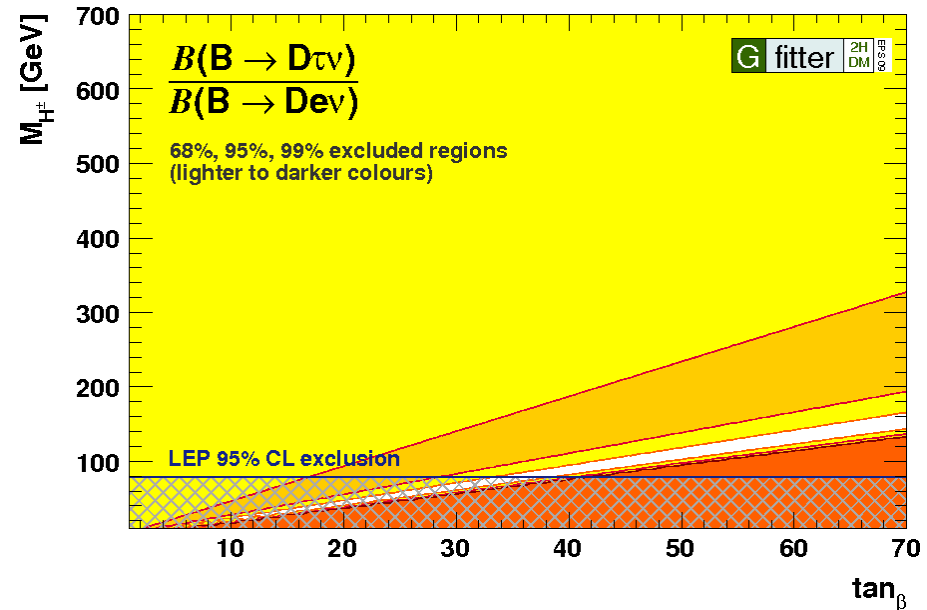
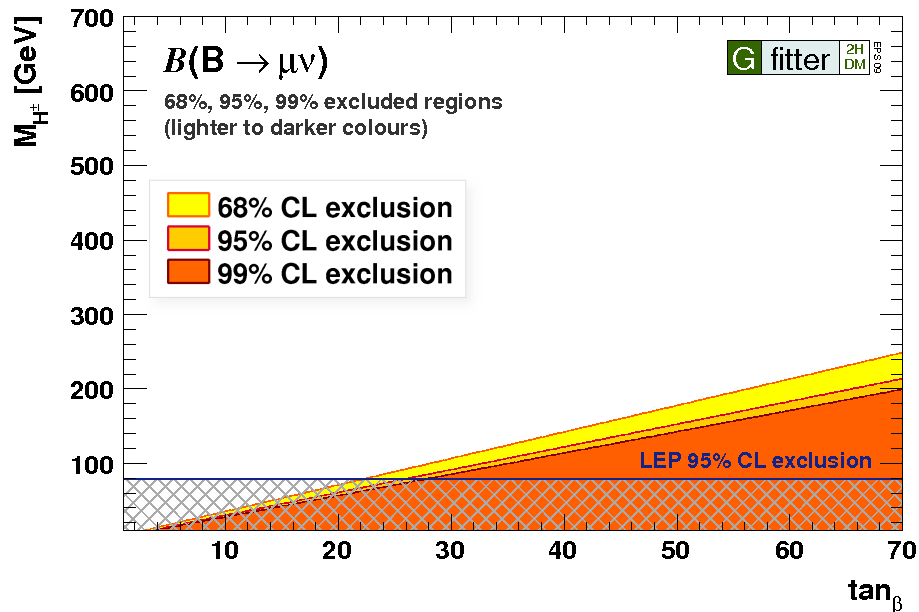
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Compare BR predictions based on **direct measurements of $|V_{ub}|$** (left) with **CKM fit (right)**



