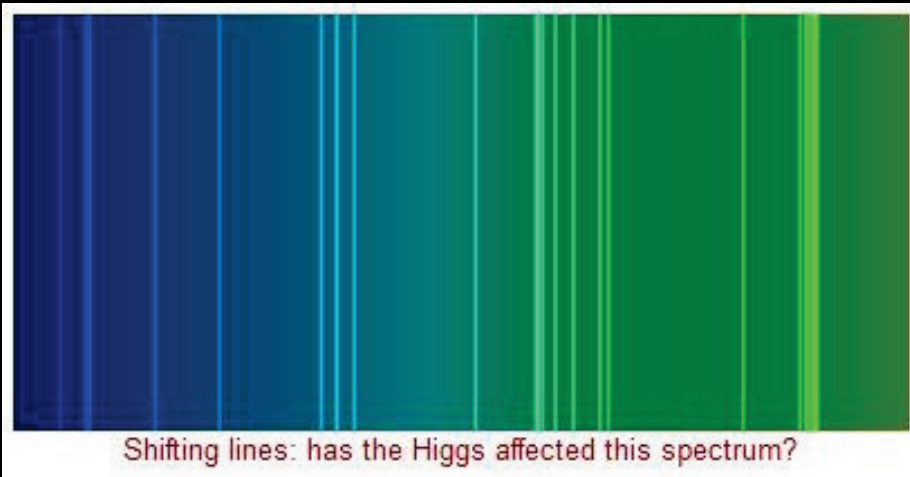


Probing the Atomic Higgs force -and more-



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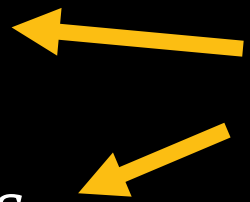
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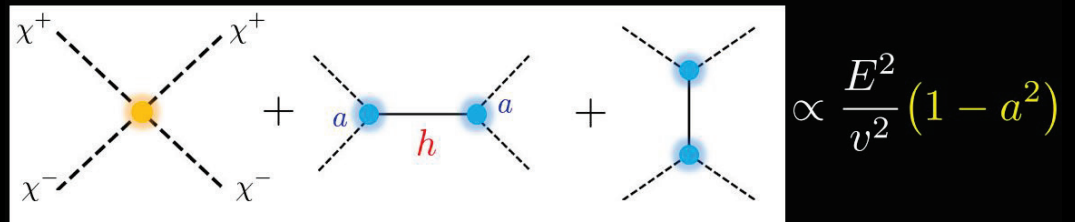
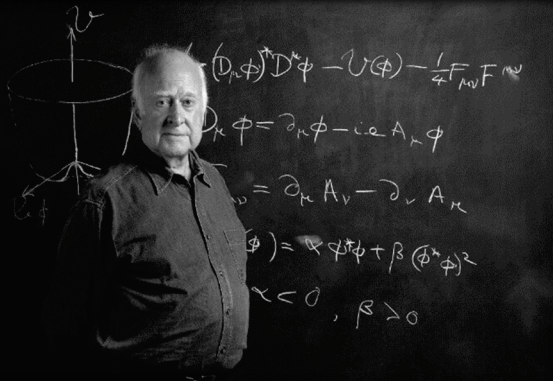
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*The Higgs Mechanism
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The Higgs Mechanism

- breaks EW symmetry: $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \rightarrow U(1)_{\text{QED}}$



ATLAS+CMS: $|a - 1| \lesssim \mathcal{O}(10\%)$

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- provides charged fermion masses:

in the SM: $m_f = y_f \times v$

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$$y_f^{\text{SM}} \propto m_f$$

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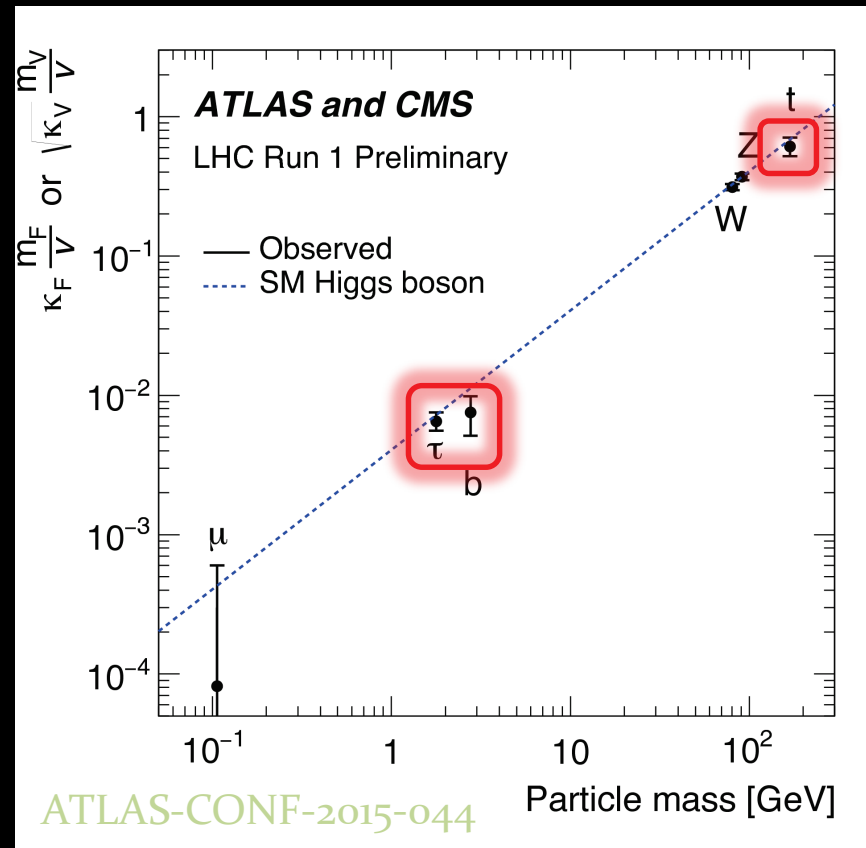
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Higgs-signal/SM:

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→ the Higgs mechanism is likely to be the dominant source of 3rd generation masses

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There is an opportunity to probe c -coupling directly, thanks to charm-tagging:

in VH production

Perez-Soreq-Stamou-Tobioka '15

in Hc production

Isidori-Goertz '15

Other probes exist:

- $h \rightarrow J/\psi\gamma$

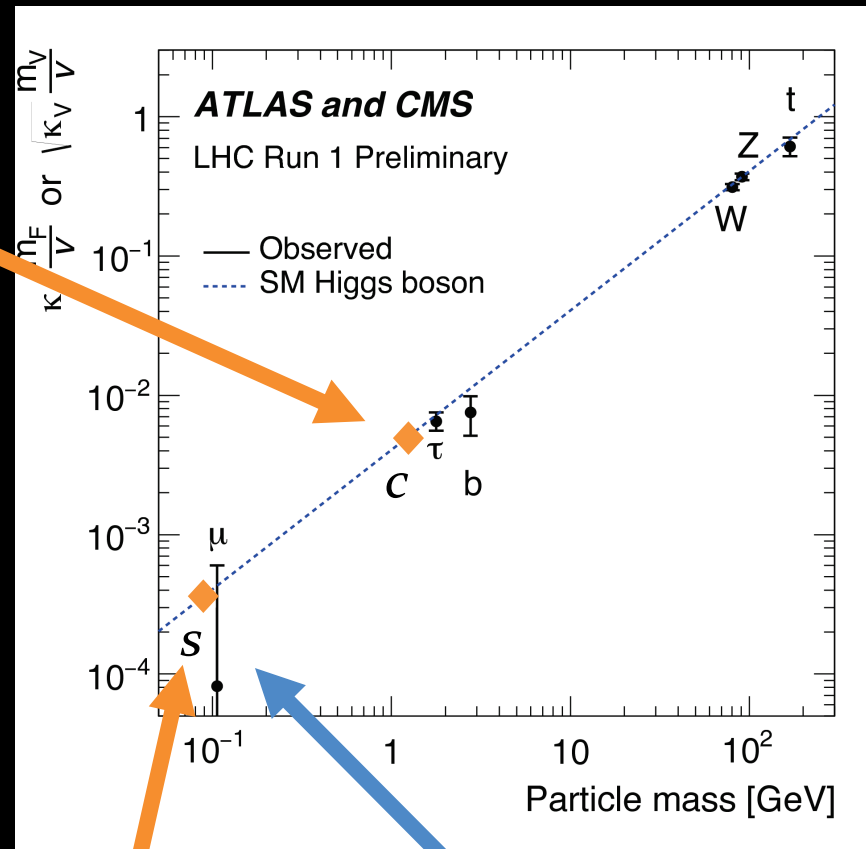
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CD-Golling-Perez-Soreq '13

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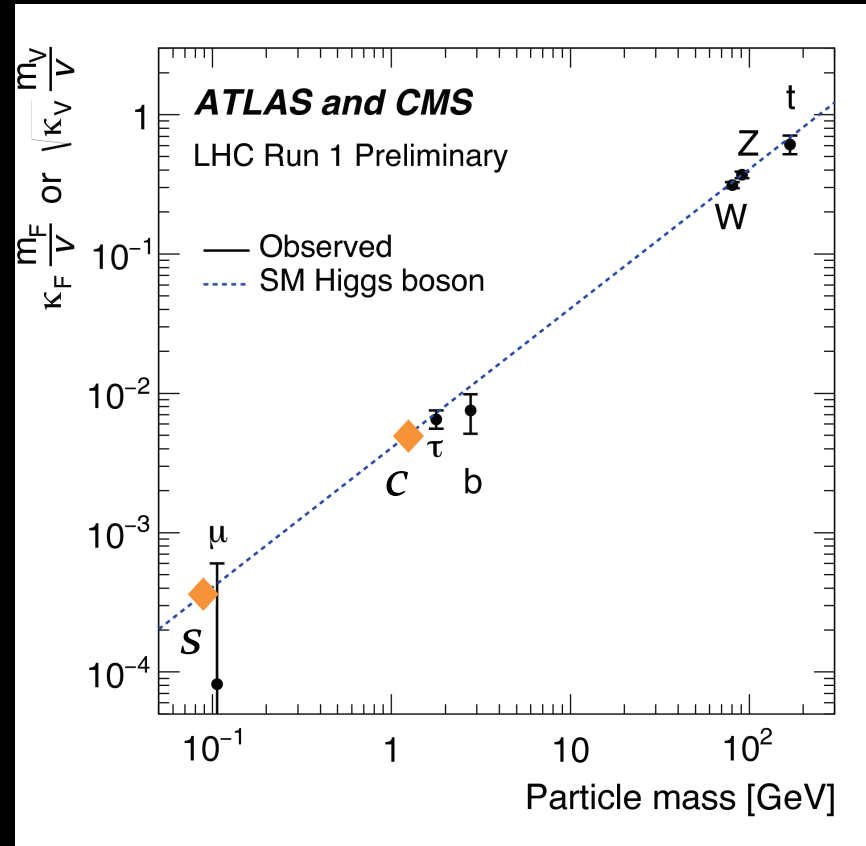
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Sensitivity to muon-coupling, with high-enough luminosity

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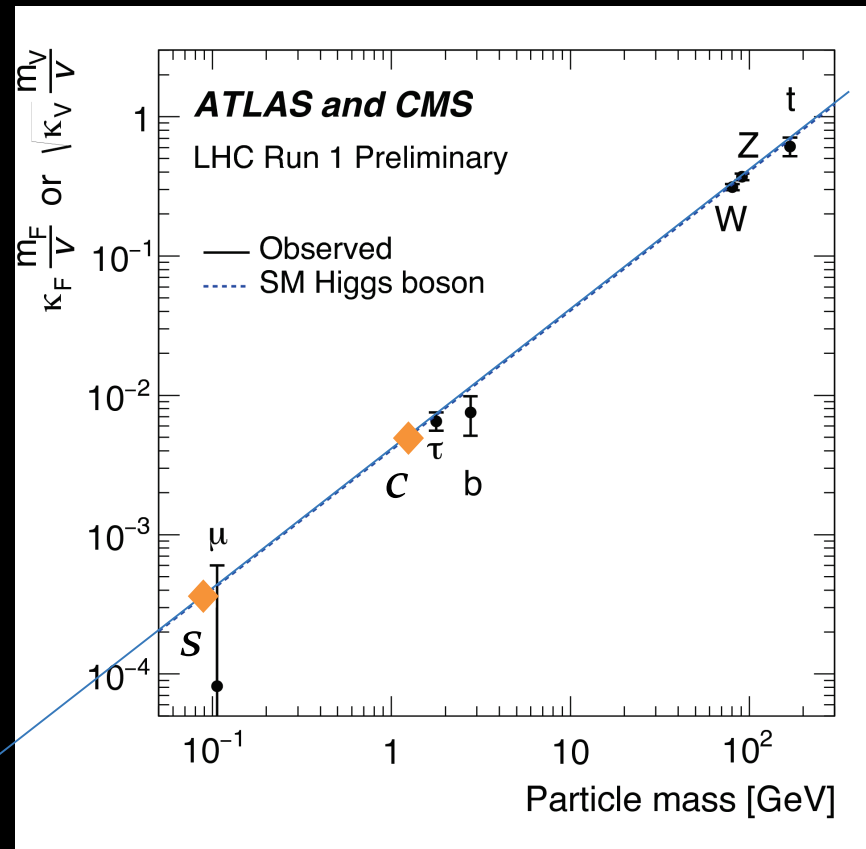
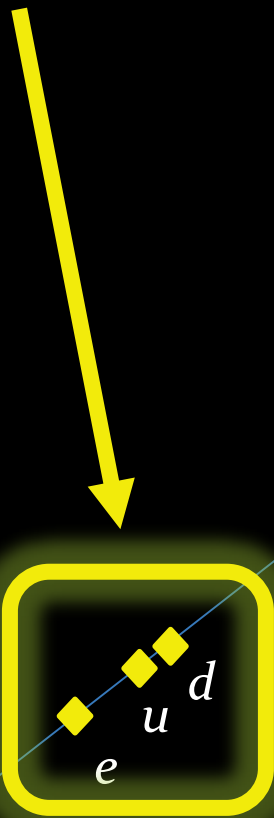
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[stable nuclei]
[chemistry]

