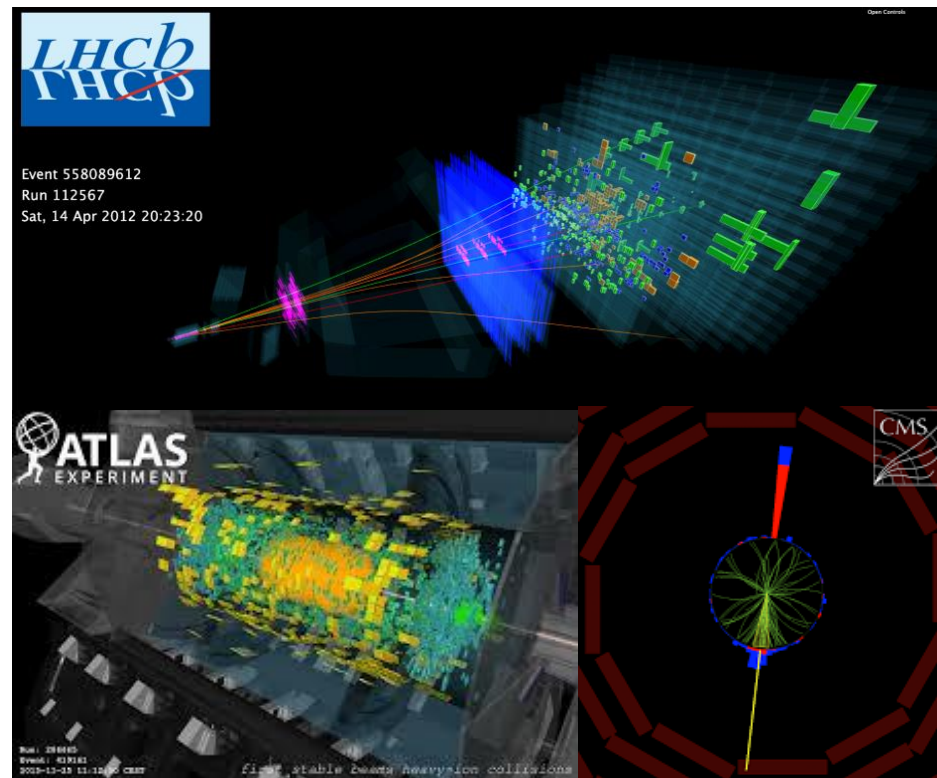


Light Hidden Mesons Inspired by Neutral Naturalness

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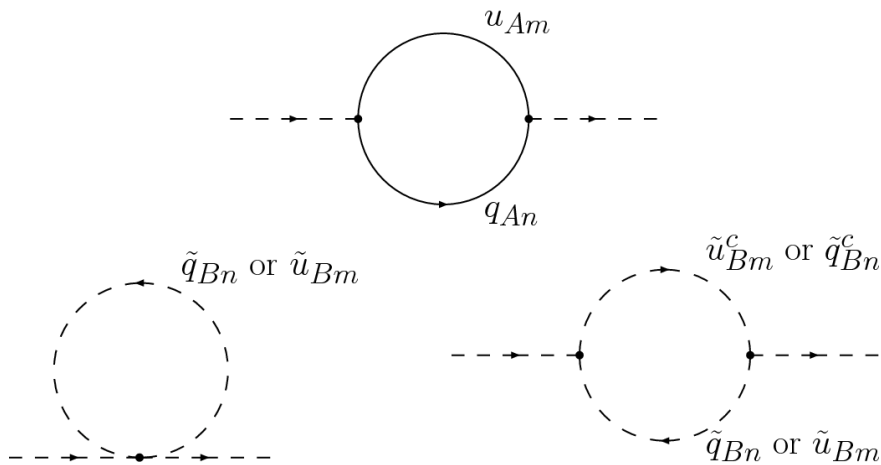


Neutral Naturalness

Top partners gauged under hidden SU(3) to avoid strong bounds

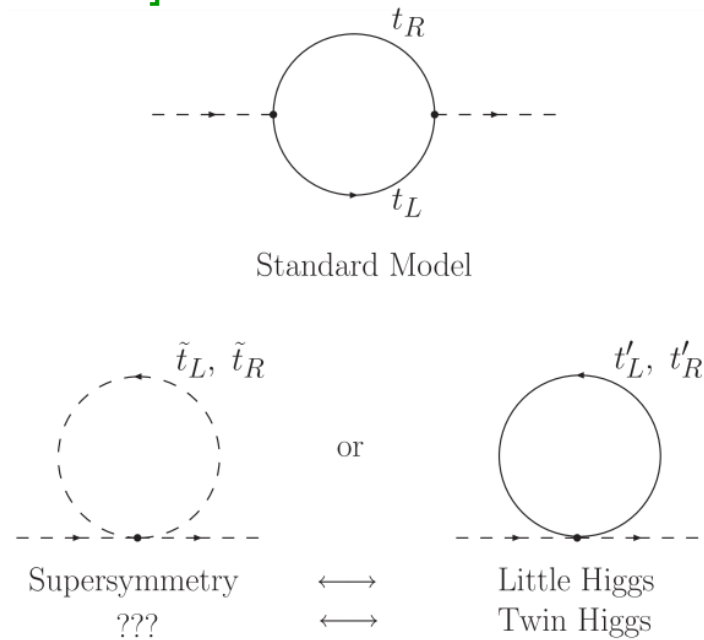
Folded SUSY

[G. Burdman, Z. Chacko, H.S. Goh and R. Harnik, 0609152]



Twin Higgs

[Z. Chacko, H.-S. Goh, and R. Harnik, 0506256]



EW Portal: Quirky bound state formed by EW charged states: **High threshold**

Higgs Portal: Exotic $h \rightarrow XX$, $X = \text{Glueball, Twin b hadron, etc.}$ **Low threshold**

Low threshold EW Portal Signal?

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Alternate Triple Top (TT) Model & Accidental SUSY

The superpotential:

$$W'_{Z_3} = y_t(Q_A H u_A^c + Q_B H u_B^c + Q_C H u_C^c) + \omega(u'_B u_B^c + u'_C u_C^c) + M(Q_B Q_B'^c + Q_C Q_C'^c)$$

$$V'_s = \tilde{m}^2(|\tilde{Q}_A|^2 + |\tilde{u}_A^c|^2) - \tilde{m}^2(|\tilde{Q}_B|^2 + |\tilde{Q}_C|^2)$$

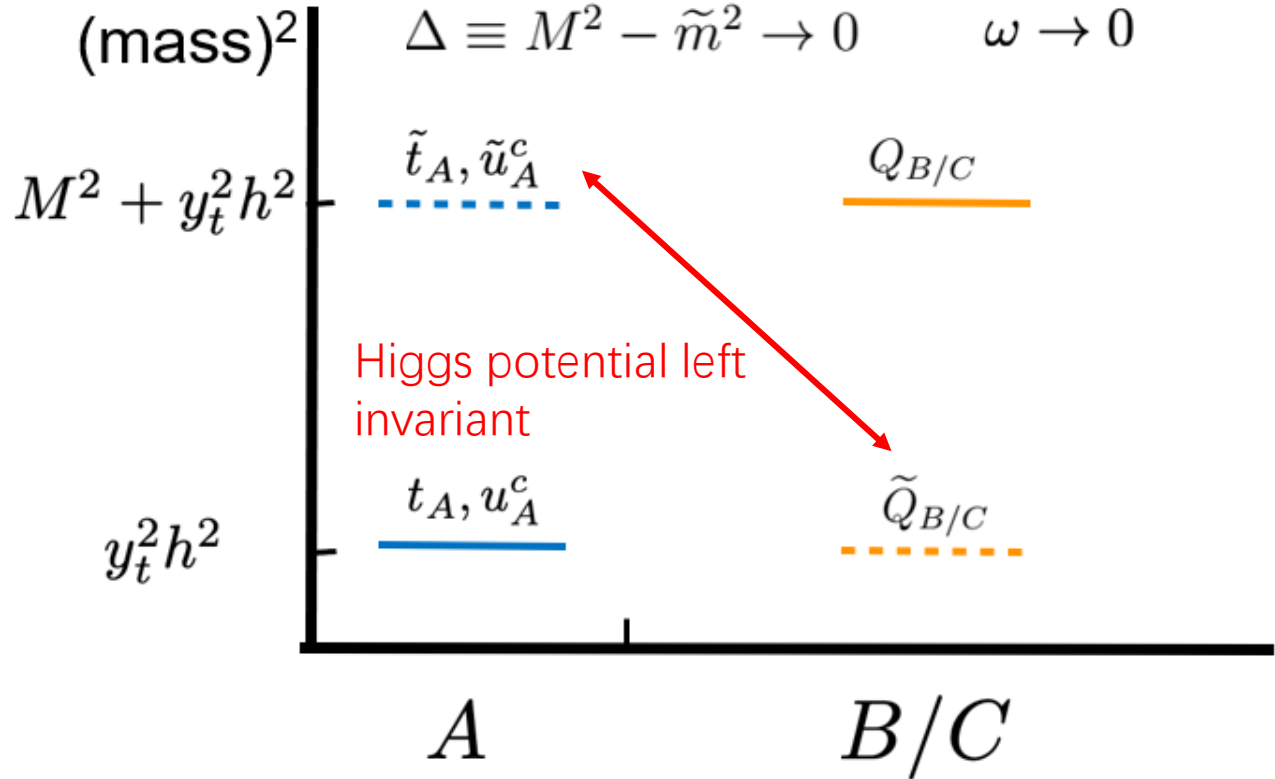
(mass)²

$$\Delta \equiv M^2 - \tilde{m}^2 \rightarrow 0 \quad \omega \rightarrow 0$$

$Q_A u_A^c$ SM top sector

$$Q_{B,C} = \begin{pmatrix} t_{B,C} \\ b_{B,C} \end{pmatrix} \sim \mathbf{2}_{-1/2}$$

$$u_{B/C}^c \sim \mathbf{1}_0$$



For details of the original model, see our paper

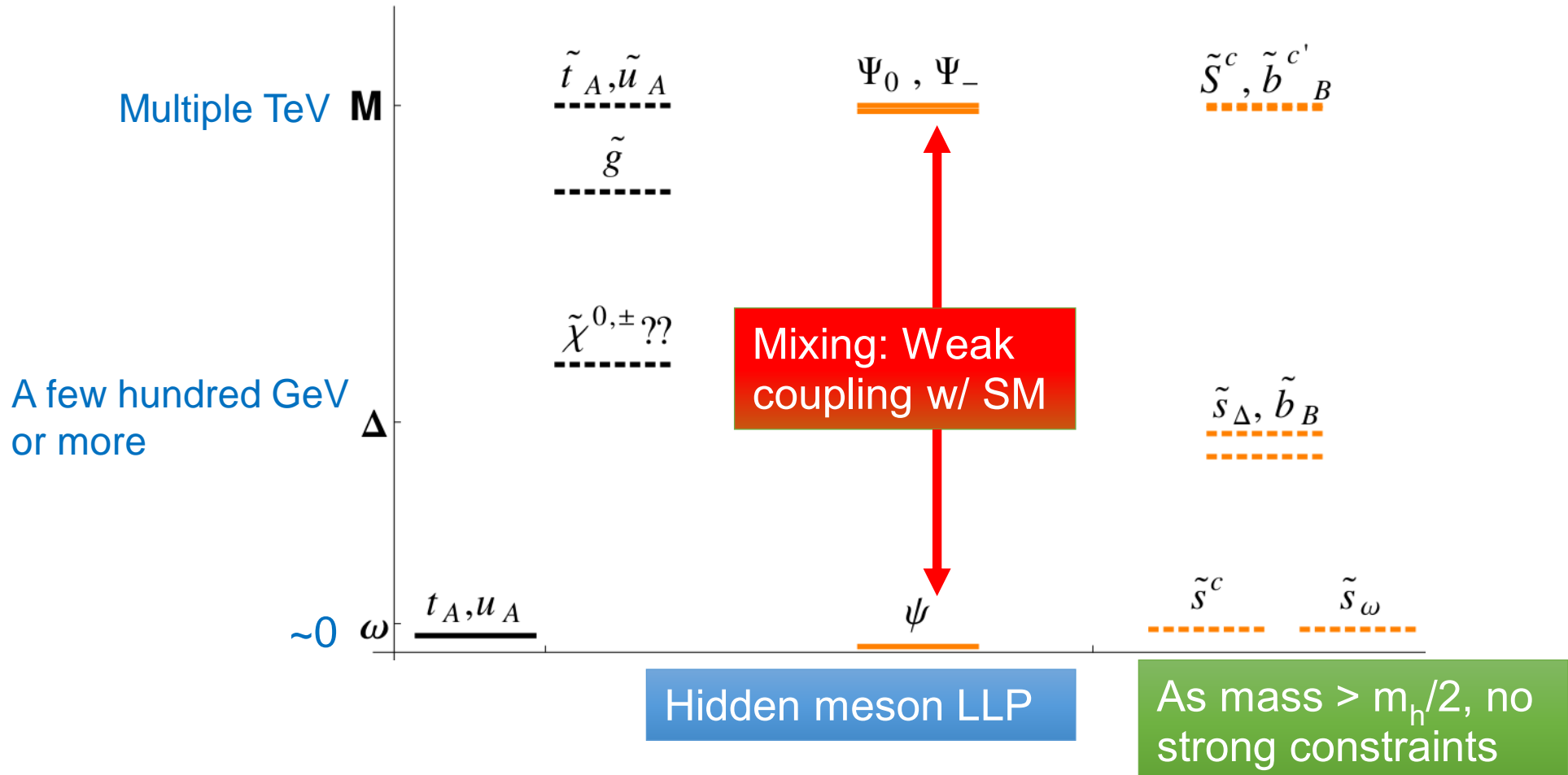
[H-C.Cheng, LL, E.Salvioni and C. Verhaaren 1803.03561]

Related Work:

[T.Cohen, N.Craig,G.Giudice, M.Mccullough,1803.03647]