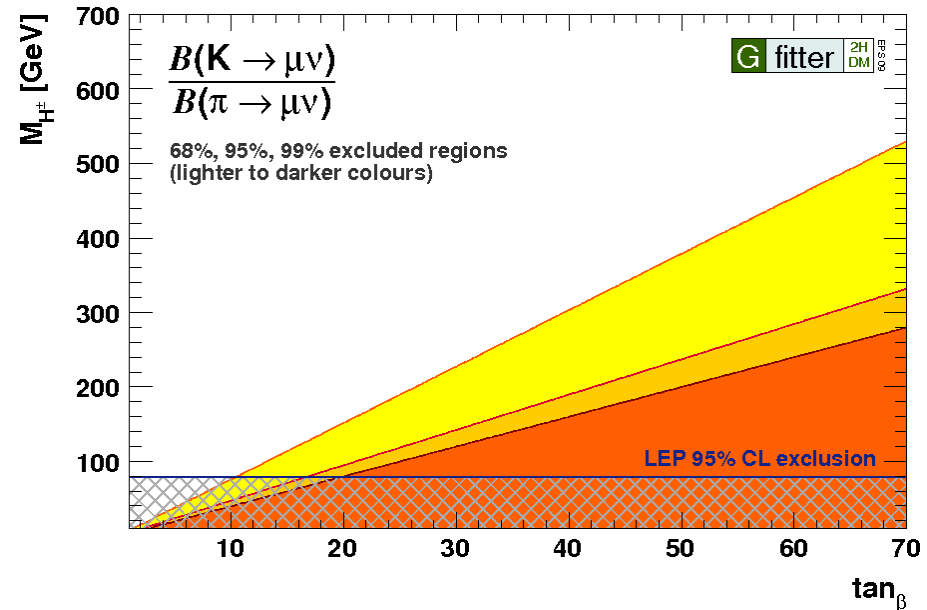
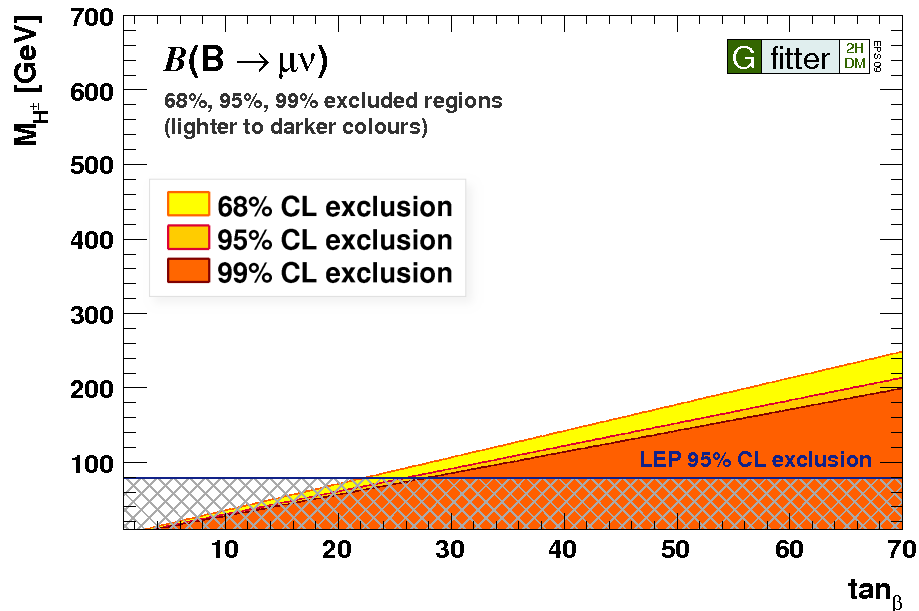
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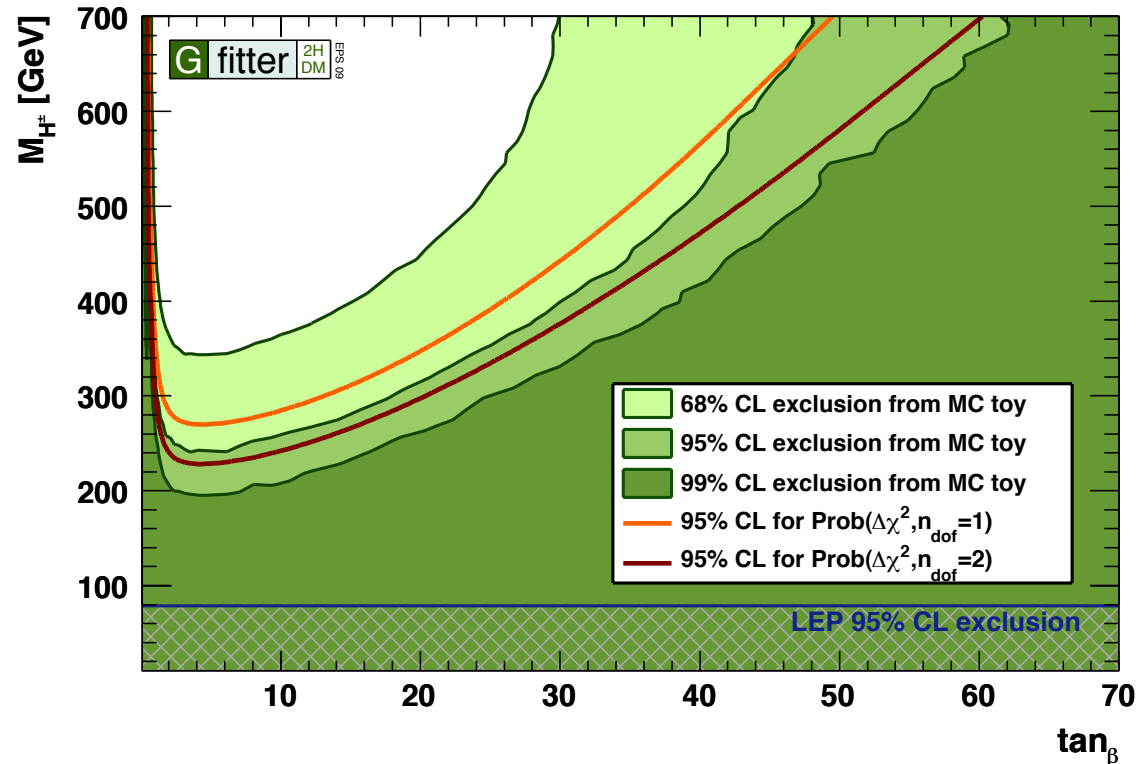


