Z' STUDIES IN EXOTIC Z DECAYS

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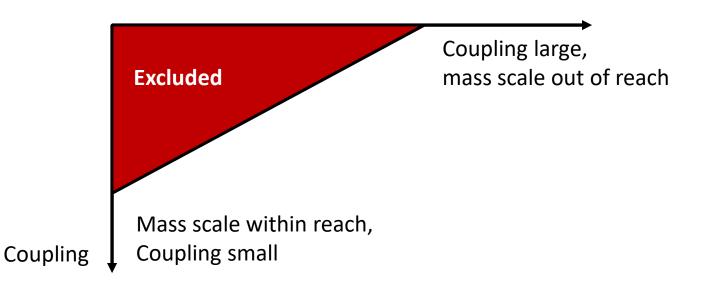
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Introduction and Motivation

- Where is the new physics?
 - Coupling vs. mass plane gives a useful (but rough) schematic picture



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Introduction and Motivation

- Where is the new physics?
 - Coupling vs. mass plane gives a useful (but rough) schematic picture
 - In words, can generally decouple new physics by either taking the mass scale very large or sending its coupling to be very small
 - Generally have smooth crossover between energy and intensity frontier for new physics reach
 - Canonical BSM models that exhibit "small" couplings are portal models

Portal couplings and sensitivity frontier

- General UV behavior of QFT motivates probing portal couplings to BSM sectors
 - Orthogonal to SMEFT
- Sensitivity frontier: energy and intensity crossover
 - A priori, mass scales and coupling strengths can vary over decades

scalar Higgs portals: $\kappa_s S |H|^2 + \lambda_{hs} S^2 |H|^2 + \lambda_{hp} |\Phi|^2 |H|^2$ neutrino portal: $y_N \bar{L} H N$ + h.c. vector portal: $\epsilon B_{\mu\nu} K^{\mu\nu}$ axion portal: $\frac{1}{f_a} a F_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}$

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For this talk, eschew standard portal models Instead consider gauge portal

Building additional gauge symmetries

- Directly augment covariant derivative of subset of SM fields
 - New gauge coupling and symmetry-breaking scale are still free parameters
- Immediate phenomenology and theory concerns
 - FCNC constraints
 - Chiral anomalies

Building additional gauge symmetries

- Want to directly charge SM fields under U(1)'
 - Flavor constraints imply U(1)' should be subgroup of $U(1)_{B} \times U(1)_{e} \times U(1)_{\mu} \times U(1)_{\tau}$
 - Otherwise, U(1)' interactions spoil global SM flavor symmetry
- Since EW symmetry is chiral, most global symmetry choices are anomalous
 - Common exceptions: $U(1)_{B-L}$, L_{μ} - L_{τ}
 - Renormalizability in UV requires new chiral fermions
 - Mixed anomalies force introduction of new EW-charged states $\mathcal{A}(SU(2)^2 \times U(1)_B) = \frac{3}{2}$ $\mathcal{A}(U(1)_Y^2 \times U(1)_B) = \frac{-3}{2}$

Anomaly cancellation

Renormalizability in UV requires new chiral fermions

- VL representations ≡ allow tree-level Dirac mass term ≡ vanishing chiral anomaly contribution
- Chiral representations ≡ forbidden tree-level Dirac mass term ≡ nonzero chiral anomaly contribution
- Mixed anomalies force introduction of new EW-charged
 states
 Fileviez Perez, Wise [1002.1754]
 - Anomalons do not have to carry color
- Minimal set of anomalons (SU(2), U(1)_{γ}, U(1)_B) $L_L(2, -\frac{1}{2}, -1), \ L_R(2, -\frac{1}{2}, 2), \quad E_L(1, -1, 2), \ E_R(1, -1, -1),$ $N_L(1, 0, 2), \ N_R(1, 0, -1)$

Gauged baryon model

- Minimal set of anomalons (SU(2), U(1)_y, U(1)_B)
 - **Collider phenomenology akin to SUSY EWinos** $L_L(2, -\frac{1}{2}, -1), L_R(2, -\frac{1}{2}, 2), E_L(1, -1, 2), E_R(1, -1, -1),$ $N_L(1, 0, 2), N_R(1, 0, -1)$
- Introduce ϕ as baryon-number Higgs (Q_B = 3) $\mathcal{L} = -y_L \bar{L}_L \phi^* L_R - y_E \bar{E}_L \phi E_R - y_N \bar{N}_L \phi N_R + \text{ H.c.}$
- In this construction, tree-level Z-Z' mixing vanishes

 Reintroduced logarithmically at anomalon mass scale
 Can also have tree or loop-generated Higgs-φ mixing

Gauged baryon model vs. EW SM

- Same structure in both cases
 Chiral fermions, spontaneous breaking, Zs and Higgses
- One underlying scale for each chiral symmetry
- Yet, U(1)_B (and any new chiral U(1)') can exhibit different mass hierarchy pattern than SM
- Consider all Yukawas larger than g_B , λ_B
 - Anomalons are non-decoupling a la top quark in $h \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$, $h \rightarrow gg$

