

# Top, Higgs and Effective Field Theory

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- fundamental assumptions:
- ▶ new physics nearly decoupled:  $\Lambda \gg (v, E)$
  - ▶ at the accessible scale: **SM** fields + symmetries

☛ a Taylor expansion in canonical dimensions ( $\delta = v/\Lambda$  or  $E/\Lambda$ ):

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{SMEFT}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \frac{1}{\Lambda} \mathcal{L}_5 + \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \mathcal{L}_6 + \frac{1}{\Lambda^3} \mathcal{L}_7 + \frac{1}{\Lambda^4} \mathcal{L}_8 + \dots$$

$$\mathcal{L}_n = \sum_i C_i \mathcal{O}_i^{d=n}$$

$C_i$  free parameters (Wilson coefficients)

$\mathcal{O}_i$  invariant operators that form  
a complete, non redundant basis

$X^3$		$\varphi^6$ and $\varphi^4 D^2$		$\psi^2 \varphi^3$	
$Q_G$	$f^{ABC} G_{\mu}^{A\nu} G_{\nu}^{B\rho} G_{\rho}^{C\mu}$	$Q_{\varphi}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger} \varphi)^3$	$Q_{e\varphi}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger} \varphi)(\bar{l}_p e_r \varphi)$
$Q_{\tilde{G}}$	$f^{ABC} \tilde{G}_{\mu}^{A\nu} G_{\nu}^{B\rho} G_{\rho}^{C\mu}$	$Q_{\varphi \square}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger} \varphi) \square (\varphi^{\dagger} \varphi)$	$Q_{u\varphi}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger} \varphi)(\bar{q}_p u_r \tilde{\varphi})$
$Q_W$	$\varepsilon^{IJK} W_{\mu}^{I\nu} W_{\nu}^{J\rho} W_{\rho}^{K\mu}$	$Q_{\varphi D}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger} D^{\mu} \varphi)^{\star} (\varphi^{\dagger} D_{\mu} \varphi)$	$Q_{d\varphi}$	$(\varphi^{\dagger} \varphi)(\bar{q}_p d_r \varphi)$
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$X^2 \varphi^2$		$\psi^2 X \varphi$		$\psi^2 \varphi^2 D$	
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$(\bar{L}L)(\bar{L}L)$		$(\bar{R}R)(\bar{R}R)$		$(\bar{L}L)(\bar{R}R)$	
$Q_{ll}$	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{l}_s \gamma^\mu l_t)$	$Q_{ee}$	$(\bar{e}_p \gamma_\mu e_r)(\bar{e}_s \gamma^\mu e_t)$	$Q_{le}$	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{e}_s \gamma^\mu e_t)$
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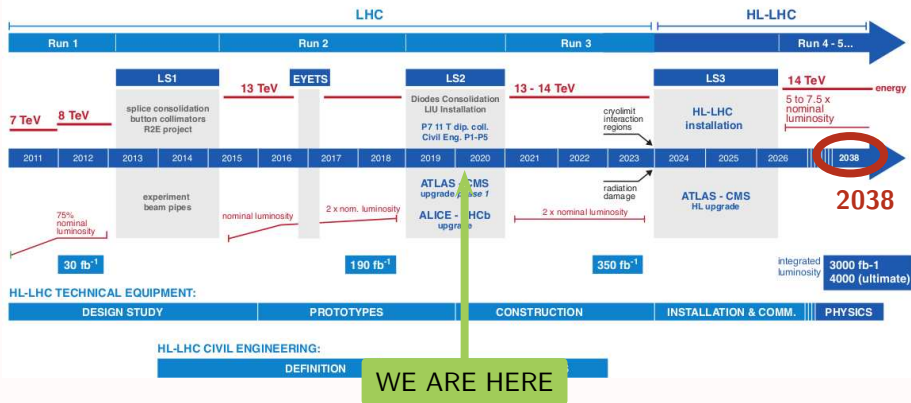
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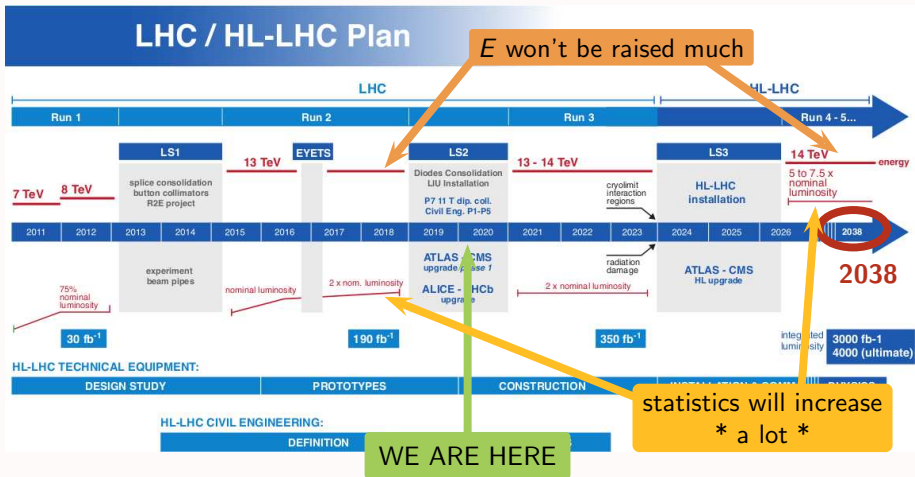
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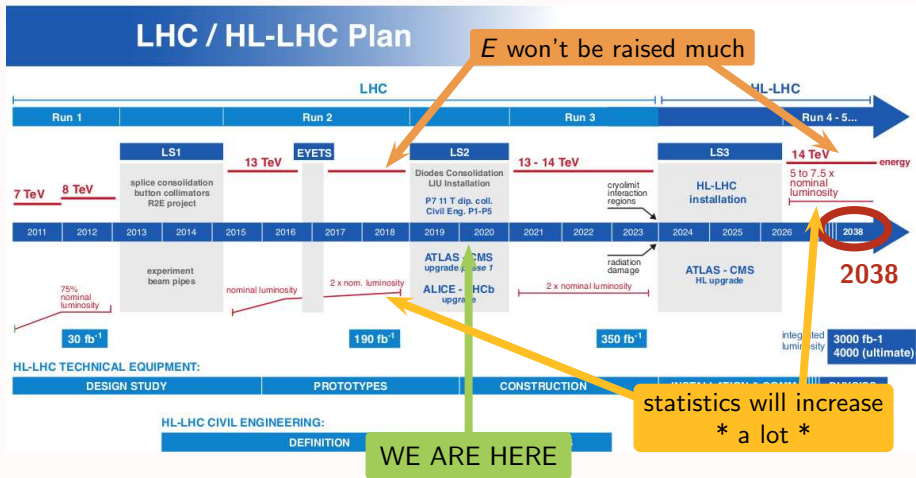


