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**The LHC limits on the mass
and the direct couplings
of the
BSM $SU(2)_{L+R}$ vector resonance triplet**

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Introduction

the problem

- BSM=?
- composite/strongly-interacting
- new resonances
- not seen yet
- mass exclusion limits

vector resonances

- Higgs + NGB = candidates for scalar resonances
- **vector resonances** ... well motivated
 - CHM, TC2, ...
- effective Lagrangian: a convenient tool for pheno

Introduction

direct searches

- ATLAS+CMS
- $\leq 13 \text{ TeV}, \leq 36 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
- no “pp \rightarrow R” signal \Rightarrow upper limits on “ $\sigma_{\text{prod}} \times \text{BR}(R \rightarrow \text{ab})$ ”
 - tailored for **narrow resonances**, $\Gamma/M \leq 10\%$
 - some attempts beyond this restriction
- vector resonances:
 - MEL's: **model dependent**

Our Goals

the vector resonance

- **$SU(2)_{L+R}$ triplet** of vector resonances
- effective description via the Hidden Local Symmetry approach
- its **mass** depends on the model's couplings
- its **total width** grows with the resonance mass
- neutral & charged vector resonances are **degenerate**
- **direct couplings to fermions**: 3rd quark generation only

particular questions:

- **MEL's**: the impact of the resonance-to-fermions free params
- the role of the **b-quark proton contents**
- restriction by the **NWA**

tBESS model

the effective Lagrangian

- the modified BESS model
 - BESS[R. Casalbuoni et al, PLB 155, 95 (1985); NPB282, 235 (1987)]
 - a specific resonance-to-fermion interaction pattern
 - emphasizes **the role of the 3rd quark generation**
 - **avoids the EWPD low-energy limits**
- particle spectrum
 - **SM fields + vector resonance triplet**
- symmetry
 - global $\mathbf{SU(2)}_L \otimes \mathbf{SU(2)}_R \rightarrow \mathbf{SU(2)}_{L+R}$ (Higgs sector)
 - auxiliary $\mathbf{SU(2)}_{\text{HLS}}$: the vector triplet as gauge bosons
 - non-linear sigma model (NGB)
 - the 125 GeV $\mathbf{SU(2)}_{L+R}$ scalar singlet (Higgs)

tBESS model

the Lagrangian's free parameters

- the gauge couplings:
 - $g \dots \text{SU}(2)_L$
 - $g' \dots \text{U}(1)_Y$
 - $g''/2 \dots \text{SU}(2)_{\text{HLS}}$
- the resonance masses: $M_\rho \approx \sqrt{\alpha} g'' v/2$
- the direct vector-to-fermion couplings:

vertex	$V^3 \mathbf{t}_L \mathbf{t}_L, V^3 \mathbf{b}_L \mathbf{b}_L$	$V^\pm \mathbf{t}_L \mathbf{b}_L$	$V^3 \mathbf{t}_R \mathbf{t}_R$	$V^3 \mathbf{b}_R \mathbf{b}_R$	$V^\pm \mathbf{t}_R \mathbf{b}_R$
cplng	$b_L g''/2$	$b_L g''/2$	$b_R g''/2$	$p^2 b_R g''/2$	$p b_R g''/2$

- perturbativity limit: $g''/2 \leq 4\pi$
- EWPD, Higgs sector measurements, unitarity limits: $g'' > 12$
- EWPD: $|b_{L,R}| < 0.1$

tBESS model

the phenomenological vertices

- $(V^3, V^\pm) \rightarrow (\rho^0, \rho^\pm)$
- the gauge boson mixings: $\rho^0(V^3, W^3, B), \rho^\pm(V^\pm, W^\pm)$
- **induced interactions** of ρ to all fermions: $\sim 1/g''$

the ρ decays

$$\Gamma_{\rho \rightarrow WW, WZ} = \frac{M_\rho}{48\pi g''^2} \left(\frac{M_\rho}{v} \right)^4$$