Collider phenomenology: Z' resonance

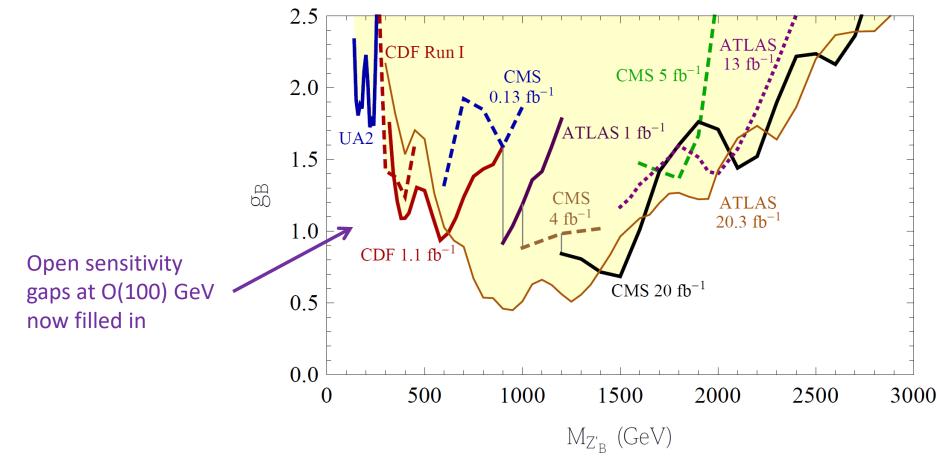
- Canonical Z' dijet resonance from gauged baryon number
 - [Revisited as *s*-channel simplified model of DM production]
- Lagrangian and branching fraction

$$\mathcal{L}_{q} = \frac{g_{B}}{2} Z_{\mu}^{\prime} \sum_{q} \left(\frac{1}{3} \,\overline{q}_{L} \gamma^{\mu} q_{L} + \frac{1}{3} \,\overline{q}_{R} \gamma^{\mu} q_{R} \right)$$
$$B(Z_{B}^{\prime} \to jj) = \left[1 + \frac{1}{5} \left(1 + \frac{2m_{t}^{2}}{M_{Z^{\prime}}^{2}} \right) \left(1 - \frac{4m_{t}^{2}}{M_{Z^{\prime}}^{2}} \right)^{1/2} \right]^{-1}$$

NB: This afternoon and Friday's BSM tutorial will feature an introductory lecture on collider physics and hands-on sensitivity study for Z' resonances at future pp colliders

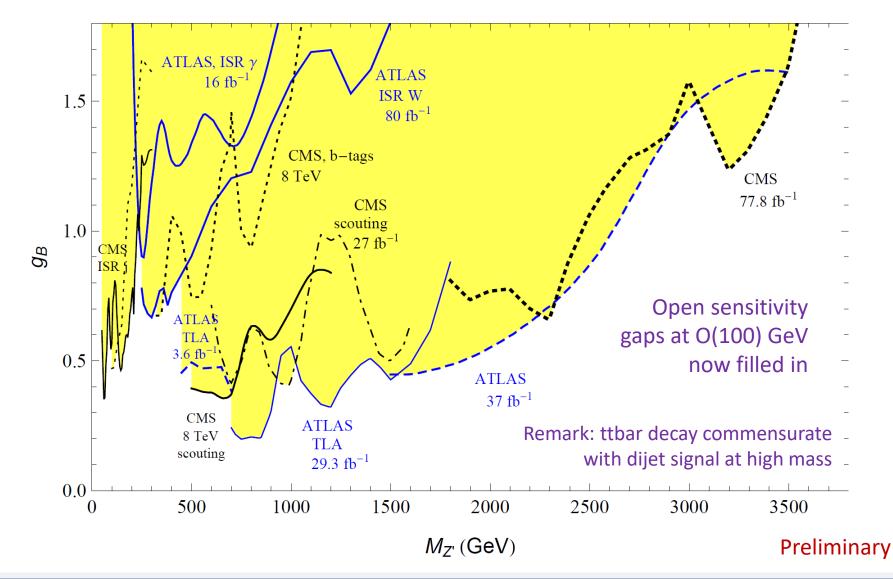
Direct Z'_B limits – circa 2014

• Dijet searches parameterized by coupling and mass



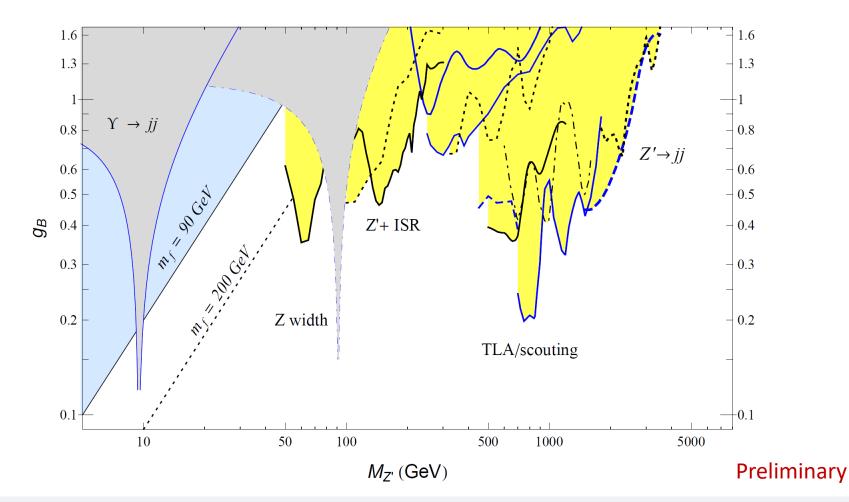
B. Dobrescu, FY [1306.2629], updated with ATLAS [1407.1376] results