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there's much room for improvement in precision →

worth having a systematic program for **indirect searches**

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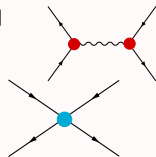
Focusing on interference  $\mathcal{A}_{SM}\mathcal{A}_6^*$  only

Selection **due to SM kinematics / symmetries** in the presence of:

- ▶ resonances in SM
- ▶ FCNCs op.
- ▶ dipole op. (interf.  $\sim m_f$ )
- ▶ ...

$\psi^4$  operators generally **suppressed**  
wrt. “pole operators” by

$$\left(\frac{\Gamma_B m_B}{v^2}\right)^n \sim \begin{array}{ll} 1/300 & (Z,W) \\ 1/10^6 & (h) \end{array}$$



If quadratic terms  $|\mathcal{A}_6|^2$  are included, more operators contribute

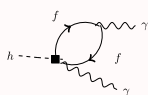
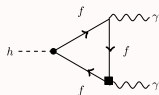
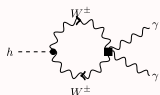
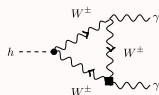
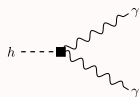
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$+ C_W, C_{HD}, C_{eW},$   
 $C_{eB}, C_{uW}, C_{uB}, C_{dW},$   
 $C_{dB}, C_{eH}, C_{uH}, C_{dH}$

EFT order

+ dimension 8 + ...

Hartmann, Trott 1505.02646, 1507.03568

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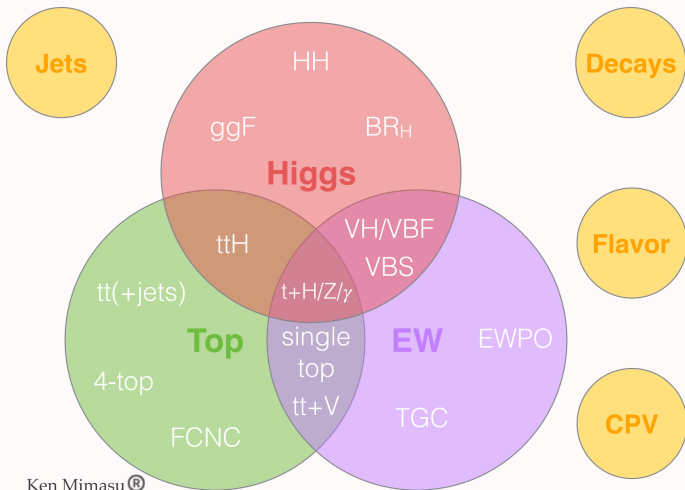
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requires  
global fits

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# Global SMEFT analyses

ultimate goal: **measure** as many SMEFT parameters as possible  
fitting predictions that include all relevant terms