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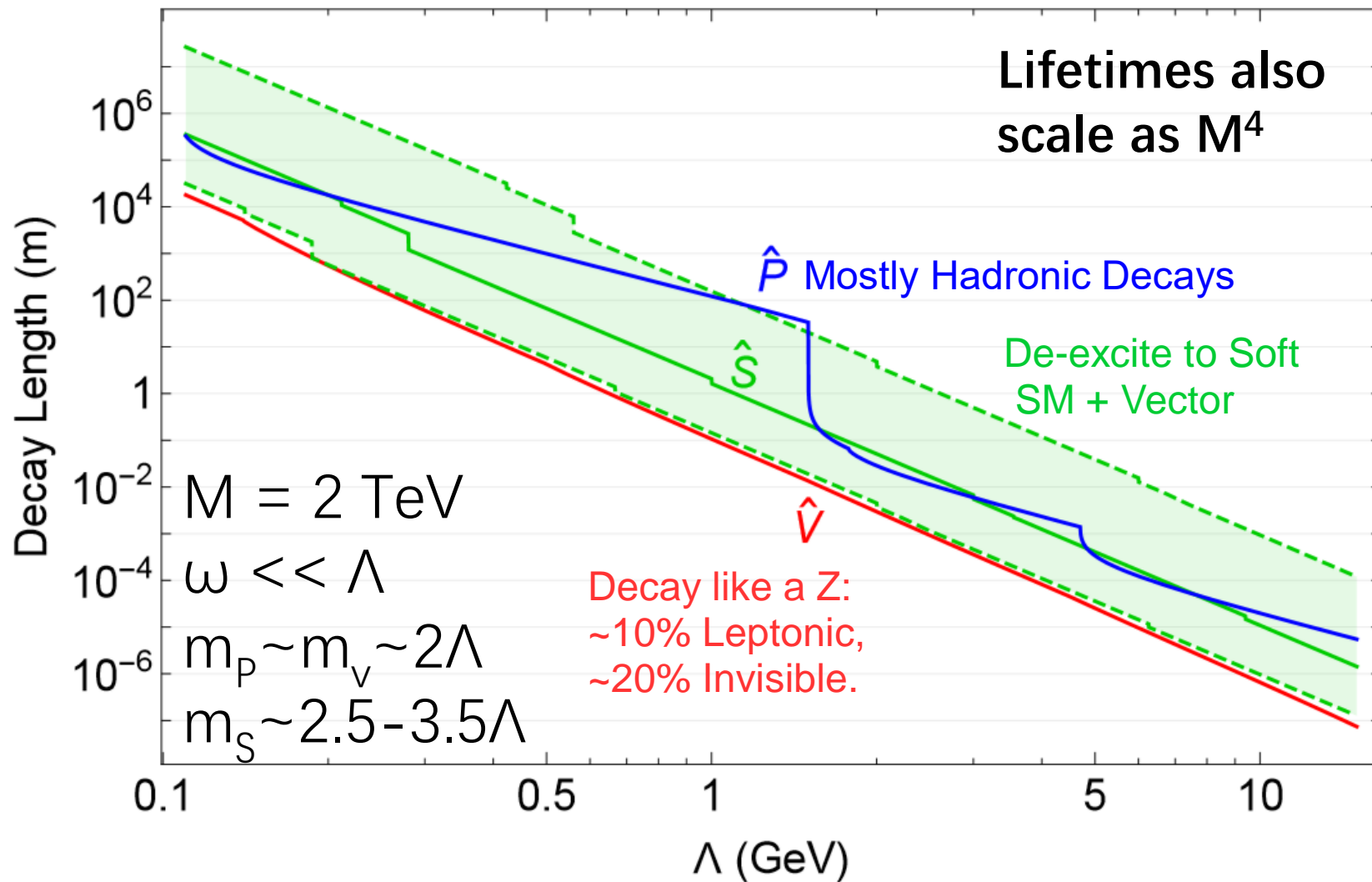
A Cartoon of Alternate TT Model: A Case with Much More Fun



$$\mathcal{L}_6 = \frac{m_t^2}{M^2 v^2} \left(|H|^2 \bar{\psi}_R i \not{D} \psi_R + \text{h.c.} + i (D_\mu H)^\dagger H \bar{\psi}_R \gamma^\mu \psi_R + \text{h.c.} + c_g \frac{\alpha_d}{12\pi} |H|^2 \hat{G}_{\mu\nu}^a \hat{G}^{a\mu\nu} \right)$$

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Spectrum & Decay (One-Flavor QCD)

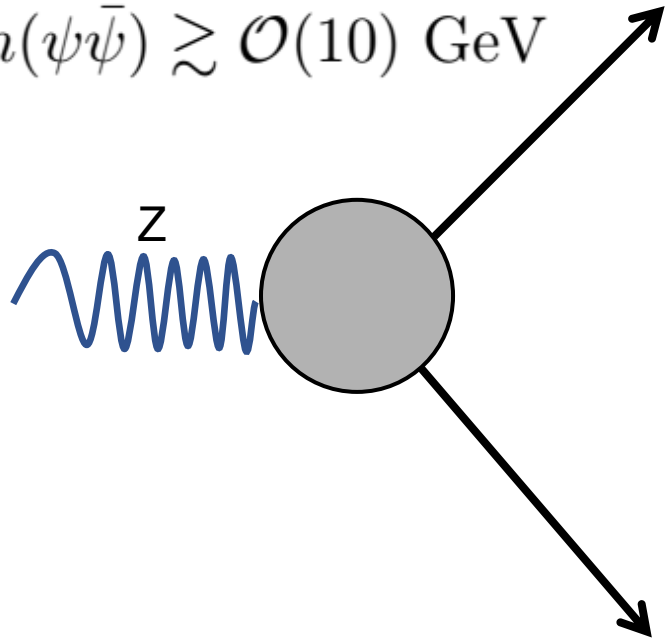


Proper decay length of the Pseudoscalar, Vector and Scalar

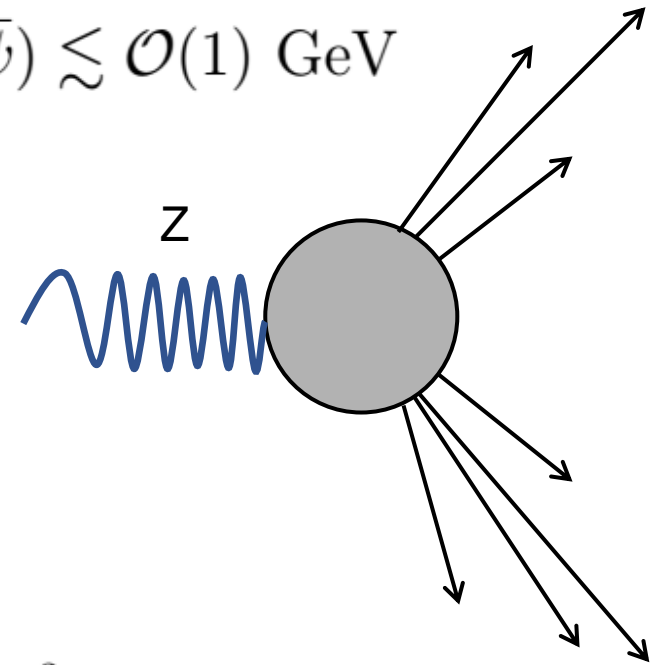
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EW Portal Production (Z Exotic Decay)

$$m(\psi\bar{\psi}) \gtrsim \mathcal{O}(10) \text{ GeV}$$



$$m(\psi\bar{\psi}) \lesssim \mathcal{O}(1) \text{ GeV}$$



Effective Z coupling:

$$\frac{g_Z}{2} \sin^2 \theta_R \bar{\psi}_{BR} \gamma^\mu \psi_{BR} Z_\mu \simeq \frac{g_Z}{2} \frac{m_t^2}{M^2 + m_t^2} \bar{\psi}_{BR} \gamma^\mu \psi_{BR} Z_\mu$$

$$\text{BR}(Z \rightarrow \bar{\psi}_{B,C} \psi_{B,C}) \approx 2.2 \times 10^{-5} \left(\frac{2 \text{ TeV}}{M} \right)^4.$$

Exotic BR of h is not large ($\ll \mathcal{O}(10^{-4})$), the constraints are weaker than those from Z decays ($\sim 10^3$ more Z than h produced @ LHC)

2 Body Limit: Displaced S decays

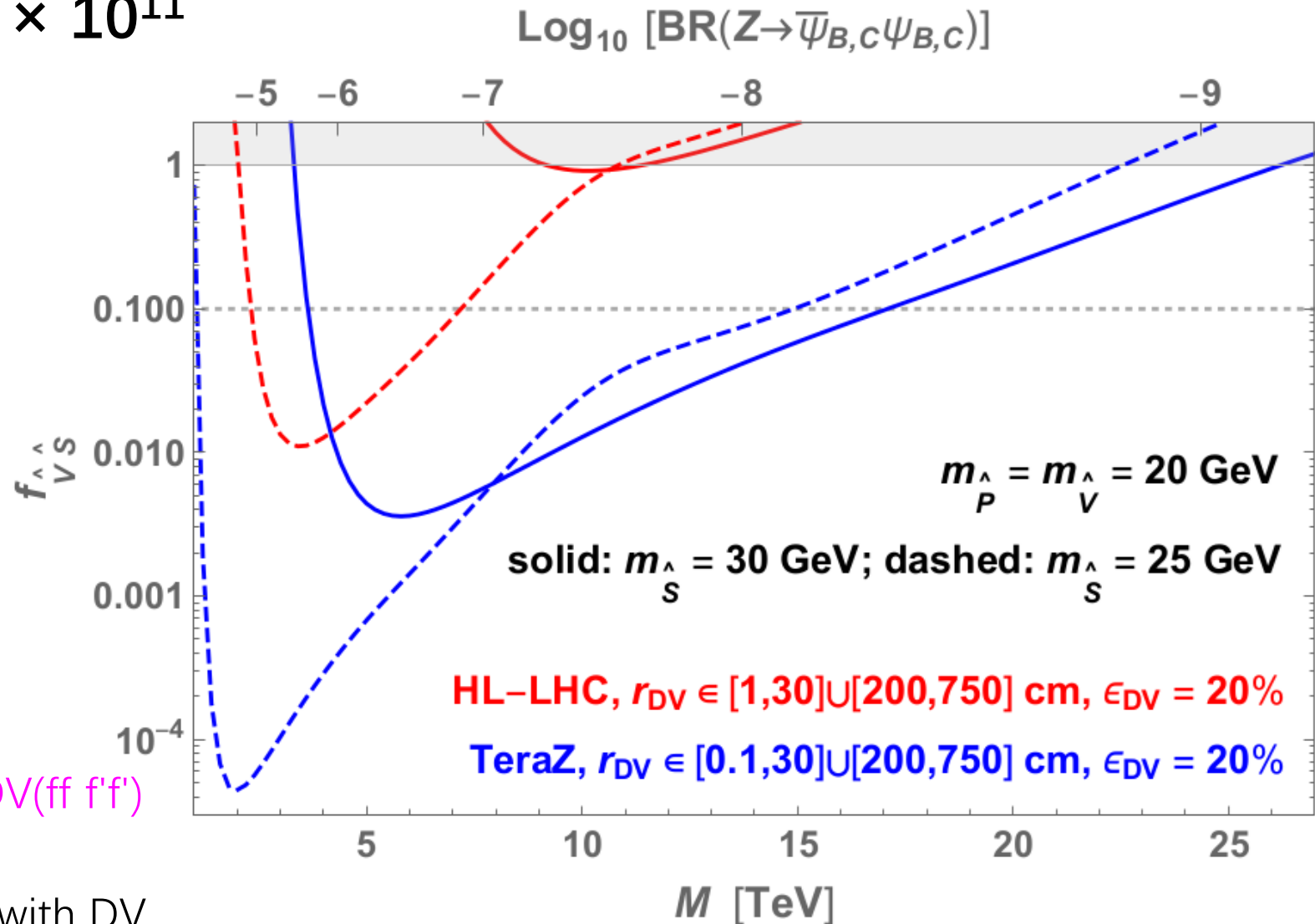
HL-LHC: $\sim 1.8 \times 10^{11}$
Z produced

Tera-Z: 10^{12} Z

The hidden
hadronization
fraction

$Z \rightarrow VS \rightarrow$
 $\mu\mu + DV(ff V) \rightarrow \mu\mu + DV(ff f'f')$

Di-muon triggering with DV
-> negligible SM backgrounds



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2 Body Limit: Displaced P decays