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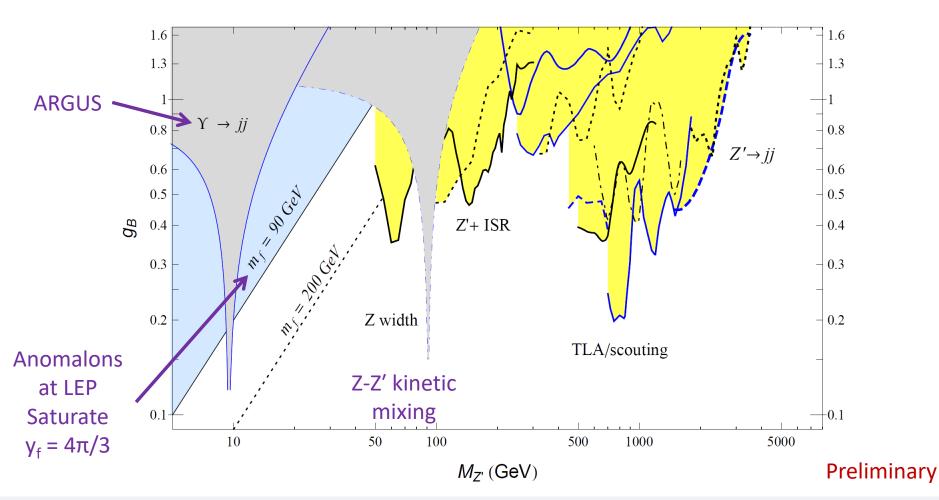
Direct Z'_B limits

• Extend to lighter masses



Direct Z'_B limits

• Coupling and mass determine vev of U(1)' breaking



- After EWSB (and U(1)_B) breaking, generate an effective Z-Z'-γ vertex
 - Non-decoupling of anomalons in vertex matches with Wess-Zumino term in anomalous U(1) EFT
- Calculate exotic Z decay width

WIP with L. Michaels

 Inherent ambiguity in evaluation of triangle loop is entire motivation for ABJ chiral anomaly

 Anomalons are basically copies of SM leptons, except allow chiral mass under EW symmetry and chiral mass under U(1)_B

$$L_L(2, -\frac{1}{2}, -1), \ L_R(2, -\frac{1}{2}, 2), \quad E_L(1, -1, 2), \ E_R(1, -1, -1),$$

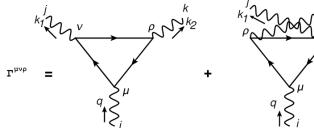
 $N_L(1, 0, 2), \ N_R(1, 0, -1)$

- Field content admits SM-like Yukawas as well as φcoupled Yukawas
- With both Yukawa terms, would have triangle diagrams with FCNC fermions

$$\mathcal{L} = -y_L \bar{L}_L \phi^* L_R - y_E \bar{E}_L \phi E_R - y_N \bar{N}_L \phi N_R + \text{ H.c.}$$
$$-y_1 \bar{L}_L H E_R - y_2 \bar{L}_R \tilde{H} E_L + \text{ H.c.}$$

- Triple gauge vertex has two undetermined parameters generally requiring physicality condition (conservation of charge/Ward identity)
 - Massive Z, Z' vectors also introduce Goldstone equivalence in Ward identity contribution

$$\Gamma^{\mu\nu\rho}(k_1, k_2; w, z) = \left| A_1(k_1, k_2; w) \varepsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} k_{2\sigma} \right|$$

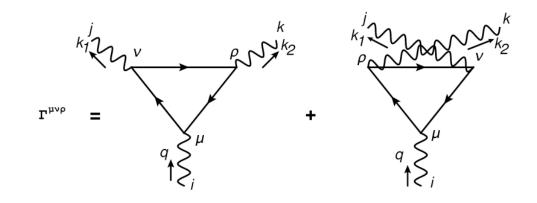


$$+ A_{2}(k_{1}, k_{2}; z) \varepsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} k_{1\sigma} + A_{3}(k_{1}, k_{2}) \varepsilon^{\mu\rho\beta\delta} k_{2}^{\nu} k_{1\beta} k_{2\delta}$$

$$+ A_{4}(k_{1}, k_{2}) \varepsilon^{\mu\rho\beta\delta} k_{1}^{\nu} k_{1\beta} k_{2\delta} + A_{5}(k_{1}, k_{2}) \varepsilon^{\mu\nu\beta\delta} k_{2}^{\rho} k_{1\beta} k_{2\delta}$$

+ $A_6(k_1, k_2) \varepsilon^{\mu\nu\beta\delta} k_1^{\rho} k_{1\beta} k_{2\delta} \bigg]$ · Dedes, Suxho [1202.4940]

- Calculating the triple gauge vertex
 - Using gauge eigenstates equivalent to mass eigenstates since coupling-mass degeneracy holds
 - Shifts which vertex has vector vs. axial-vector couplings



Dedes, Suxho [1202.4940]