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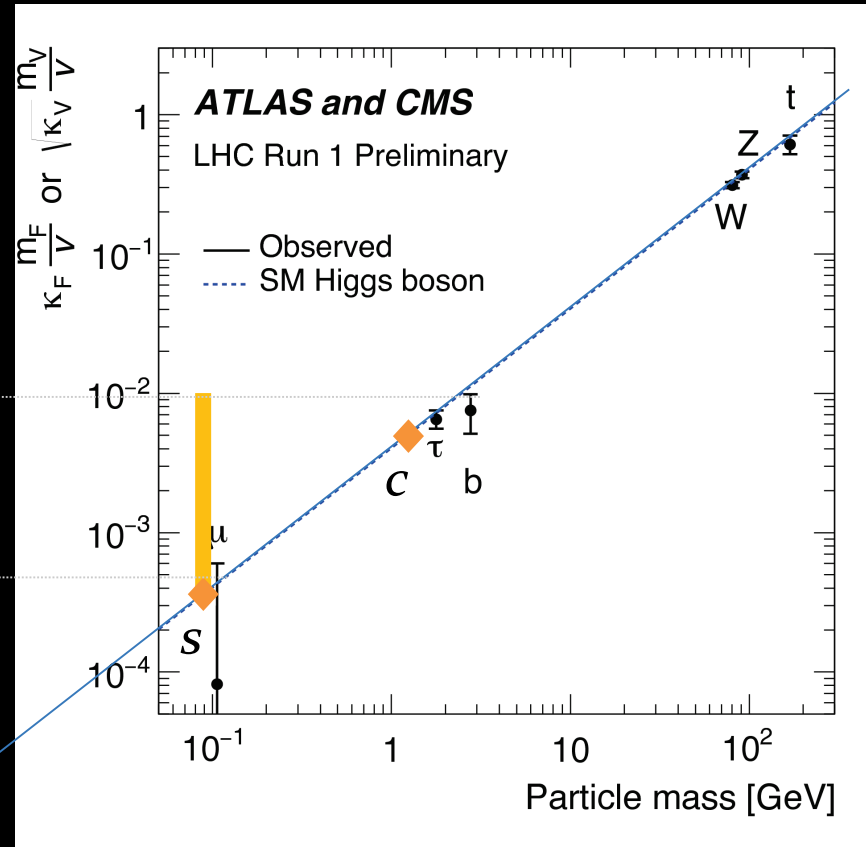
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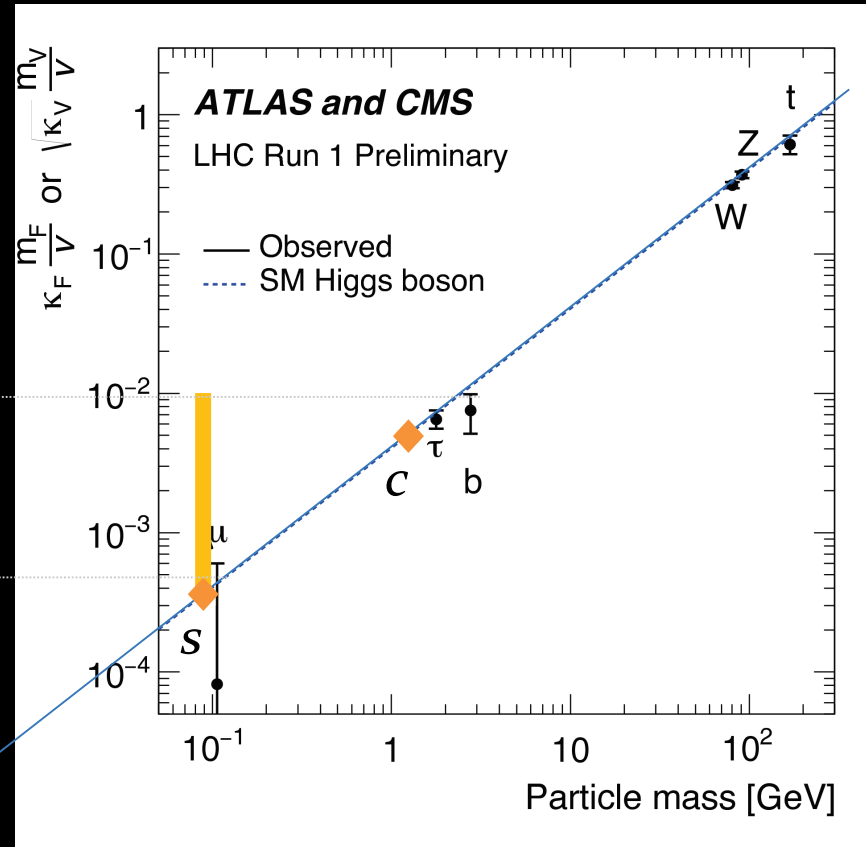
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↙ electron-density at the nucleus
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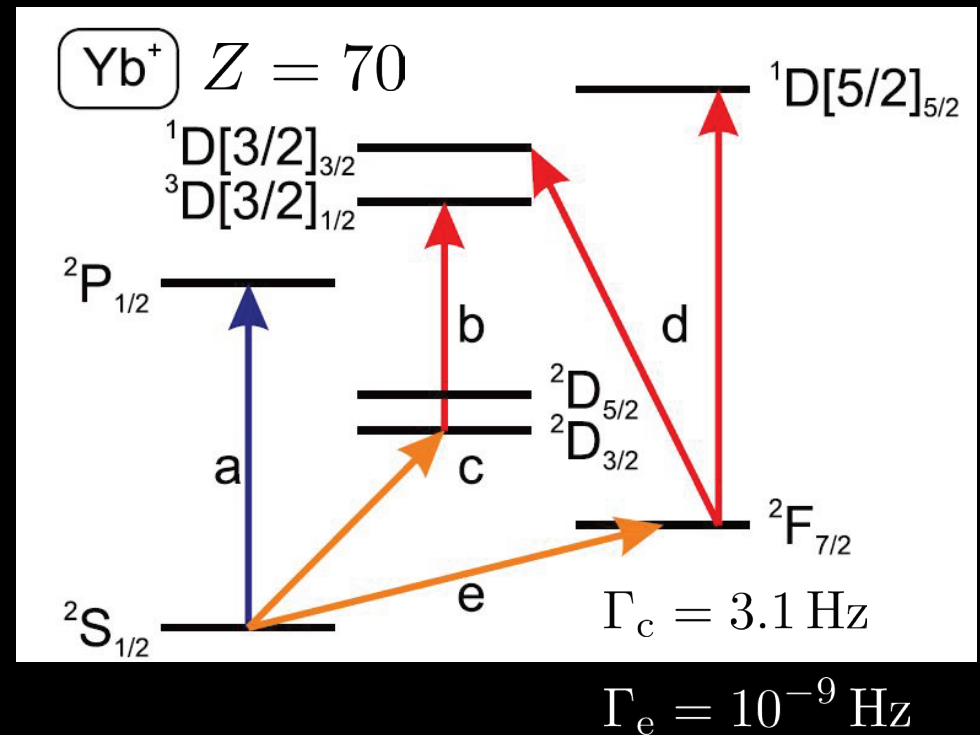
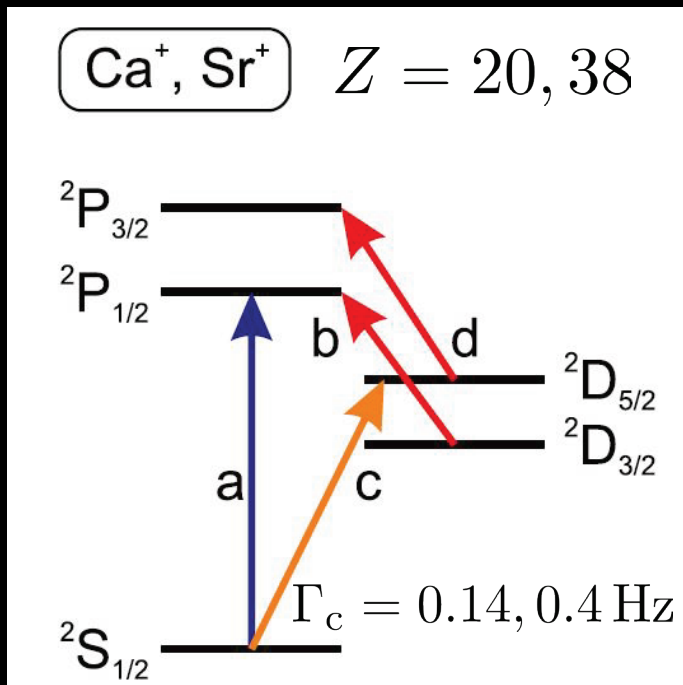
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- Theory side is however much less promising:
electron-electron correlations, nuclear finite-size,
relativistic corrections, QED...
are not accounted for at the 10^{-15} level...