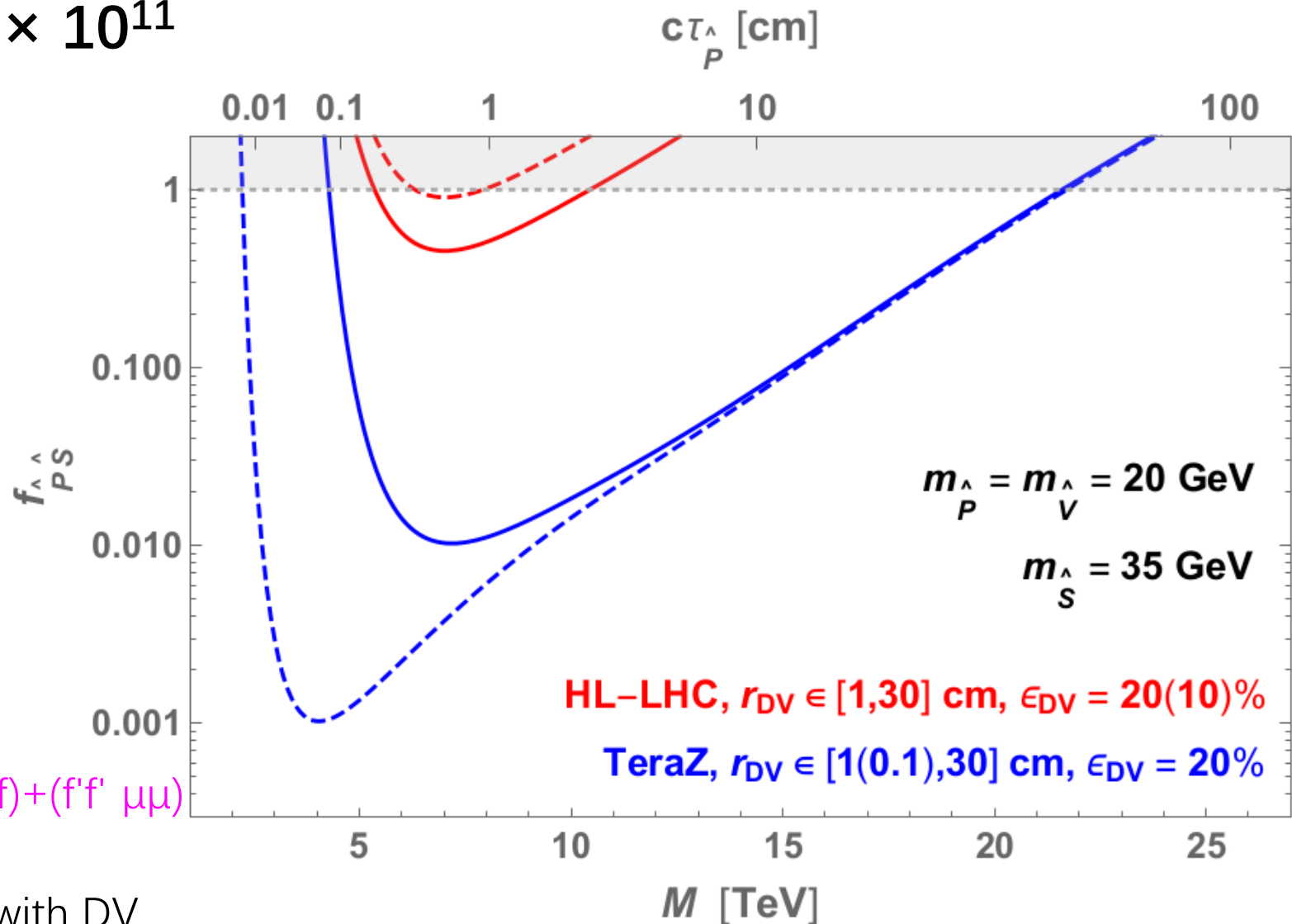
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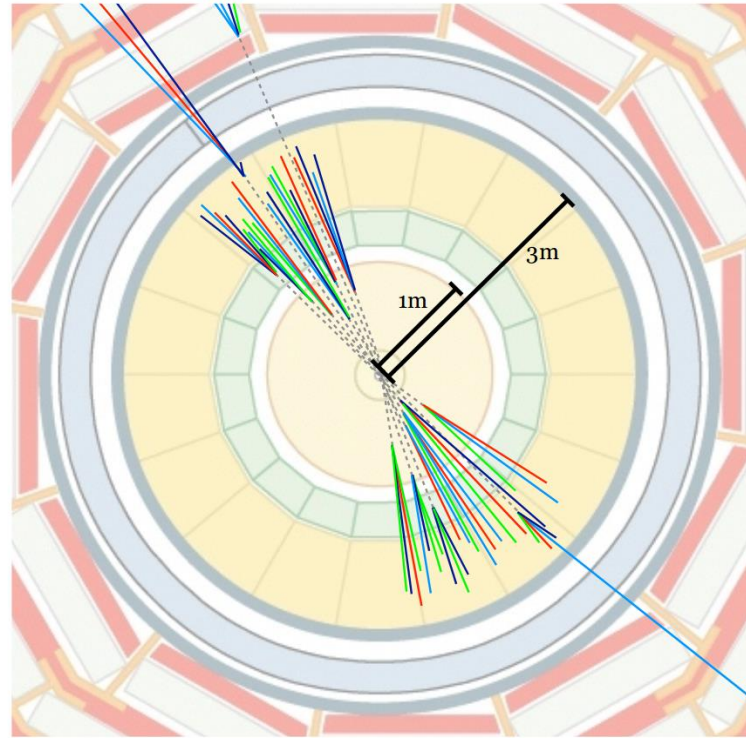
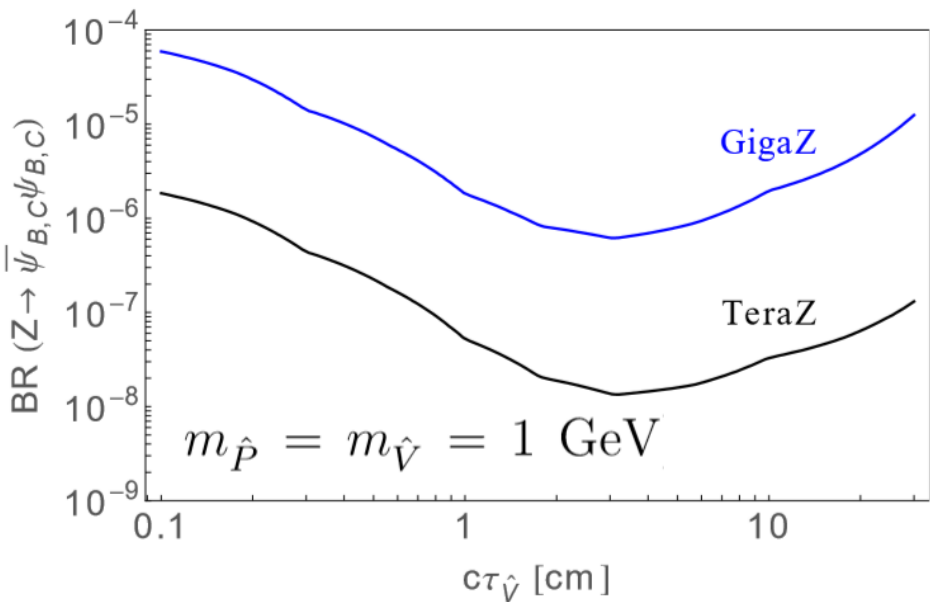
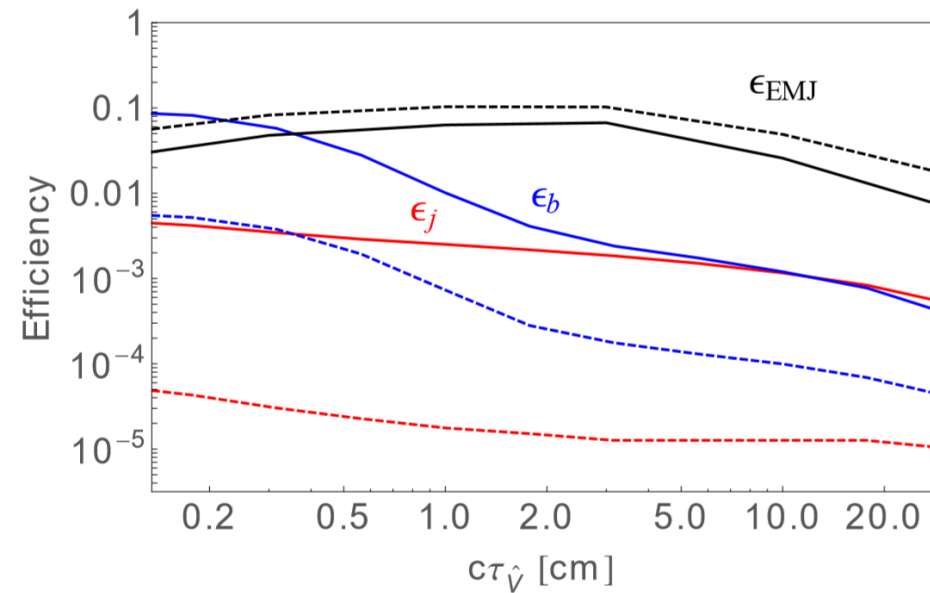
$Z \rightarrow PS \rightarrow$
 $DV(ff) + (f'f' V) \rightarrow DV(ff) + (f'f' \mu\mu)$

Di-muon triggering with DV
-> negligible SM backgrounds



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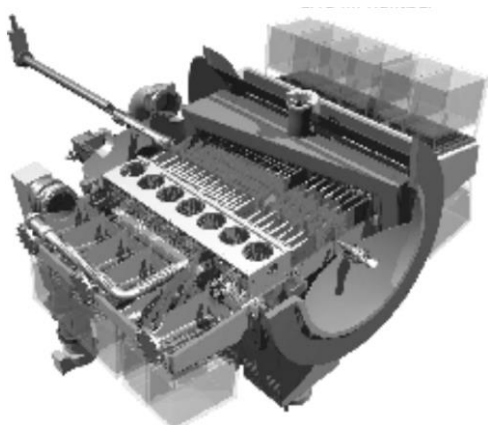
Many body limit: Emerging Jets @ TeraZ & LHC



Trying to tag each jet, SM jet as bkg
[CMS Collaboration, 1810.10069]

@LHC, if relying on $ZZ \rightarrow \ell\ell$ recoil + dark jets.....
exotic BR(Z) down to $O(10^{-4} - 10^{-5})$

Many body limit: Dark Jets @LHCb



VERtex LOcator (VELO)

High Track Resolution (a few μm after upgrade)

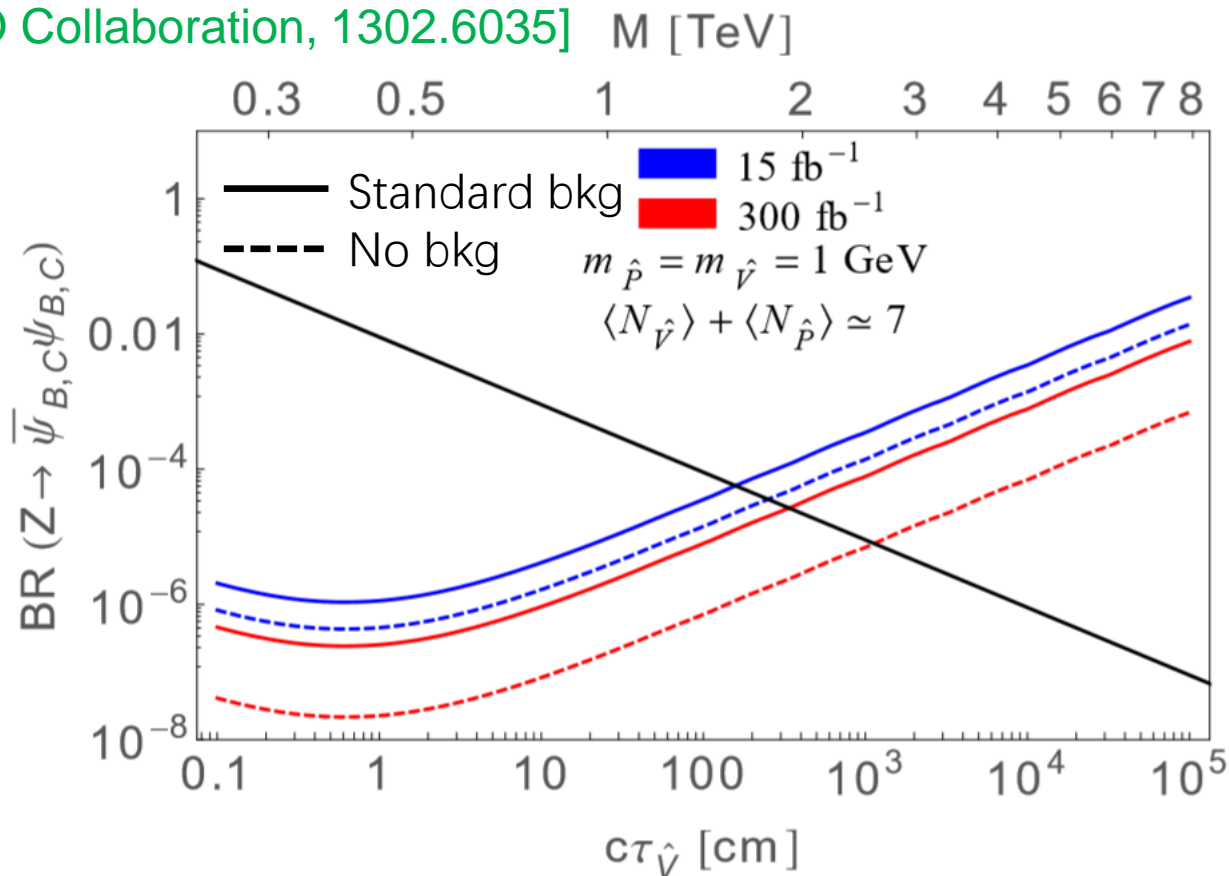
[LHCb VELO Collaboration, 1302.6035] M [TeV]

Tigger is no longer an issue
(See Alex's talk)

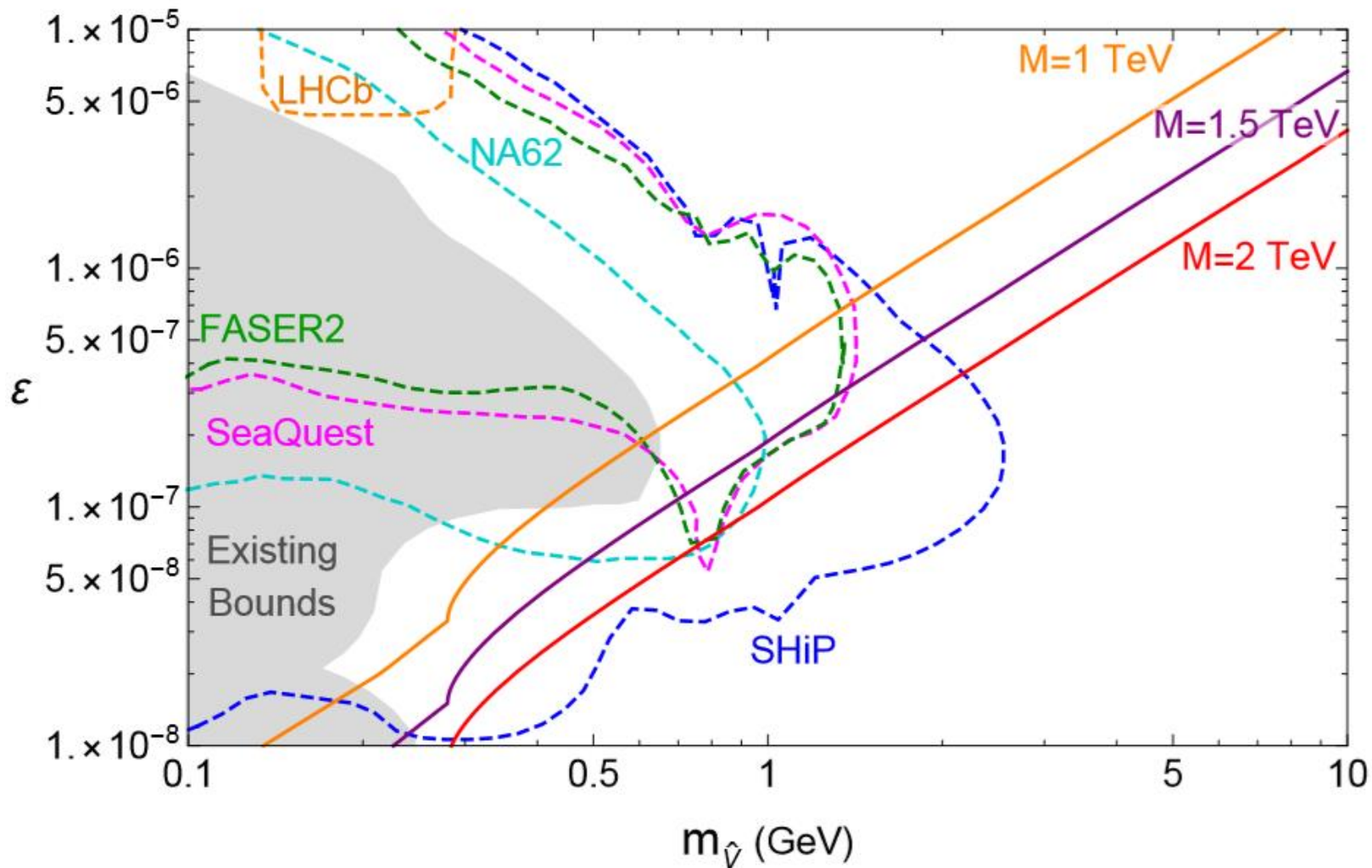
$\text{BR}(V \rightarrow \mu\mu) \sim 5\%$ for $m_V \sim 1 \text{ GeV}$