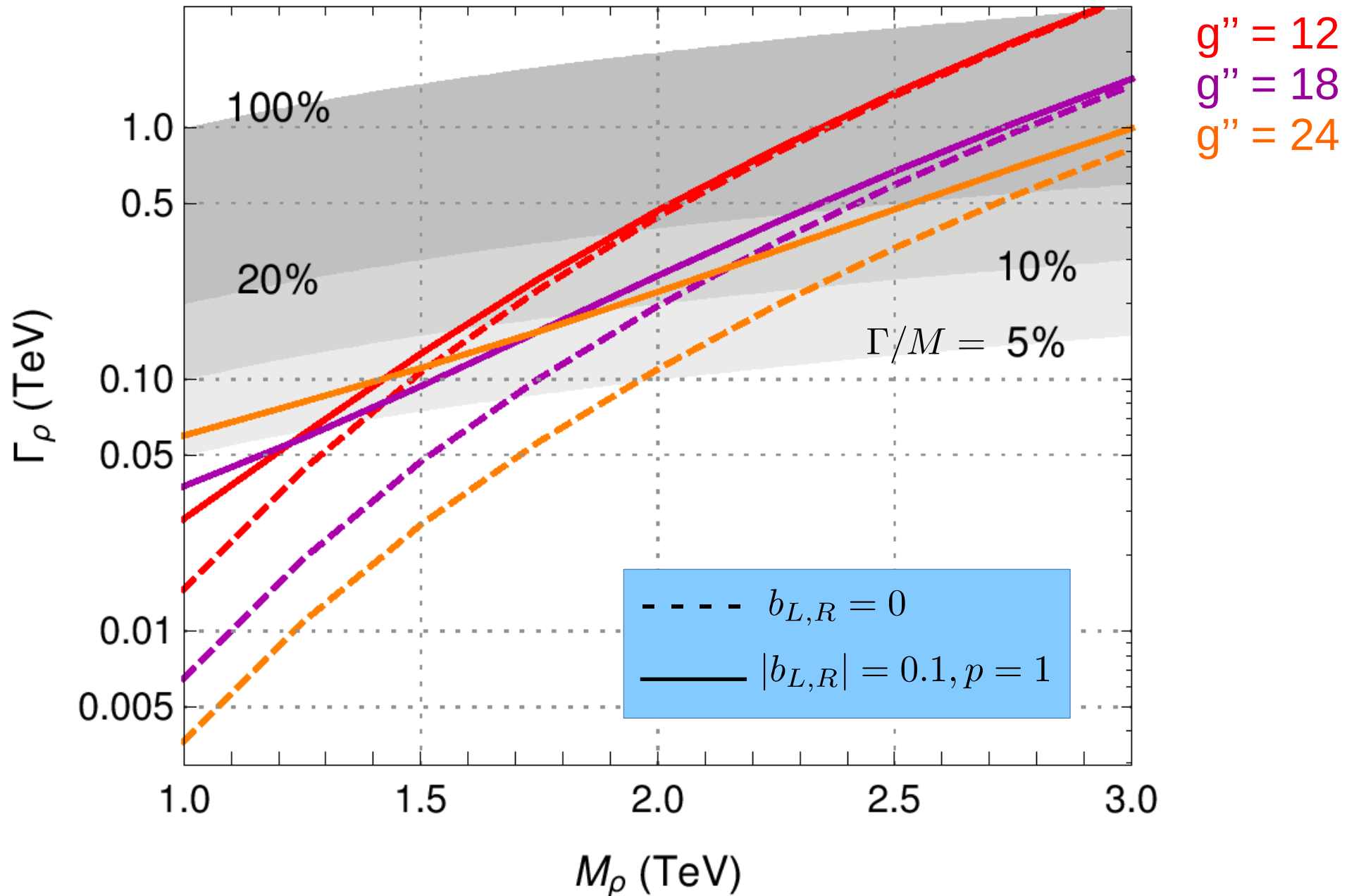
$$\Gamma_{\rho \rightarrow tt} = \frac{M_\rho g''^2}{128\pi} (b_L^2 + b_R^2)$$

$$\Gamma_{\rho \rightarrow bb} = \frac{M_\rho g''^2}{128\pi} (b_L^2 + p^4 b_R^2)$$