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## relevant operators

also: Ellis, Murphy, Sanz, You 1803.03252

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### Z, W couplings

$$\begin{aligned} Q_{HI}^{(1)} &= (iH^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{l}\gamma^\mu l) \\ Q_{He} &= (iH^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{e}\gamma^\mu e) \\ Q_{Hq}^{(1)} &= (iH^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{q}\gamma^\mu q) \\ Q_{Hq}^{(3)} &= (iH^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu^i H)(\bar{q}\sigma^i \gamma^\mu q) \\ Q_{Hu} &= (iH^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{u}\gamma^\mu u) \\ Q_{Hd} &= (iH^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{d}\gamma^\mu d) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q_{HD} &= (D_\mu H^\dagger H)(H^\dagger D^\mu H) \\ Q_{HWB} &= (H^\dagger \sigma^i H)W_{\mu\nu}^i B^{\mu\nu} \\ Q_{HI}^{(3)} &= (iH^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu^i H)(\bar{l}\sigma^i \gamma^\mu l) \\ Q'_{II} &= (\bar{l}_p \gamma^\mu l_r)(\bar{l}_r \gamma^\mu l_p) \end{aligned}$$

input quantities

TGC

$$Q_W = \varepsilon_{ijk} W_\mu^{i\nu} W_\nu^{j\rho} W_\rho^{k\mu}$$

### Bhabha scattering

$$\begin{aligned} Q_{ee} &= (\bar{e}\gamma^\mu e)(\bar{e}\gamma^\mu e) \\ Q_{le} &= (\bar{l}\gamma^\mu l)(\bar{e}\gamma^\mu e) \\ Q_{ll} &= (\bar{l}_p \gamma^\mu l_p)(\bar{l}_r \gamma^\mu l_r) \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} Q_{Hbox} &= (H^\dagger H) \square (H^\dagger H) \\ Q_{HG} &= (H^\dagger H) G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu} \\ Q_{HB} &= (H^\dagger H) B_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu} \\ Q_{HW} &= (H^\dagger H) W_{\mu\nu}^i W^{i\mu\nu} \\ Q_{uH} &= (H^\dagger H)(\bar{q}Hu) \\ Q_{dH} &= (H^\dagger H)(\bar{q}Hd) \\ Q_{eH} &= (H^\dagger H)(\bar{l}He) \\ Q_G &= \varepsilon_{abc} G_\mu^{a\nu} G_\nu^{b\rho} G_\rho^{c\mu} \\ Q_{uG} &= (\bar{q}\sigma^{\mu\nu} T^a \tilde{H}u) G_{\mu\nu}^a \end{aligned}$$

H processes

PRELIMINARY

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- ▶ **analytic predictions** (as much as possible)
  - ▶ Better control on possible **divergences** / phase space integration
  - ▶ Control on different diagram contributions (e.g.  $\gamma$ -mediated in  $h \rightarrow 4f$ )
  - ▶ Cancellation effects are reproduced exactly
  - ▶ All EFT contributions can be **linearized out** (relevant for propagator corrections)



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$$n_k = \mathcal{L}_k \sum_{i,f} (\sigma \cdot B)_{if} (\varepsilon \cdot A)_{if}$$

Diagram illustrating the components of the equation:

- $\mathcal{L}_k$  is labeled "lumi" (luminosity).
- $\sum_{i,f}$  is labeled "prod xs  $i \rightarrow h$ " (production cross-sections).
- $(\sigma \cdot B)_{if}$  is labeled "decay BR  $h \rightarrow f$ " (decay branching ratios).
- $(\varepsilon \cdot A)_{if}$  is labeled "acceptance" and "efficiency".

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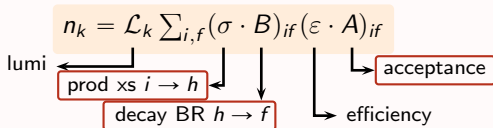
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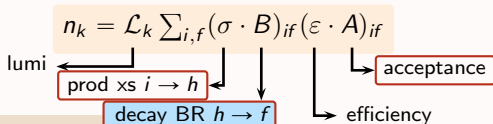
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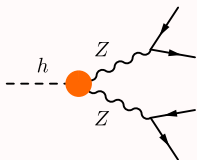
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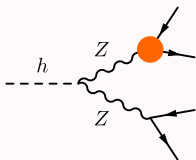
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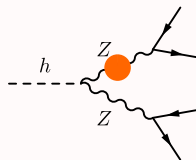


$\propto g_{\mu\nu}$  (SM-like)

$\propto g_{\mu\nu} p \cdot q - p_\nu q_\mu$  ( $Z_{\mu\nu} Z^{\mu\nu} h$ )



$\delta g_L, \delta g_R$



$$\frac{-im_Z \delta \Gamma_Z + (2m_Z - i\Gamma_Z) \delta m_Z}{p^2 - m_Z^2 + i\Gamma_Z m_Z}$$

$\uparrow$   
hard to extract from MC simulation!