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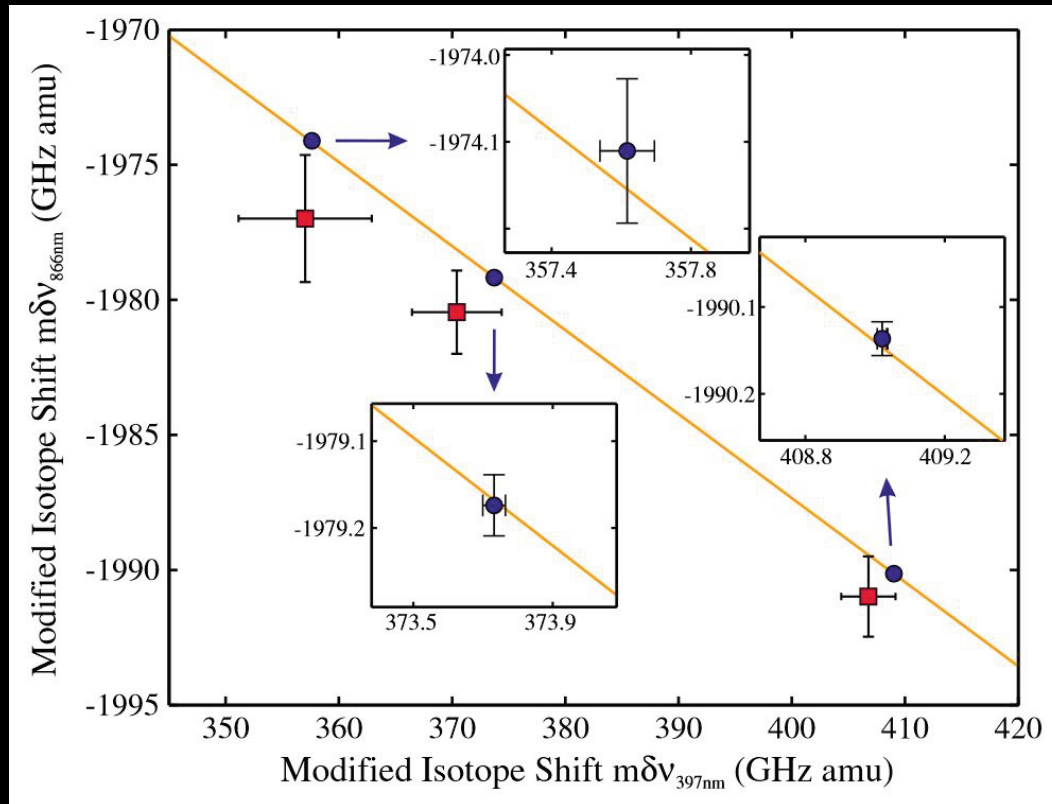
- Plot $m\delta\nu_{AA'}^1$ vs. $m\delta\nu_{AA'}^2$ along the isotopic chain and as long as linearity is observed, H_{21} can be bounded (unless accidentally $m\delta\nu \propto A'$)