Exotic Z decay – complete result

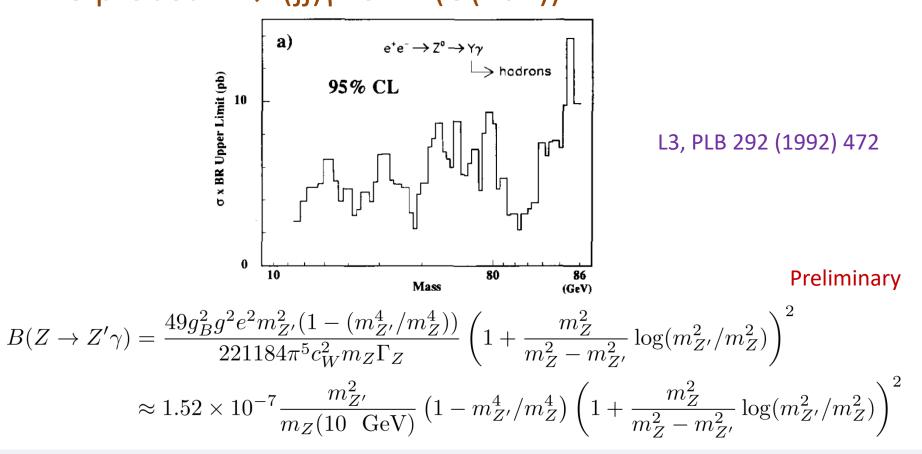
- Full calculation of decay rate shows non-trivial decoupling of anomalons
 - EFT cannot know about UV completion
 - Anomalons must cancel their own anomaly

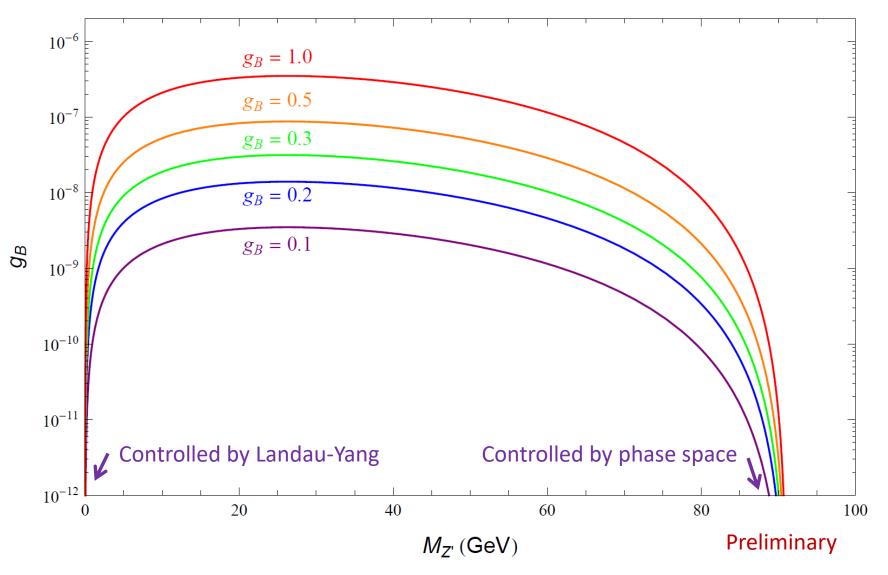
$$\begin{split} \Gamma(Z \to Z'\gamma) &= \frac{g_B^2 g^2 e^2 m_{Z'}^2 (1 - (m_{Z'}^4/m_Z^4))}{221184 \pi^5 c_W^2 m_Z} \times \\ & \left(9 + 7 \frac{m_Z^2}{m_Z^2 - m_{Z'}^2} \log(m_{Z'}^2/m_Z^2) + 4 m_t^2 C_0(0, m_Z^2, m_{Z'}^2, m_t, m_t, m_t) \right. \\ & \left. + 2 \frac{m_Z^2}{m_Z^2 - m_{Z'}^2} (B_0(m_Z^2, m_t, m_t) - B_0(m_{Z'}^2, m_t, m_t)) \right)^2 \end{split}$$
 Preliminary

- C₀ and B₀ are usual three-pt., two-pt. scalar integrals
 - Top quark effectively acts as an anomalon

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– Possible for GigaZ or TeraZ future collider, even HL-LHC?

- For TeraZ, naïve rescaling from LEP gives Br(O(10⁻⁷)) sensitivity

 currently under study
- Also interesting to consider $Z \rightarrow (II)\gamma$ to improve on LEP bounds

$$\begin{split} B(Z \to Z'\gamma) &= \frac{49 g_B^2 g^2 e^2 m_{Z'}^2 (1 - (m_{Z'}^4/m_Z^4))}{221184 \pi^5 c_W^2 m_Z \Gamma_Z} \left(1 + \frac{m_Z^2}{m_Z^2 - m_{Z'}^2} \log(m_{Z'}^2/m_Z^2)\right)^2 \\ &\approx 1.52 \, g_B^2 \times 10^{-7} \frac{m_{Z'}^2}{m_Z (10 \text{ GeV})} \left(1 - m_{Z'}^4/m_Z^4\right) \left(1 + \frac{m_Z^2}{m_Z^2 - m_{Z'}^2} \log(m_{Z'}^2/m_Z^2)\right) \end{split}$$

