



# Higgs Bosons below 125 GeV?!

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- Motivation
- What to expect from SUSY Higgs Bosons
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**A1:** check changed properties

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## Models with extended Higgs sectors:

1. SM with additional Higgs singlet
  2. Two Higgs Doublet Model (THDM): type I, II, III, IV
  3. Minimal Supersymmetric Standard Model (MSSM)
  4. MSSM with one extra singlet (NMSSM)
  5. MSSM with more extra singlets
  6. SM/MSSM with Higgs triplets
  7. ....
- ⇒ BSM models without extended Higgs sectors still have changed Higgs properties (quantum corrections!)
- ⇒ SM + vector-like fermions, Higgs portal, Higgs-radion mixing, ...

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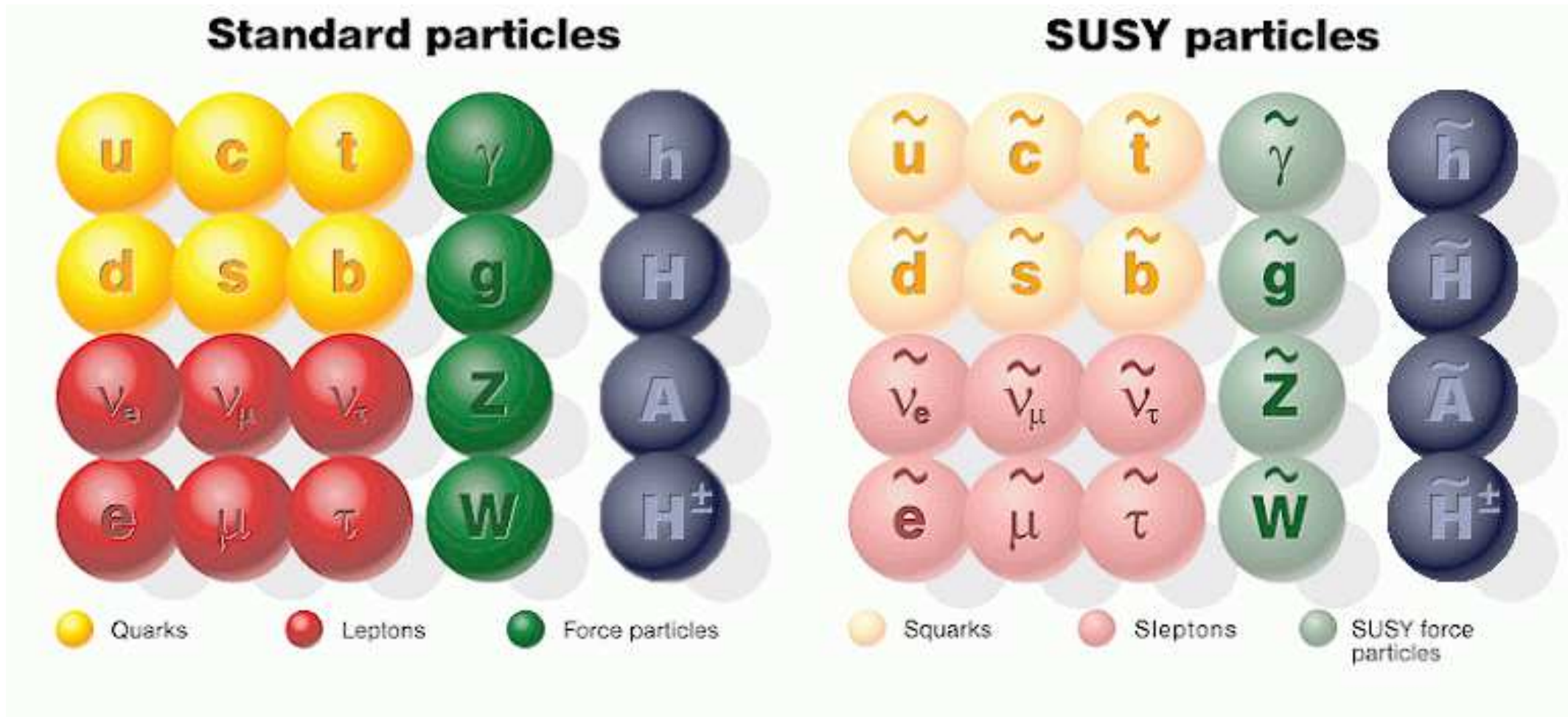
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$\Rightarrow$  **good motivation to look at SUSY! :-)**

# The Minimal Supersymmetric Standard Model (MSSM)

## Superpartners for Standard Model particles



Problem in the MSSM: more than 100 free parameters

Nobody(?) believes that a model describing nature has so many free parameters!

## A. Unconstrained models (MSSM):

agnostic about how SUSY breaking is achieved

no particular SUSY breaking mechanism assumed, parameterization of possible soft SUSY-breaking terms

most general case: 105 new parameters: masses, mixing angles, phases

( $\Rightarrow$  many (close to) zero according to experimental data)

$\Rightarrow$  no model missed (within the MSSM)

$\Rightarrow \mathcal{O}(100)$  parameters difficult to handle

## B. Constrained models:

CMSSM, NUHM1, NUHM2, SU(5), mAMSB, sub-GUT, FUTs, ...:

assumption on the scenario that achieves spontaneous SUSY breaking

$\Rightarrow$  prediction for soft SUSY-breaking terms

in terms of small set of parameters

$\Rightarrow$  easy to handle, but not all relevant phenomenology captured

## C. Benchmark scenarios:

fix all-2 MSSM parameters in a smart way, explore benchmark planes

$\Rightarrow$  easy to handle, interesting phenomenology captured!

## The MSSM Higgs sector:

Enlarged Higgs sector: Two Higgs doublets

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$$V = m_1^2 H_1 \bar{H}_1 + m_2^2 H_2 \bar{H}_2 - m_{12}^2 (\epsilon_{ab} H_1^a H_2^b + \text{h.c.}) \\ + \underbrace{\frac{g'^2 + g^2}{8}}_{\text{gauge couplings, in contrast to SM}} (H_1 \bar{H}_1 - H_2 \bar{H}_2)^2 + \underbrace{\frac{g^2}{2}}_{\text{gauge couplings, in contrast to SM}} |H_1 \bar{H}_2|^2$$

physical states:  $h^0, H^0, A^0, H^\pm$       Goldstone bosons:  $G^0, G^\pm$

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2  $\mathcal{CP}$ -violating phases:  $\xi, \arg(m_{12}) \Rightarrow$  can be set/rotated to zero



## The Higgs sector of the cMSSM at the loop-level:

Complex parameters enter via loop corrections:

- $\mu$  : Higgsino mass parameter
- $A_{t,b,\tau}$  : trilinear couplings  $\Rightarrow X_{t,b,\tau} = A_{t,b,\tau} - \mu^* \{\cot \beta, \tan \beta\}$  complex
- $M_{1,2}$  : gaugino mass parameter (one phase can be eliminated)
- $M_3$  : gluino mass parameter

$\Rightarrow$  can induce  $\mathcal{CP}$ -violating effects

Result:

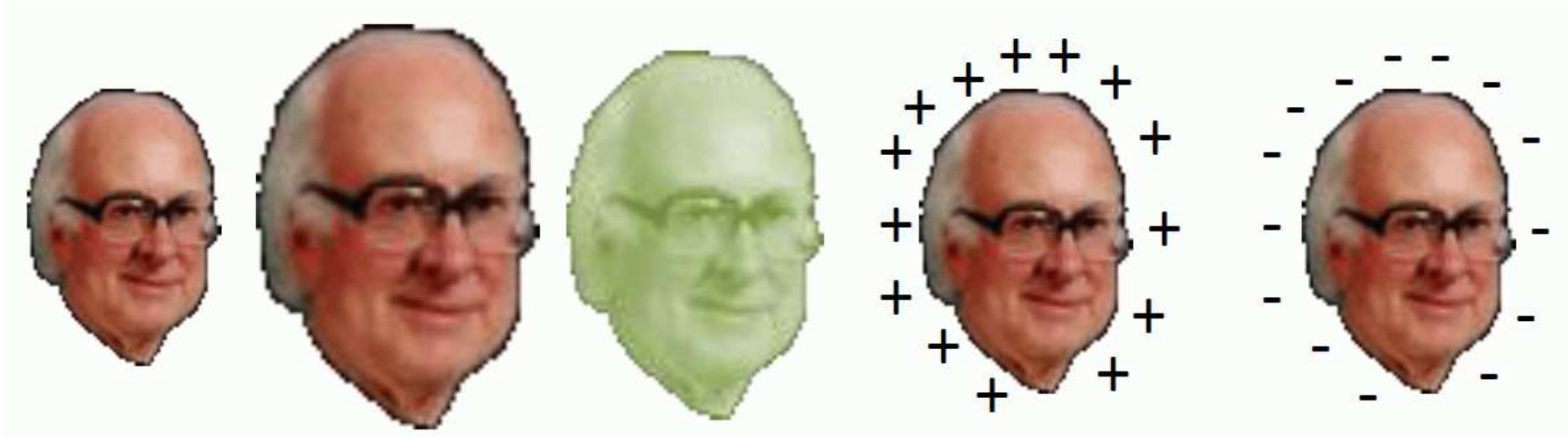
$$(A, H, h) \rightarrow (h_3, h_2, h_1)$$

with

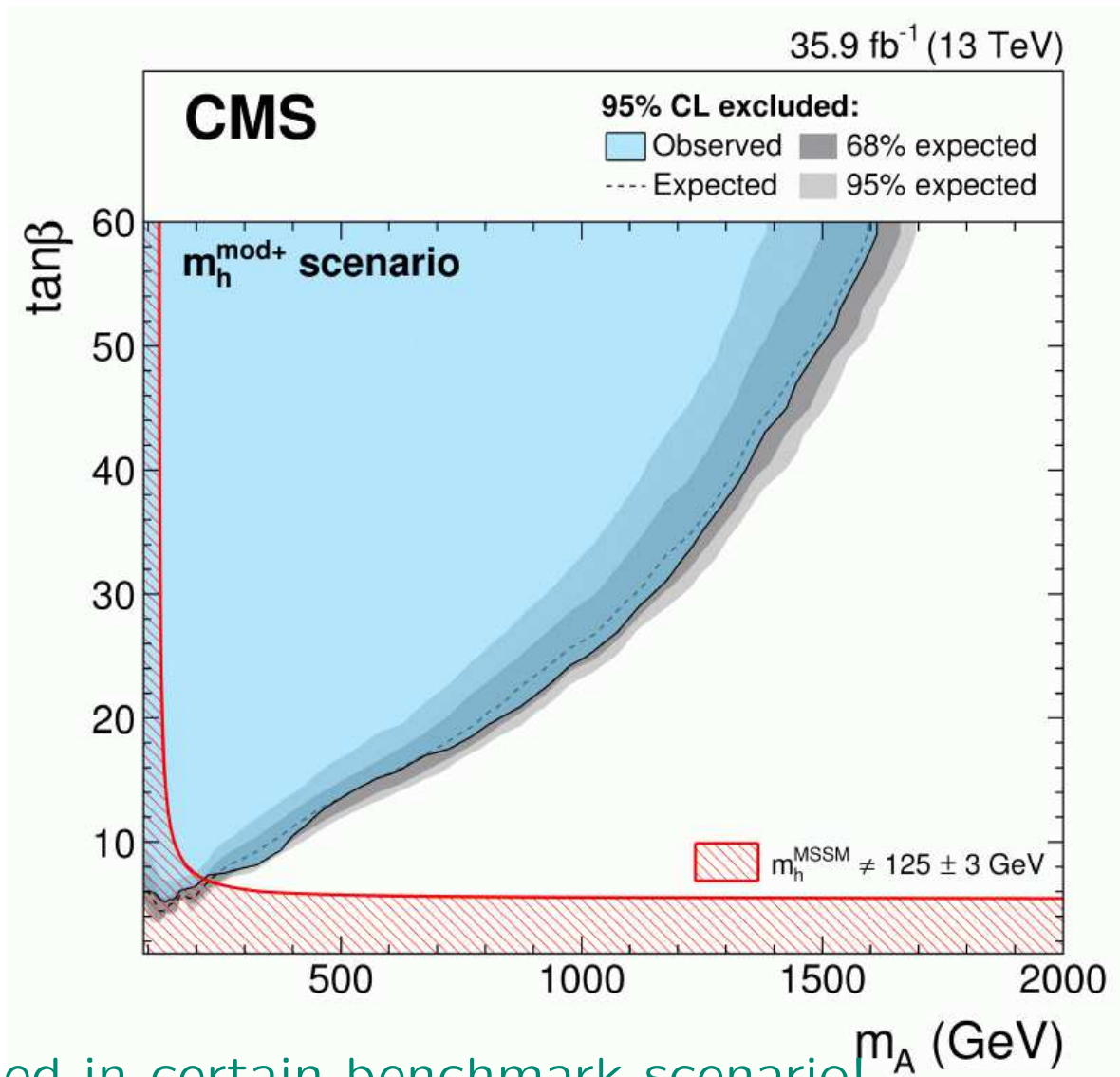
$$m_{h_3} > m_{h_2} > m_{h_1}$$

$\Rightarrow$  strong changes in Higgs couplings to SM gauge bosons and fermions

## 2. What to expect from SUSY Higgs Bosons



MSSM Higgs exclusion contours in  $M_A$ - $\tan\beta$  plane:  $b\bar{b}, gg \rightarrow h, H, A \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$



⇒ limits obtained in certain benchmark scenario!

## We have a $\sim 125$ GeV SM-like Higgs boson

⇒ What are the options?

### 1. Decoupling limit:

$M_A \gg M_Z \Rightarrow$  the light Higgs becomes SM-like

### 2. Alignment without decoupling:

⇒ a  $\mathcal{CP}$ -even Higgs becomes SM-like due to an “accidental”  
cancellation

### 3. Heavy Higgs SM-like: (in the “alignment w/o decoupling” scen.)

⇒ is the case with the heavy  $\mathcal{CP}$ -even Higgs being SM-like

⇒ a case with a Higgs below 125 GeV!

⇒ (still) a viable solution?!

## Obtaining a light Higgs with SM-like couplings

[J. Gunion, H. Haber, hep-ph/0207010]

→  $\mathcal{CP}$  conserving 2HDM in the Higgs basis ( $\langle H_1 \rangle = v/\sqrt{2}$ ,  $\langle H_2 \rangle = 0$ )

$$\mathcal{V} = \dots + \frac{1}{2}Z_1(H_1^\dagger H_1)^2 + \dots + \left[ \frac{1}{2}Z_5(H_1^\dagger H_2)^2 + Z_6(H_1^\dagger H_1)(H_1^\dagger H_2) + \text{h.c.} \right] + \dots$$

⇒  $\mathcal{CP}$ -even mass matrix:

$$\mathcal{M}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} Z_1 v^2 & Z_6 v^2 \\ Z_6 v^2 & M_A^2 + Z_5 v^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

with mixing angle  $\cos(\beta - \alpha) \equiv c_{\beta-\alpha}$

Decoupling limit:  $M_A^2 \gg Z_i v^2$   
⇒  $m_h^2 \sim Z_1 v^2$ ,  $|c_{\beta-\alpha}| \ll 1$ ,  $h$  is SM-like

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Compare:  $m_h^{\text{mod+}}$  and  $m_h^{\text{alt}}$  :

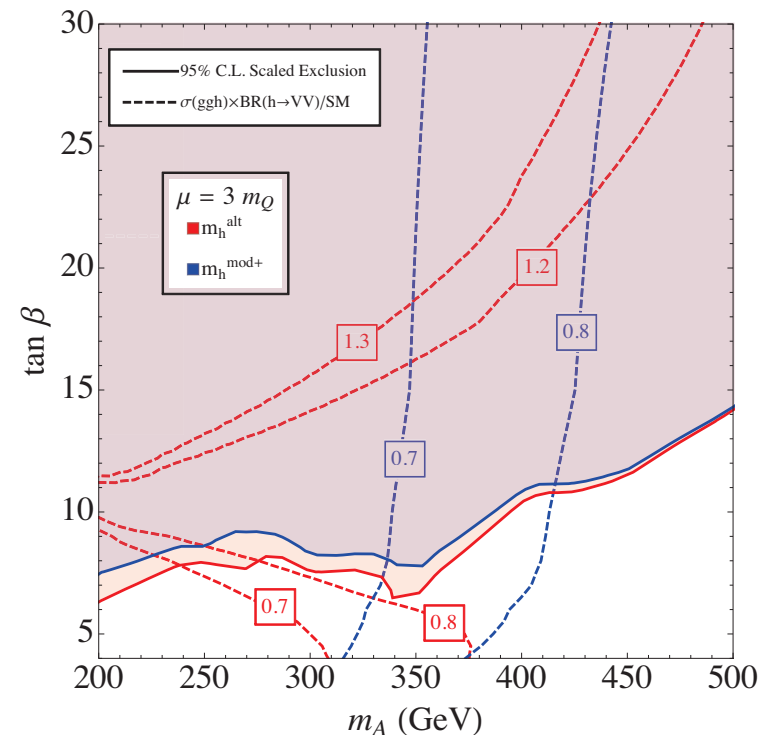
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$m_h^{\text{alt}}$ : **HiggsSignals** [P. Bechtle et al. '15]

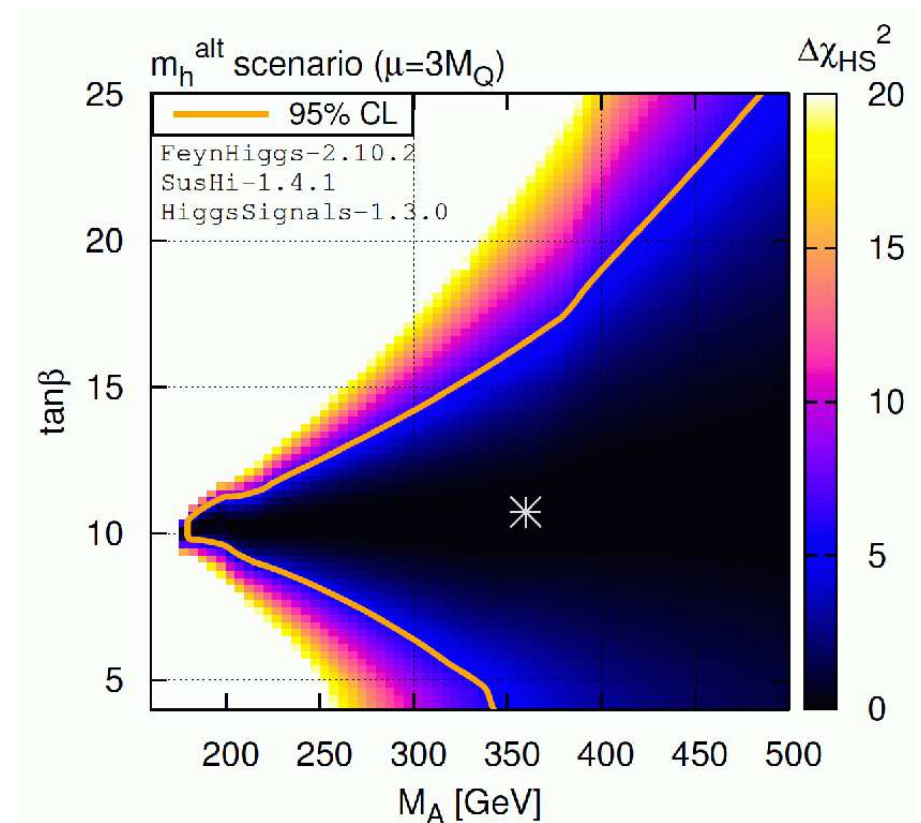
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## Search for the MSSM Higgs bosons:

Smart choice of MSSM parameters?