2HDM – Combined Fit

Fit minimum: $\chi^2 = 3.9$ for $M_{H^\pm} = 858$ GeV and $\tan\beta = 6.8$

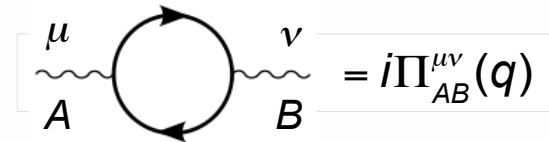
Excluded at 95% CL

- Small $\tan\beta$
- $M_H < 240$ GeV for all $\tan\beta$
- $M_H < 780$ GeV for $\tan\beta = 70$ (mostly from $B \rightarrow \tau\nu$)



Oblique Corrections

Oblique = vacuum polarisation (VP) corrections –
Universal: occur in any gauge boson propagator


$$= i\Pi_{AB}^{\mu\nu}(q)$$

Assume that new (heavy) physics contributes to VP only

- Direct corrections (vertex, box, bremsstrahlung) generally suppressed by m_f / Λ
- Eminent exception: $\Gamma(Z \rightarrow bb)$, which has CKM-enhanced top vertex corrections

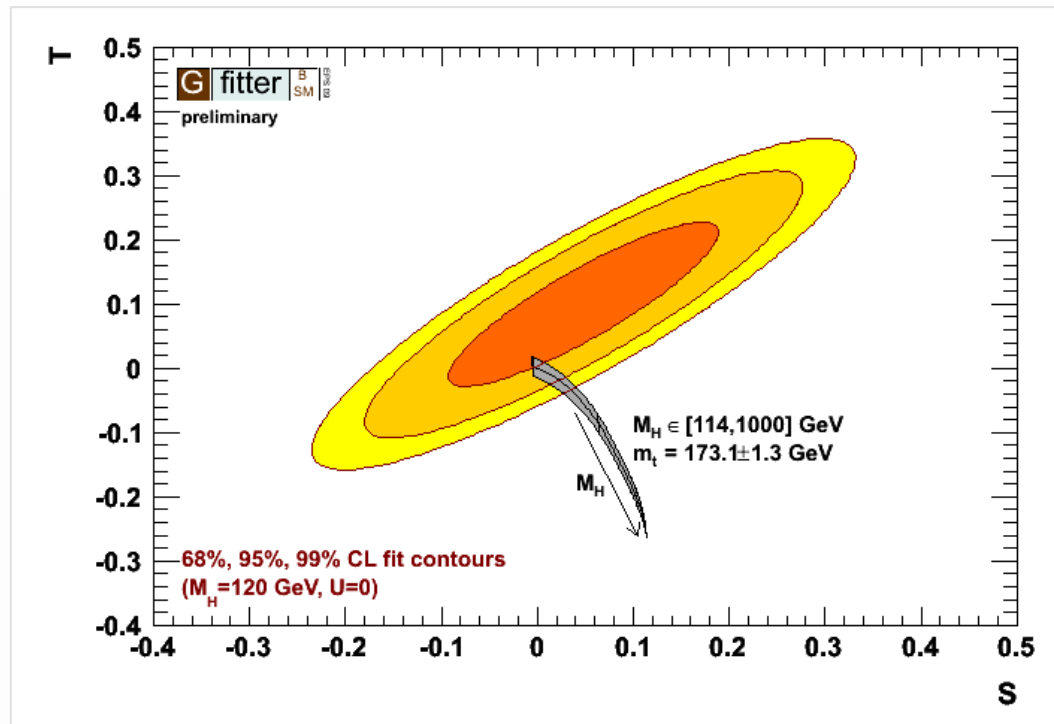
Electroweak fit is sensitive to the new physics via these oblique corrections parametrised with “STU” parameters (and more)