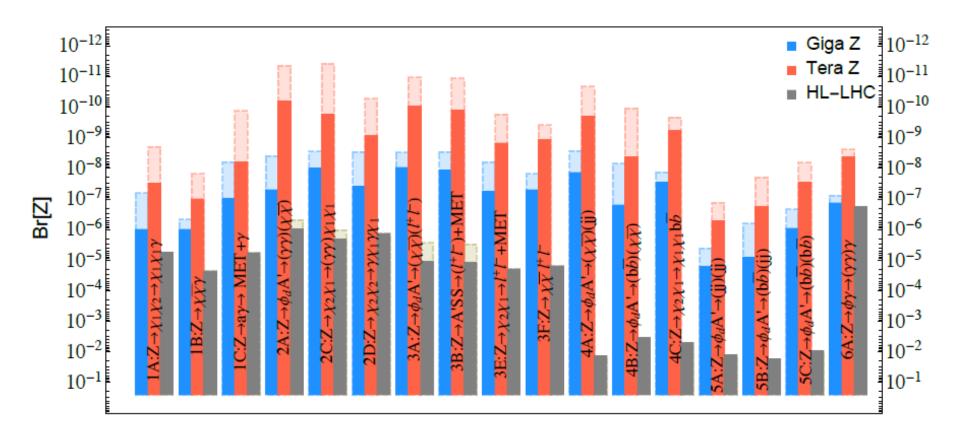
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 Another study considered another set of exotic Z decays, mainly focusing on MET signals (but also include 4j and 3γ)

exotic decays	topologies	n_{res}	models
$Z \to \not \!$	$Z \to \chi_1 \chi_2, \chi_2 \to \chi_1 \gamma$	0	1A: $\frac{1}{\Lambda_{1A}}\bar{\chi_2}\sigma^{\mu\nu}\chi_1B_{\mu\nu}$ (MIDM)
	$Z \to \chi \bar{\chi} \gamma$	0	1B: $\frac{1}{\Lambda_{1B}^3} \bar{\chi} \chi B_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu}$ (RayDM)
	$Z \to a\gamma \to (\not\!\!\!E)\gamma$	1	1C: $\frac{1}{4\Lambda_{1C}} a B_{\mu\nu} \tilde{B}^{\mu\nu}$ (long-lived ALP)
	$Z \rightarrow A'\gamma \rightarrow (\bar{\chi}\chi)\gamma$	1	1D: $\epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma}A'_{\mu}B_{\nu}\partial_{\rho}B_{\sigma}$ (WZ terms)
$Z \to E + \gamma \gamma$	$Z \to \phi_d A', \phi_d \to (\gamma \gamma), A' \to (\bar{\chi} \chi)$	2	2A: Vector portal
	$ \begin{array}{c} Z \rightarrow \phi_H \phi_A, \ \phi_H \rightarrow (\gamma \gamma), \ \phi_A \rightarrow (\bar{\chi} \chi) \end{array} $	2	2B: 2HDM extension
	$Z \to \chi_2 \chi_1, \chi_2 \to \chi_1 \phi, \phi \to (\gamma \gamma)$	1	2C: Inelastic DM
	$Z \to \chi_2 \chi_2, \chi_2 \to \gamma \chi_1$	0	2D: MIDM
$Z \to \not\!$	$Z \to \phi_d A', A' \to (\ell^+ \ell^-), \phi_d \to (\bar{\chi}\chi)$	2	3A: Vector portal
	$Z \to A'SS \to (\ell\ell)SS$	1	3B: Vector portal
	$Z \to \phi(Z^*/\gamma^*) \to \phi \ell^+ \ell^-$	1	3C: Long-lived ALP, Higgs portal
	$Z \to \chi_2 \chi_1 \to \chi_1 A' \chi_1 \to (\ell^+ \ell^-) \not \!$	1	3D: Vector portal and Inelastic DM
	$Z \to \chi_2 \chi_1, \chi_2 \to \chi_1 \ell^+ \ell^-$	0	3E: MIDM, SUSY
	$Z \to \bar{\chi} \chi \ell^+ \ell^-$	0	3F: RayDM, slepton, heavy lepton mixing
$Z \to E \!\!\!\!/ + JJ$	$Z \to \phi_d A' \to (\bar{\chi}\chi)(jj)$	2	4A: Vector portal
	$Z \to \phi_d A' \to (bb)(\bar{\chi}\chi)$	2	4B: Vector portal + Higgs portal
	$Z \to \chi_2 \chi_1 \to bb\chi_1 + \chi_1 \to bb \not \!\!\! E$	0	4C: MIDM
Z ightarrow (JJ)(JJ)	$Z \to \phi_d A', \phi_d \to jj, A' \to jj$	2	5A: Vector portal + Higgs portal
	$Z \to \phi_d A', \phi_d \to b\bar{b}, A' \to jj$	2	5B: vector portal + Higgs portal
	$Z \to \phi_d A', \phi_d \to b\bar{b}, A' \to b\bar{b}$	2	5C: vector portal + Higgs portal
$Z\to\gamma\gamma\gamma\gamma$	$Z \to \phi \gamma \to (\gamma \gamma) \gamma$	1	6A: ALP, Higgs portal