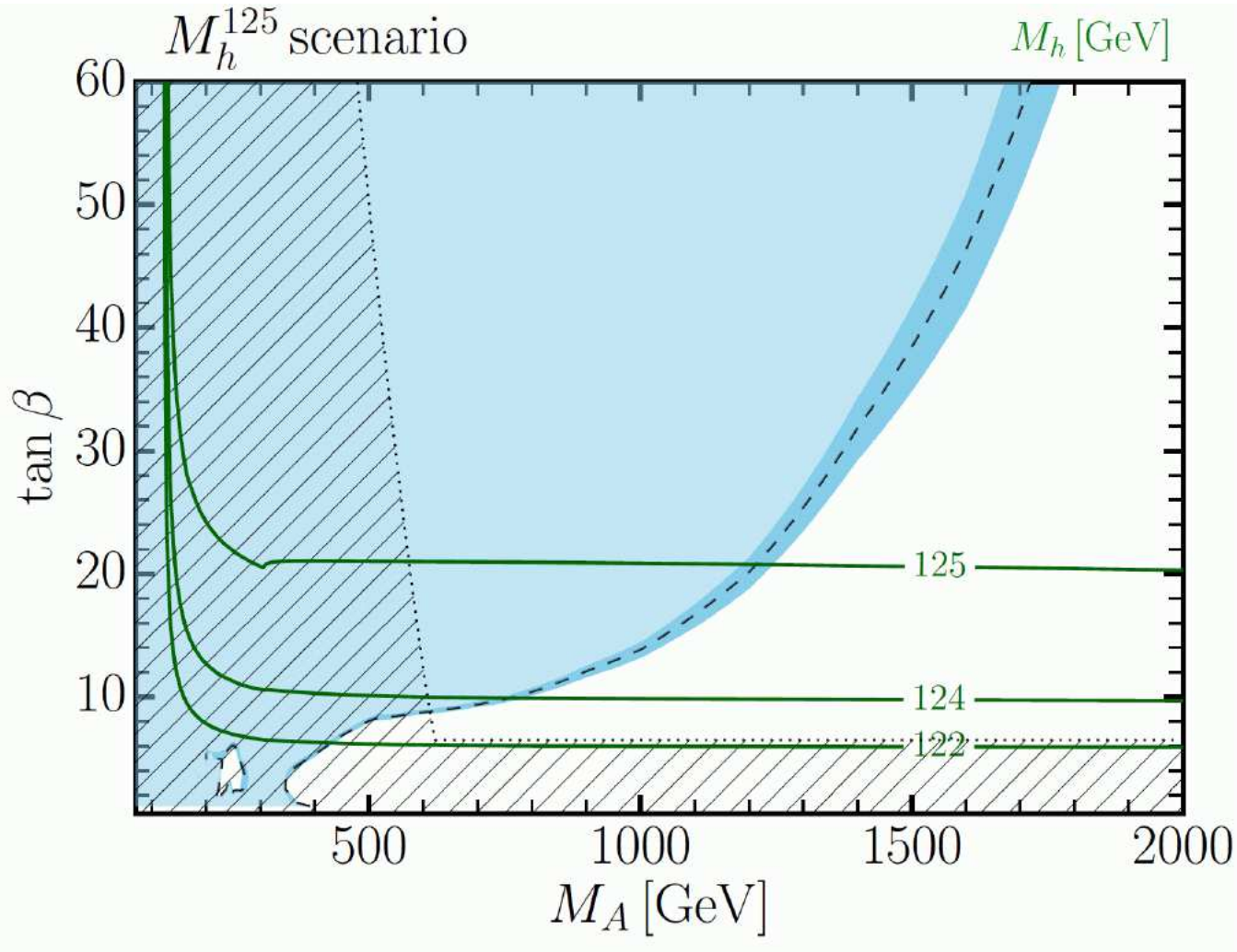
→ investigate benchmark scenarios:

→ Vary only  $M_A$  and  $\tan\beta$   
→ Keep all other SUSY parameters fixed

[H. Bahl, E. Fuchs, T. Hahn, S.H., S. Liebler, S. Patel, P. Slavich, T. Stefaniak, C. Wagner, G. Weiglein '18]

1.  $M_h^{125}$  scenario: 2HDM-like model
2.  $M_h^{125}(\tilde{\tau})$  scenario: light staus:  $h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ ,  $H/A \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}\tilde{\tau}$
3.  $M_h^{125}(\tilde{\chi})$  scenario: light EW-inos:  $H/A \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_i^0 \tilde{\chi}_j^0, \tilde{\chi}_k^\pm \tilde{\chi}_l^\mp$
4.  $M_h^{125}$  (alignment) scenario:  $h$  SM-like for very low  $M_A$
5.  $M_H^{125}$  scenario:  $M_H \sim 125$  GeV, all Higgses light
6.  $M_{h_1}^{125}$  (CPV) scenario: complex phases,  $h_2$ - $h_3$  interference





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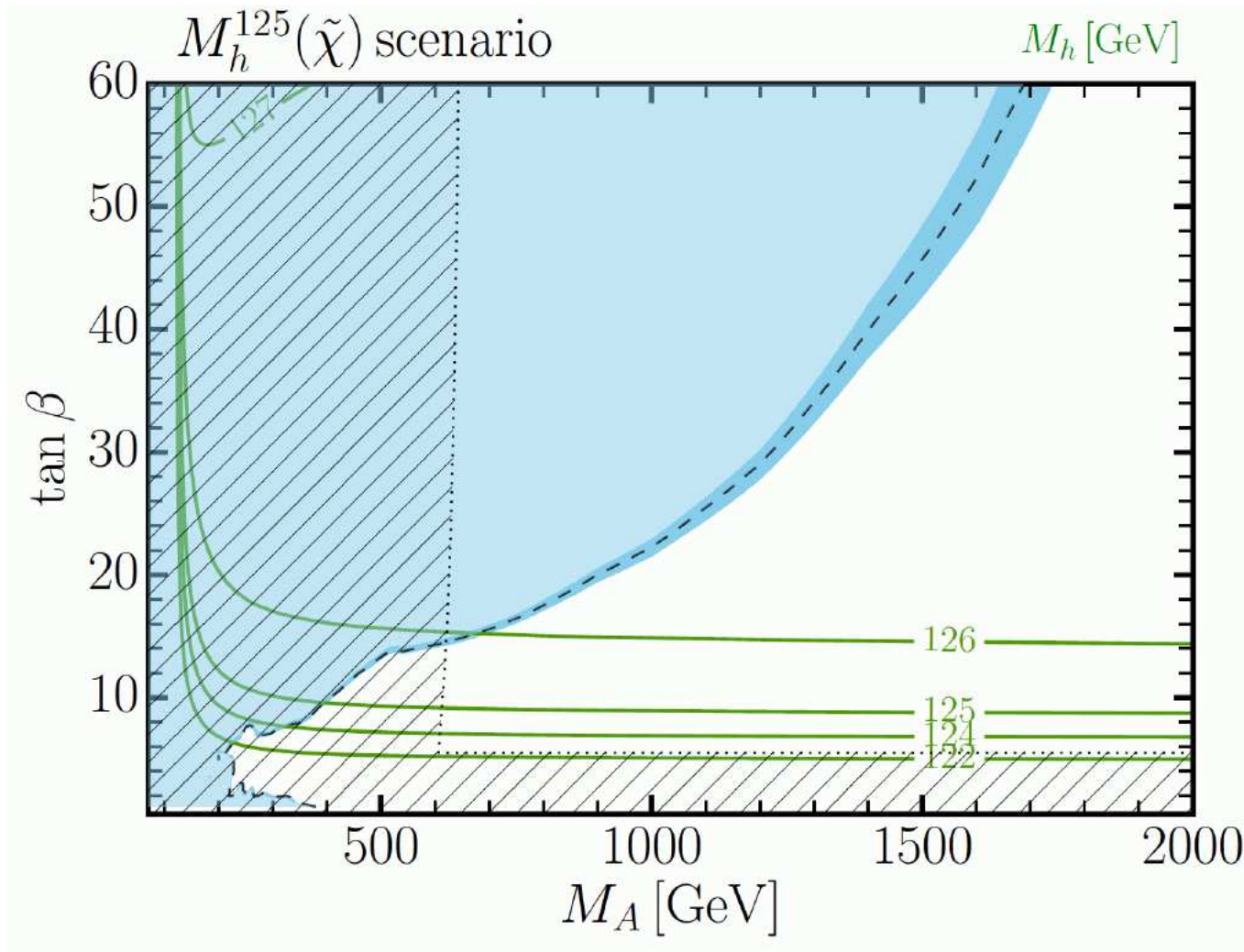
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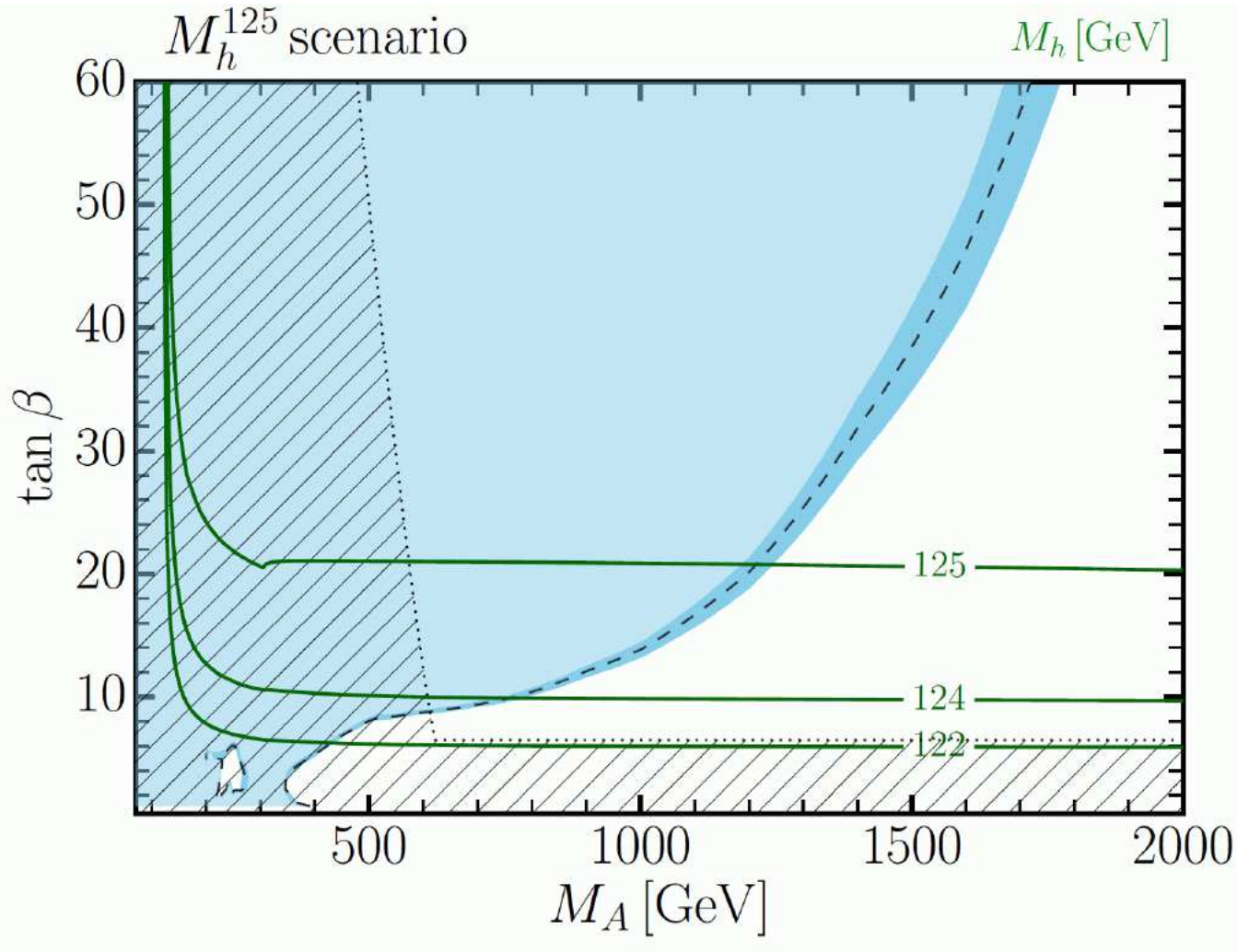
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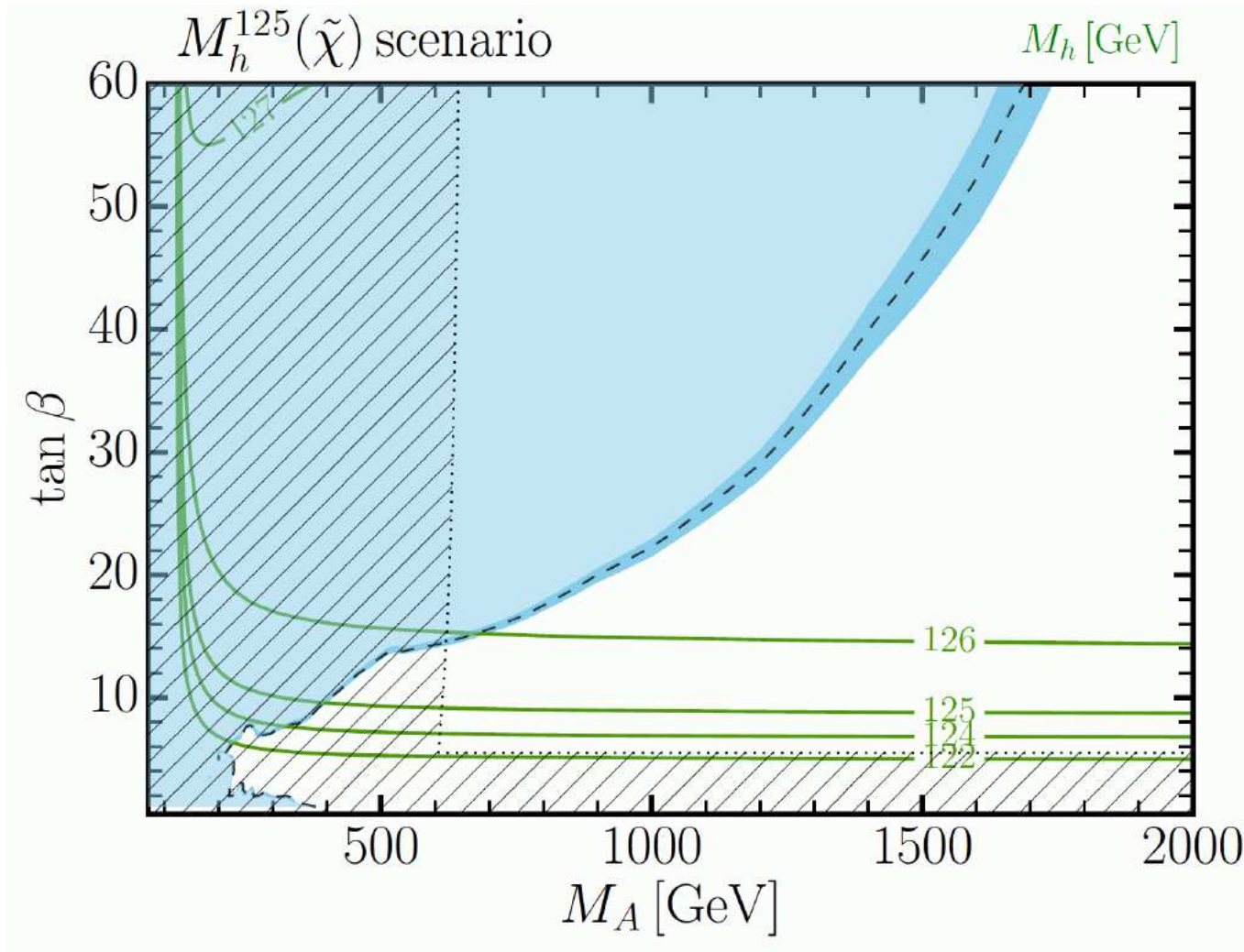
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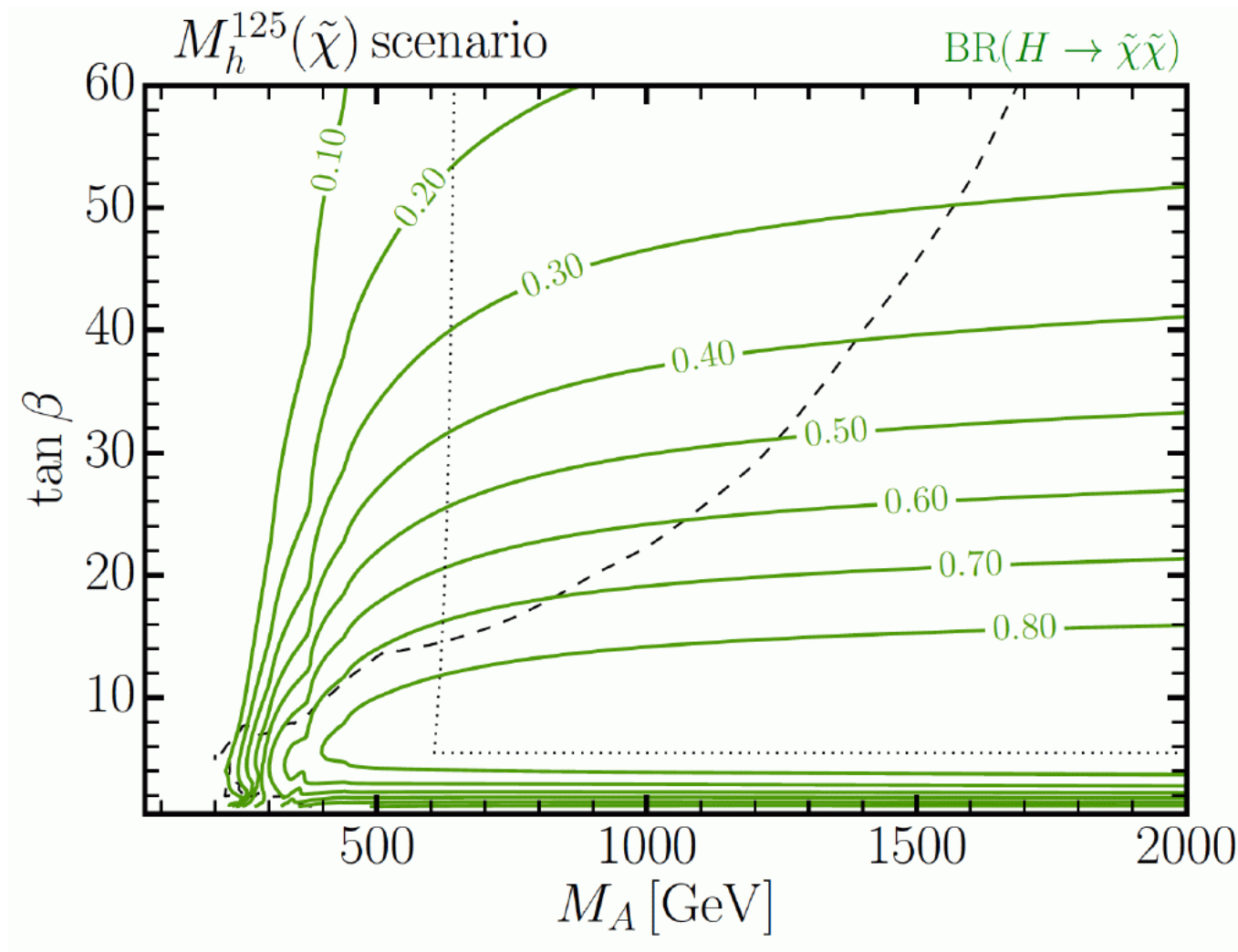
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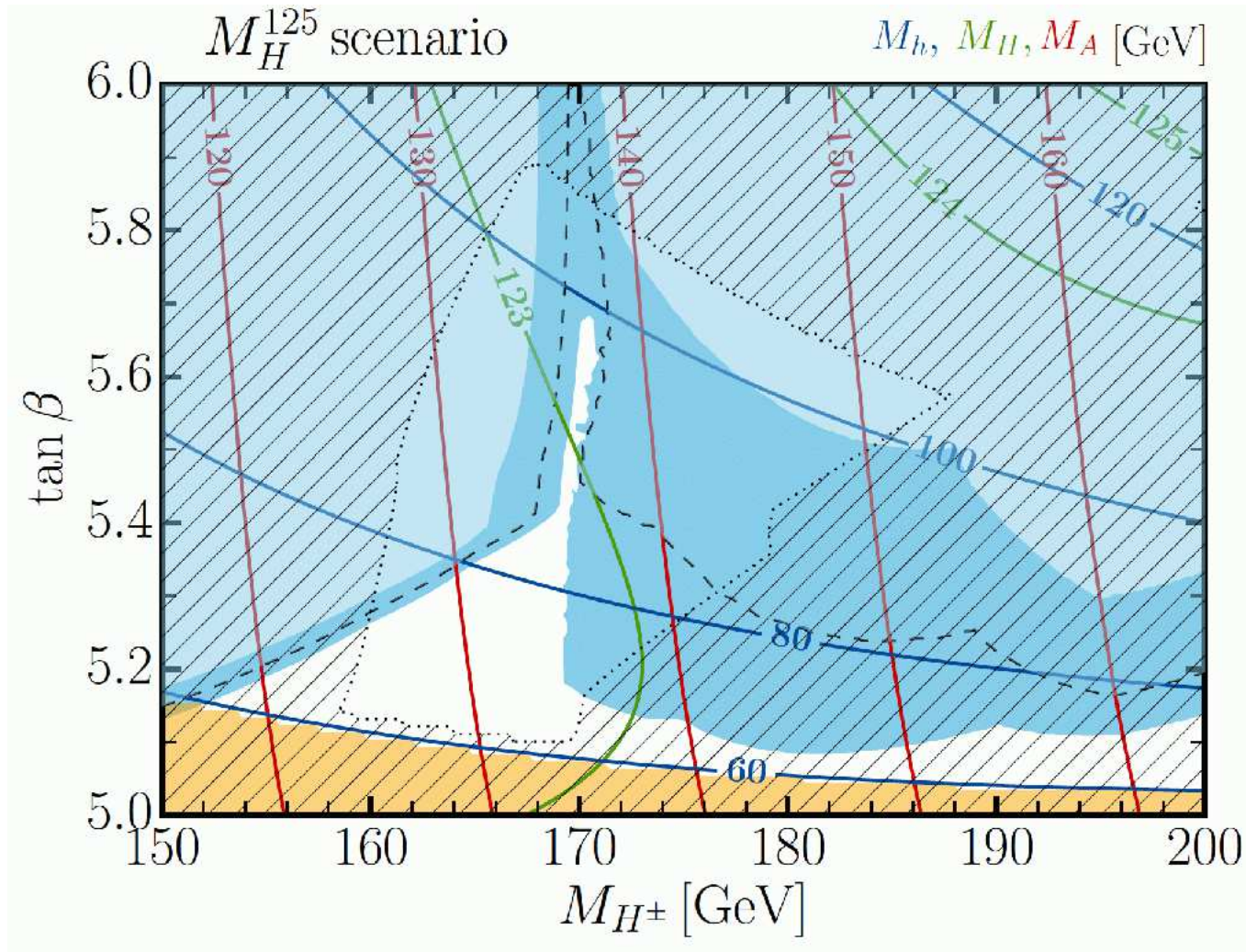
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⇒ Huge BR of heavy Higgses to EW-inos