Find single displaced $\mu\mu$ vertex with stringent isolation cut

[A. Pierce, B. Shakya, Y. Tsai and Y. Zhao, 1708.05389]



Dark Photon Mode of Production



$$\epsilon_{\text{eff}} \sim \frac{1}{2} \sqrt{\frac{\alpha_Z}{\alpha}} \epsilon_Z \approx 3.8 \times 10^{-7} \left(\frac{\Lambda}{1 \text{ GeV}} \right)^{3/2} \left(\frac{m_{\hat{\nu}}}{2 \text{ GeV}} \right)^{1/2} \left(\frac{2 \text{ TeV}}{M} \right)^2$$

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Dark Pion: 2 flavor or more (in work)

Minimally, if sector B and C share the same SU(3) gauge group, we will have two flavors. We can further generalize the relevant Lagrangian as:

$$\mathcal{L} = -H\bar{Q}_L\mathbf{Y}\psi_R - H\bar{Q}_R\tilde{\mathbf{Y}}\psi_L - \bar{\psi}_L\boldsymbol{\omega}\psi_R - \bar{Q}_L\mathbf{M}Q_R + \text{H.c.}$$

\mathbf{Y} , $\tilde{\mathbf{Y}}$, $\boldsymbol{\omega}$, and \mathbf{M} are all $N \times N$ matrices in the flavor space

Z & Higgs exotic decays now depending on the Yukawa structure

$$\text{BR}(Z \rightarrow \hat{f}\hat{f}) \approx 1.1 \times 10^{-5} \left\{ \text{Tr} \left[(\mathbf{Y}^\dagger \mathbf{Y}) \right]^2 + (\mathbf{Y} \rightarrow \tilde{\mathbf{Y}}) \right\} \left(\frac{2 \text{TeV}}{M} \right)^4$$

$$\text{BR}(h \rightarrow \hat{g}\hat{g}) \approx 1.0 \times 10^{-4} \left(\frac{\alpha_d}{0.18} \right)^2 \left[\text{Tr} \left(\mathbf{Y}^\dagger \mathbf{Y} + \tilde{\mathbf{Y}}^\dagger \tilde{\mathbf{Y}} \right) \right]^2 \left(\frac{2 \text{TeV}}{M} \right)^4 \left(\frac{c_Q}{4} \right)^2$$

Dark Pion: 2 flavor or more (in work)

$$\mathbf{m}_\psi = \left(\omega - \tilde{\mathbf{Y}}^\dagger \mathbf{M}^{-1} \mathbf{Y} v^2 \right) \quad m_{\psi'} \equiv \mathbf{m}_{\psi, \text{diag}} = U_L^\dagger \mathbf{m}_\psi U_R$$

$$A_{ij} = \left(U_R^\dagger \mathbf{Y}^\dagger \mathbf{M}^{-2} \mathbf{Y} U_R \right)_{ij} \quad \tilde{A}_{ij} = \left(U_L^\dagger \tilde{\mathbf{Y}}^\dagger \mathbf{M}^{-2} \tilde{\mathbf{Y}} U_L \right)_{ij}$$

Depending on how the flavor(isospin) symmetry is broken, the light dark pions can be either stable or prompt

$$\hat{\pi}_a \sim i(\bar{\psi}'_L \sigma_a \psi'_R - i\bar{\psi}'_R \sigma_a \psi'_L),$$

$$\hat{\pi}^{(0)} = \hat{\pi}_3, \quad \hat{\pi}^{(\pm)} = (\hat{\pi}_1 \pm i\hat{\pi}_2)/\sqrt{2}$$

$$\Gamma(\hat{\pi}^{(\pm)} \rightarrow ff) = \frac{\pi}{8} N_c^f \alpha_Z \left| A_{12} - \tilde{A}_{12} \right|^2 \frac{m_f^2 f_{\hat{\pi}}^2 m_{\hat{\pi}}}{m_Z^4} \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m_f^2}{m_{\hat{\pi}}^2}},$$

$$\Gamma(\hat{\pi}^{(0)} \rightarrow ff) = \frac{\pi}{16} N_c^f \alpha_Z \left| A_{11} - A_{22} - \tilde{A}_{11} + \tilde{A}_{22} \right|^2 \frac{m_f^2 f_{\hat{\pi}}^2 m_{\hat{\pi}}}{m_Z^4} \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m_f^2}{m_{\hat{\pi}}^2}}.$$

Outlook

Energy Frontier:

Advanced Triggering (Theme of 27th!)

Time/HGCAL/tracking info (See Jia & Marat's talk)

Full potential of various LLP detectors

Intensity Frontier:

Synergies w/ flavor physics (Belle II etc.)

Synergies w/ neutrino physics (DUNE etc. [Gouvea et. al. 1809.06388])

Full potential of future lepton colliders

Cosmic Frontier:

Cosmological constraints from Ω_{DM} and BBN ([LL, Y. Tsai 1901.09936], Sam's & Patrick's talks)

With more than 2 flavor: WZW interaction -> SIMPs?

Other Frontiers:

Lattice QCD results

Machine Learning for detection

Unexpected new ideas

Original Tripled Top (TT) Model

The superpotential:

$$W_{Z_3} = y_t (Q_A H u_A^c + Q_B H u_B^c + Q_C H u_C^c) + \overbrace{M(u'_B u_B^c + u'_C u_C^c)}^{\text{A few TeV}} + \overbrace{\omega(Q_B Q'_B{}^c + Q_C Q'_C{}^c)}^{\text{A few hundred GeV}},$$

A, B & C: 3 sectors charged under different SU(3), no extra SU(2)/U(1) gauge groups

A soft breaking term:

A few TeV (~M)

$$V_s = \tilde{m}^2 \left(|\tilde{Q}_A|^2 + |\tilde{u}_A^c|^2 \right) - \tilde{m}^2 \left(|\tilde{u}_B^c|^2 + |\tilde{u}_C^c|^2 \right).$$

A Folded SUSY-like spectrum realized in 4D

[G. Burdman, Z. Chacko, H.S. Goh and R. Harnik, 0609152]

Particle Components

$$Q_{B,C} = \begin{pmatrix} t_{B,C} \\ b_{B,C} \end{pmatrix} \sim \mathbf{2}_{-1/2}, \quad Q'_{B,C} = \begin{pmatrix} b'_{B,C} \\ t'_{B,C} \end{pmatrix} \sim \mathbf{2}_{1/2}$$

•EW Doublet, mass $\sim \omega$

Scalar mass not affected by soft breaking terms

$$u_{B,C}^c, u'_{B,C} \sim \mathbf{1}_0.$$

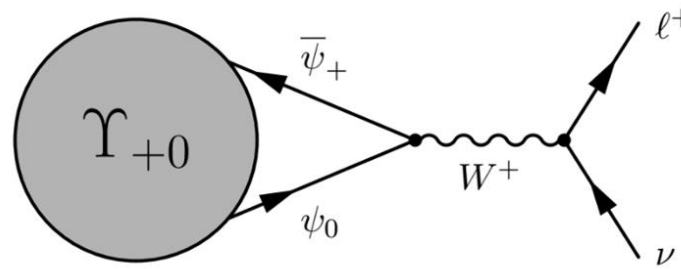
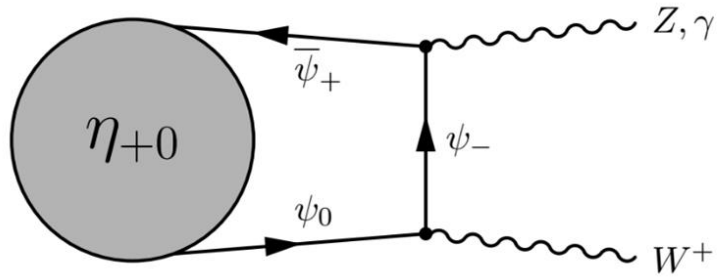
$u_{B/C}$ scalar mass
suppressed by soft
breaking terms.

$$\Delta \equiv \sqrt{M^2 - \tilde{m}^2}$$

The MSSM stop (scalar of Q/u_A) mass get raised by \tilde{m}^2 , therefore $u_{B/C}$ are also top partners.

We can assign hyper charge that there are electric-neutral states

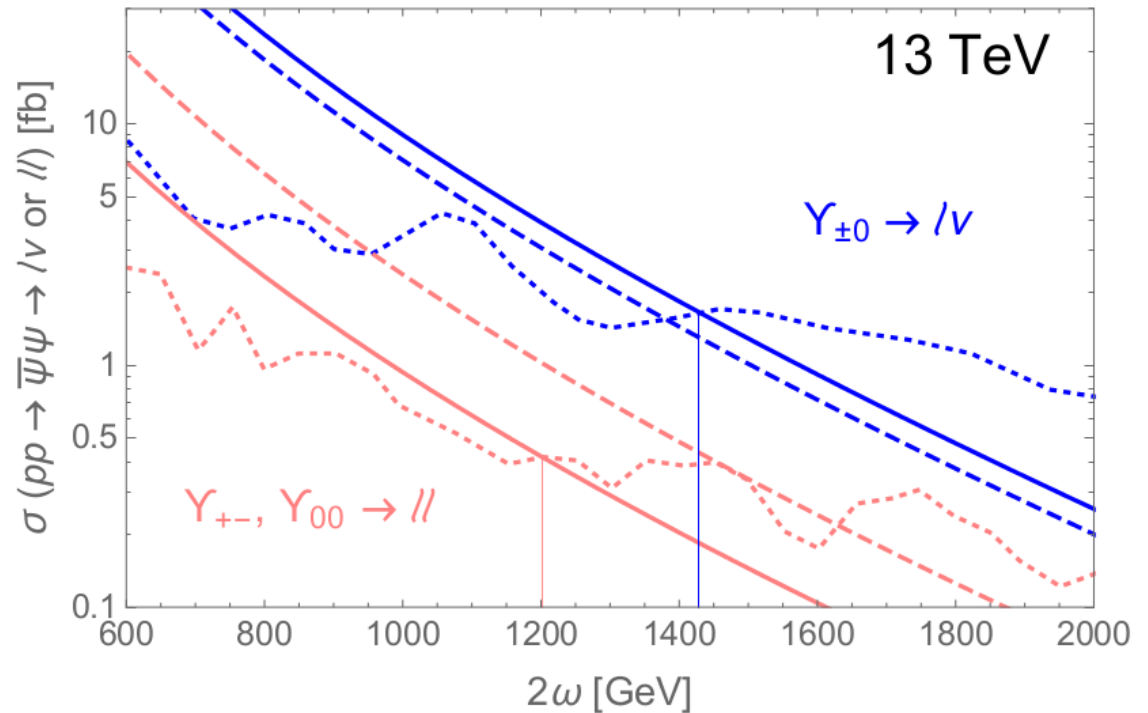
Phenomenology (Original TT)



- Quirky bound states
- de-excite and annihilate e

The two leading channels are just dilepton (Z' -like) and lepton+MET (W' -like).