Proof of Concept in Ca^+

Gebert et al. PRL 115 (2015)

$$A = 40, A' = 42, 44, 48$$

$$4S \rightarrow 3D_{5/2}$$



IS \sim 1 GHz
error \sim 100 kHz

$$y_e y_n \lesssim 40$$

$$4S \rightarrow 4P_{1/2} \text{ (not-clock)}$$

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Ytterbium (Yb^+) - as a test case

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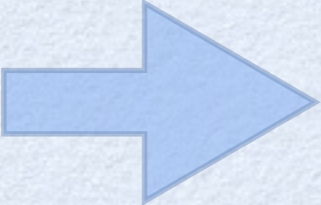
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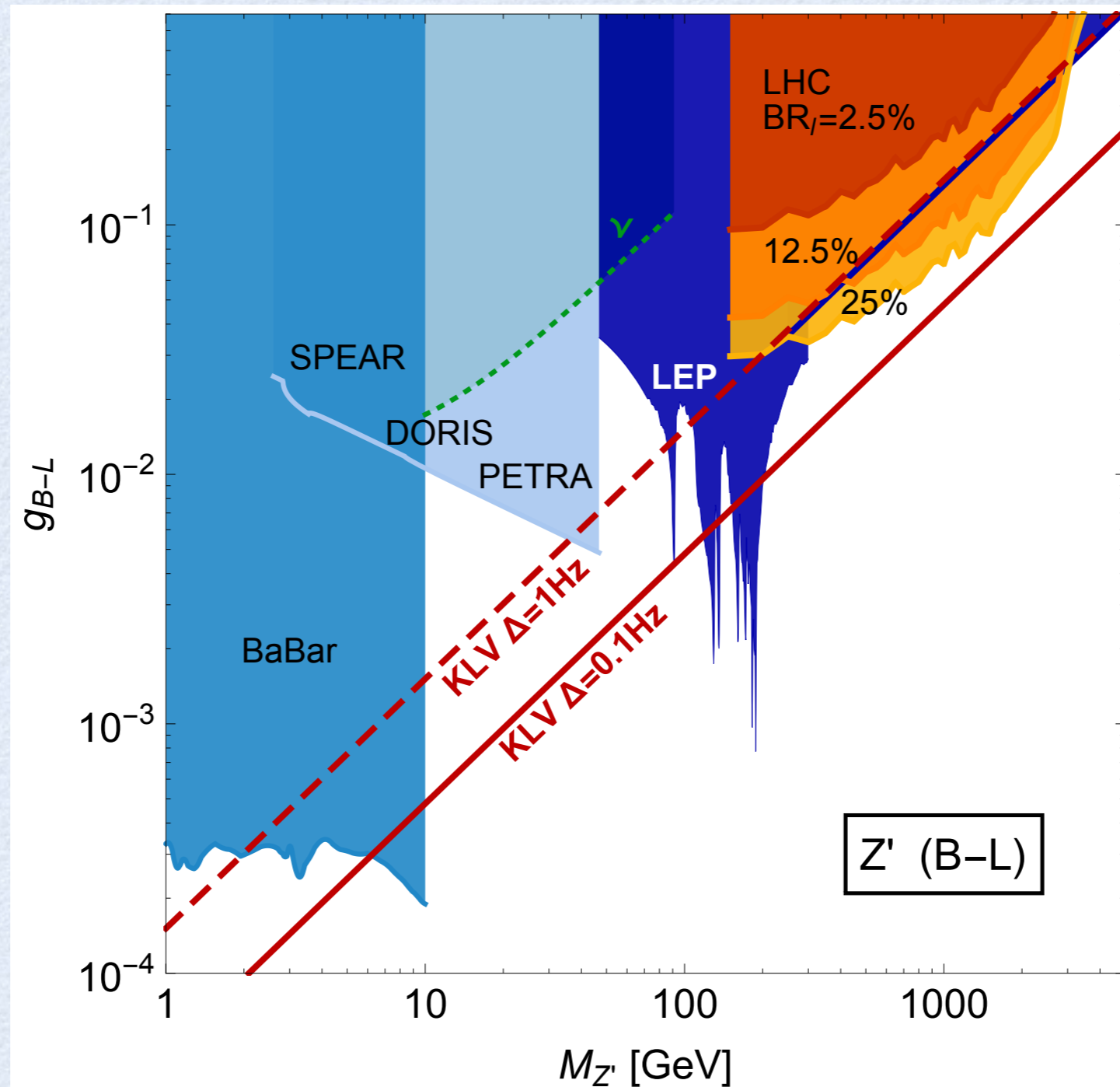
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~ LHC8, $\times 2$ LEP2