$$O_{\text{measured}} = O_{\text{SM, ref}}(M_H, m_t) + c_s S + c_t T + c_u U, \quad (S = T = U = 0 \text{ in SM})$$

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Oblique Corrections



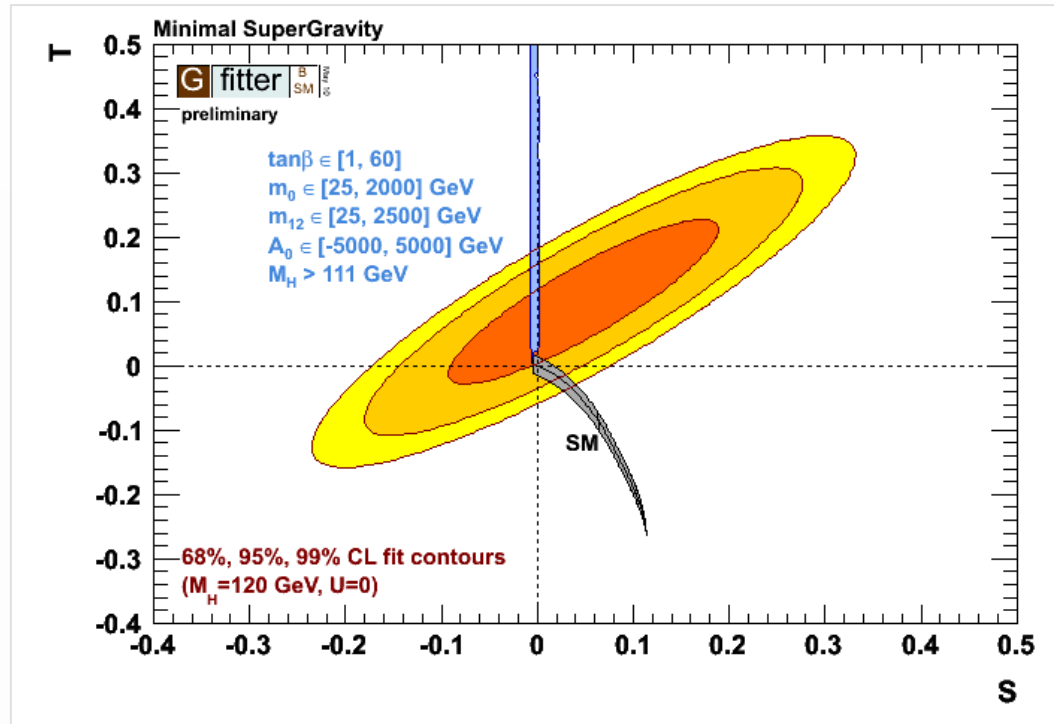
SM only:

- Ellipses are exp. errors on observables
- “Theory” is SM, with uncertainties in m_t and M_H

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Oblique Corrections



mSUGRA:

- Prediction of STU dominated by weak isospin violation in stop and sbottom and between stop₁ and stop₂
- Only contributions to T
- Small variation in S from M_h allowed range

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We've shaken enough!



*Let's open the box -
finally!*