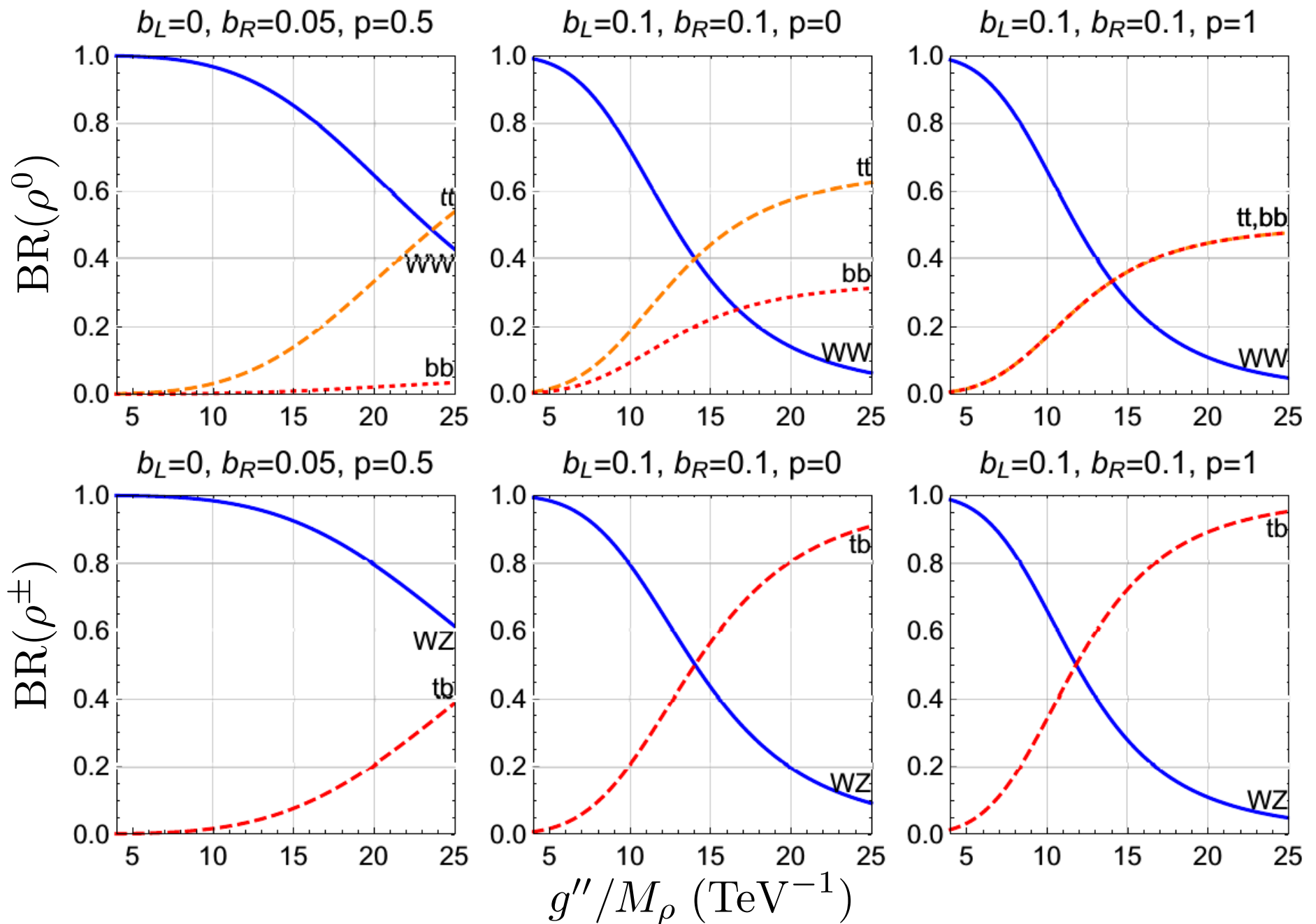
$$\Gamma_{\rho \rightarrow tb} = \frac{M_\rho g''^2}{64\pi} (b_L^2 + p^2 b_R^2)$$

- $\rho \rightarrow$ light ferms, HZ, HW: **negligible** $\Gamma \sim 1/(g'')^2$

Total Decay Width of ρ_{tBESS}



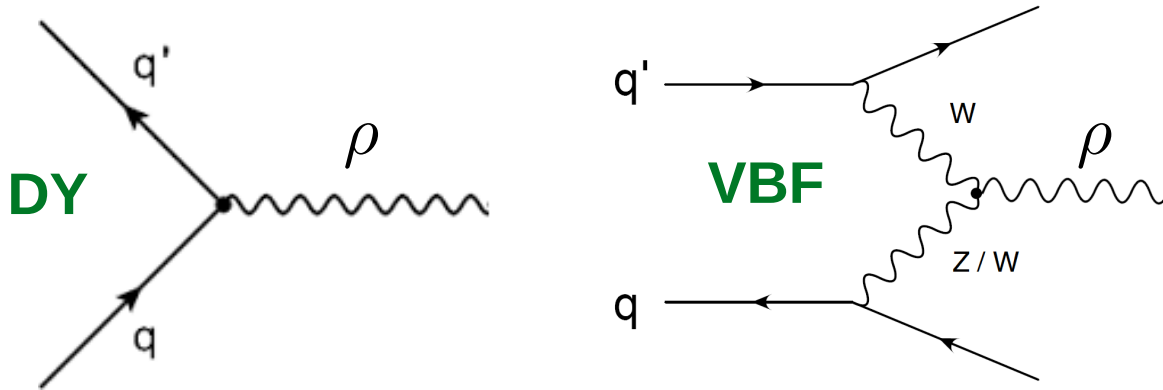
Dominant decay channels $\rho_{\text{tBESS}} \rightarrow \text{AB}$



Calculations

studied processes

- LHC **s-channel production + two-body decay**
- 2 production mechanisms: **DY + VBF**



- used approximations: **NWA**(both) & **EWA**(VBF)