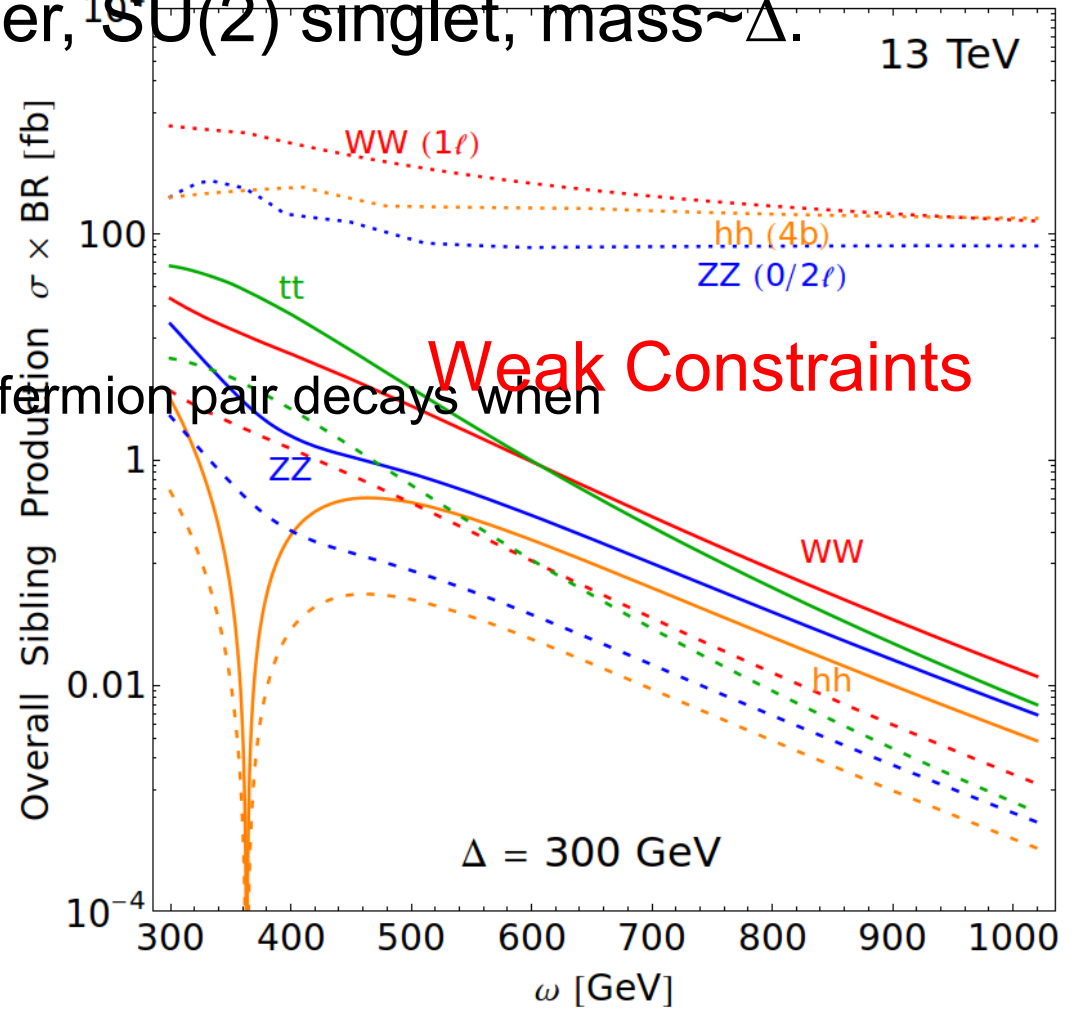
Strong constraints (~ 700 GeV) on ω



Phenomenology (Original TT)

Neutral sfermion: (superpartner, $\mathbf{1}_{SU(2)}$ singlet, mass $\sim \Delta$.

Pair produced (as bound states) from fermion pair decays when $\Delta < \omega$



Exotic BR of Z

•As a vector, Z couple to both LL and RR, but RR dominates for larger mixing:

$$\frac{g_Z}{2} \sin^2 \theta_R \bar{\psi}_{BR} \gamma^\mu \psi_{BR} Z_\mu \simeq \frac{g_Z}{2} \frac{m_t^2}{M^2 + m_t^2} \bar{\psi}_{BR} \gamma^\mu \psi_{BR} Z_\mu$$

•Introduces exotic BR(Z) that's controlled by M only (PS not included)

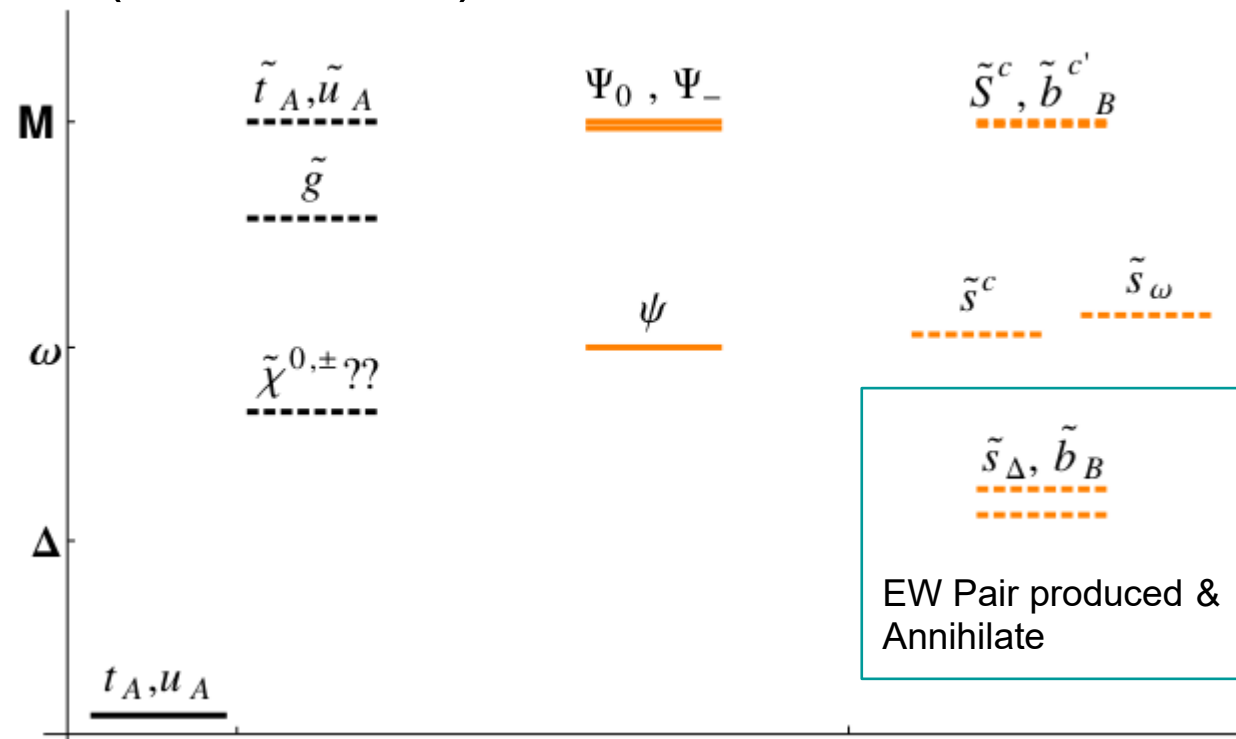
$$\Gamma(Z \rightarrow \bar{\psi}_B \psi_B) \simeq \frac{N_d g_Z^2}{96\pi} \frac{m_t^4}{(M^2 + m_t^2)^2} m_Z \left(1 - \frac{m_\psi^2}{m_Z^2}\right) \sqrt{1 - \frac{4m_\psi^2}{m_Z^2}}$$

$$\text{BR}(Z \rightarrow \bar{\psi}_{B,C} \psi_{B,C}) \approx 2.2 \times 10^{-5} \left(\frac{2 \text{ TeV}}{M}\right)^4.$$

•Exotic BR of h is not large ($< \sim O(10^{-4})$), the constraints are weaker than those from Z decays ($\sim 10^3$ more Z than h at LHC)

A Cartoon of Revised TT Model: The not So Interesting Case

It could be just like this (when $\Delta < \omega$):



Nothing (very) interesting happens

The constraints are similar to the previous case, too weak in general

Soft SUSY Breaking Terms

$$m_{ij}^2 = m_{P_i}^2 + m_{\bar{P}_j}^2 - \frac{2}{b} \sum_k T_{r_k} \left(m_{P_k}^2 + m_{\bar{P}_k}^2 \right)$$

$\begin{matrix} \tilde{m}_P^2 & \tilde{m}_P^2 & \tilde{m}_P^2 \\ \tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_2}^2 & \left(\begin{array}{c} Q_A \\ \hline \end{array} \right) & \\ \tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_2}^2 & & \\ \tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_1}^2 & & \end{matrix}$	$\begin{matrix} \tilde{m}_P^2 & \tilde{m}_P^2 & \tilde{m}_P^2 \\ \tilde{m}_P^2 & \left(\begin{array}{c} Q_{B,C} \\ \hline \end{array} \right) & \\ \tilde{m}_P^2 & & \\ \tilde{m}_P^2 & & \end{matrix}$
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Soft SUSY Breaking Terms

$$\tilde{m}_{Q_{B,C}}^2 = \tilde{m}_P^2 + \tilde{m}_{\bar{P}}^2 - \tilde{m}_P^2 - \tilde{m}_{\bar{P}}^2 = 0,$$

$$\tilde{m}_{u_{B,C}^c}^2 = \tilde{m}_P^2 + \tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_1}^2 - \tilde{m}_P^2 - \frac{2}{3}\tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_1}^2 - \frac{1}{3}\tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_2}^2 = \frac{\tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_1}^2 - \tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_2}^2}{3},$$

$$\tilde{m}_{Q_{A,u_A^c}}^2 = \tilde{m}_P^2 + \tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_2}^2 - \tilde{m}_P^2 - \frac{2}{3}\tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_2}^2 - \frac{1}{3}\tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_1}^2 = \frac{\tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_2}^2 - \tilde{m}_{\bar{P}_1}^2}{3} = -\tilde{m}_{u_{B,C}^c}^2$$

Hidden Glueballs

- ▶ $\Lambda_{B/C} \gtrsim 5 \text{ GeV} \Rightarrow$ lightest hidden glueball (0^{++}) mass $\gtrsim 35 \text{ GeV}$.
- ▶ 0^{++} hidden glueball's decay is similar to fraternal twin Higgs (FTH) or Folded SUSY, via mixing with the SM Higgs.

Long-Lived Compared to Similar Models

$$c\tau_{0^{++}} \sim 1.2 \text{ m} \left(\frac{5 \text{ GeV}}{\Lambda_{\text{QCD}_{B,C}}} \right)^7 \left(\frac{\omega}{500 \text{ GeV}} \right)^4 \left(\frac{\Delta}{300 \text{ GeV}} \right)^4 \left(\frac{100 \text{ GeV}}{\delta m} \right)^4. \quad (3)$$

- ▶ Suppressed $h \rightarrow$ hidden glueball branching ratio.

Higgs Potential

$$V_{h^2} = -\frac{N_c y_t^2 h^2}{8\pi^2} \left[- (M^2 - \Delta^2) \ln \left(1 - \frac{\Delta^2}{M^2} \right) - \frac{\Delta^4}{\omega^2 - \Delta^2} \ln \frac{M^2}{\Delta^2} + \frac{\omega^4 (M^2 - \Delta^2)}{(M^2 - \omega^2)(\omega^2 - \Delta^2)} \ln \frac{M^2}{\omega^2} \right]$$

$\sim \omega^2 \ln M^2 / (16\pi^2)$
when $\Delta \rightarrow 0$

$$\approx -\frac{N_c y_t^2 h^2}{8\pi^2} \left[\frac{\omega^4}{\omega^2 - \Delta^2} \ln \frac{M^2}{\omega^2} - \frac{\Delta^4}{\omega^2 - \Delta^2} \ln \frac{M^2}{\Delta^2} + \Delta^2 \right] + O(M^{-2})$$

$$V_{h^4} = \frac{N_c y_t^4 h^4}{16\pi^2} \left\{ \frac{3}{2} + \frac{2\omega^2 (M^2 - \Delta^2)(M^2 \Delta^2 - \omega^4)}{(M^2 - \omega^2)^2 (\omega^2 - \Delta^2)^2} + \ln \frac{M^2}{y_t^2 h^2} + \ln \left(1 - \frac{\Delta^2}{M^2} \right) + \frac{\Delta^4 (\Delta^2 - 3\omega^2)}{(\omega^2 - \Delta^2)^3} \ln \frac{M^2}{\Delta^2} - \left[\frac{\omega^4 (\omega^2 - 3M^2)}{(M^2 - \omega^2)^3} + \frac{\omega^4 (\omega^2 - 3\Delta^2)}{(\omega^2 - \Delta^2)^3} \right] \ln \frac{M^2}{\omega^2} \right\}$$

$$\approx \frac{N_c y_t^4 h^4}{16\pi^2} \left\{ \frac{3}{2} + \frac{2\omega^2 \Delta^2}{(\omega^2 - \Delta^2)^2} + \ln \frac{M^2}{y_t^2 h^2} + \frac{\Delta^4 (\Delta^2 - 3\omega^2)}{(\omega^2 - \Delta^2)^3} \ln \frac{M^2}{\Delta^2} - \frac{\omega^4 (\omega^2 - 3\Delta^2)}{(\omega^2 - \Delta^2)^3} \ln \frac{M^2}{\omega^2} \right\} + O(M^{-2}).$$

$\sim (4.5 m_t^4 + 3 \ln \omega^2 / m_t^2) / (16\pi^2)$
when $\Delta \rightarrow 0$

Hidden Quark Mixing Angles

Fermion mass matrix: $\omega - M$ mixing

$$- \begin{pmatrix} u'_B & t_B \end{pmatrix} \mathcal{M} \begin{pmatrix} u_B^c \\ t_B^c \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathcal{M} = \begin{pmatrix} \omega & 0 \\ y_t h & M \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} u'_B \\ t_B \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow R(\theta_L) \begin{pmatrix} U'_B \\ T_B \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} u_B^c \\ t_B^c \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow R(\theta_R) \begin{pmatrix} U_B^c \\ T_B^c \end{pmatrix}, \quad R(\theta) \equiv \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & \sin \theta \\ -\sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$

Left/ Right handed components gets very different mixing angle:

$$\sin \theta_L = \frac{m_\psi}{M} \sin \theta_R \simeq \frac{\omega y_t h}{M^2 + y_t^2 h^2}, \quad \sin \theta_R \simeq \frac{y_t h}{\sqrt{M^2 + y_t^2 h^2}}$$

Both L/R component get EW interaction via mixing with M states

Will introduce substantial difference between h and Z decay

Exotic BR of h

•The scalar higgs couple to LR, therefore decay suppressed by the small $\sin\theta_L$:

$$\frac{y_t}{\sqrt{2}} \sin\theta_L \cos\theta_R h \bar{\psi}_B \psi_B \simeq \frac{y_t}{\sqrt{2}} \frac{\tilde{\Lambda} m_t M}{(M^2 + m_t^2)^{3/2}} h \bar{\psi}_B \psi_B$$

•Relatively unimportant due to the suppression and rate ($\sim 10^3$ times more Z than h @ 14TeV)

$$\Gamma(h \rightarrow \bar{\psi}_B \psi_B) \simeq \frac{N_d y_t^2}{16\pi} \frac{\omega^2 m_t^2 M^2}{(M^2 + m_t^2)^3} m_h \left(1 - \frac{4m_\psi^2}{m_h^2}\right)^{3/2}$$

$$\text{BR}(h \rightarrow \bar{\psi}_{B,C} \psi_{B,C}) \approx 1.6 \times 10^{-6} \left(\frac{\omega}{0.5 \text{ GeV}}\right)^2 \left(\frac{2 \text{ TeV}}{M}\right)^4$$

$$\text{BR}(h \rightarrow g_{B,C} g_{B,C}) \approx 1.8 \times 10^{-4} \left(\frac{\alpha_d}{0.17}\right)^2 \left(\frac{2 \text{ TeV}}{M}\right)^4 \left(\frac{c}{4}\right)^2$$