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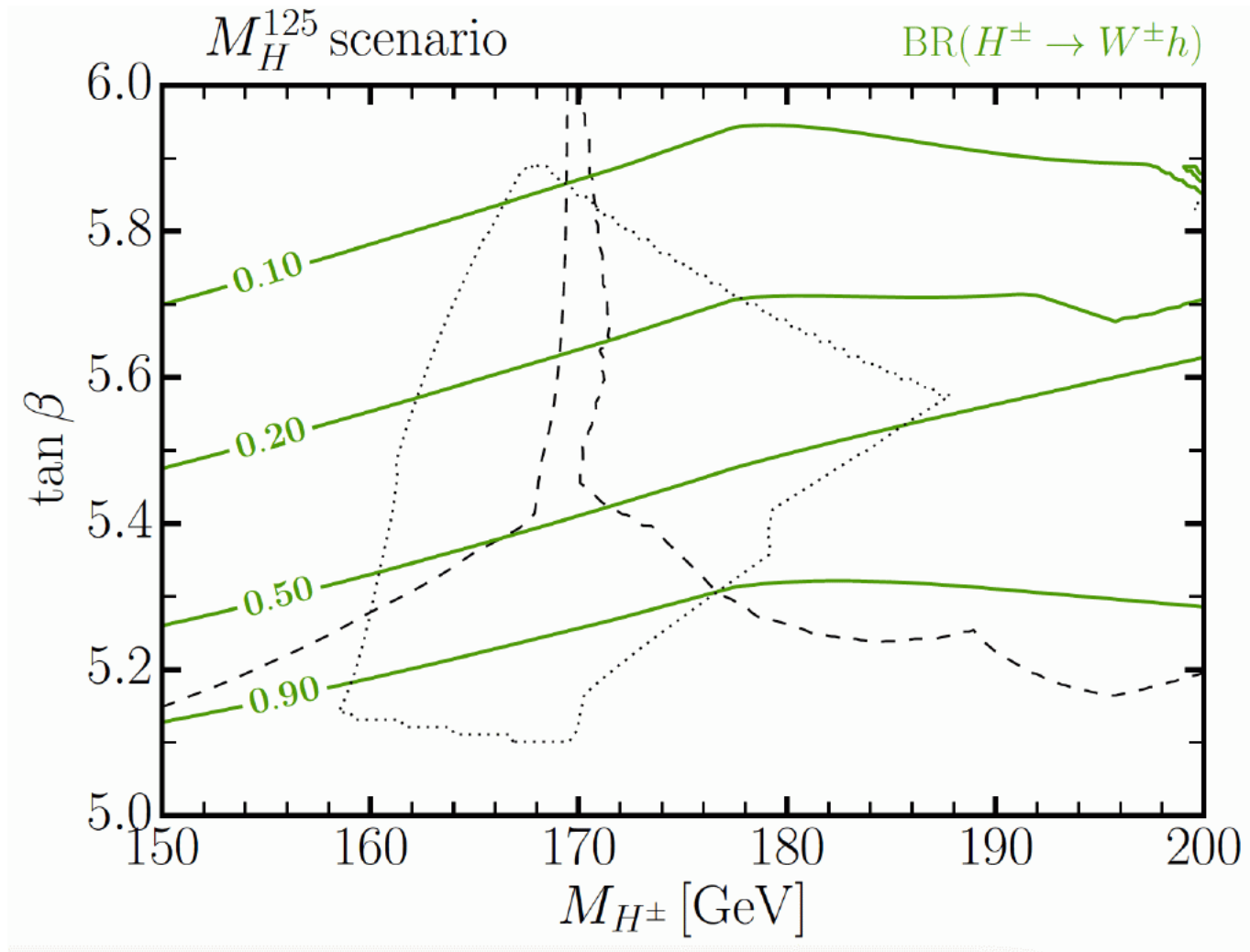
$$M_1 = M_{\tilde{Q}_3} - 75 \text{ GeV}$$

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$$A_t = A_b = A_\tau = 0.65 M_{\tilde{Q}_3}$$

⇒ exotic solution still viable!

⇒ scenario with a Higgs below 125 GeV!



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$\Rightarrow$  large  $BR(H^\pm \rightarrow W^\pm h)$

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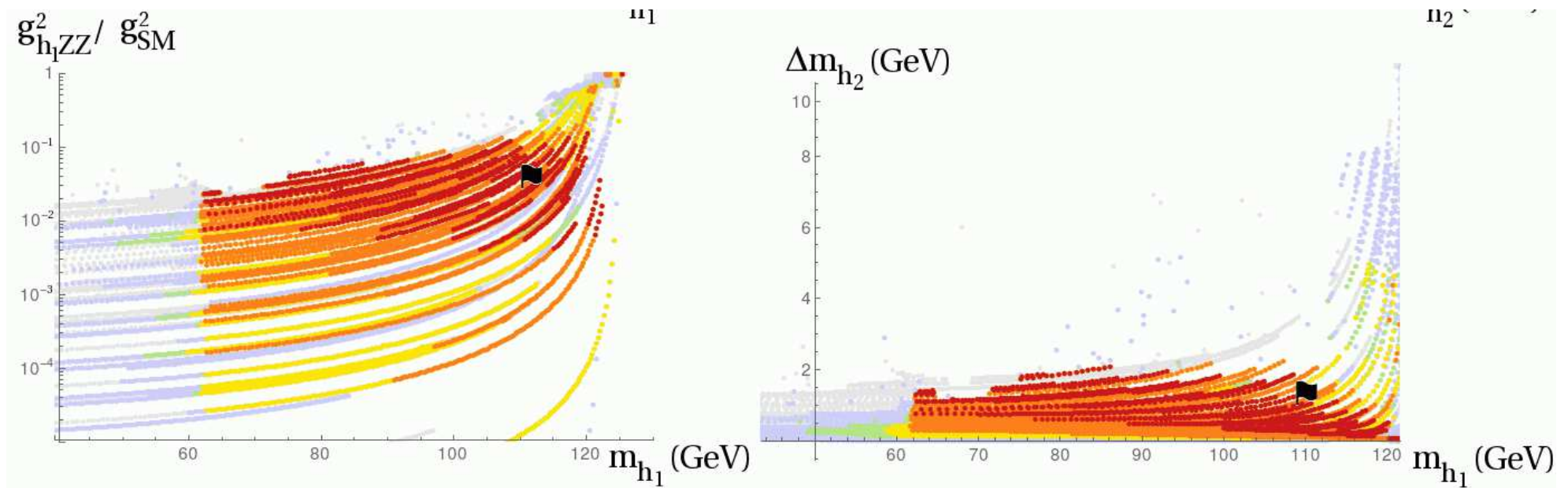
“Easily” possible in the NMSSM:

Light, singlet-like Higgs below 125 GeV

Which collider can find them?

Parameters:

$\tan \beta = 8$ ,  $M_A = 1$  TeV,  $A_\kappa = -2 \dots 0$  TeV,  $\mu = 120 \dots 2000$  GeV,  
 $2M_1 = M_2 = 500$  GeV,  $M_3 = 1.5$  TeV,  $m_{\tilde{Q}_3} = 1$  TeV,  $m_{\tilde{Q}_{1,2}} = 1.5$  TeV,  
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⇒ light Higgs below 125 GeV

⇒ strongly reduced couplings to gauge bosons!

⇒ possibly within ILC reach!

### 3. A Higgs Boson at 96 GeV?!

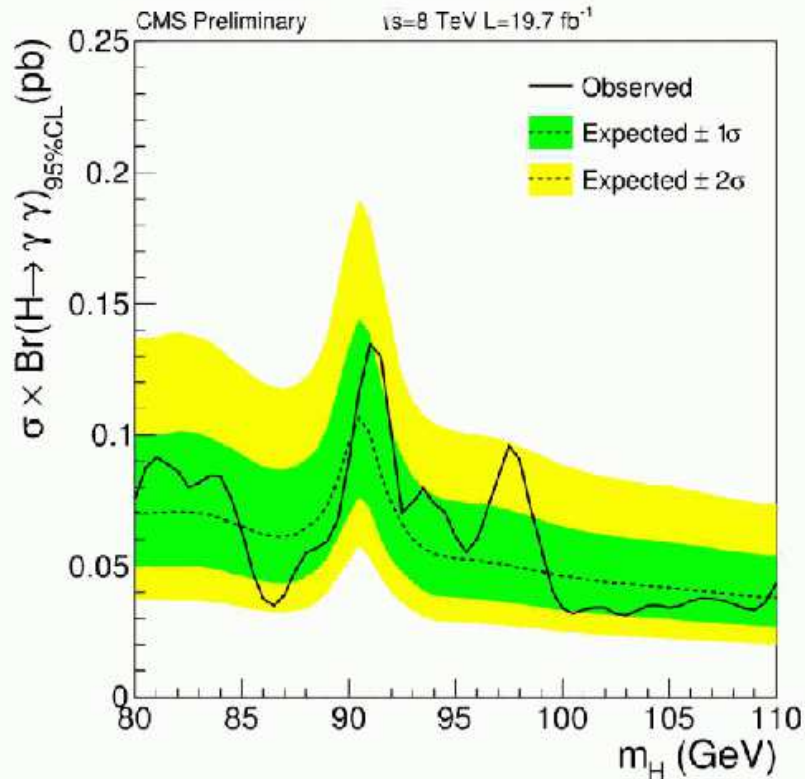
- What was seen in Run I?
- What was seen in Run II?
- What was seen at LEP?
- Should we get excited?
- Which model fits?
- Implications for the ILC250