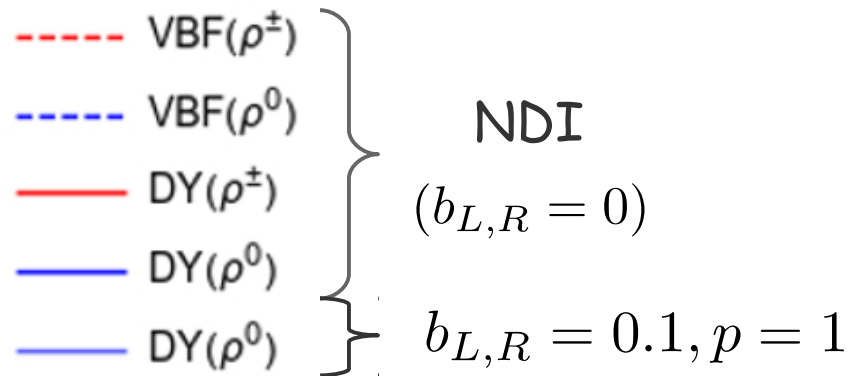
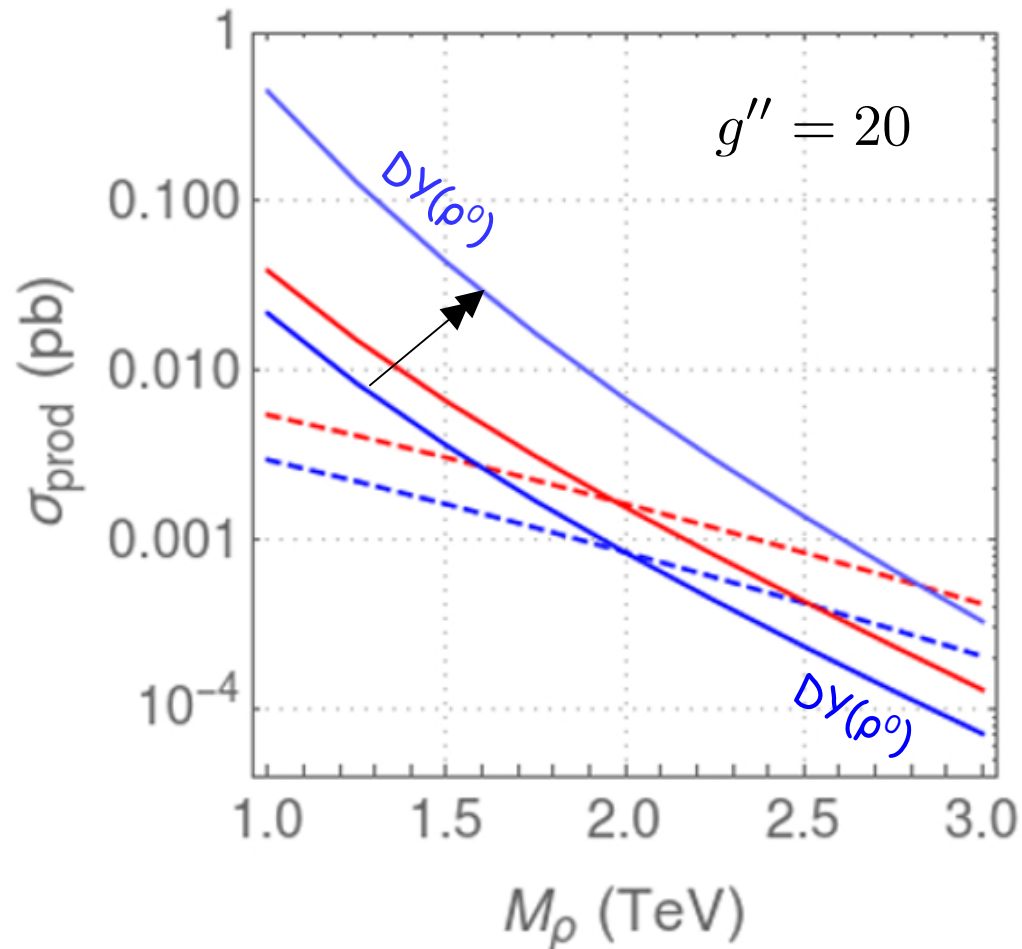
$$\sigma(pp \rightarrow abX) = \sigma_{\text{prod}}(pp \rightarrow \rho X) \times \text{BR}(\rho \rightarrow ab)$$

$$\sigma_{\text{prod}}(pp \rightarrow \rho + X) = \sum_{i \leq j \in p} 16\pi^2 K_{ij} \frac{\Gamma_{\rho \rightarrow ij}}{M_\rho} \frac{dL_{ij}}{d\hat{s}} \Big|_{\hat{s}=M_\rho^2}$$