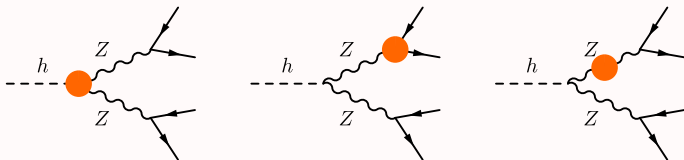
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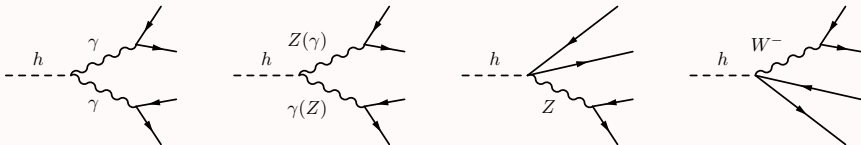
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$\blacktriangleright$  including  $Z, W$  propagator corrections

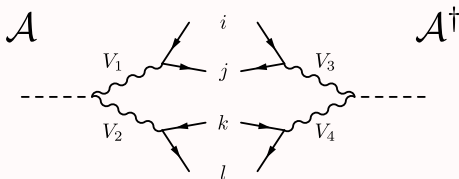
## ① corrections to SM diagrams



## ② genuine SMEFT diagrams



fully analytical treatment. automated with general decomposition:



$$\mathcal{A}\mathcal{A}^\dagger \sim g_{HV_1V_2} g_{HV_3V_4} \sum_n \mathcal{T}^{(n)}$$

$$\mathcal{T}^{(n)} = \mathcal{K}^{(n)} \left( g_{L,R}^{ij,V_1}, g_{L,R}^{ij,V_3}, g_{L,R}^{kl,V_2}, g_{L,R}^{kl,V_4} \right) \mathcal{F}_{V_1V_2V_3V_4}^{(n)}(p_a, m_a), \quad a = \{i, j, k, l\}$$

for  $m_a \equiv 0$  there are only **8** independent  $\mathcal{F}_{V_1V_2V_3V_4}$ . For each  $\{V\}$  set:

- ▶ numerical integration of phase space: **Vegas** in Mathematica T. Hahn 0404043
- ▶ cross-check: RAMBO + 2 independent parameterizations of phase space

Kleiss, Stirling, Ellis  
Comput. Phys. Commun. 40(1986)359



# Analytic results for the total Higgs width

Brivio, Corbett, Trott 1906.06949

- ▶ full inclusive calculation including  $h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma, gg, b\bar{b}, c\bar{c}, \tau^+\tau^-, Z\gamma, 4f$
- ▶ tree-level, interference only
- ▶  $U(3)^5$  flavor symmetry

with  $\{m_W, m_Z, G_F\}$  inputs,  $\tilde{C} = C(v/\Lambda)^2$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\delta\Gamma_{h,full}^{SMEFT}}{\Gamma_h^{SM}} \simeq & 1 - 1.50 \tilde{C}_{HB} - 1.21 \tilde{C}_{HW} + 1.21 \tilde{C}_{HWB} + 50.6 \tilde{C}_{HG} \\ & + 1.83 \tilde{C}_{H\Box} - 0.43 \tilde{C}_{HD} + 1.17 \tilde{C}'_{II} \\ & - 7.85 \hat{Y}_{cc}^u \text{Re}\tilde{C}_{uH} - 48.5 \hat{Y}_{bb}^d \text{Re}\tilde{C}_{dH} - 12.3 \hat{Y}_{\tau\tau}^\ell \text{Re}\tilde{C}_{eH} \\ & + 0.002 \tilde{C}_{Hq}^{(1)} + 0.06 \tilde{C}_{Hq}^{(3)} + 0.001 \tilde{C}_{Hu} - 0.0007 \tilde{C}_{Hd} \\ & - 0.0009 \tilde{C}_{Hl}^{(1)} - 2.32 \tilde{C}_{Hl}^{(3)} - 0.0006 \tilde{C}_{He} \end{aligned}$$

partial inclusive widths and  $\{\alpha_{em}, m_Z, G_F\}$  input scheme also available.

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## Acceptance

$$A = \frac{n_{\text{kin. cuts}}}{n_{\text{tot}}} \quad \text{assumed to be SM-like in STXS extraction}$$

- ▶ SMEFT terms with **non-SM Lorentz** structure ( $hV_{\mu\nu}V^{\mu\nu}$ ,  $hV_{\mu}\bar{\psi}\gamma^{\mu}\psi\dots$ ) modify distributions  $\rightarrow \Delta A$
- ▶  $\Delta A$  calculable for cuts in Lorentz-invariants, requires **MC** for arbitrary cuts
- ▶  $\Delta A$  depends **most on decay** channel, less on production [ preliminary ]

- ▶  $U(2)_q \times U(2)_u \times U(2)_d$
- ▶ top interactions only for now
- ▶ up to NLO QCD, quadratic SMEFT