# $h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ (65-110 GeV) Run 1

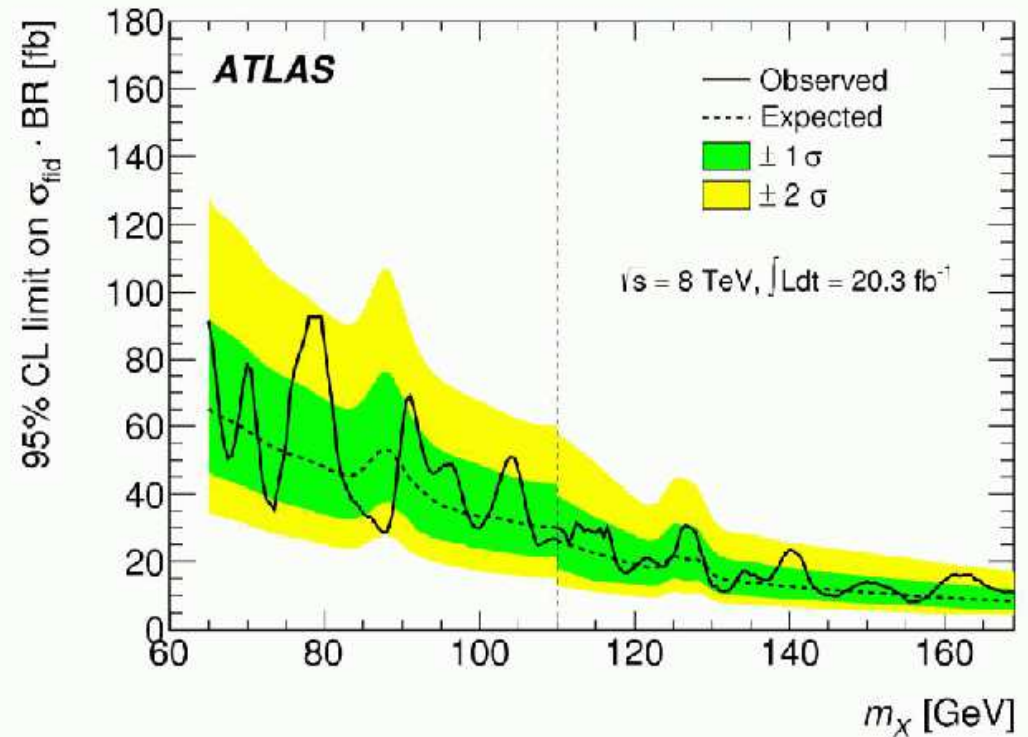


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•  $\sim 2\sigma$  excursion @  $\sim 97.5$  GeV



•  $\sim 2\sigma$  excursion @  $\sim 80$  GeV

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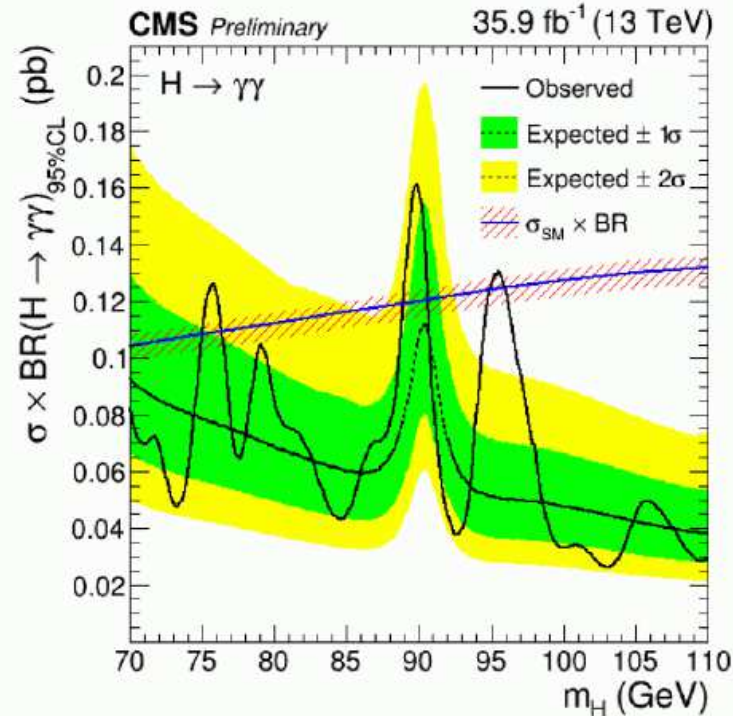
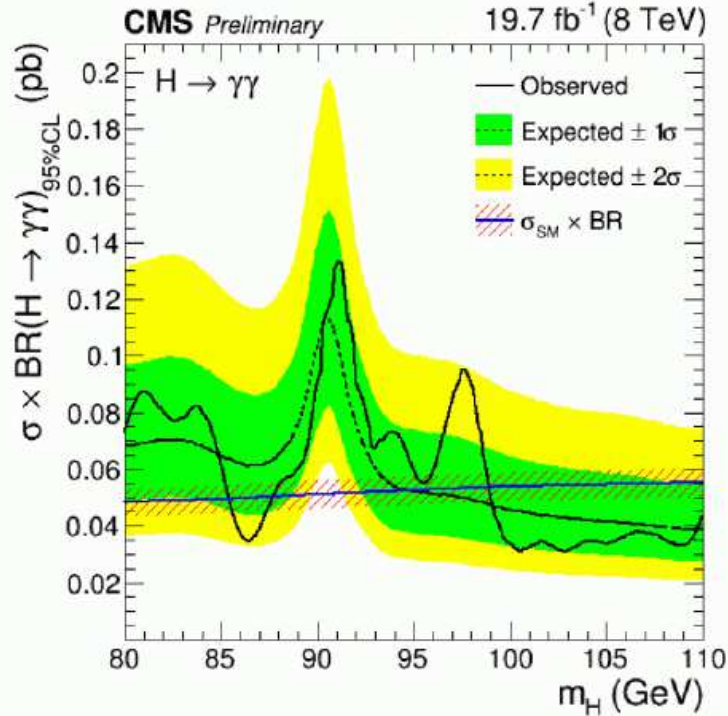
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# $h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ (70-110 GeV) Runs 1+2



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8 TeV:  
 minimum(maximum)  
 limit on  $\sigma \times \text{Br}$  :  
 31(133) fb at  
 $m=102.8(91.1)\text{GeV}$

13 TeV:  
 minimum(maximum)  
 limit on  $\sigma \times \text{Br}$  :  
 26(161) fb at  
 $m=103.0(89.9)\text{GeV}$

- 8 TeV limits on  $\sigma \times \text{Br}$  redone with 0.1 GeV step. Production processes assumed in SM proportions. No significant excess with respect to expected limits observed.

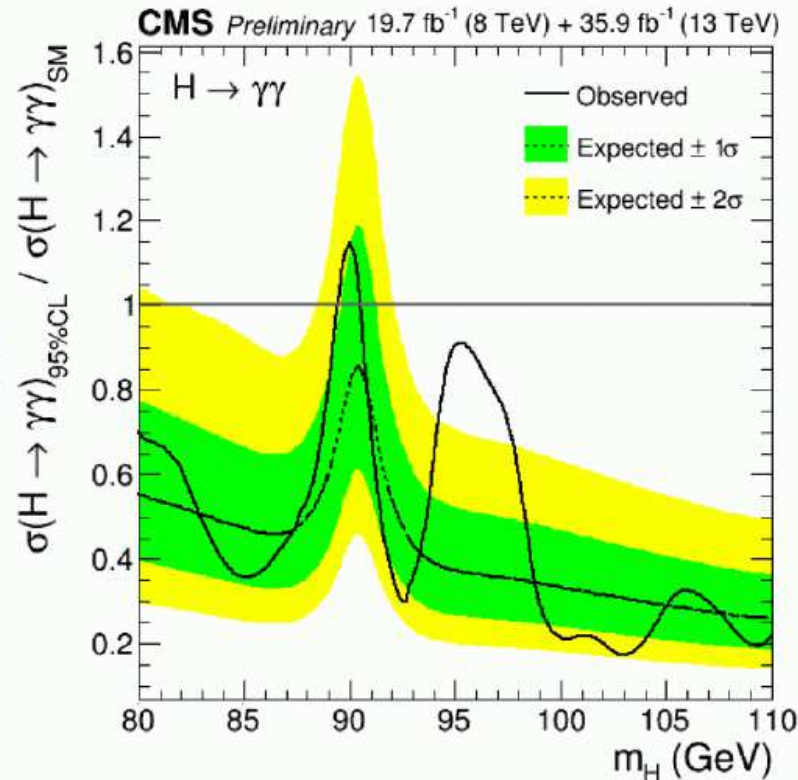


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All experimental + theoretical systematic uncertainties assumed uncorrelated except for those on signal acceptance due to scale variations + those on production cross sections (assumed 100% correlated).



8 TeV+13 TeV:  
 minimum(maximum) limit  
 on  $(\sigma \times Br) / (\sigma \times Br)_{SM}$  :  
 0.17(1.15) at  
 $m=103.0(90.0)\text{GeV}$

- Combined 8 TeV+13 TeV  $\sigma \times Br$  limit normalized to SM expectation (production processes assumed in SM proportions). No significant excess with respect to expected limits observed.

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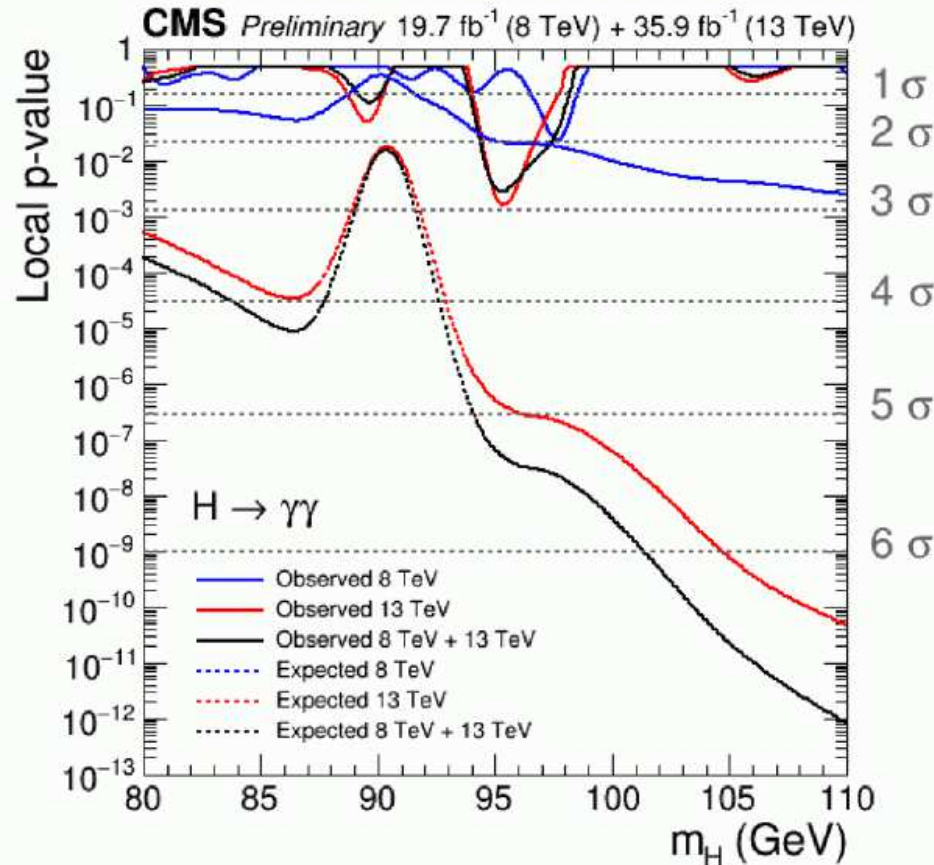
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8 TeV: Excess with  $\sim 2.0 \sigma$  local significance at  $m=97.6$  GeV

13 TeV: Excess with  $\sim 2.9 \sigma$  local ( $1.47 \sigma$  global) significance at  $m=95.3$  GeV

8TeV+13 TeV: Excess with  $\sim 2.8 \sigma$  local ( $1.3 \sigma$  global) significance at  $m=95.3$  GeV

More data are required to ascertain the origin of this excess

- Expected and observed local p-values for 8 TeV, 13 TeV and their combination

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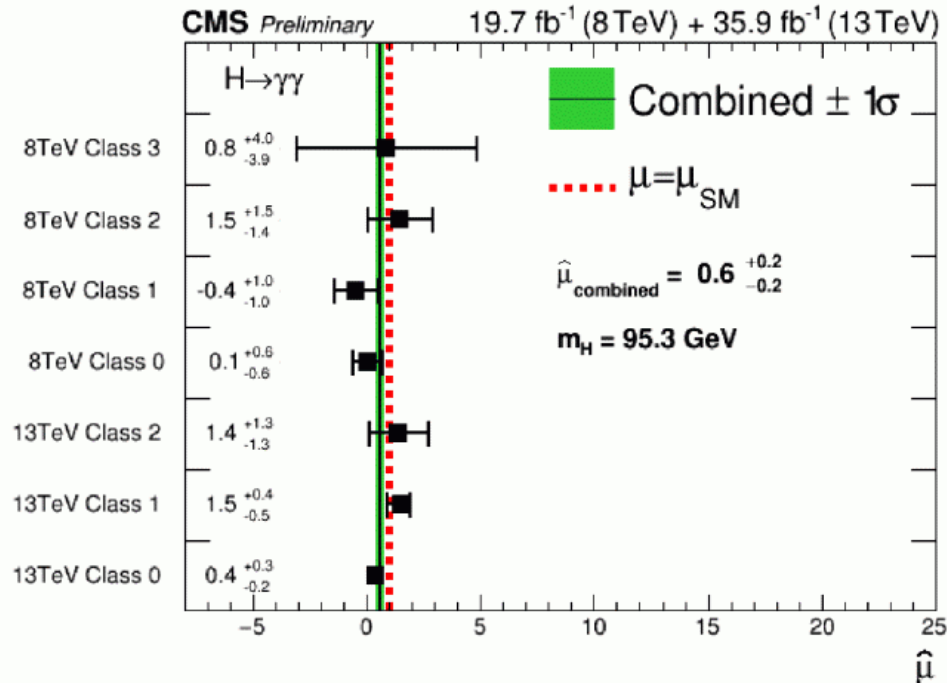




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Excess here mostly driven by class 1 (&2) at 13 TeV

$\chi^2$  probability for the seven individual values to be compatible with a single signal hypothesis: 41%

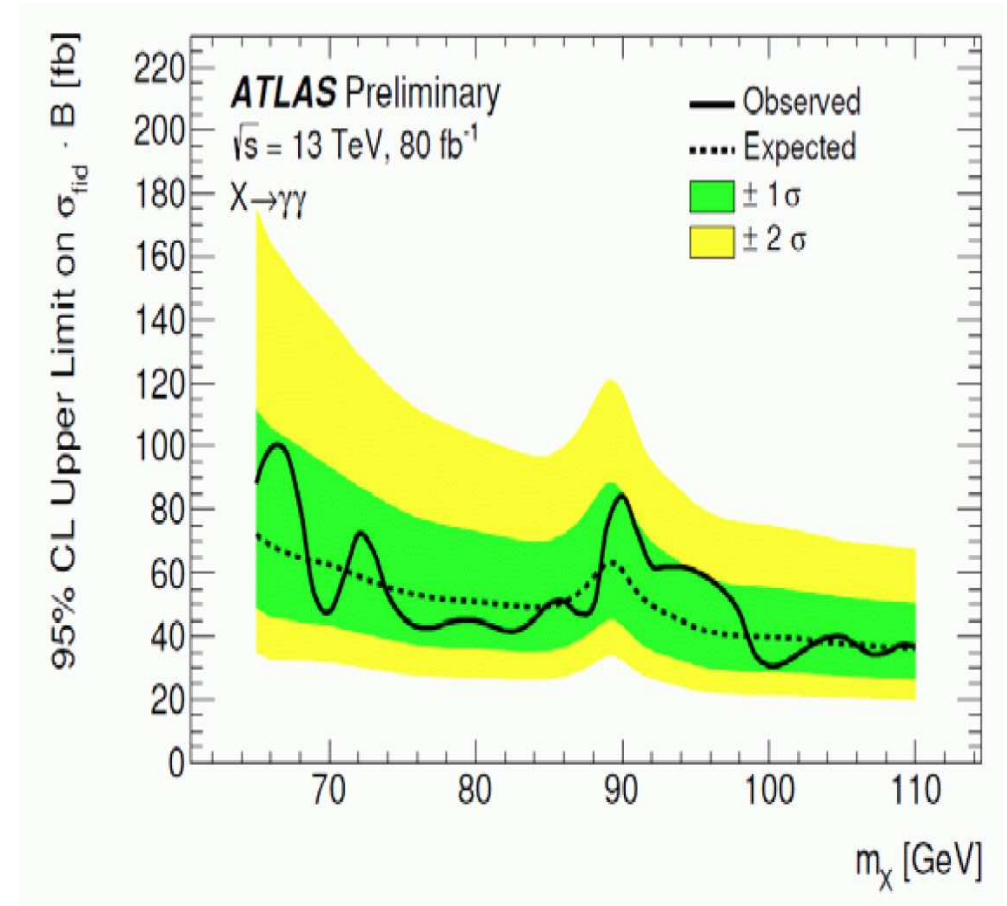
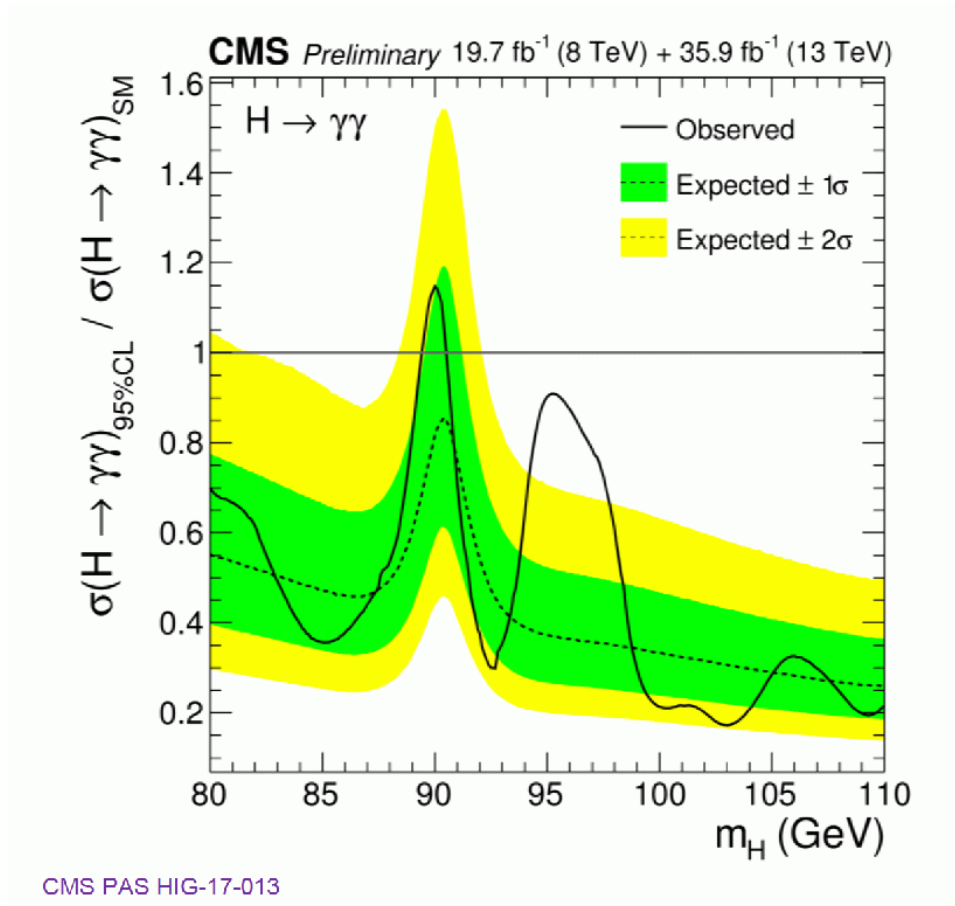
- ‘Signal’ strengths for the 7 event classes and overall, in the 8 TeV+13TeV combination, fixing  $m_H=95.3 \text{ GeV}$
- More data are required to ascertain the origin of this excess