Calculations

production XS

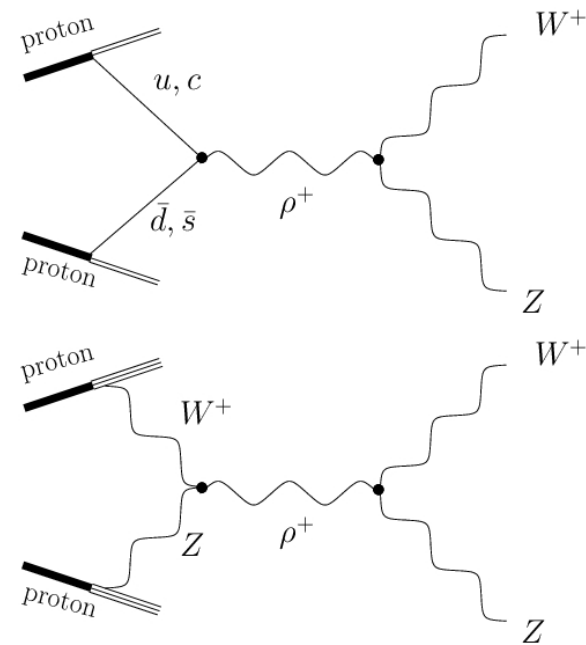
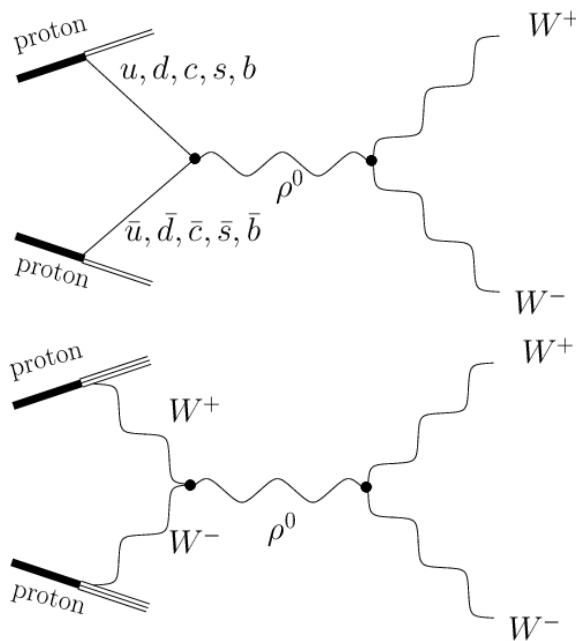
- the effect of the b-quark in proton: $\longrightarrow \blacktriangleright$



Results

experimental input

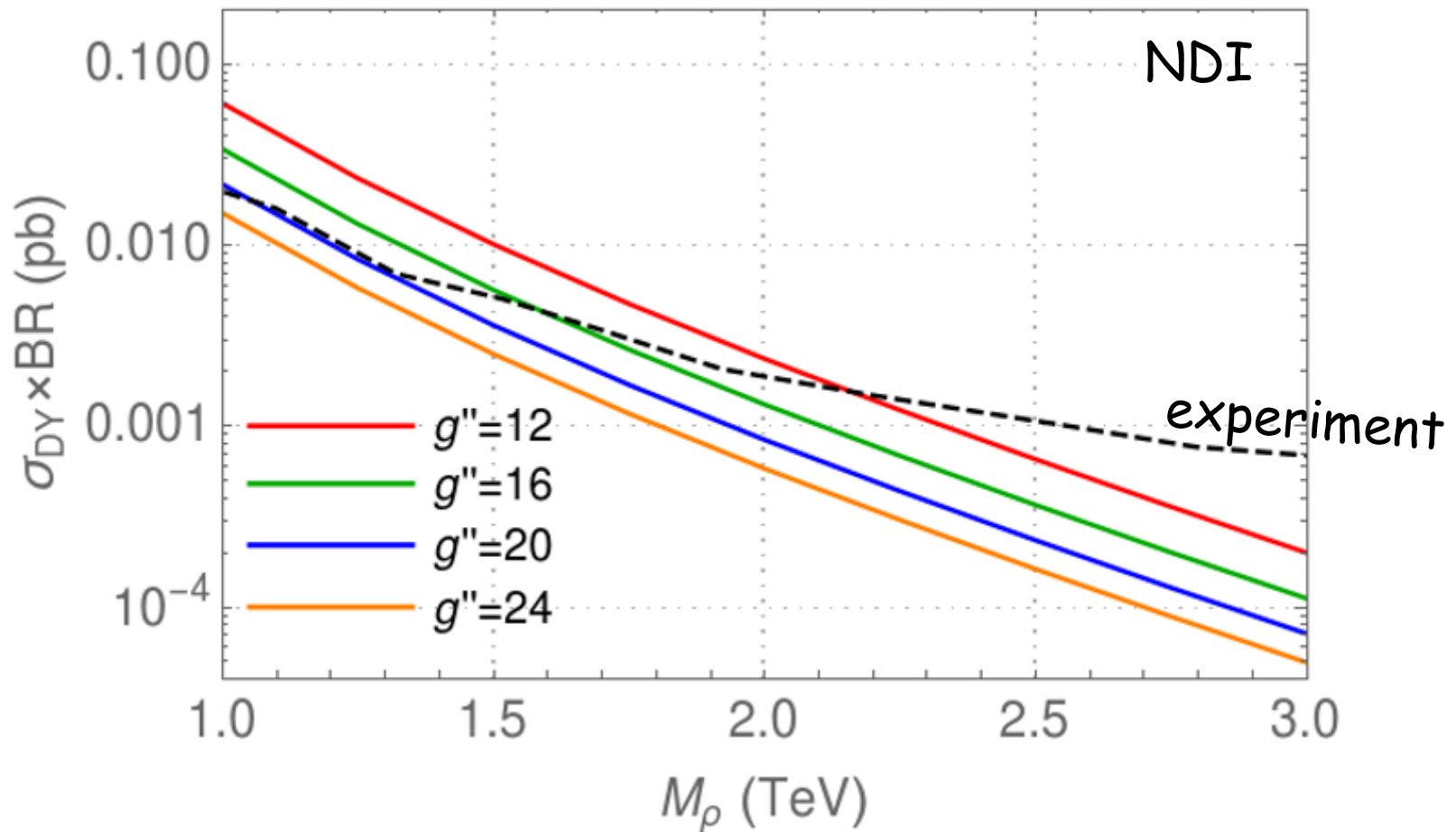
- ATLAS+CMS, ≤ 13 TeV, ≤ 36 fb $^{-1}$
- upper limits on “ $\sigma_{\text{prod}} \times \text{BR}(R \rightarrow \text{ab})$ ”:
 - available: $WW, WZ, WH, ZH, jj, \ell\ell, \ell\nu, \tau\tau, \tau\nu, bb, tt, tb$
 - **restrictions from:** $WZ_{\text{DY}}, WW_{\text{DY}}, WZ_{\text{DY}+\text{VBF}}, WW_{\text{DY}+\text{VBF}}$