Meson Decay Lifetime

$$\Gamma(\hat{V} \rightarrow f\bar{f}) = N_d N_c^f \frac{\pi \alpha_Z^2}{12} \frac{m_t^4}{(M^2 + m_t^2)^2} \frac{m_{\hat{V}}^2 |\psi(0)|^2}{m_Z^4} \frac{\left(1 - \frac{4m_f^2}{m_{\hat{V}}^2}\right)^{1/2}}{\left(1 - \frac{m_{\hat{V}}^2}{m_Z^2}\right)^2} \left[v_f^2 \left(1 + \frac{2m_f^2}{m_{\hat{V}}^2}\right) + a_f^2 \left(1 - \frac{4m_f^2}{m_{\hat{V}}^2}\right) \right]$$

$$c\tau_{\hat{V}} \sim 0.02 \text{ mm} \left(\frac{10 \text{ GeV}}{m_{\hat{V}}}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5 \text{ GeV}}{\Lambda}\right)^3 \left(\frac{M}{2 \text{ TeV}}\right)^4$$

$$\Gamma(\hat{P} \rightarrow f\bar{f}) = N_d N_c(f) 2\pi \alpha_Z^2 \frac{m_t^4}{(M^2 + m_t^2)^2} a_f^2 \frac{\mu_\psi^2 m_f^2 |\psi(0)|^2}{m_Z^4 m_{\hat{P}}^2} \left(1 - \frac{4m_f^2}{m_{\hat{P}}^2}\right)^{1/2}$$

$$c\tau_{\hat{P}} \sim 0.3 \text{ mm} \left(\frac{m_{\hat{P}}}{10 \text{ GeV}}\right)^2 \left(\frac{5 \text{ GeV}}{\Lambda}\right)^5 \left(\frac{\Lambda}{\mu_\psi}\right)^2 \left(\frac{M}{2 \text{ TeV}}\right)^4$$

$$\Gamma(\hat{S} \rightarrow \hat{V} f\bar{f}) \sim \frac{\alpha_Z^2 \sin^4 \theta_R N_f k^7}{16\pi m_Z^4} |\varepsilon_{if}|^2$$

$$c\tau_{\hat{S}} \sim 0.1 \text{ mm} \left(\frac{5 \text{ GeV}}{\Lambda}\right)^5 \left(\frac{\Lambda}{k}\right)^7 \left(\frac{M}{2 \text{ TeV}}\right)^4$$

2 Body Limit

Leading BR: $Z \rightarrow PS$: $\hat{g}_Z Z_\mu (\hat{S} \partial^\mu \hat{P} - \hat{P} \partial^\mu \hat{S})$

Subleading BR: $Z \rightarrow VS, VP, VV$ $c_{\hat{V}\hat{S}(\hat{P})} \hat{g}_Z \mu_\psi Z_\mu \hat{V}^\mu \hat{S} (\hat{P})$
 $c_{\hat{V}\hat{V}} \hat{g}_Z (m_{\hat{V}}^2 / m_Z^2) \epsilon^{\mu\nu\rho\sigma} Z_\mu \hat{V}_\nu \partial_\rho \hat{V}_\sigma$

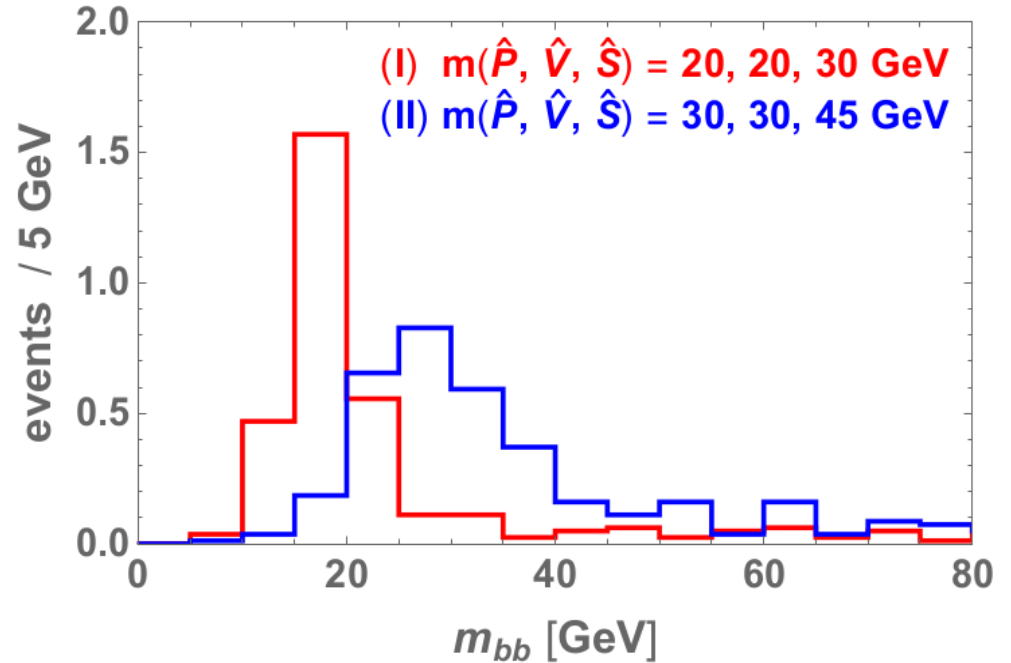
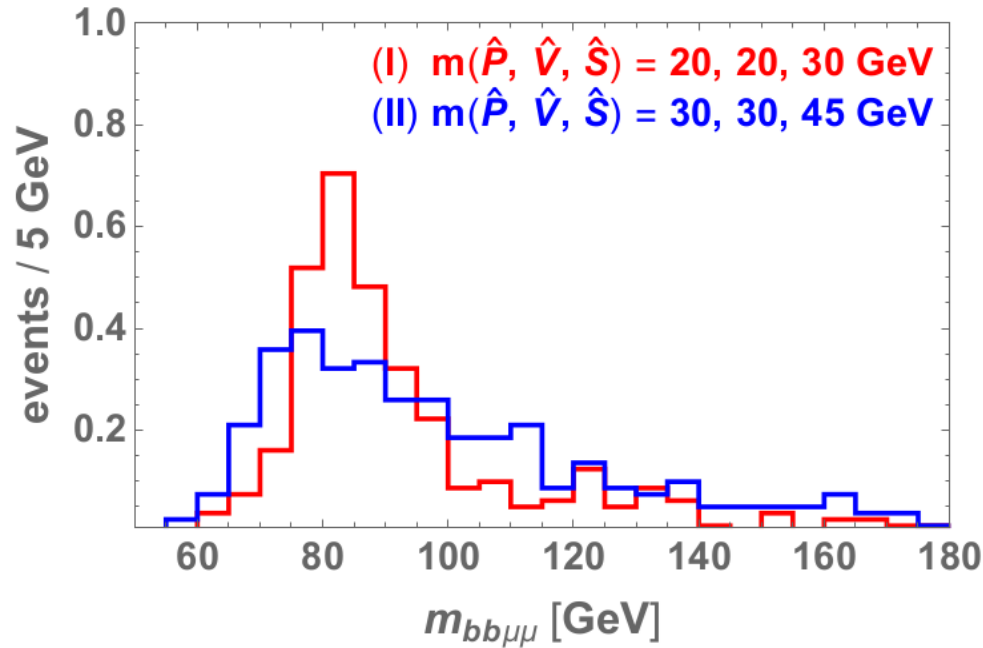
Suppressed by \sim meson mass/ m_Z

Define $f_{XY} = \text{BR}(Z/h \rightarrow XY) / \text{BR}(Z/h \rightarrow \psi\psi) < 1$

See also : [J. Liu, L.-T. Wang, X.-P. Wang, and W. Xue, 1712.07237]

• Since we focus mostly on LHC, need leptons (from V decay) as the trigger.

Prompt Limit – $Z \rightarrow bb\mu\mu + X$



$$Z \rightarrow (\hat{P} \rightarrow b\bar{b})(\hat{S} \rightarrow \hat{V} f \bar{f} \rightarrow \mu\mu f \bar{f})$$

The analysis is similar to $h \rightarrow aa \rightarrow b\bar{b}\mu\mu$ with similar cuts.

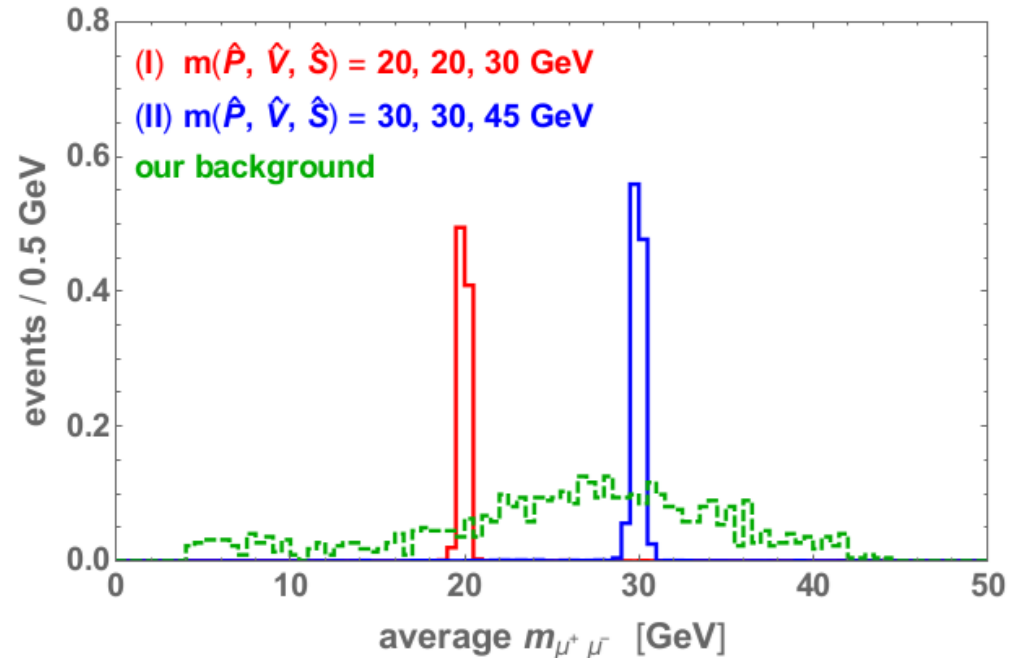
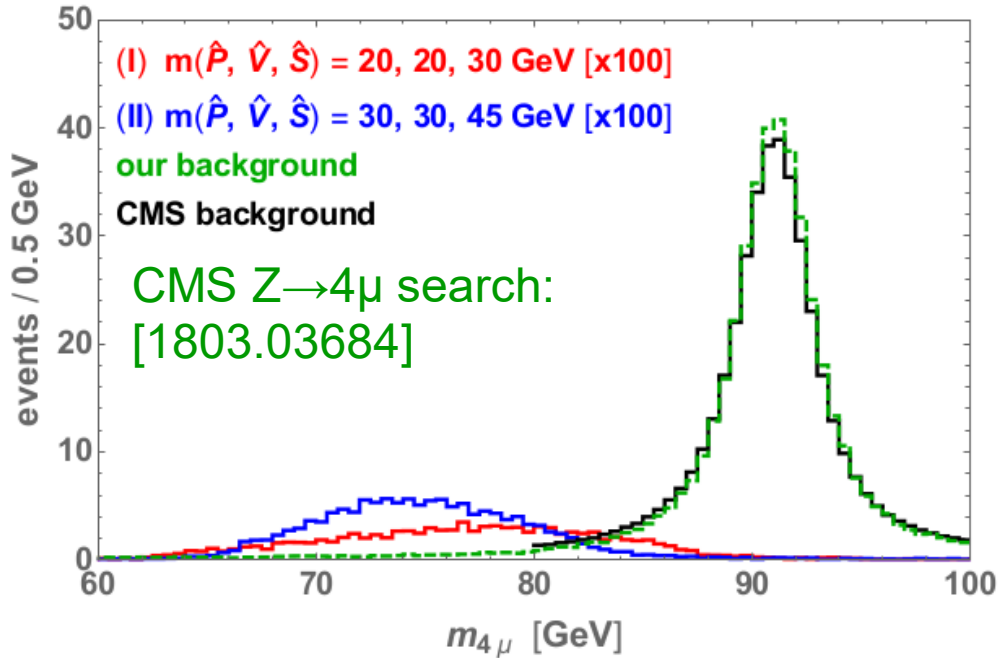
[CMS Collaboration, 1812.06359]

$$(I) \quad M \gtrsim 1.1, 1.4, 2.0 \text{ TeV} \left(\frac{f_{\hat{P}\hat{S}}}{1} \right)^{1/4}$$

$$(II) \quad M \gtrsim 1.0, 1.3, 1.7 \text{ TeV} \left(\frac{f_{\hat{P}\hat{S}}}{1} \right)^{1/4}$$

Correspond to 35.9, 300, 3000 fb^{-1}

Prompt Limit – $Z \rightarrow 4 \text{ lep} + (X)$



$$Z \rightarrow (\hat{V} \rightarrow \ell\ell)(\hat{S} \rightarrow \hat{V} f \bar{f} \rightarrow \ell' \ell' f \bar{f})$$

$$(I) \quad M \gtrsim 1.5, 2.0, 3.2 \text{ TeV} \left(\frac{f_{\hat{V}\hat{S}}}{0.1} \right)^{1/4}$$

$$(II) \quad M \gtrsim 1.5, 2.1, 3.2 \text{ TeV} \left(\frac{f_{\hat{V}\hat{S}}}{0.1} \right)^{1/4}$$

$$Z \rightarrow (\hat{V} \rightarrow \ell\ell)(\hat{V} \rightarrow \ell'\ell')$$

$$(I) \quad M \gtrsim 1.6, 2.2, 3.3 \text{ TeV} \left(\frac{f_{\hat{V}\hat{V}}}{0.1} \right)^{1/4}$$