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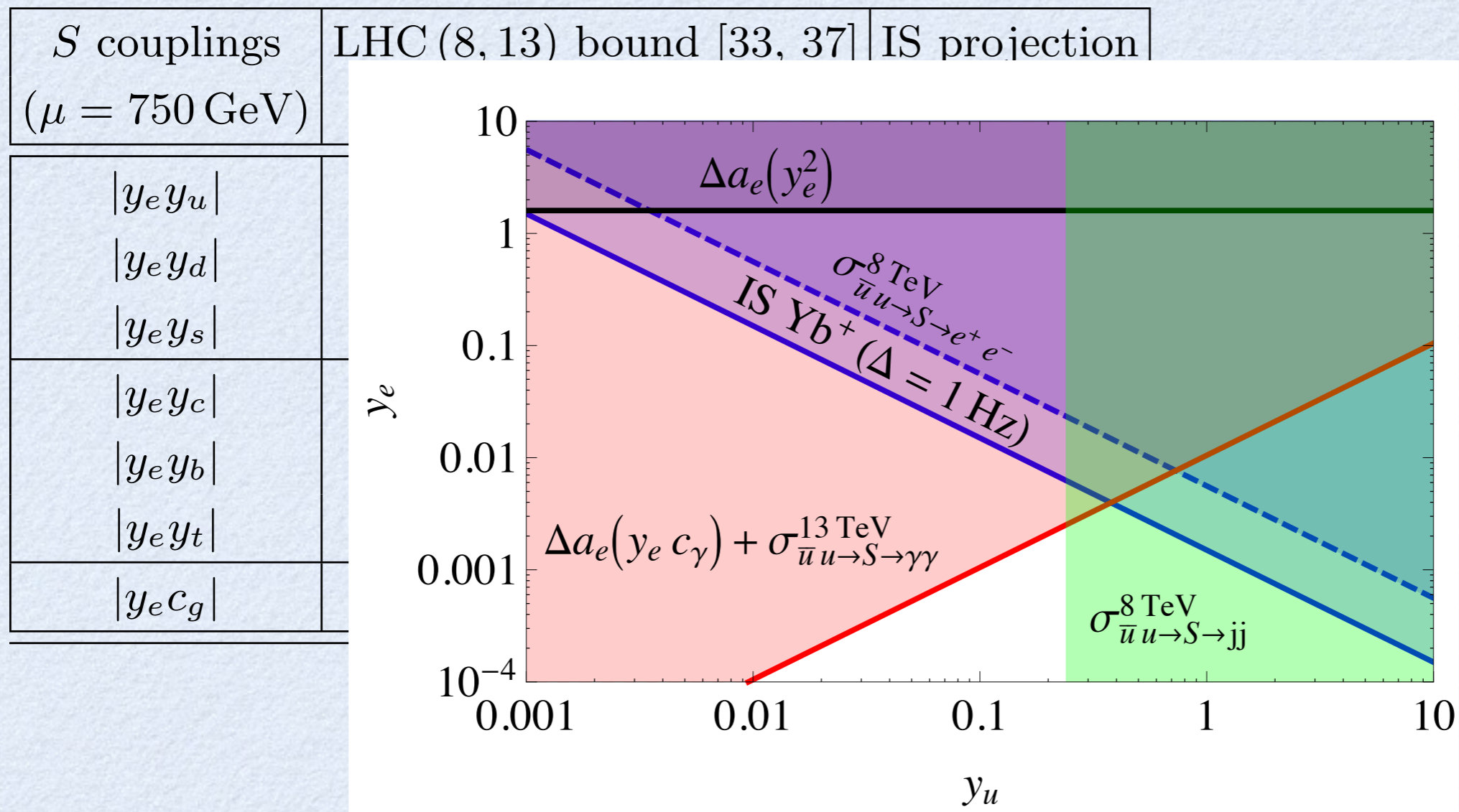
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from LHC: coupled to hadrons

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$ y_e y_s $	$(2.9, 2.5) \times 10^{-2}$	1.5×10^{-2}
$ y_e y_c $	$(3.6, 3.0) \times 10^{-2}$	9.6×10^{-2}
$ y_e y_b $	$(5.6, 4.5) \times 10^{-2}$	0.49
$ y_e y_t $	(0.19, 0.16)	32
$ y_e c_g $	(0.72, 0.60)	150

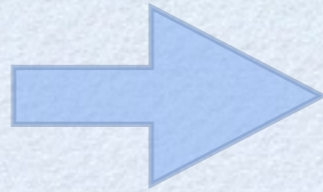
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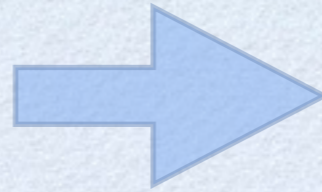


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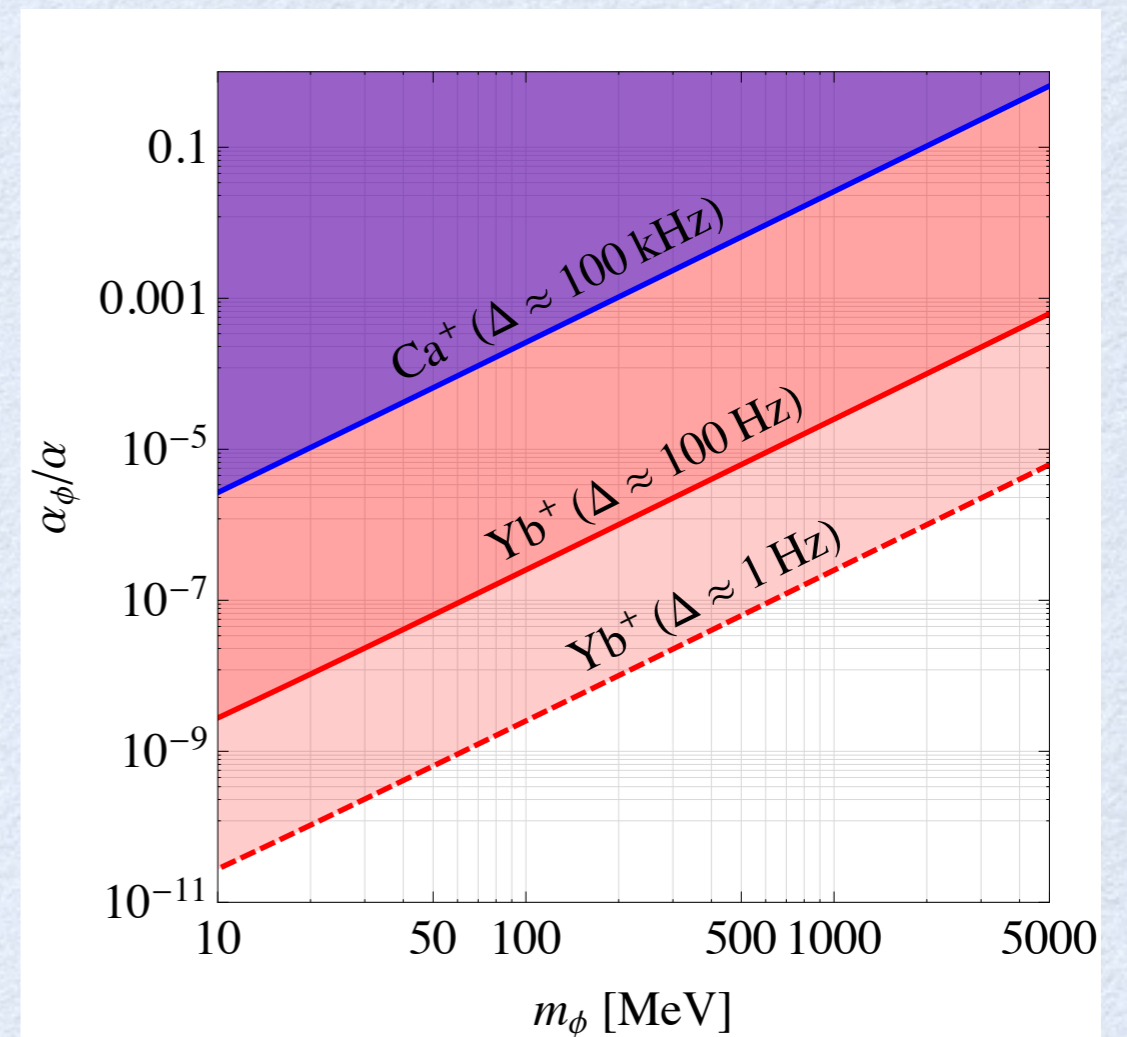