Results

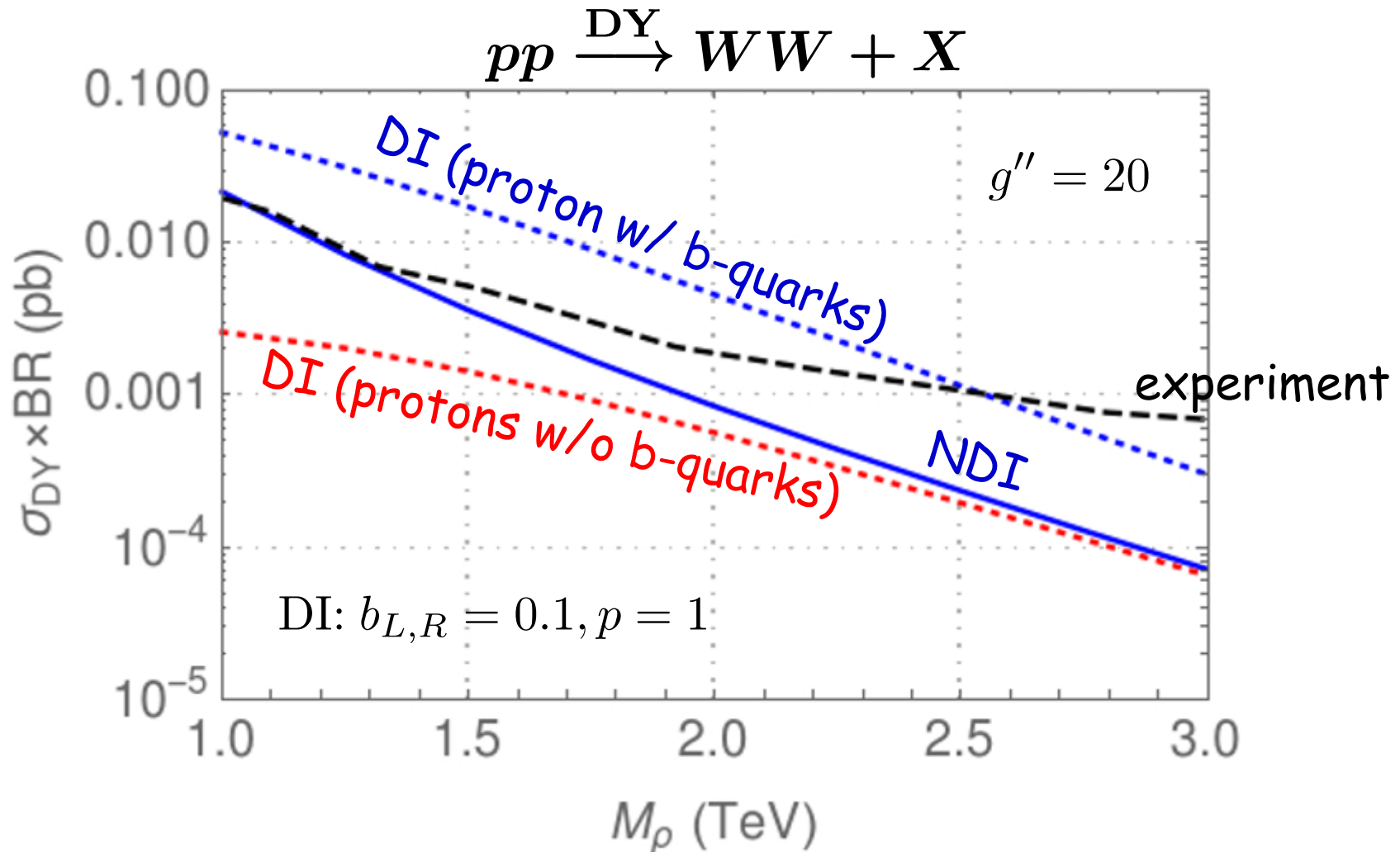
no direct interactions ($b_{L,R} = 0$)