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$$\mu_{CMS}(96 \text{ GeV}) = [\sigma(pp \rightarrow h_1) \times BR(h_1 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)]_{exp/SM} = 0.6 \pm 0.2$$

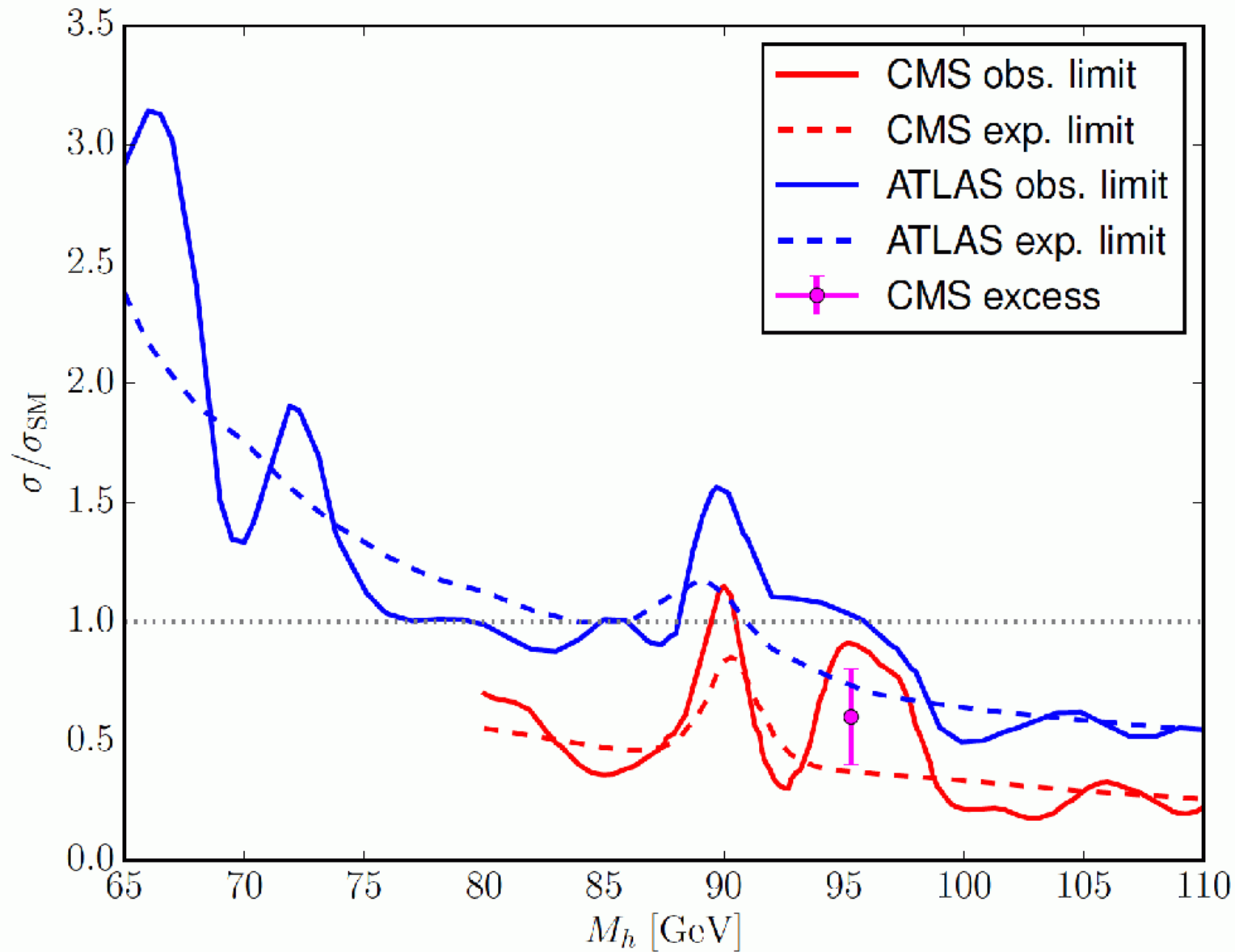
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Note: ATLAS gives fiducial cross section! Conversion factor: 1/0.45

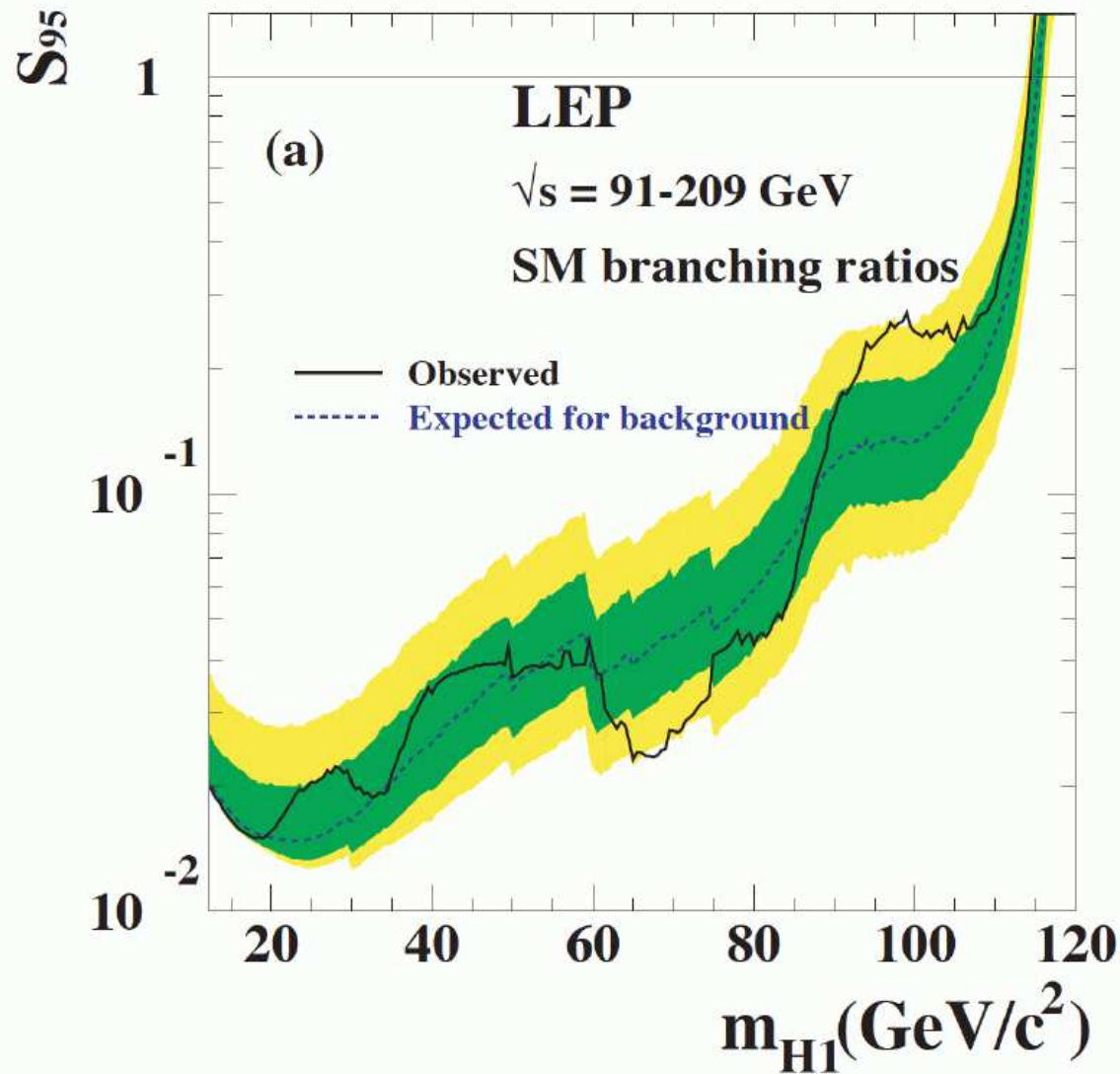
⇒ ATLAS exclusion limit even weaker than CMS!

**Q:** why does ATLAS has same sensitivity with twice amount of data?



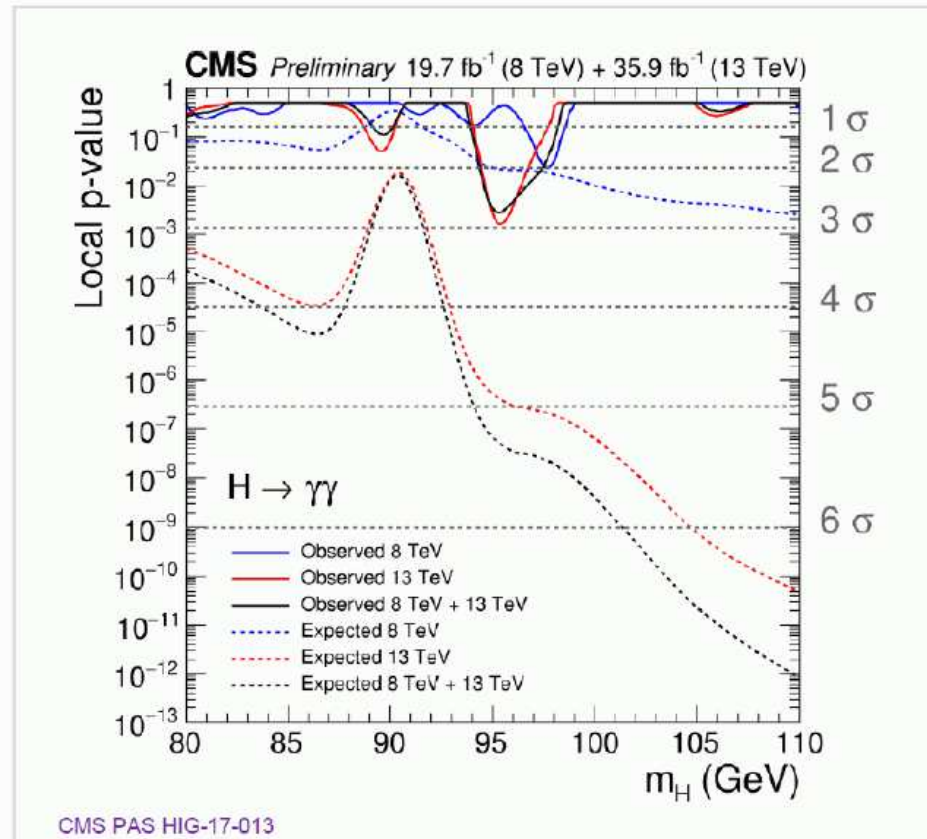
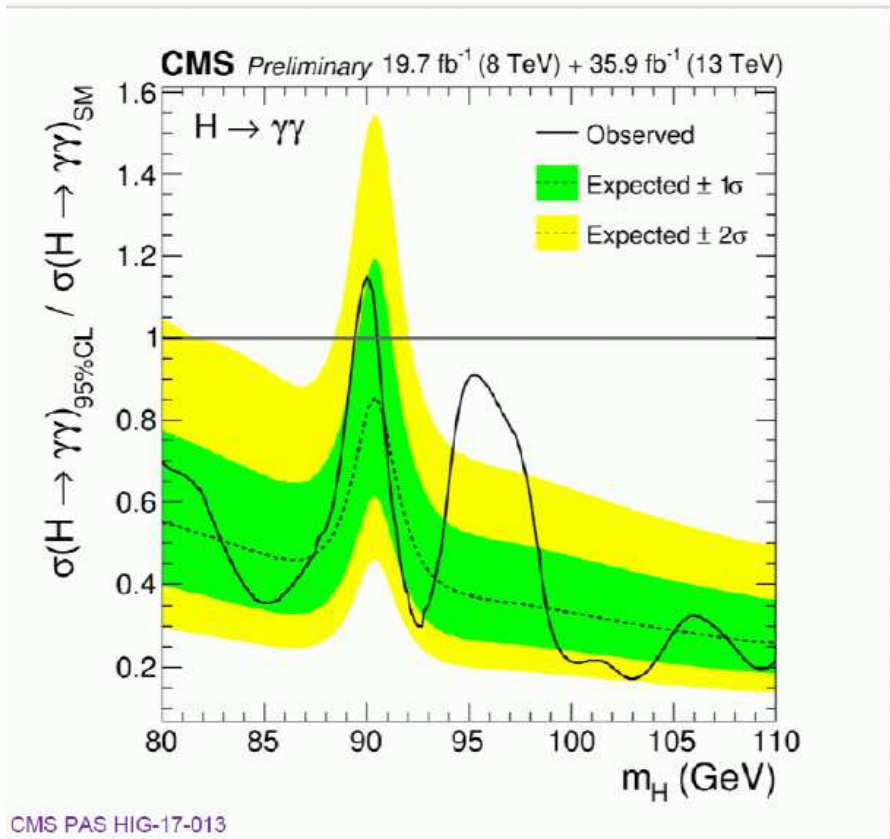
⇒ everything well compatible with the excess!

## What was seen at LEP?



$$\mu_{\text{LEP}}(98 \text{ GeV}) = \left[ \sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow Zh_1) \times \text{BR}(h_1 \rightarrow b\bar{b}) \right]_{\text{exp/SM}} = 0.117 \pm 0.057$$

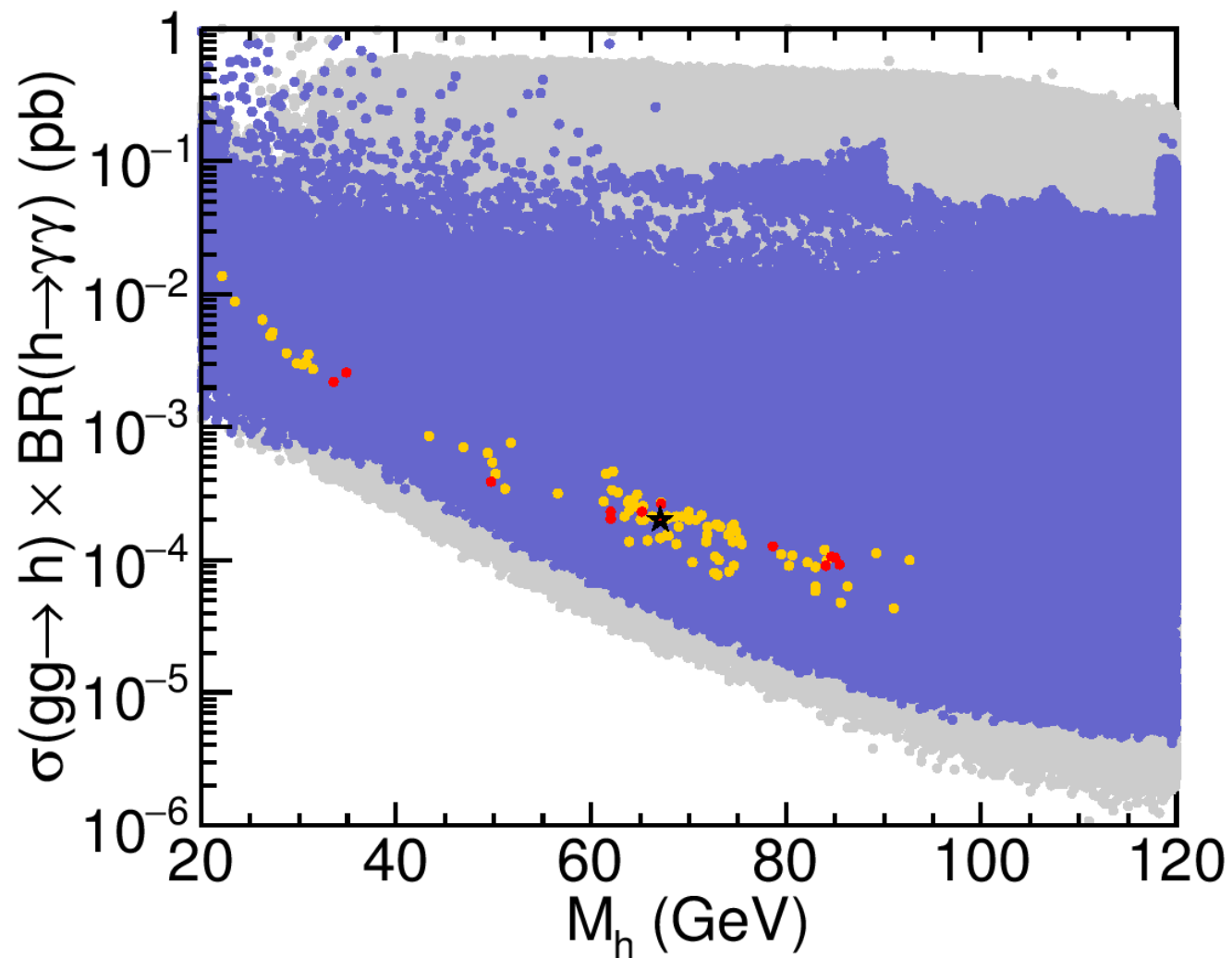
- **Combined 8 TeV + 13 TeV**  $\sigma \times \text{BR}$  limit normalized to SM expectation:
  - Production processes assumed in SM proportions
  - **No significant excess** with respect to background expectations
- Expected and observed local p-values for **8 TeV**, **13 TeV** and their **combination**



**Q:** When do you dare to something “significant” ?

## What about the MSSM?

[P. Bechtle, H. Haber, S.H., O. Stål, T. Stefaniak, G. Weiglein, L. Zeune '16]



⇒ too small rates!