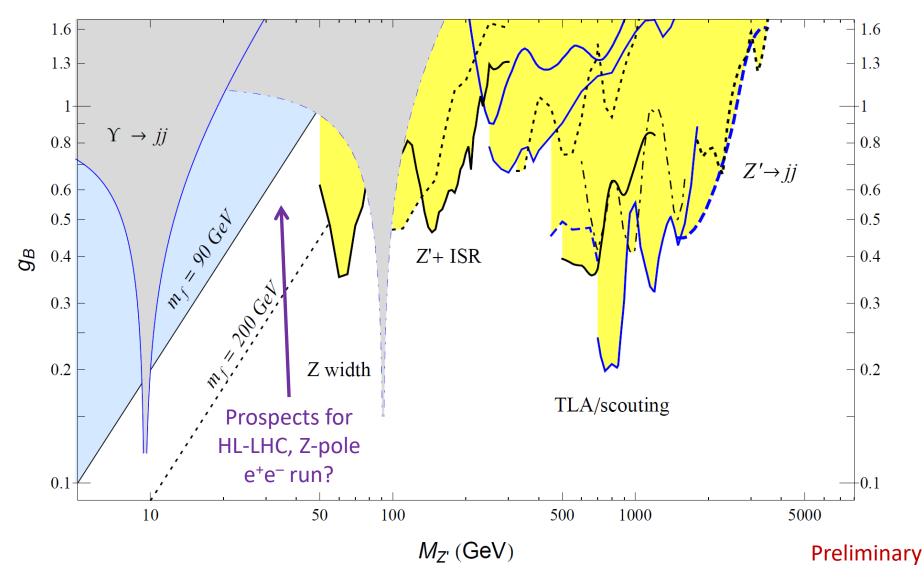
Table I. Classification of exotic Z decay channels by particles in final states and number of resonances (n_{res}) . The χ and χ_1 are fermionic DM, χ_2 is an excited state of DM, and S denotes scalar DM. The final state J represents either light flavor jet j or heavy flavor jet b. A' is the dark photon, and the ϕ is intermediate scalars. The parentheses () indicates a resonance in the final states. The details of these models are discussed in the text.

• Model parameters determine precise Br reach



Liu, Wang, Wang, Xue [1712.07237]

Summary of collider constraints



Conclusions

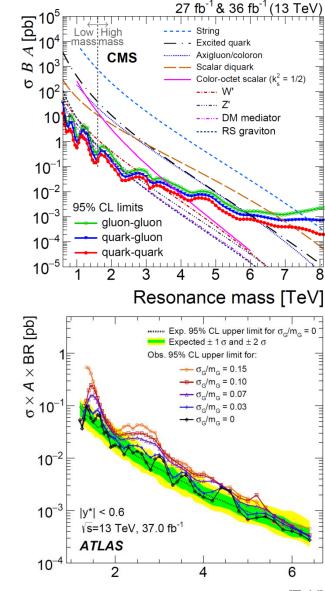
 New BSM sectors built from a simple principle, gauging an anomalous global symmetry of the SM, has many rich phenomenological features

- Built from *gauge portal*

- Natural and irreducible signals arise from familiar themes in EW physics
 - Non-decoupling fermions in Wess-Zumino terms (and diphoton decay of $\varphi)$
- Transition to sensitivity frontier of NP searches
 - Crossover between energy and intensity reach

Dijet resonances at LHC

- Generally, any s-channel resonance decays as a dijet resonance
 - Practical counterexample: SM Higgs
 - Experimental treatment
 distinguishes parton content,
 mass and width
 - Historically, emphasis has been high mass reach
 - Many recent developments on low mass probes
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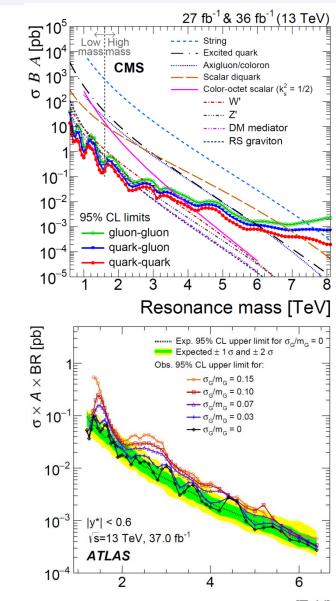


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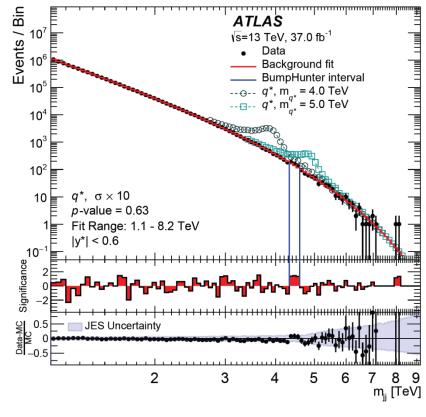


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 - Essentially, straightforward bump hunting

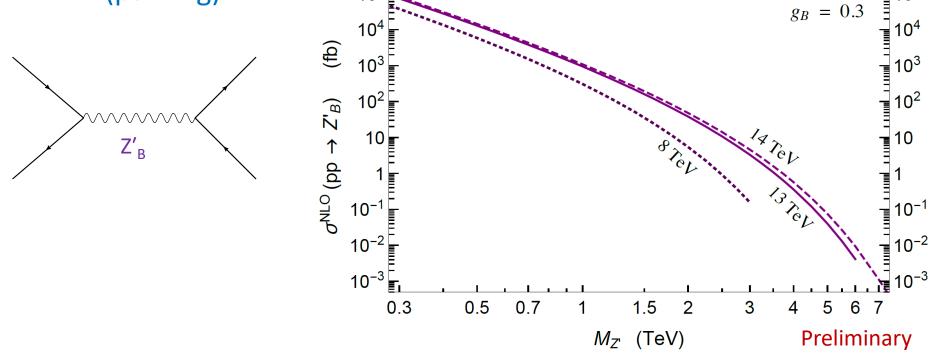


(a) $|y^*| < 0.6$ selection

ATLAS [1703.09127]