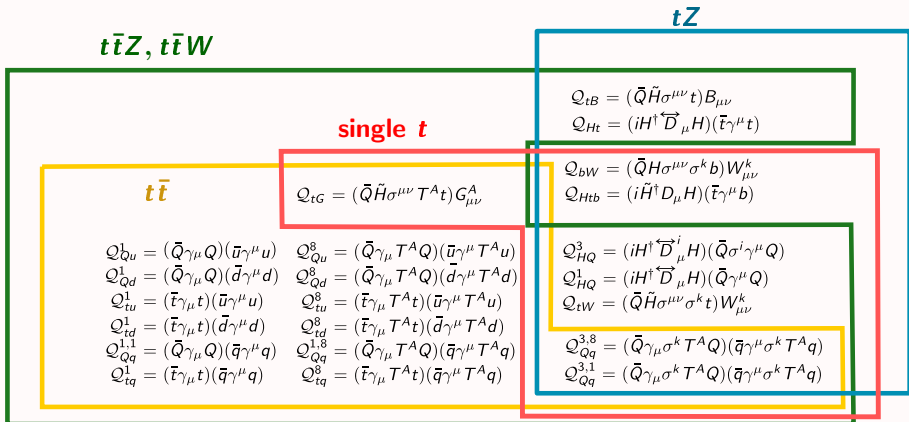
predictions: SMEFT@NLO

Brivio, Bruggisser, Maltoni, Moutafis, Plehn, Vryonidou, Westhoff, Zhang 1910.03606

## 22 relevant operators

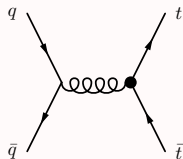
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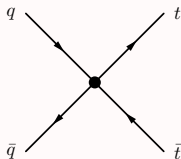


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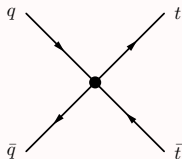
8 terms:  $2 \chi_q \times 2 \chi_t \times 2$  color contractions  
+ singlet/triplet isospin for LL currents



10 operators for each initial state ( $u/d$ )