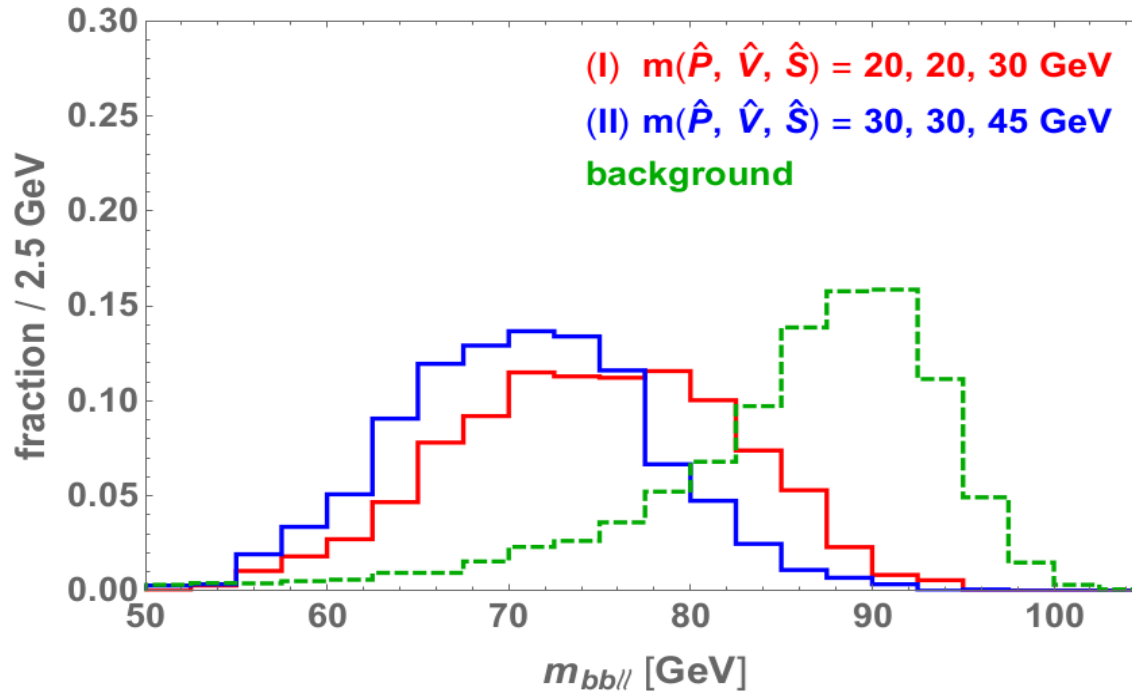
$$(II) \quad M \gtrsim 1.6, 2.1, 3.1 \text{ TeV} \left(\frac{f_{\hat{V}\hat{V}}}{0.1} \right)^{1/4}$$

Correspond to 77.3, 300, 3000 fb^{-1}

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Prospects @ Z Factories

Z factories can provide 10^9 (Giga Z) – 10^{12} (Tera Z) clean Z at Z pole:
Can probe exotic BR(Z) down to $O(10^{-8})$ (Giga Z) and $O(10^{-10})$ (Tera Z)



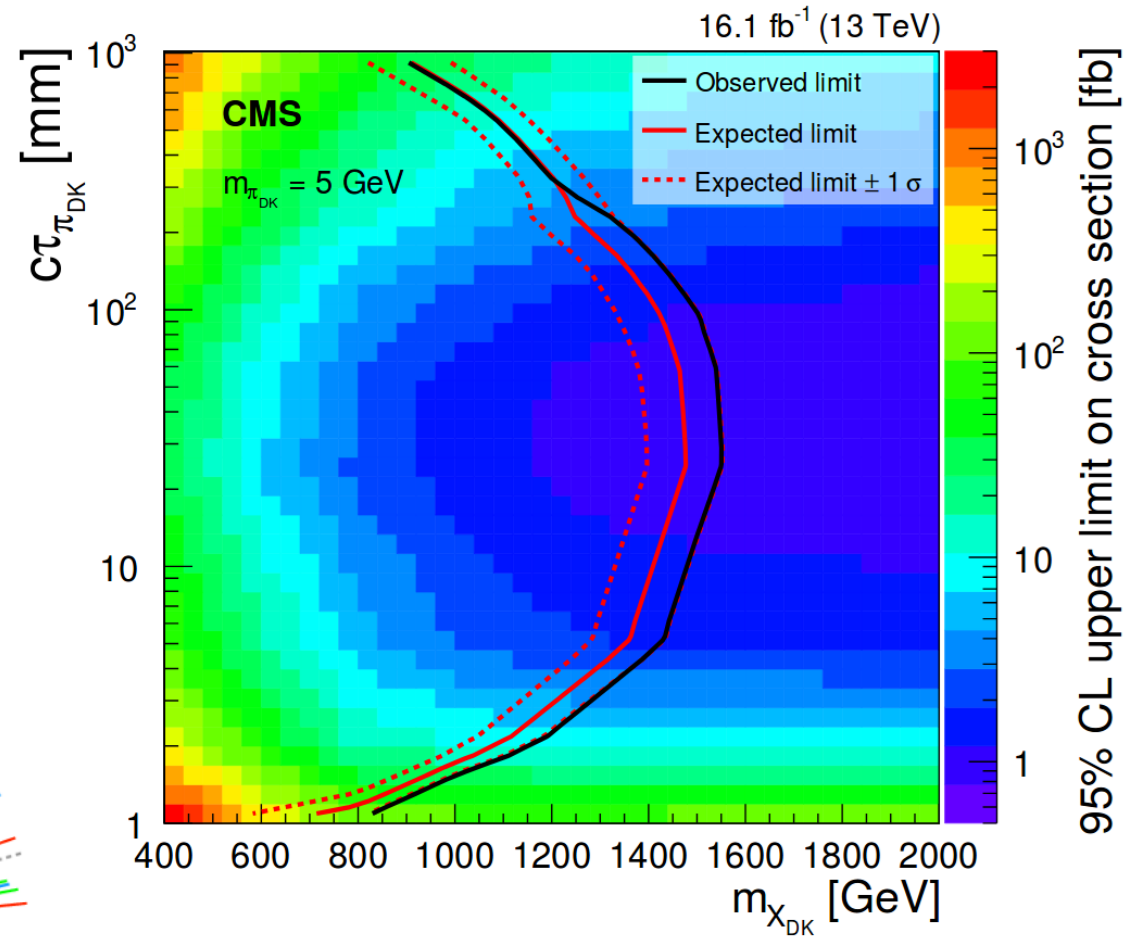
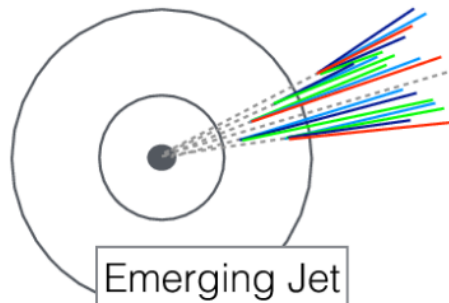
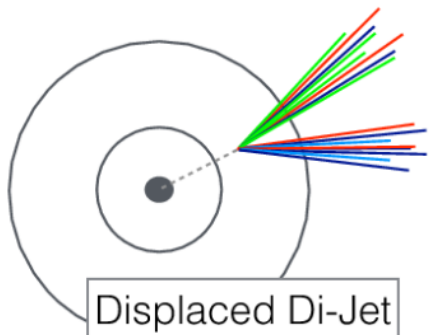
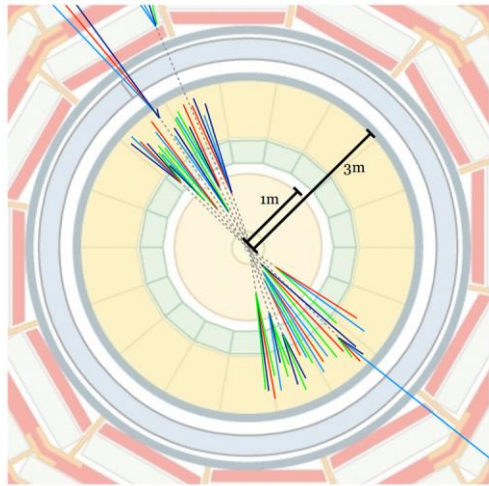
- Better resolution
- Better b tagging
- Lower jet threshold

In terms of M: constrain $M > \sim 5 \text{ TeV}$ @ Giga Z

For Tera Z: Need to consider displaced effects

Manybody Limit – Emerging Jets

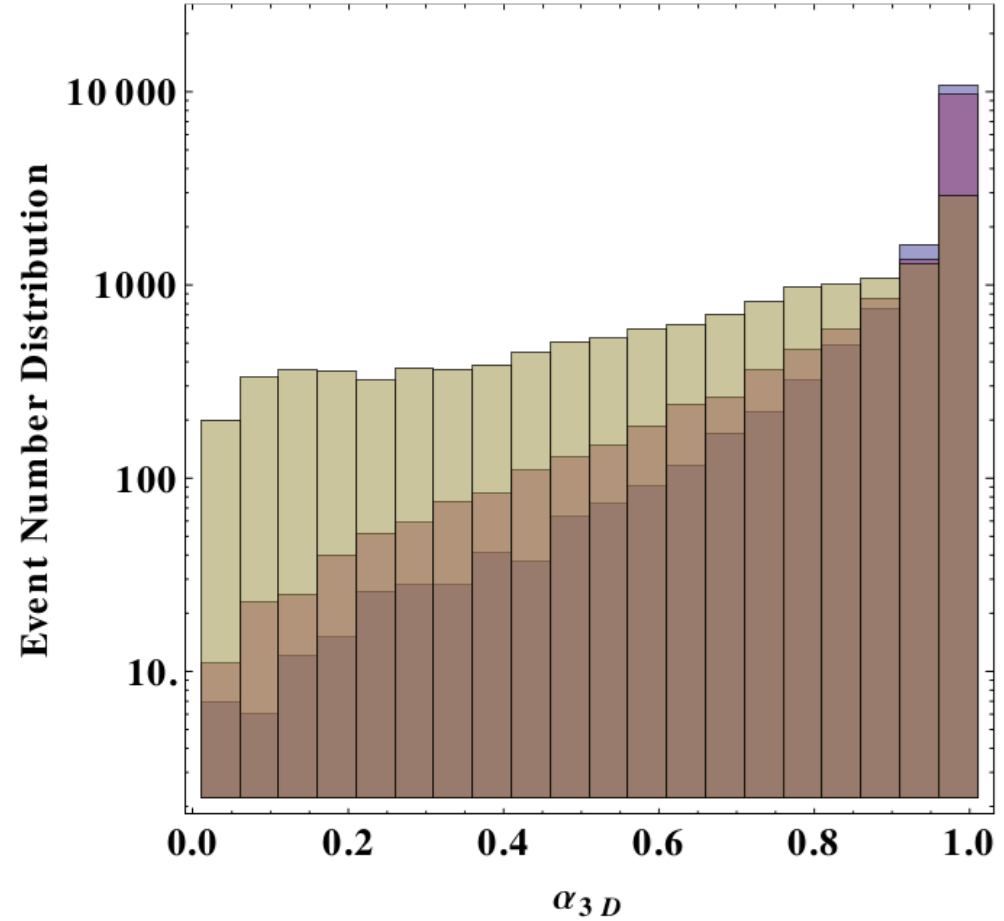
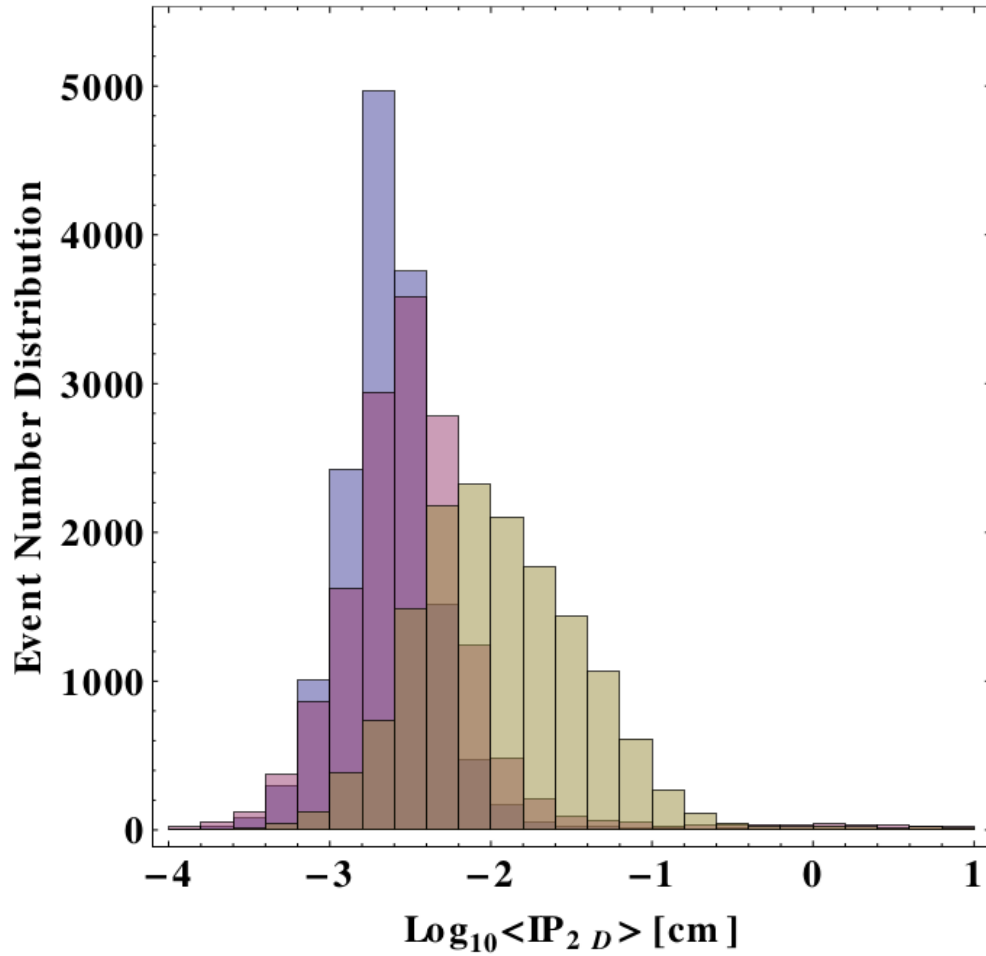
[P. Schwaller, D. Stolarski and A. Weiler, 1502.05409]