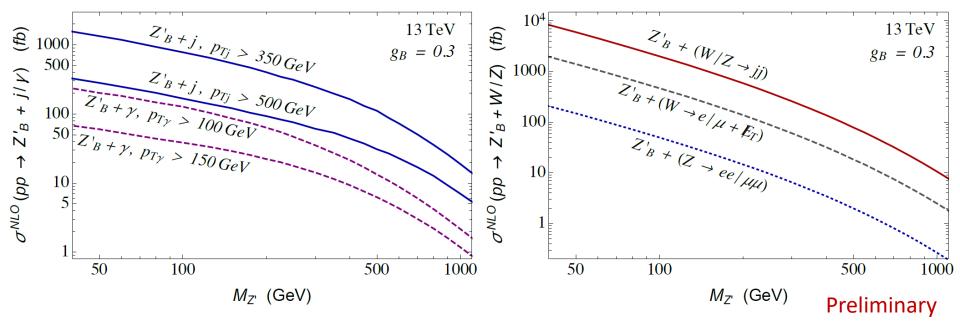
Exptl. innovations in dijet searches

- Recall orders of magnitude variation in QCD bkgd
 - Trigger rate saturates
 - Reduce data volume (TLA/scouting) or set aside events (parking)



Z'_B Collider Phenomenology

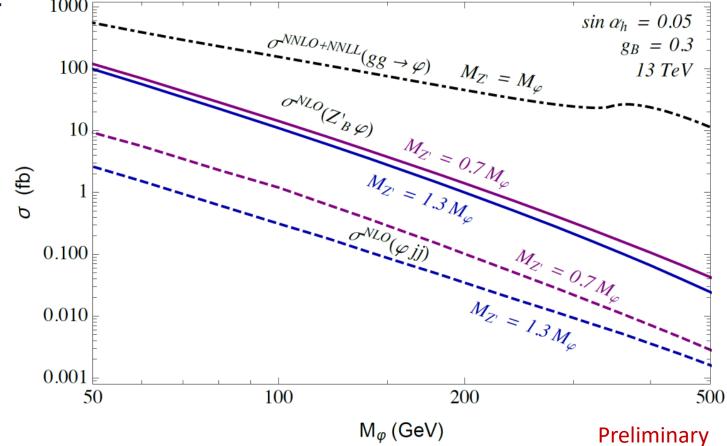
- Alternate trigger paths
 - Use ISR jets, photons, leptons
 - No new model dependence



Reminiscent Higgs-like behavior

 φ production at LHC: Higgs-strahlung and VBF irreducible

 $gg \rightarrow \varphi$ is mixing angle-suppressed



Reminiscent SSB behavior

- φ decay: Z'Z'^{*} is tree-level
 - Essential: perturbative unitarization of Z'Z' scattering

$$\Gamma(\varphi \to Z'Z'^{\{*\}}) = \begin{cases} \frac{M_{\varphi}^3 \cos^2 \alpha_h}{32\pi v_{\phi}^2} \left(1 - 4\frac{M_{Z'}^2}{M_{\varphi}^2} + 12\frac{M_{Z'}^4}{M_{\varphi}^4}\right) \sqrt{1 - 4\frac{M_{Z'}^2}{M_{\varphi}^2}} &, \text{ for } M_{\varphi} > 2M_{Z'} \\ \frac{5M_{Z'}^4 \cos^2 \alpha_h}{6144\pi^3 z_{\phi}^2 v_{\phi}^4} M_{\varphi} R_T \left(M_{Z'}^2/M_{\varphi}^2\right) &, \text{ for } 2M_{Z'} > M_{\varphi} > M_{Z'} &, \end{cases}$$

$$R_T(x) = 3 \frac{1 - 8x + 20x^2}{\sqrt{4x - 1}} \arccos\left(\frac{3x - 1}{2x^{3/2}}\right) - \frac{1 - x}{2x}(2 - 13x + 47x^2) - \frac{3}{2}(1 - 6x + 4x^2)\log x$$

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Reminiscent non-decoupling behavior