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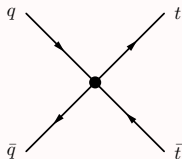
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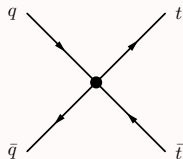
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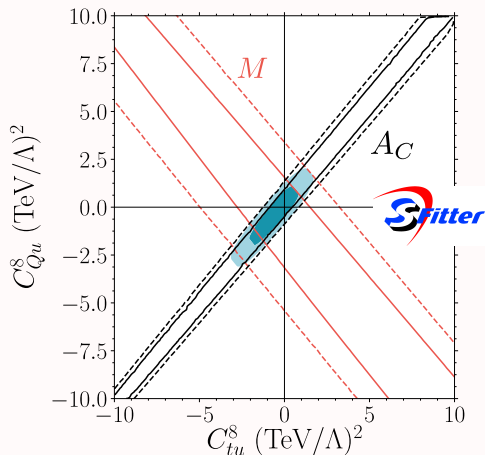
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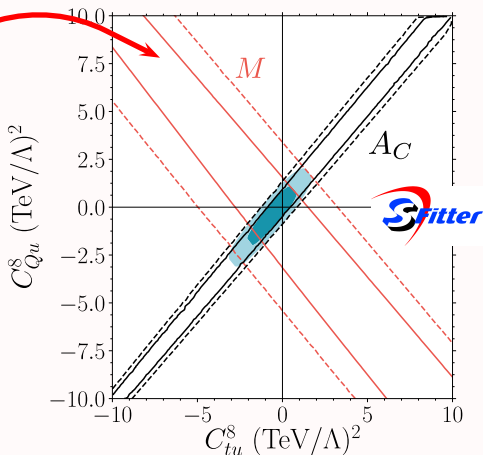
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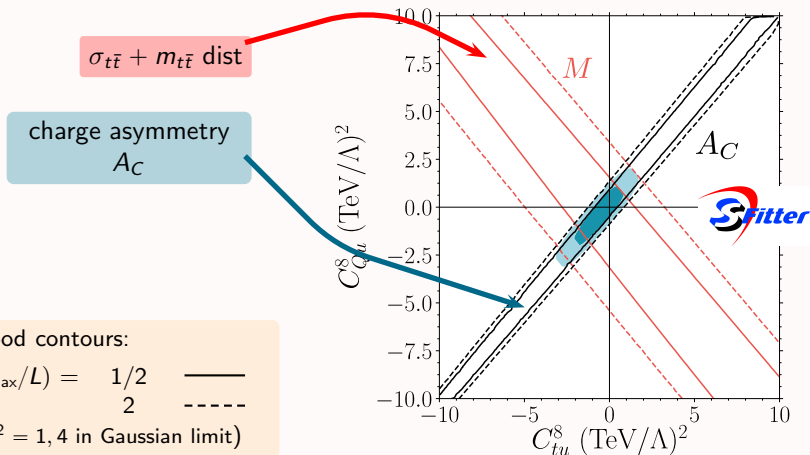
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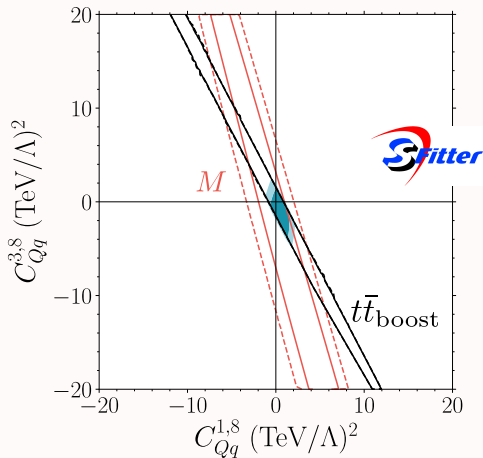
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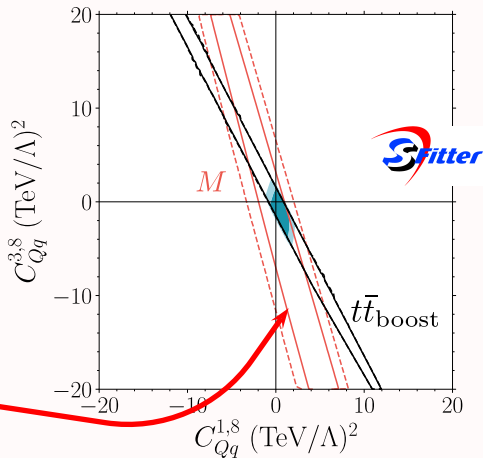
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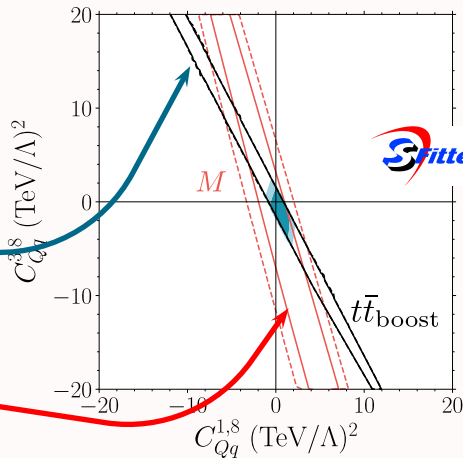
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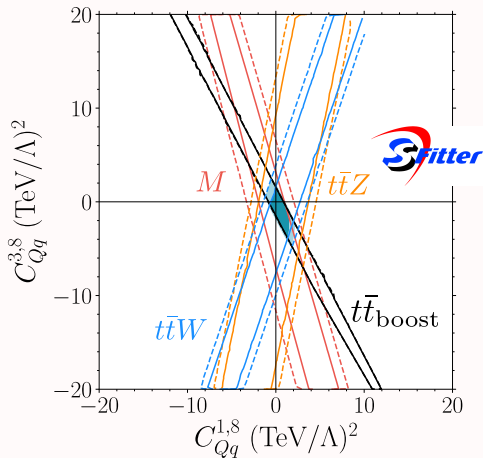
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▶ whenever precision is not enough  $(C_i)^2$  dominate the fit:

constraining  $C_i \lesssim \mathcal{O}(1)$  requires  $(E/\Lambda)^2 \simeq \mathcal{O}(5 - 10)\%$

▶ often included as a **cross check of convergence**.

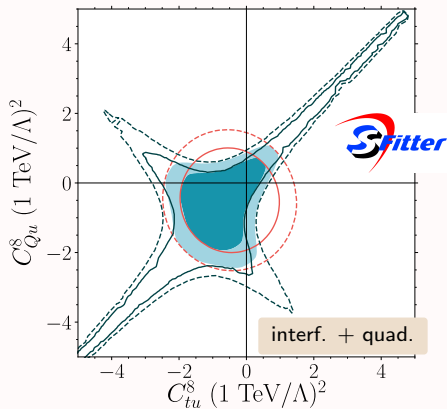
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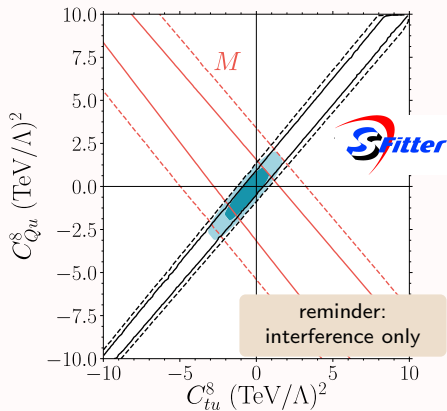
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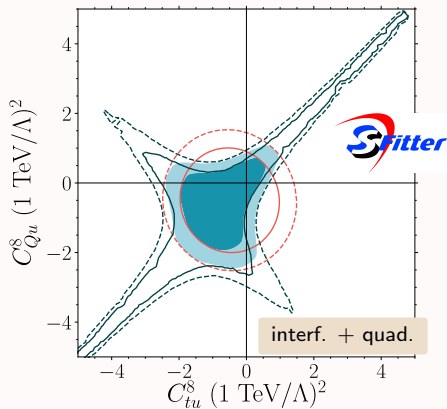
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# Impact of quadratic SMEFT contributions