$$pp \xrightarrow{DY} WW + X$$



Results

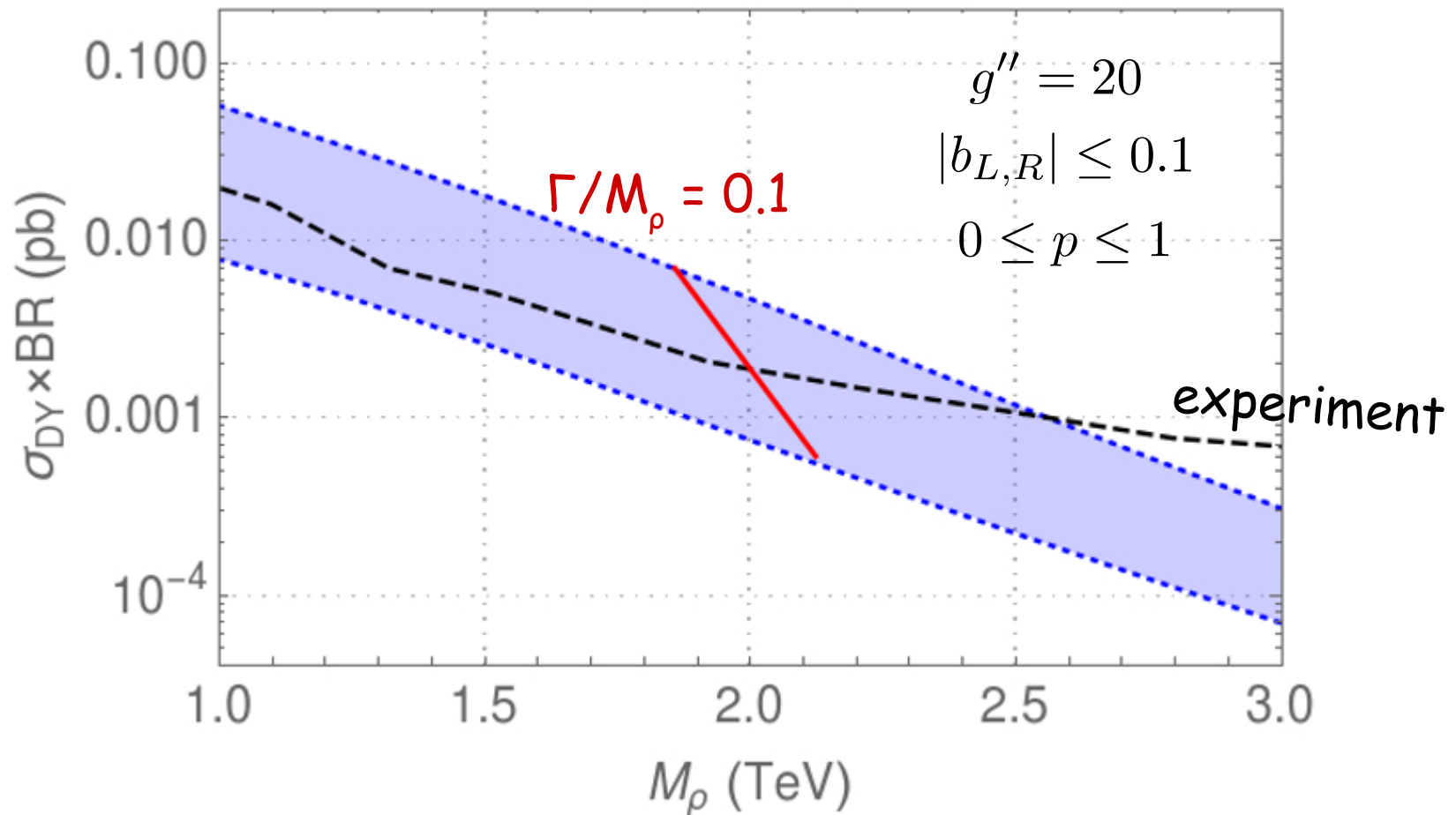
the effect of the b-quark proton contents