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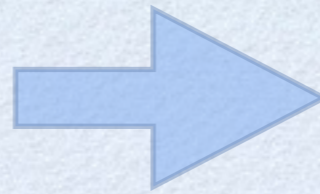
$$\psi(r \lesssim a_0/Z) \simeq \psi(0) e^{-Zr/a_0}$$

$$X_{AA'}^i \Big|_{\text{light}} \simeq 5 \times 10^7 \text{ Hz} \times (-1)^s \alpha_\phi N_e (N_A - N_{A'}) \times \frac{|\psi(0)|^2}{4a_0^{-3}} \left(\frac{\text{GeV}}{m_\phi + 2Za_0^{-1}} \right)^2. \quad (18)$$



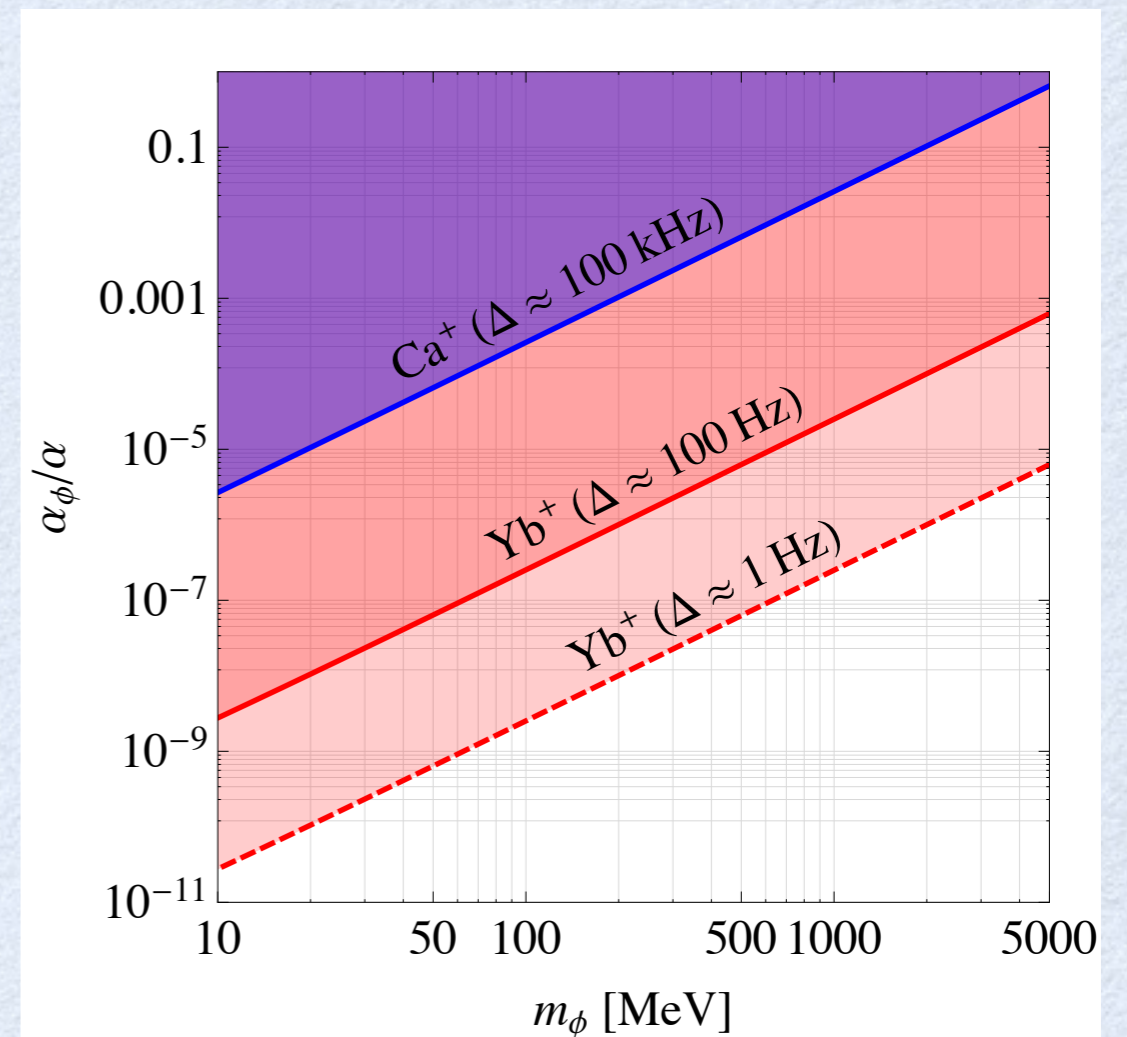
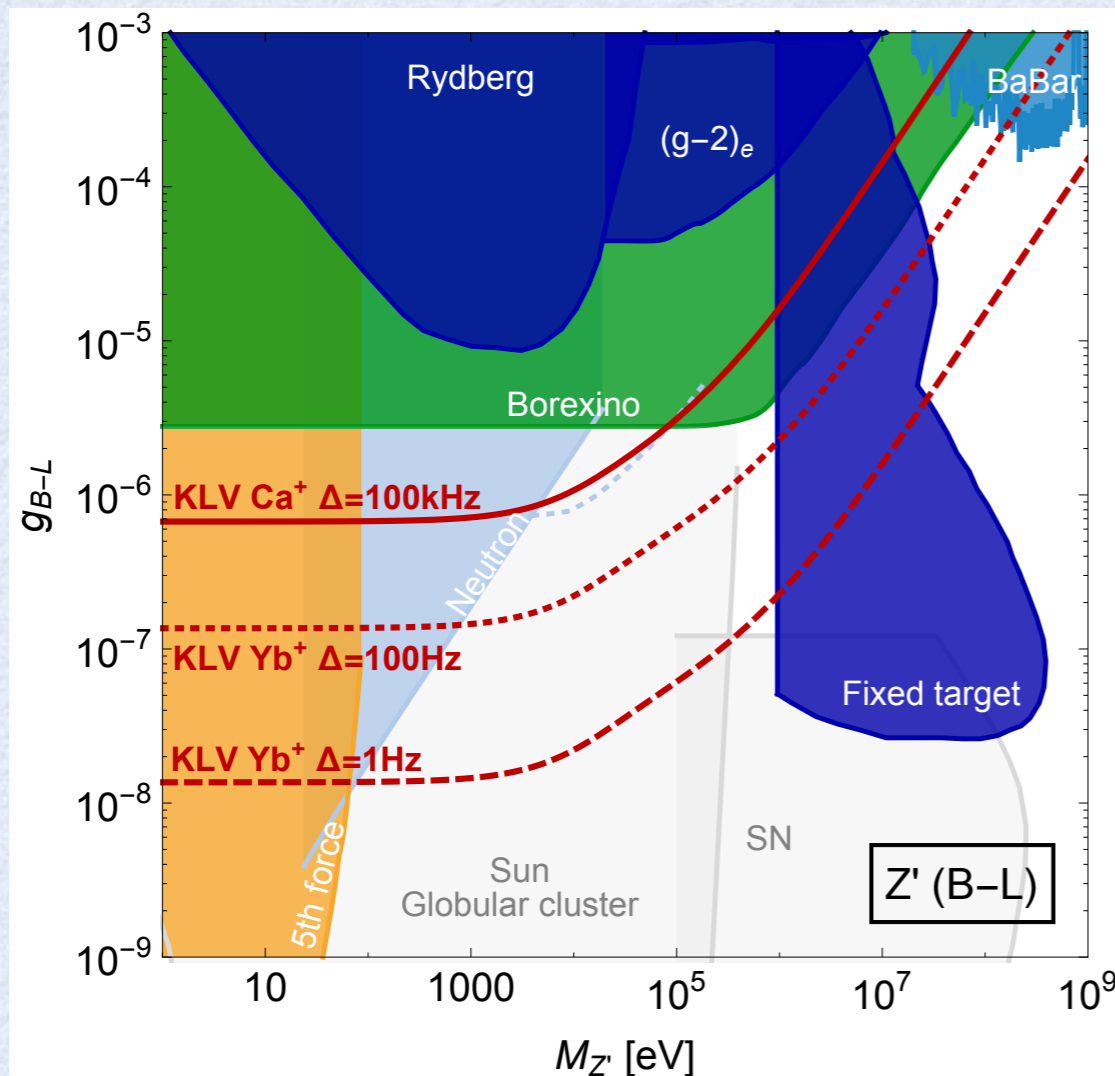
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SUMMARY