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$$+ \left[ (C_{LL}^8)^2 + (C_{RR}^8)^2 - (C_{LR}^8)^2 - (C_{RL}^8)^2 + \frac{9}{2} \left( (C_{LL}^1)^2 + (C_{RR}^1)^2 - (C_{LR}^1)^2 - (C_{RL}^1)^2 \right) \right] 2\beta_t c_t$$

$$+ \left[ C_{LL}^8 C_{LR}^8 + C_{RR}^8 C_{RL}^8 + \frac{9}{2} (C_{LL}^1 C_{LR}^1 + C_{RR}^1 C_{RL}^1) \right] 4m_t^2/s$$

Quadratic terms modify the **geometry** of the fit

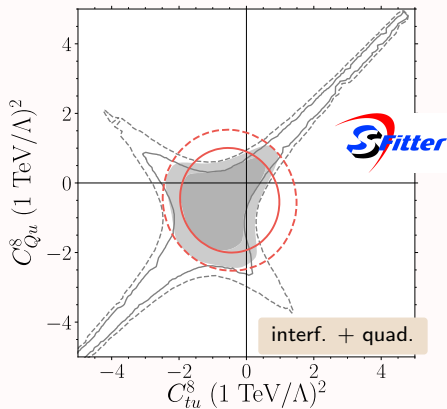
typical measurements  $\sim \sum_i + C_i^2$   
 $\Rightarrow$  **radial constraint**



$n$ -dimensional fit space **compact**  
 already with 1 measurement



**angular flat directions** remain

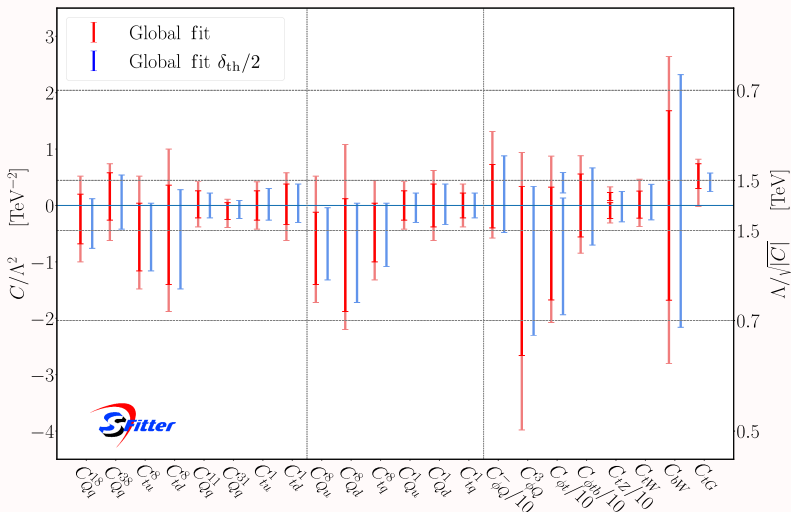


# Global fit to top processes: results

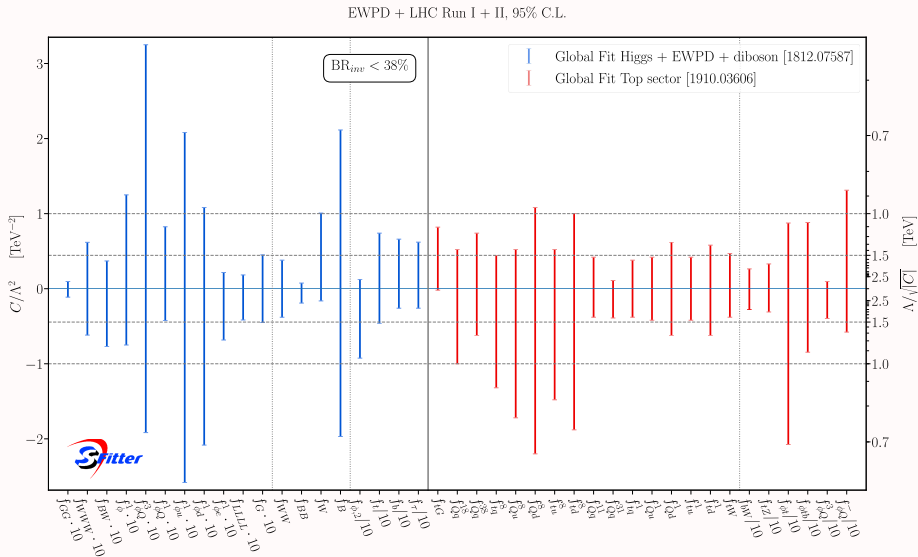
fit to  $t\bar{t}$ ,  $t\bar{t}Z$ ,  $t\bar{t}W$ , single- $t$ ,  $W$  helicity in  $t$  decays

Brivio, Bruggisser, Maltoni, Moutafis, Plehn,  
Vryonidou, Westhoff, Zhang 1910.03606

Run II, ATLAS+CMS, 68% and 95% C.L.