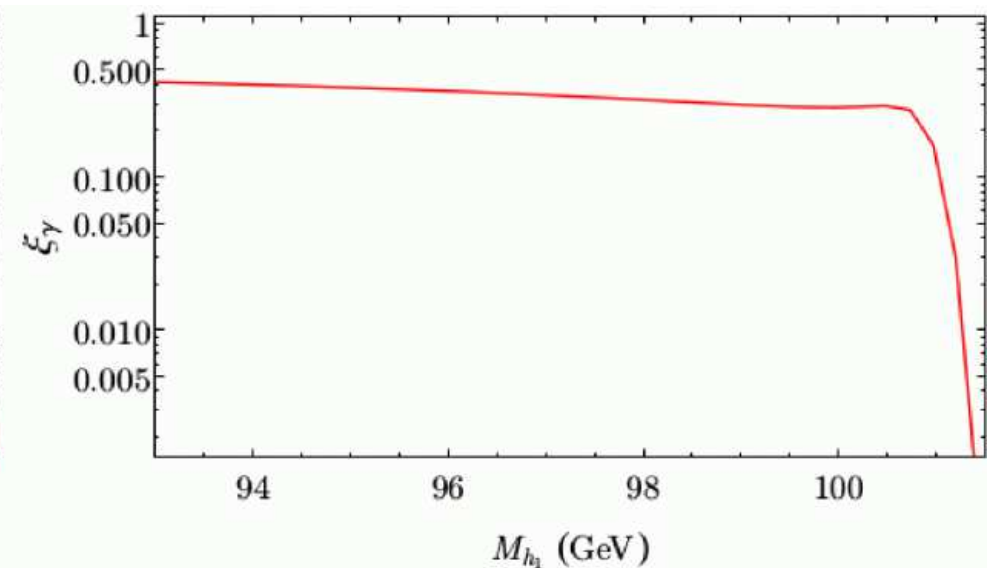
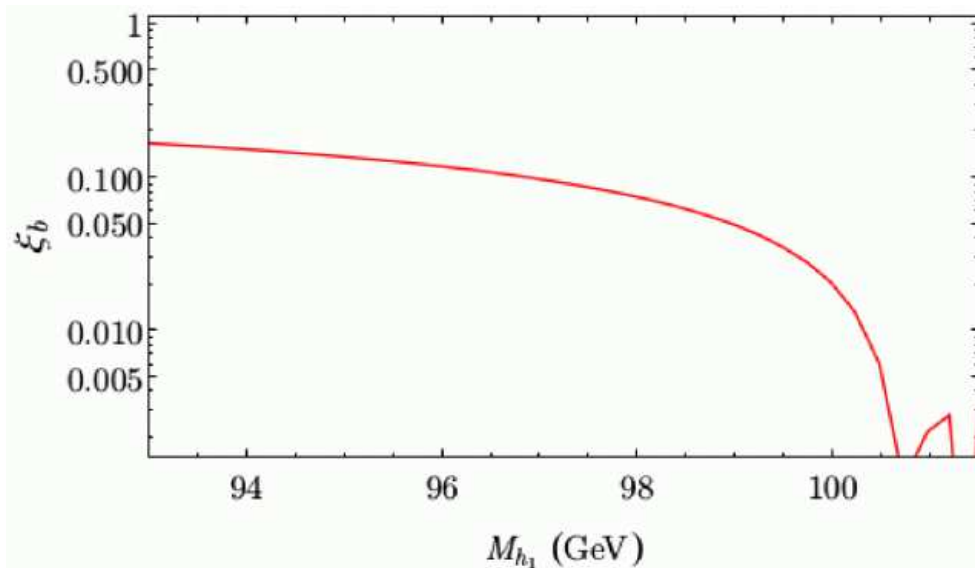
## What about the NMSSM?

[F. Domingo, S.H., S. Passehr, G. Weiglein '18]

### Parameters:

$\lambda = 0.6$ ,  $\kappa = 0.035$ ,  $\tan\beta = 2$ ,  $\mu_{\text{eff}} = (397 + 15x)$  GeV,  $M_{H^\pm} = 1$  TeV,  
 $A_\kappa = -325$  GeV,  $M_{\text{SUSY}} = 1$  TeV,  $A_t = A_b = 0$

$$\xi_b \equiv \frac{\Gamma[h_1 \rightarrow ZZ] \cdot \text{BR}[h_1 \rightarrow b\bar{b}]}{\Gamma[H_{\text{SM}}(M_{h_1}) \rightarrow ZZ] \cdot \text{BR}[H_{\text{SM}}(M_{h_1}) \rightarrow b\bar{b}]} \sim \frac{\sigma[e^+e^- \rightarrow Z(h_1 \rightarrow b\bar{b})]}{\sigma[e^+e^- \rightarrow Z(H_{\text{SM}}(M_{h_1}) \rightarrow b\bar{b})]}$$
$$\xi_\gamma \equiv \frac{\Gamma[h_1 \rightarrow gg] \cdot \text{BR}[h_1 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma]}{\Gamma[H_{\text{SM}}(M_{h_1}) \rightarrow gg] \cdot \text{BR}[H_{\text{SM}}(M_{h_1}) \rightarrow \gamma\gamma]} \sim \frac{\sigma[gg \rightarrow h_1 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma]}{\sigma[gg \rightarrow H_{\text{SM}}(M_{h_1}) \rightarrow \gamma\gamma]}.$$



⇒ both “excesses” can be fitted simultaneously!

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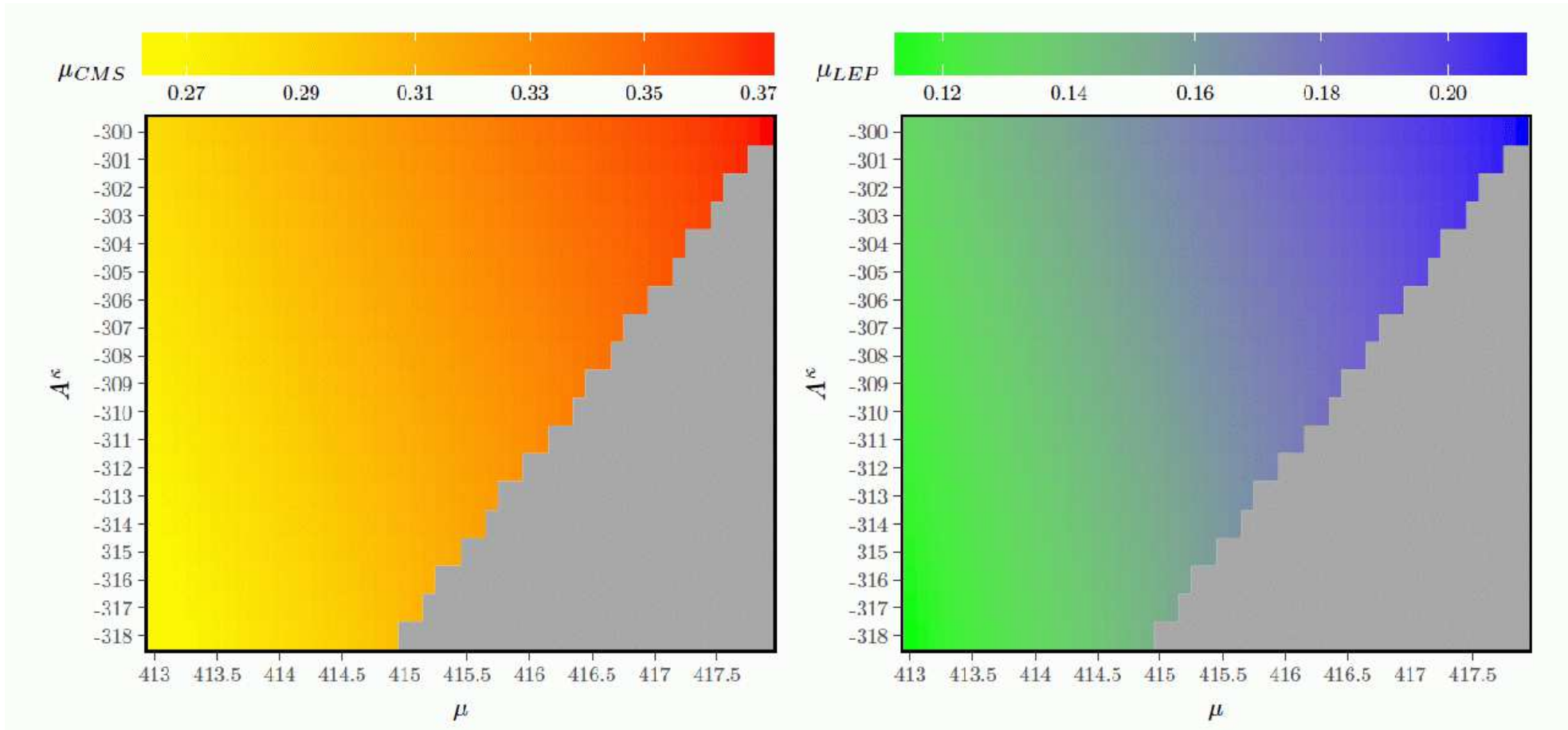
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[T. Biekötter, S.H., C. Muñoz '17]

$v_{iL}$	$Y_i^\nu$	$A_i^\nu$	$\tan\beta$	$\mu$	$\lambda$	$A^\lambda$	$\kappa$	$A^\kappa$	$M_1$
$\sqrt{2} \cdot 10^{-5}$	$10^{-7}$	-1000	2	[413; 418]	0.6	956.035	0.035	[-300; -318]	100
$M_2$	$M_3$	$m_{\tilde{Q}_{iL}}^2$	$m_{\tilde{u}_{iR}}^2$	$m_{\tilde{d}_{iR}}^2$	$A_1^u$	$A_{2,3}^{u,d}$	$(m_e^2)_{ii}$	$A_{33}^e$	$A_{11,22}^e$
200	1500	$800^2$	$800^2$	$800^2$	0	0	$800^2$	0	0

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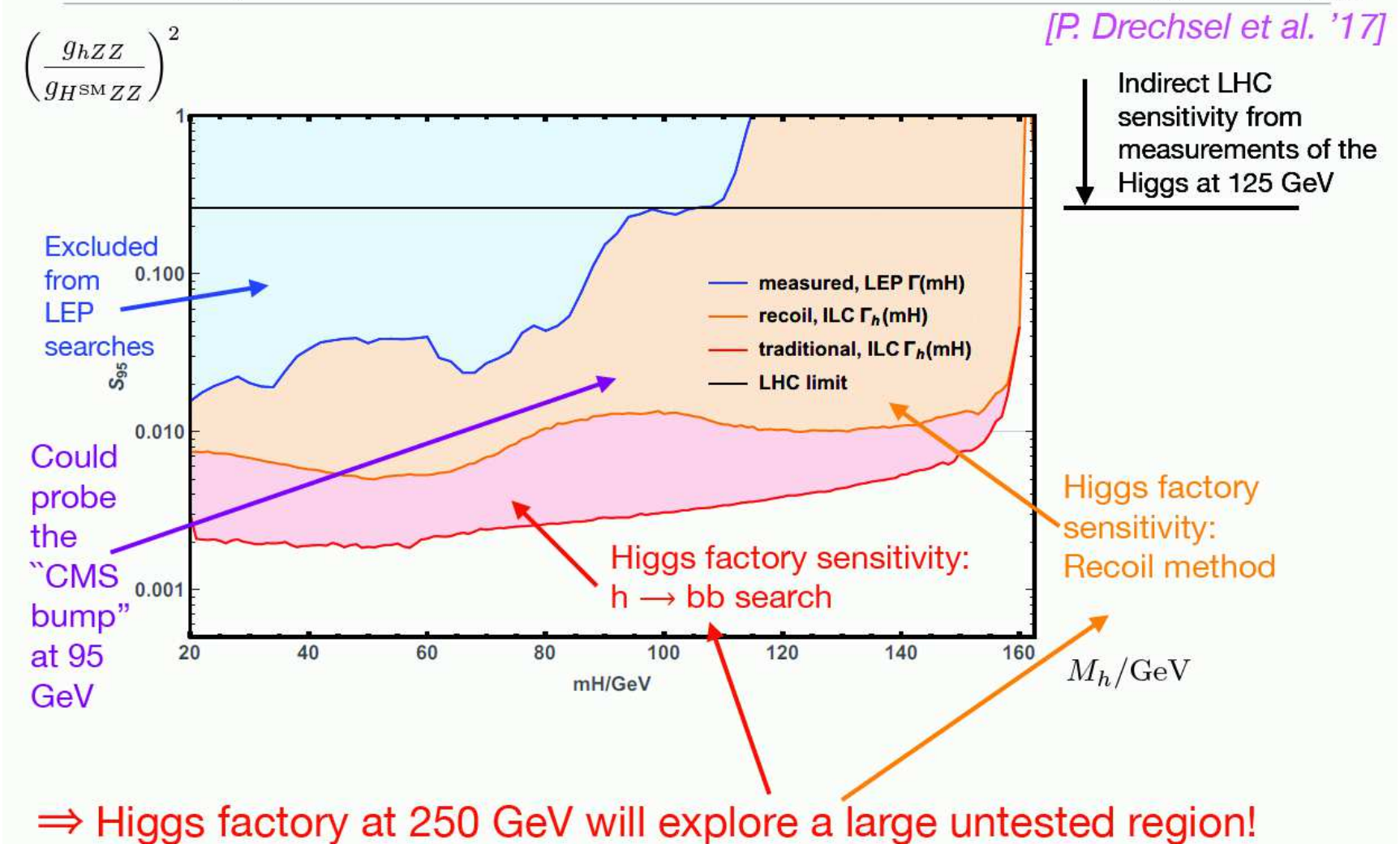
⇒ Yes, it can! :-)

(at the  $1 - 1.5\sigma$  level)

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Example for discovery potential for new light states:  
Sensitivity at 250 GeV with  $500 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  to a new light Higgs



[Taken from G. Weiglein '18]

## 4. Conclusinos

- **SUSY** is (still) the best-motivated BSM scenario
  - unconstrained MSSM: 105 new parameters
  - constrained: CMSSM, NUHM, SU(5), mAMSB, sub-GUT, FUT, ...
  - benchmark models: parameter planes
- Benchmark scenarios/searches: Data taken into account: Higgs/SUSY  
Data not necessarily taken into account: EW/Flavor/DM
- New benchmark proposal:
  - $M_h^{125}$  scenario: 2HDM-like model
  - $M_h^{125}(\tilde{\tau})$  scenario: light staus:  $h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ ,  $H/A \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}\tilde{\tau}$
  - $M_h^{125}(\tilde{\chi})$  scenario: light EW-inos:  $H/A \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_i^0 \tilde{\chi}_j^0, \tilde{\chi}_k^\pm \tilde{\chi}_l^\mp$
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# Katharsis of Ultimate Theory Standards

10th meeting: 08.-10. April 2019 (Dresden Univ.)

## Precise Calculation of

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## Higgs Boson masses

Local organizer: D. Stoeckinger

Organized by:  
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## Workshop announcement:



The image is a screenshot of a web browser displaying a workshop announcement. The browser's address bar shows the URL <https://workshops.ift.uam-csic.es/FC2019>. The page title is "Opportunities at Future High Energy Colliders". The main content includes the workshop dates, a description of the workshop's purpose, and a list of topics to be discussed.

**Workshop dates: June 11 - July 05 2019 (IFT, Madrid, Spain)**

**The workshop will bring together key theorists and experimentalists to address these questions, aiming at a more coherent, global view of the opportunities and rationale for the next generation of high energy colliders.**

**Program of the workshop:**

- first week: dark matter and implications from cosmology
- second week: origin of lepton and quark flavour structure; fundamental symmetry tests
- third week: electroweak symmetry breaking; naturalness
- final week: discussion of complementary of the different collider opportunities as pertains to the physics themes.