Results

the direct interactions turned on

$$pp \xrightarrow{\text{DY}} WW + X$$



Results

MEL's for different scenarios

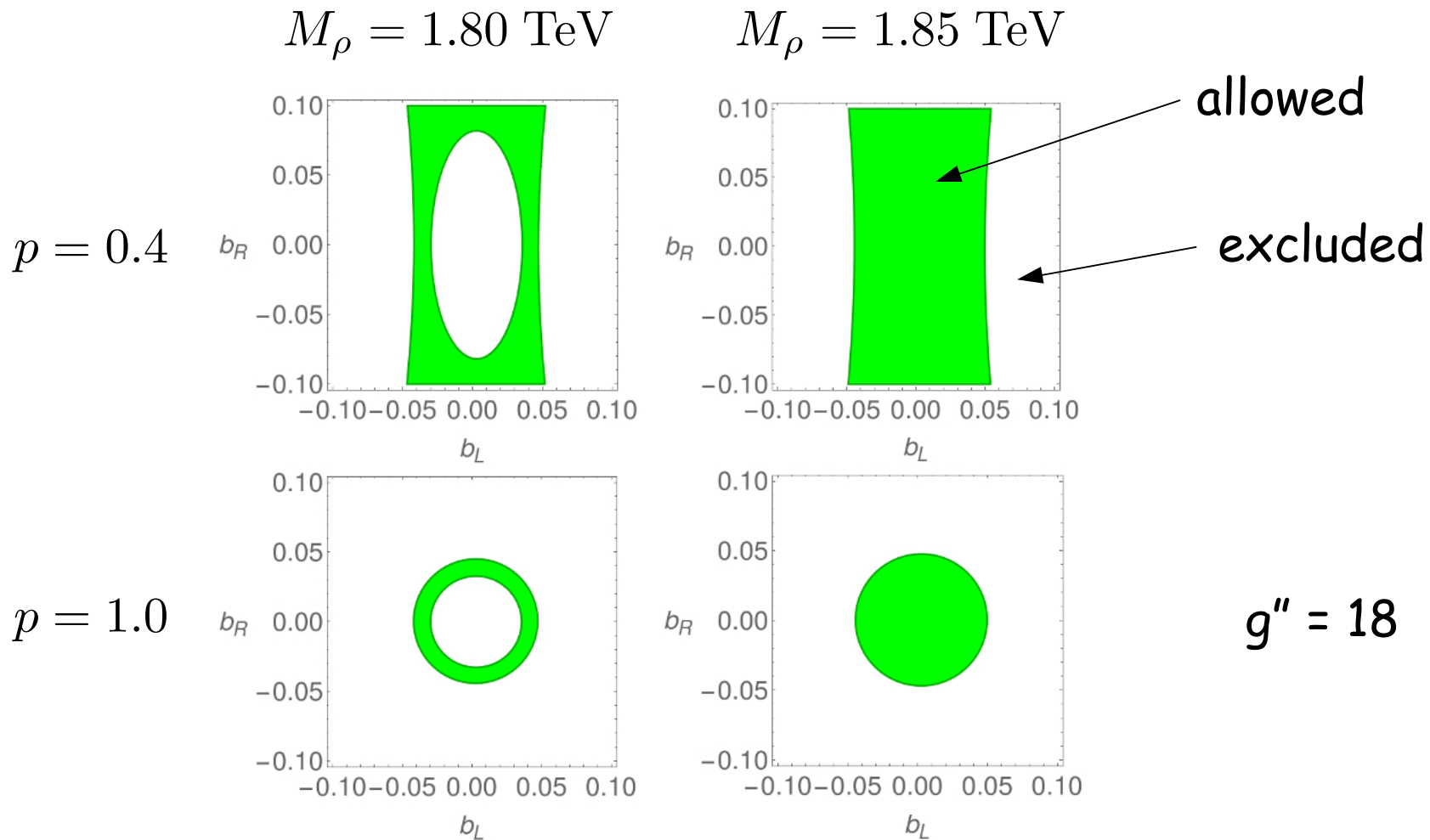
- the strongest of the WZ_{DY} , WW_{DY} , WZ_{DY+VBF} , WW_{DY+VBF} limits

g''	MEL/TeV (Γ/M_ρ)		
	NDI $b_L = b_R = 0$ p irrelevant	DI free $b_L = b_R = b$ $p = 1$	DI $b_L = 0, b_R = 0.1$ free p
		for most relaxing b	for most relaxing p
16	2.07 (0.14)	2.04 (0.14), $b = 0.044$	2.02 (0.14), $p = 0.772$
17	1.95 (0.10)	1.92 (0.10), $b = 0.036$	1.87 (0.09), $p = 0.707$
18	1.83 (0.07)	1.77 (0.06), $b = 0.032$	1.68 (0.06), $p = 0.672$
19	1.70 (0.05)	1.64 (0.04), $b = 0.028$	1.49 (0.04), $p = 0.630$
20	1.60 (0.03)	1.53 (0.03), $b = 0.025$	1.33 (0.03), $p = 0.589$
21	1.51 (0.02)	1.44 (0.02), $b = 0.020$	no MEL for some p
22	1.43 (0.02)	1.38 (0.02), $b = 0.017$	no MEL for some p
23	1.37 (0.01)	1.30 (0.01), $b = 0.017$	no MEL for some p
24	1.31 (0.01)	1.11 (0.01), $b = 0.017$	no MEL for some p
25	1.24 (0.01)	1.03 (0.01), $b = 0.016$	no MEL for some p

Results

allowed values of $b_{L,R}$

- unification of the WZ_{DY} , WW_{DY} , $WZ_{\text{DY+VBF}}$, $WW_{\text{DY+VBF}}$ limits



Summary

- MEL's of the tBESS vector resonance triplet were investigated
- the **b-quark contents** of the proton **cannot be ignored**
- $\Gamma/M_\rho \leq 0.1(0.2) \Rightarrow M_\rho \leq 2.3(2.8)\text{TeV}$
- **there are param. space regions for which MEL $\leq 2\text{TeV}$**
- **analysis beyond NWA required** for MEL $\geq 3\text{TeV}$
- avoid the false generalization that the current vector resonance MEL's dwell at 5TeV or higher