• φ decay: Z'Z'^{*} is tree-level

 At one-loop: ZZ', Zγ, Z'γ, and γγ are irreducible and nondecoupling

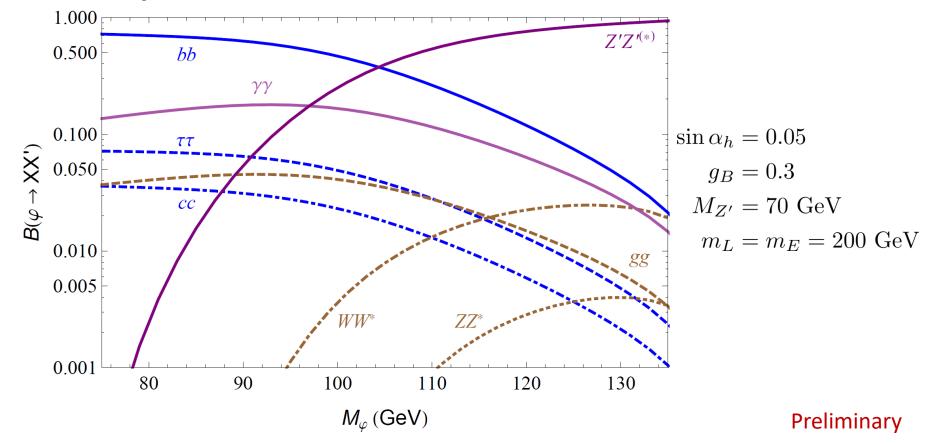
$$\Gamma(\varphi \to \gamma \gamma) = \frac{\alpha^2 M_{\varphi}^3}{256\pi^3} \left| \frac{\sin \alpha_h}{v_h} F_V \left(\frac{M_{\varphi}^2}{4M_W^2} \right) + \frac{4\sin \alpha_h}{3v_h} F_1 \left(\frac{M_{\varphi}^2}{4M_t^2} \right) \right|^2 \text{ Interference from top, W,}$$
$$+ \frac{\cos \alpha_h}{v_{\varphi}} \sum_f Q_f^2 F_1 \left(\frac{M_{\varphi}^2}{4M_f^2} \right) \right|^2 \text{ Interference from top, W,}$$
and anomalons
$$F_1(x) = \frac{2}{x^2} \left[x + (x-1)Z(x) \right] \quad ,$$
$$F_V(x) = -2 - \frac{3}{2} + \frac{3}{2} (1-2x)Z(x)$$

$$F_{V}(x) = -2 - \frac{1}{x} + \frac{1}{x^{2}}(1 - 2x)Z(x)$$

$$Z(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{-1}{4} \left[2\log(\sqrt{x} + \sqrt{x - 1}) - i\pi \right]^{2} & , \text{ for } x > 1 \\ \arcsin^{2}(\sqrt{x}) & , \text{ for } x \le 1 \end{cases}$$
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Reminiscent Higgs-like behavior

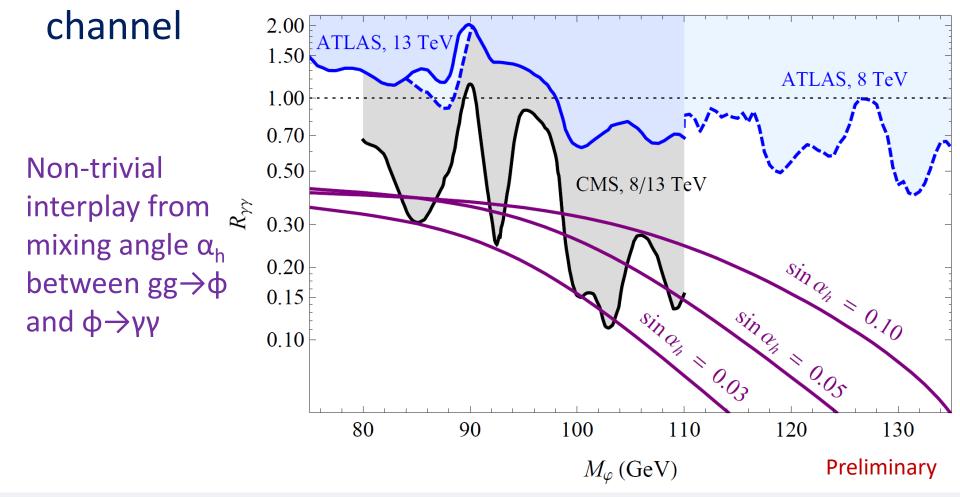
 If φ→Z'Z' decay is phase space suppressed, rich set of decays to SM states



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Reminiscent Higgs-like behavior

• Diphoton resonance is an attractive discovery



- Besides non-decoupling in Higgs physics, chiral fermions also exhibit non-decoupling in gauge interactions
 - Induce Wess-Zumino terms
 - $\mathcal{L} \supset g_B g'^2 c_{BB} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} Z_{B,\mu} B_\nu \partial_\rho B_\sigma$ $+ g_B g^2 c_{WW} \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} Z_{B,\mu} (W^a_\nu \partial_\rho W^a_\sigma + \frac{1}{3} g \epsilon^{abc} W^a_\nu W^b_\rho W^c_\sigma)$

Harvey, Hill, Hill Dror, Lasenby, Pospelov

Comparison to GBE

• Our result

$$\begin{split} \Gamma(Z \to Z'\gamma) &= \frac{g_B^2 g^2 e^2 m_{Z'}^2 (1 - (m_{Z'}^4/m_Z^4))}{221184\pi^5 c_W^2 m_Z} \times \\ & \left(9 + 7 \frac{m_Z^2}{m_Z^2 - m_{Z'}^2} \log(m_{Z'}^2/m_Z^2) + 4m_t^2 C_0(0, m_Z^2, m_{Z'}^2, m_t, m_t, m_t) \right. \\ & \left. + 2 \frac{m_Z^2}{m_Z^2 - m_{Z'}^2} (B_0(m_Z^2, m_t, m_t) - B_0(m_{Z'}^2, m_t, m_t)) \right)^2 \end{split}$$

- Dror, et. al.: Replace Z' by Goldstone, only consider anomaly coupling
 - Ignores poles in finite form factors that cancel anomaly

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{\mathcal{A}}{16\pi^2} \frac{g_X \varphi}{m_X} 2gg' Z_{\mu\nu} \tilde{F}^{\mu\nu}$$
$$\Gamma(Z \to X\gamma) = 1.1 \times 10^{-5} \mathcal{A}^2 g_X^2 \left(\frac{100 \text{ GeV}}{m_X}\right)^2$$

Dror, Lasenby, Pospelov [1705.06726]