# Higgs Days at Santander 2019

Theory meets Experiment

16.-20. September



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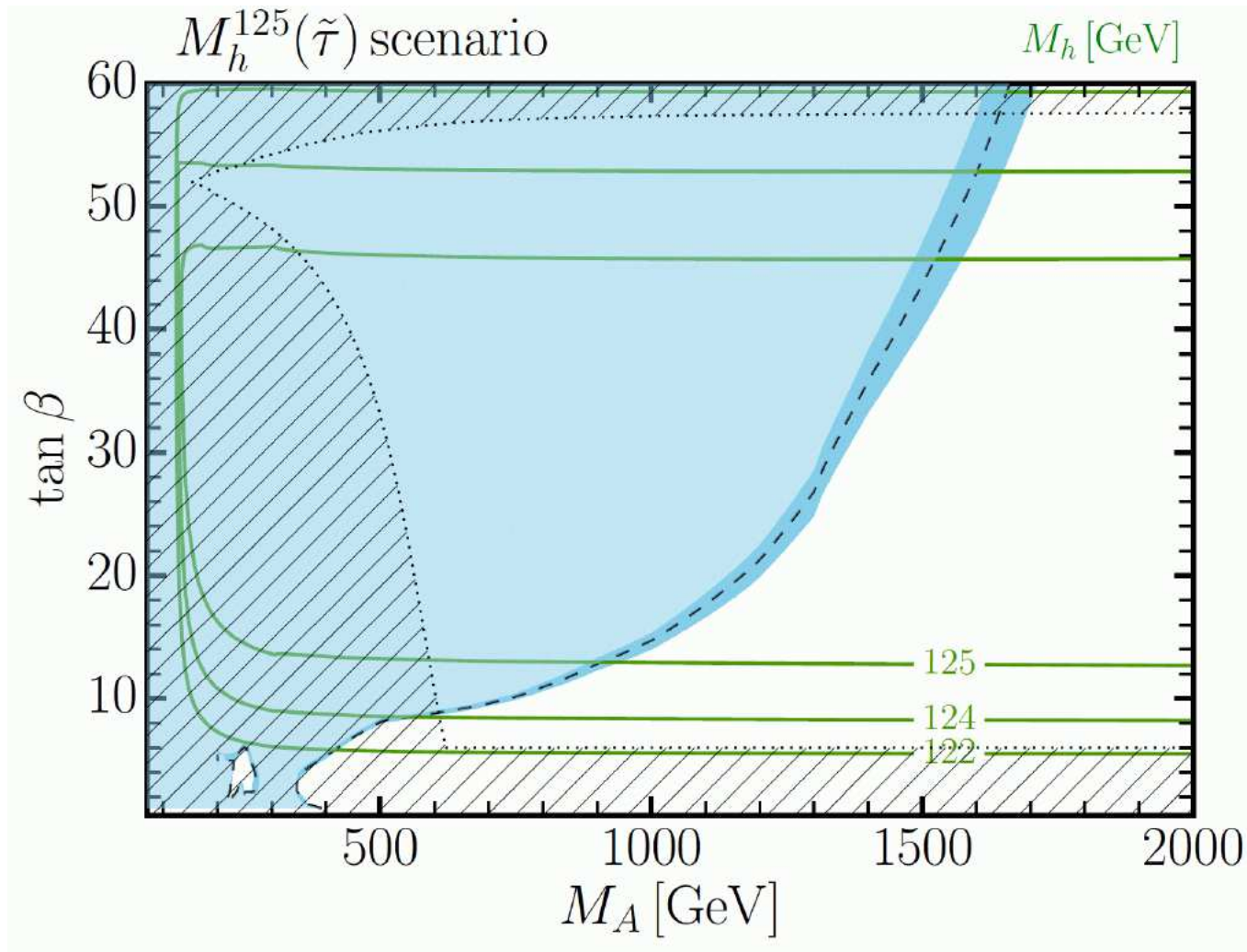
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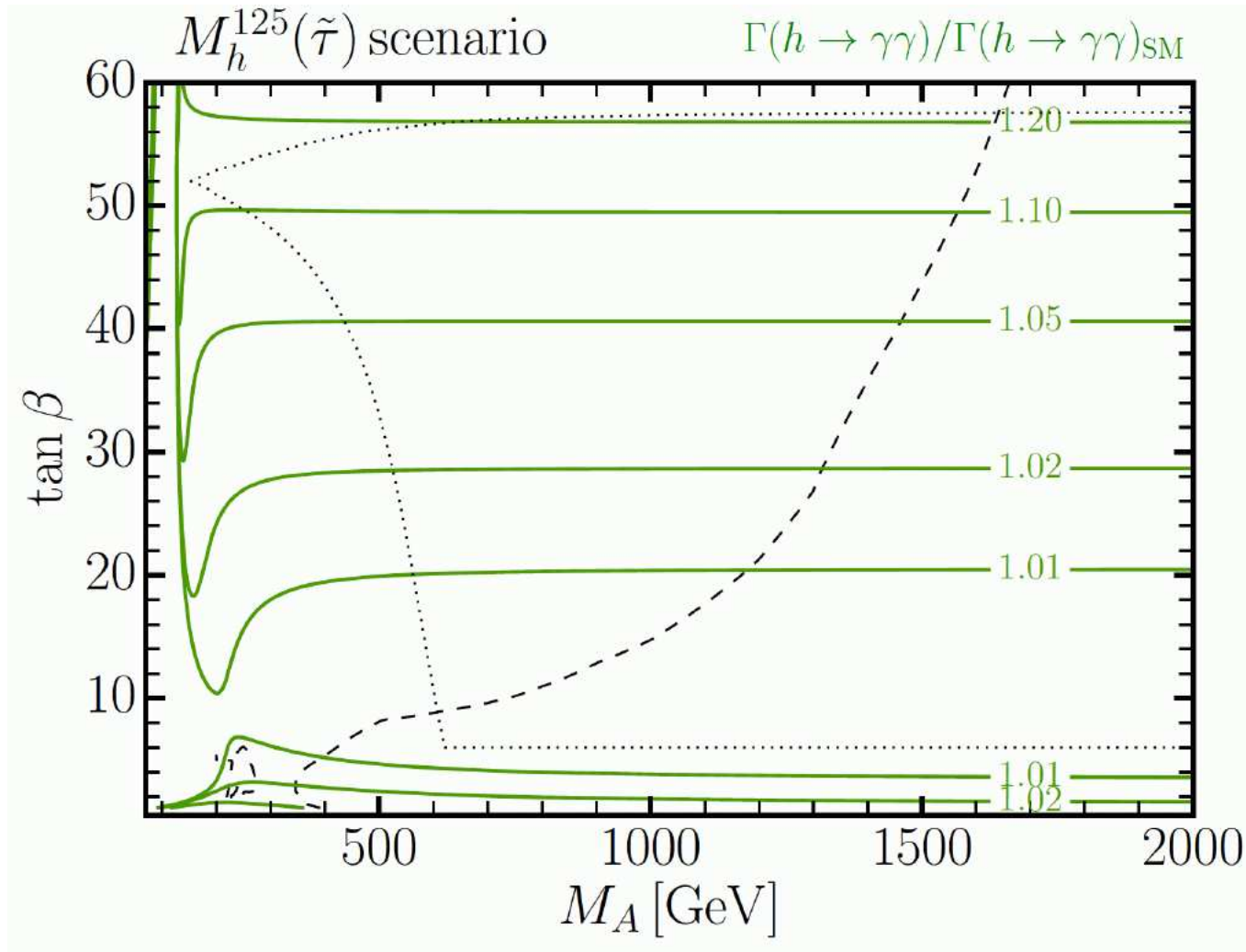
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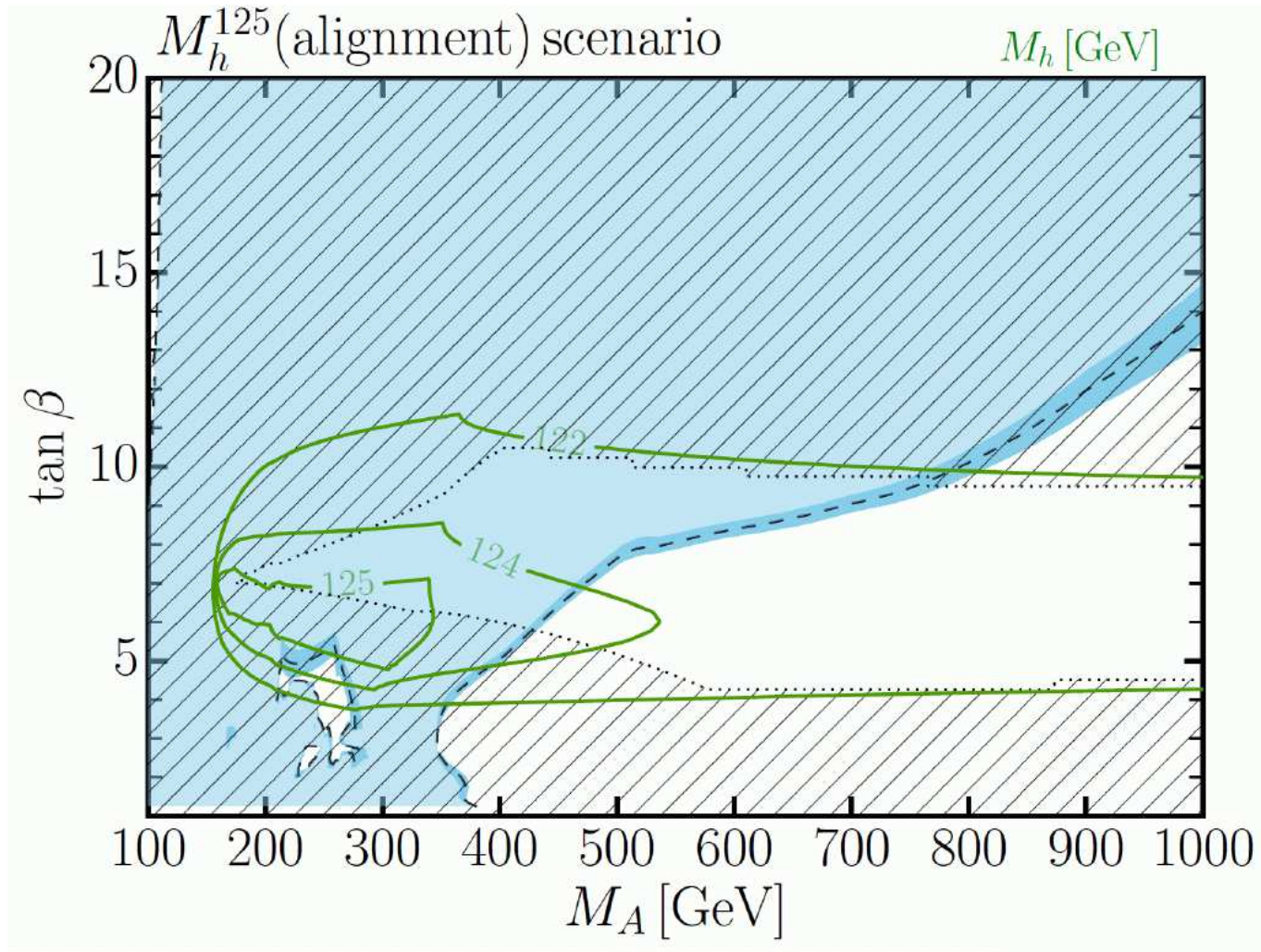
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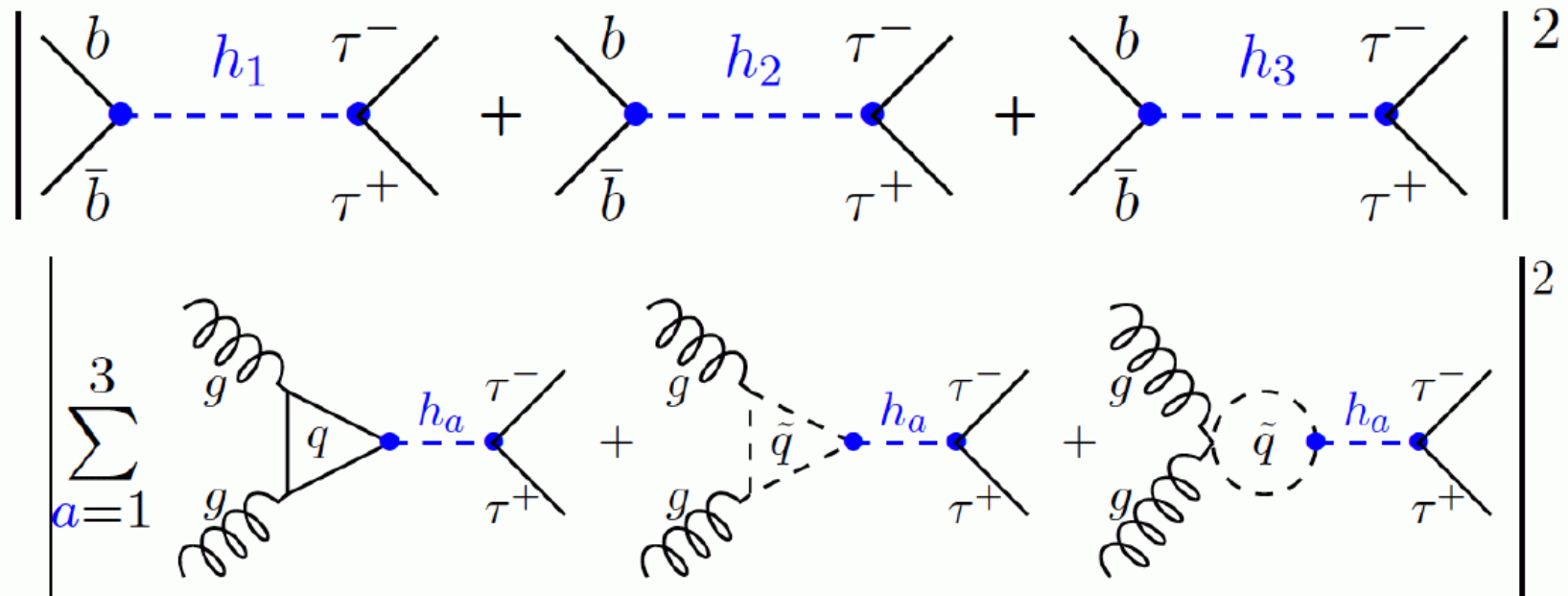
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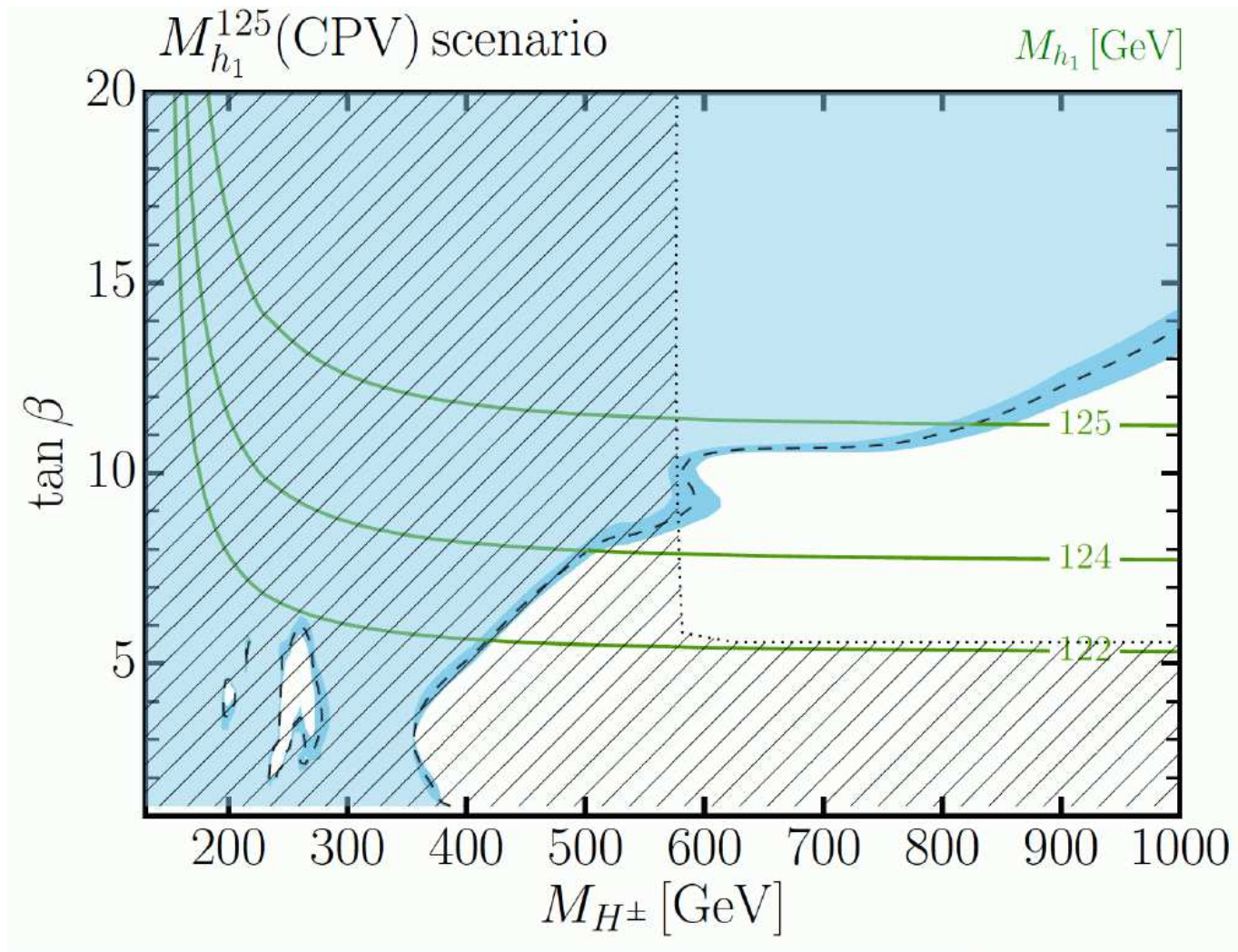
$\Rightarrow h$  SM-like for very low  $M_A$