- the atomic Higgs force can be probed by the state-of-the-art isotope shift measurements, and may shed light on the flavor puzzle
- isotope shift can also probe
 - the Z^0 couplings
 - generic new physics, which is not aligned with QED
- not only Yb^+ , can consider also Ca/Ca^+ , Sr/Sr^+ , Dy

BACKUP SLIDES

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BUT NLO is linear up to overlap - extra suppression of ε_r

non linear effect in the King plot $(\varepsilon_r)^2 \sim 10^{-14}$

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Mass Shift NDA

$$\text{LO} : m_e \mu_{AA'} \sim \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon_\mu)$$

$$\text{NLO} : \sim \alpha^2 m_e^2 (1/m_A^2 - 1/m_{A'}^2)$$

$$\text{NLO/LO} \sim \alpha^2 \varepsilon_r \sim 10^{-10}$$

Palmer 87


more details

Electron Density in Nuclei

- Coulomb potential: $V(r) = -\frac{Z_{\text{eff}}(r)\alpha}{r}$

- Nuclear charge screened by inner electrons:

$$Z_{\text{eff}}(r) \sim \begin{cases} Z & r < a_0/Z \\ r/a_0 & a_0/Z < r < a_0/(1+n_e) \\ 1+n_e & r > a_0/(1+n_e) \end{cases}$$

ion charge 

See e.g. Budker-Kimball-DeMille: Atomic Physics

- Using non-relativistic hydrogen-like wavefunction:

$$|\psi(0)|^2 \simeq \frac{4.2Z}{a_0^3} (1+n_e)^2$$

Higher-Order Corrections

- Need to control King's linearity at least down to:

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Higgs force} \longrightarrow \\ \text{total IS} \longrightarrow \end{array} \frac{\text{Hz}}{\text{GHz}} \sim 10^{-9}$$

- Higher-order corrections are not trivial to compute, many-body, relativistic simulations are needed [in progress]
- Yet, IS are controlled by two small parameters:

$$\begin{aligned} \varepsilon_\mu &= m_e \mu_{AA'} \sim (A - A') 10^{-8} \\ \varepsilon_r &= \delta \langle r^2 \rangle_{AA'} / a_0^2 \sim (A - A') 10^{-11} \end{aligned}$$

- So, we can entertain NDA...

Field Shift

- Perturbation theory: Seltzer '69
Blundell et al. '87

$$\delta\nu_{AA'}^{\text{FS}} = -e \int d^3r_e |\psi(r_e)|^2 \delta V(r_e), \quad \delta V(r_e) = \frac{Ze}{4\pi} \int d^3r_N \frac{\delta\rho(r_N)}{|\vec{r}_e - \vec{r}_N|}$$

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electron density
nuclear potential

nuclear charge distribution
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- LO: $\propto |\psi(0)|^2 \delta\langle r^2 \rangle_{AA'} \sim \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon_r)$
- NLO/LO: $\sim \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon_\mu^2, \varepsilon_r^2, \varepsilon_\mu \varepsilon_r) / \varepsilon_r \sim 10^{-7}$
- NLO is linear up to overlap with the nucleus $\sim \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon_r)$
- Hence, non-linearities are only of $\mathcal{O}(\varepsilon_\mu^2) \sim 10^{-14}$

Specific Mass Shift

- MS arises from:
 - « rescaling » Rydberg constant (normal MS)
 - electron-electron correlation, relativistic... (specific MS)
- at LO, both scale like $m_e \mu_{AA'} \sim \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon_\mu)$
- NLO correction is parametrically: Palmer '87
$$\sim \alpha^2 m_e^2 (m_A^{-2} - m_{A'}^{-2})$$
- Hence, NLO/LO $\sim \mathcal{O}(\alpha^2 \varepsilon_r) \sim 10^{-10}$