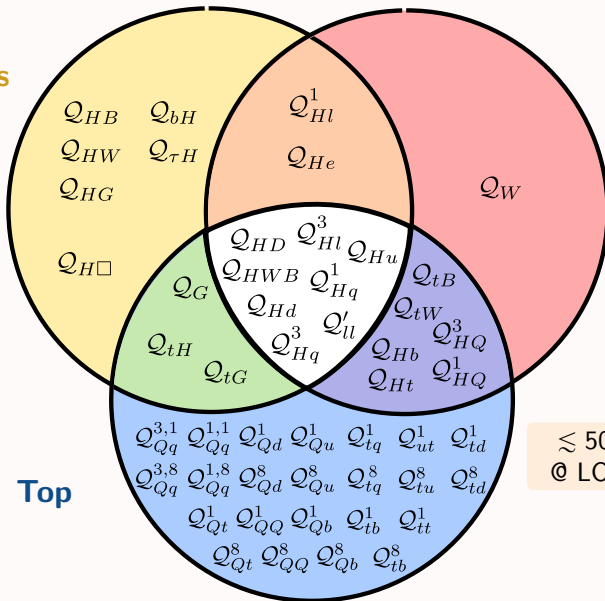
# Top vs EW+Higgs results



# Top+EW+Higgs: next step

Higgs

EW



$\lesssim 50$  parameters  
@ LO interference

# Recap & take-home

- ▶ Indirect searches of BSM physics @LHC will become more and more important in the next runs
- ▶ The **SMEFT** is a well-defined QFT framework to do this systematically: go beyond SM stress-test!
- ▶ 20-30 parameters for the basic scenario in a Higgs/EW/top analysis
- ▶ Higgs + EW analysis → good **analytic** control ... and improving  
→ EFT effects beyond signal being addressed
- ▶ top analysis → precision approaching interesting region!  
→ NLO QCD important  
→ care required to break **large degeneracies**  
→ quadratic terms have strong impact through geometry

**Backup slides**

118 observables included so far

- ▶ 8 near-Z-pole EWPO:  $\Gamma_Z$ ,  $R_{\ell,c,b}^0$ ,  $A_{FB}^{\ell,c,b}$ ,  $\sigma_h^0$  LEPI combination hep-ex/0509008
- ▶ 21 distribution bins for bhabha scattering at LEP II LEPII combination 1302.3415
- ▶ 74 dist. bins for  $W^+W^-$  production at LEP II L3: hep-ex/0409016  
OPAL: 0708.1311  
ALEPH: Eur.Phys.J. C38 (2004) 147  
differential combined: 1302.3415
- ▶ 15 inclusive obs. for Higgs measurements in  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  and  $H \rightarrow 4\ell$  at LHC
  - ▶ ATLAS ( $36 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ) ATLAS-CONF-2017-047
  - ▶ CMS ( $36 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ ) CMS PAS HIG-17-031

# Top fit – observables

$pp \rightarrow t\bar{t}$

- ▶ 5  $\sigma_{t\bar{t}}$  measurements at 8 and 13 TeV
- ▶ 5  $A_C$  measurements at 8 and 13 TeV
- ▶ 2  $d\sigma/dm_{t\bar{t}}$  dist. at 8 and 13 TeV (15 bins tot)
- ▶ 4  $d\sigma/dp_T^t(p_T^1, p_T^h)$  dist. at 8 and 13 TeV (30 bins tot)
- ▶ 1  $d^2\sigma/dm_{t\bar{t}}dt_{t\bar{t}}$  dist at 8 TeV (16 bins)
- ▶ 2 dist in high- $p_T$  region ( $p_T^t, m_{t\bar{t}}$ ) at 8 and 13 TeV (13 bins tot)

$pp \rightarrow t\bar{t}Z, pp \rightarrow t\bar{t}W$

- ▶ 2  $\sigma_{t\bar{t}V}$  measurements for each  $V$  at 8 and 13 TeV

Single-top

- ▶ 6  $\sigma_{tq, \bar{t}q}$  measurements in  $t$ -channel at 7, 8, 13 TeV
- ▶ 3  $\sigma_{t\bar{b}, \bar{t}b}$  measurements in  $s$ -channel at 7, 8 TeV
- ▶ 6  $\sigma_{tW, \bar{t}W}$  measurements in  $tW$  channel at 7, 8, 13 TeV
- ▶ 1  $\sigma_{tZq}$  measurement in  $tZq$  at 13 TeV

Top decays

- ▶ 4 measurements of  $W$  helicity at 7, 8, 13 TeV