LHC Higgs searches for complex parameters:

$h_1 \sim H_{125}$ ,  $M_{h_2} \approx M_{h_3}$ , CPV: large  $h_2$ - $h_3$  mixing possible:

Higgs bosons as intermediate states in  $\{b\bar{b}, gg\} \rightarrow h_a \rightarrow \tau\tau$





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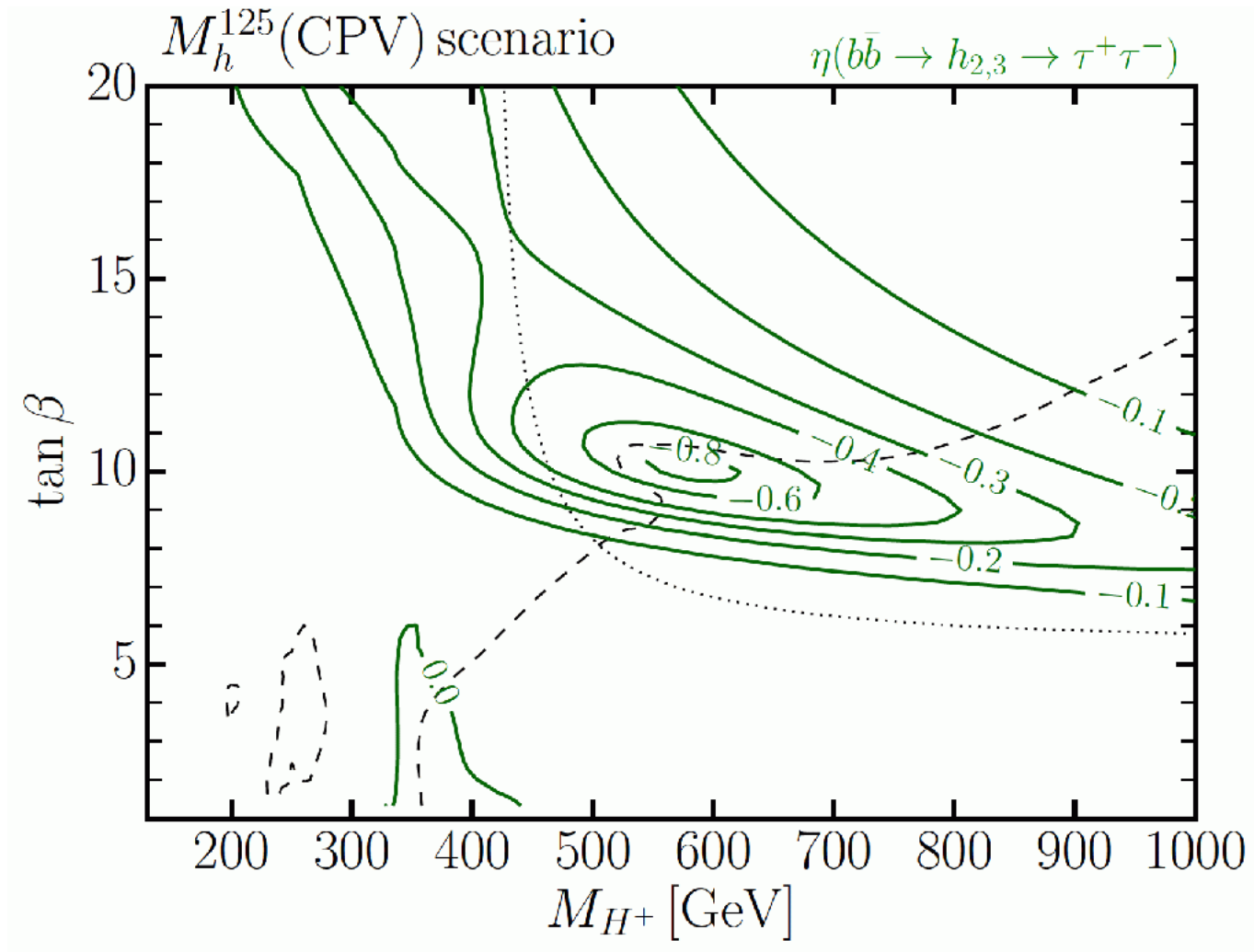
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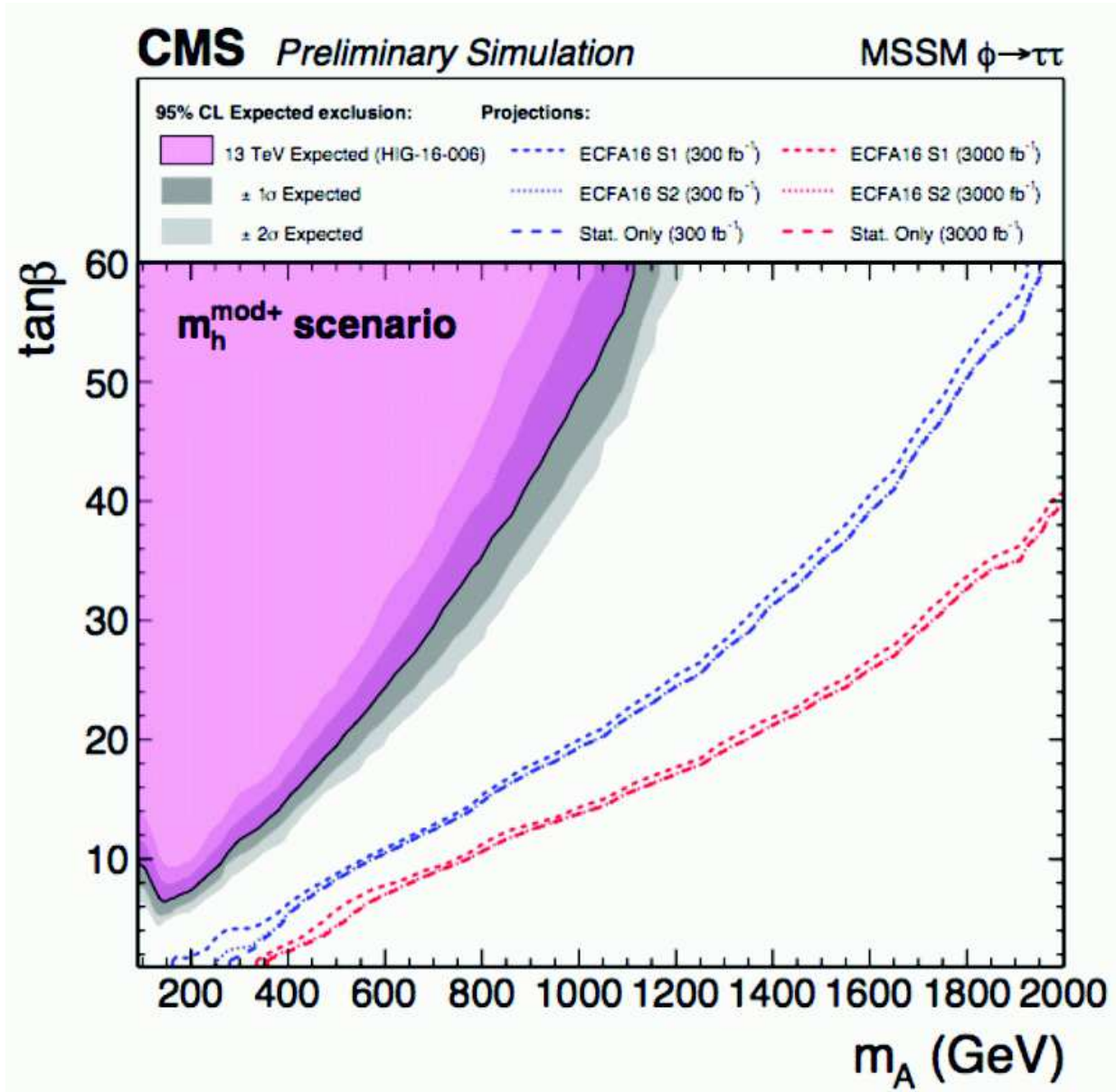
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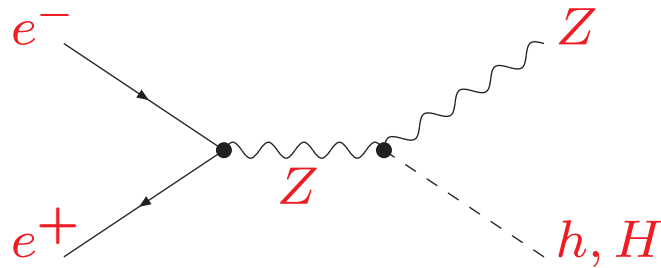


⇒ strong (HL-)LHC limits

Sum rule in the MSSM with  $h$  SM-like:  $\sin(\beta - \alpha) \approx 1$ ,  $\cos(\beta - \alpha) \approx 0$

Search for neutral SUSY Higgs bosons:

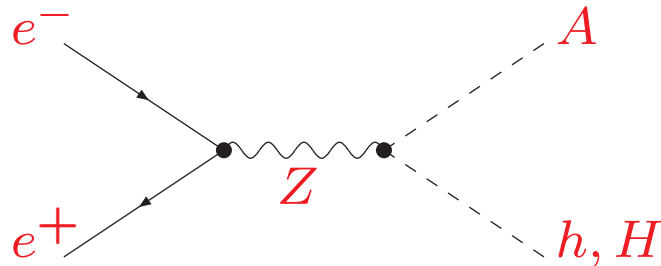
$e^+e^- \rightarrow Zh, ZH$



$$\sigma_{hZ} \approx \sin^2(\beta - \alpha_{\text{eff}}) \sigma_{hZ}^{\text{SM}}$$

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$e^+e^- \rightarrow Ah, AH$

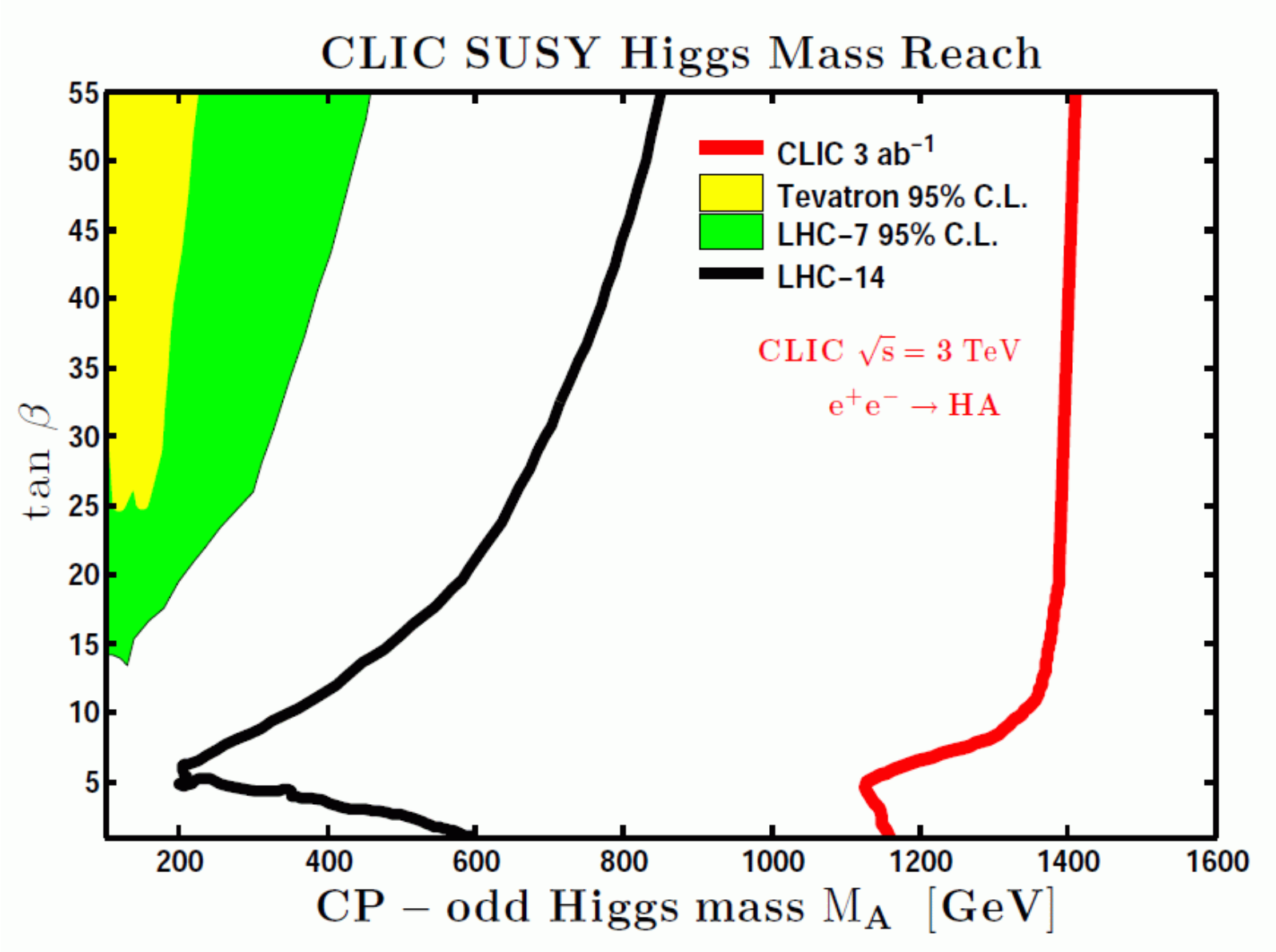


$$\sigma_{hA} \propto \cos^2(\beta - \alpha_{\text{eff}}) \sigma_{hZ}^{\text{SM}}$$

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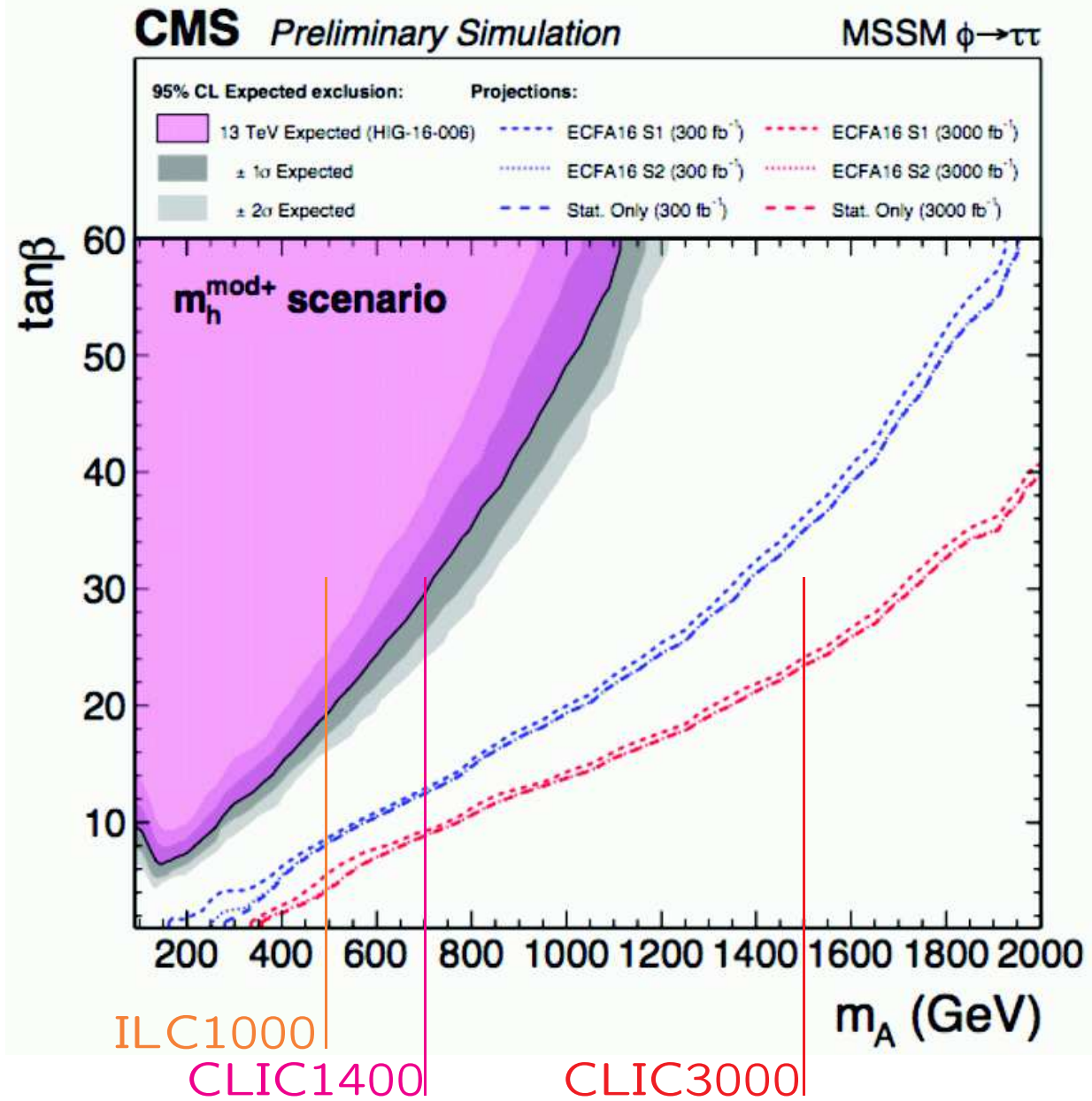
$\Rightarrow$  only pair production of heavy Higgs bosons!

reach:  $M_A \lesssim \sqrt{s}/2$



⇒ close to kinematic limit

# “Simple” LC reach in the MSSM (neglecting $t\bar{t}$ final states)



⇒ unique opportunities!