[CMS Collaboration, 1810.10069]

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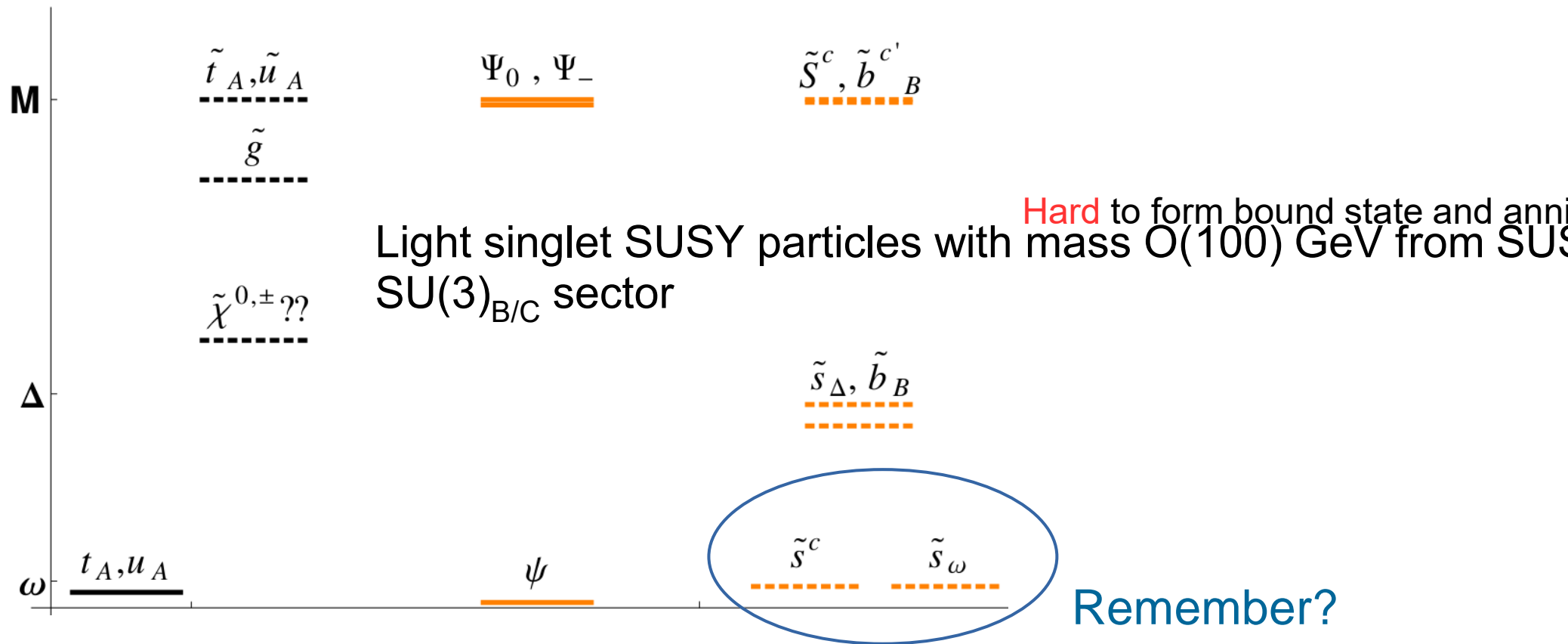
Emerging Jet Discrimination



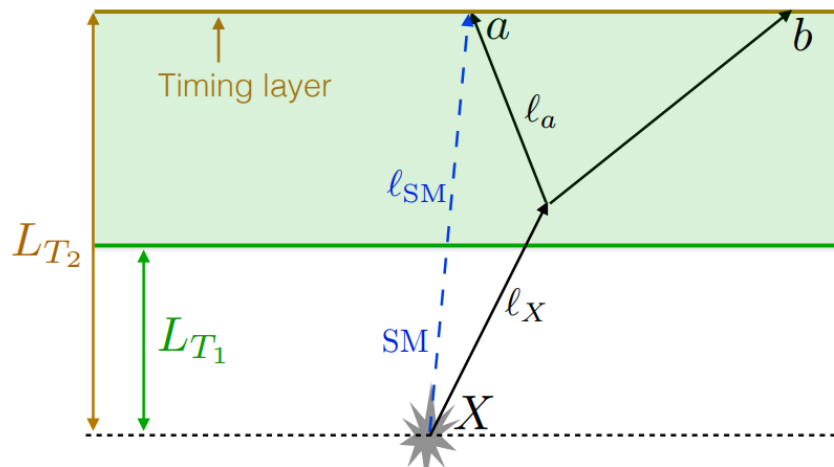
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Off-Topic Thoughts About Exotic Bound States

Spectrum of the revised TT model:



Time Resolution: A Complementary?



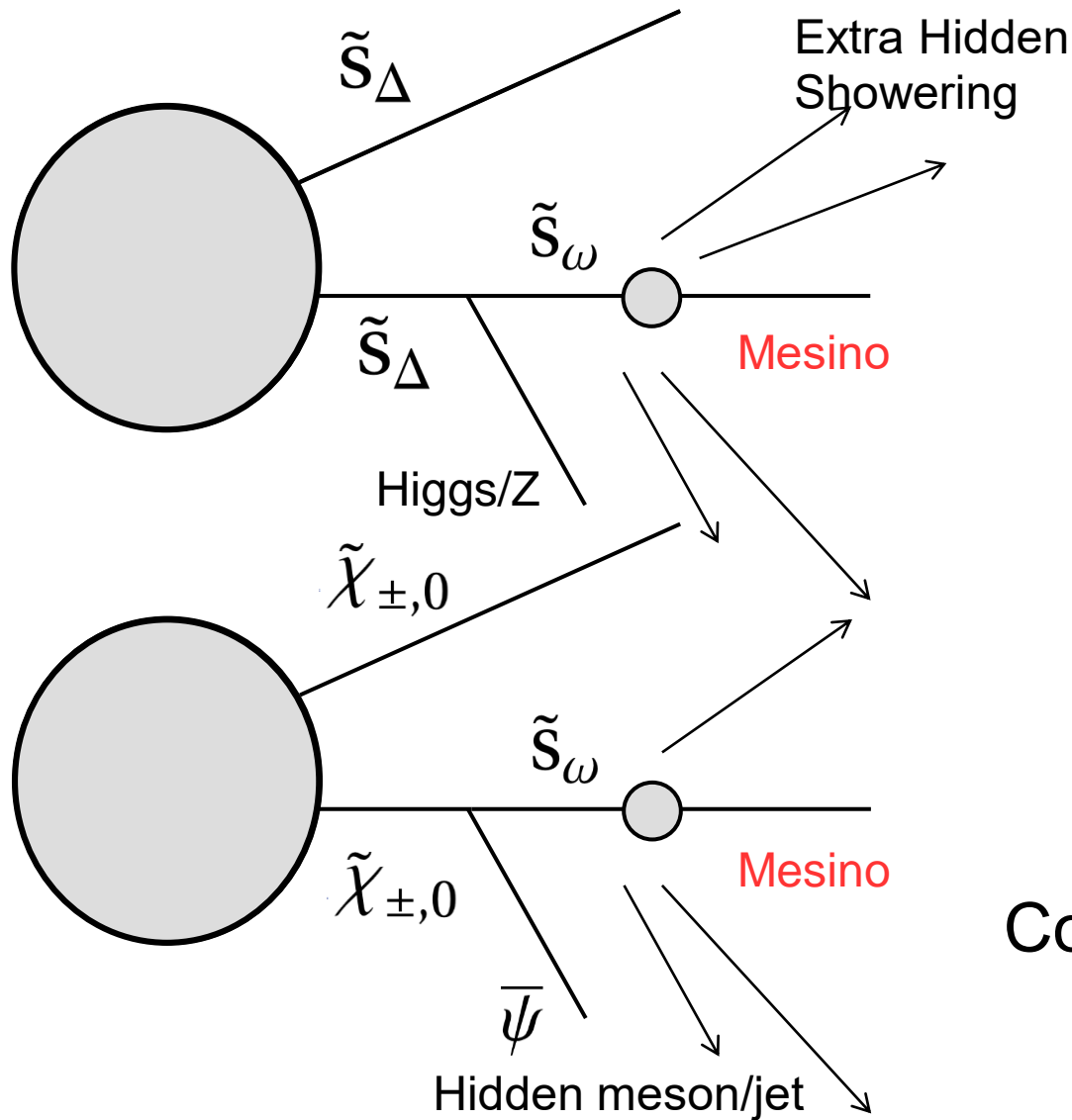
Interesting topic for the future and may work as extra discriminator for emerging jets.

[J. Liu, Z. Liu and L.Wang, 1805.05957]

Due to SM backgrounds and time resolution, a $\Delta t \approx O(1)$ ns is required.

\Rightarrow A not very boosted hidden meson ($\gamma \sim 2-3$) shall travel $O(100)$ cm before its decay.

Exotic Bound States



Effective Lightest
SUSY Particle (ELSP)

Annihilate to light hidden mesons \rightarrow SM efficiently.
Seems OK as relic density much smaller than $O(10^{-2})$
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Collider Pheno: Open question

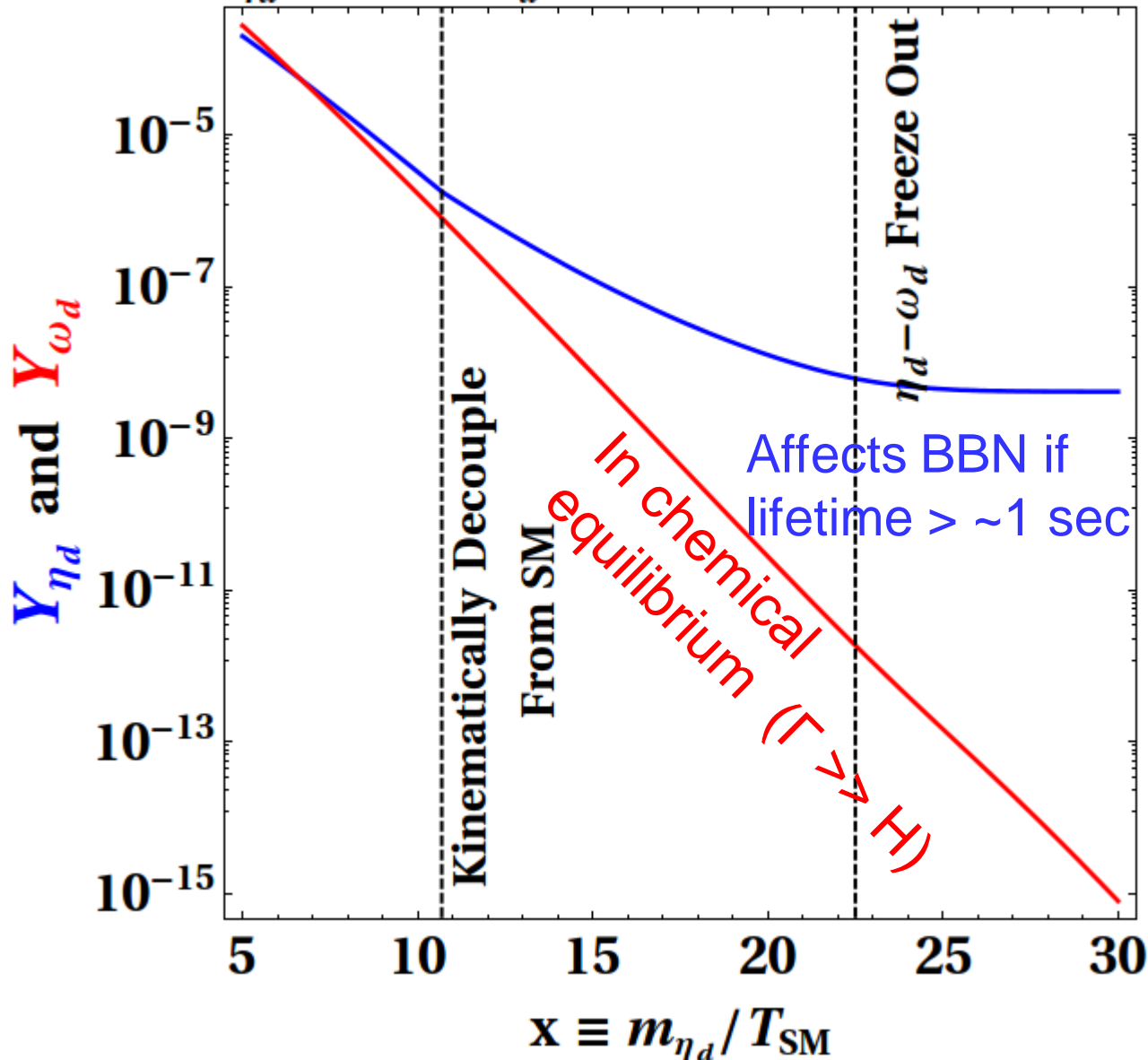
Thermal History

$$\frac{dY_h}{dx} = \frac{-1}{3H(x)} \frac{ds}{dx} \left[\langle \sigma_{+2h\nu} \rangle Y_l^2 - \langle \sigma_{-2h\nu} \rangle Y_h^2 - \langle \sigma_{-h\nu} \rangle Y_h Y_l + \langle \sigma_{+h\nu} \rangle Y_l^2 - \frac{\langle \Gamma_{\phi_h \rightarrow \text{SM}} \rangle \hat{T}}{s} Y_h + \frac{\langle \Gamma_{\phi_h \rightarrow \text{SM}} \rangle T}{s} Y_h^{\text{eq}}(T) \right],$$

$$\frac{dY_l}{dx} = \frac{-1}{3H(x)} \frac{ds}{dx} \left[\langle \sigma_{-2h\nu} \rangle Y_h^2 - \langle \sigma_{+2h\nu} \rangle Y_l^2 + \langle \sigma_{-h\nu} \rangle Y_h Y_l - \langle \sigma_{+h\nu} \rangle Y_l^2 \right].$$

Thermal History

$$m_{\eta_d} = 10, m_{\omega_d} = 12 \text{ GeV}, c\tau(\omega_d) = 1 \text{ cm}$$



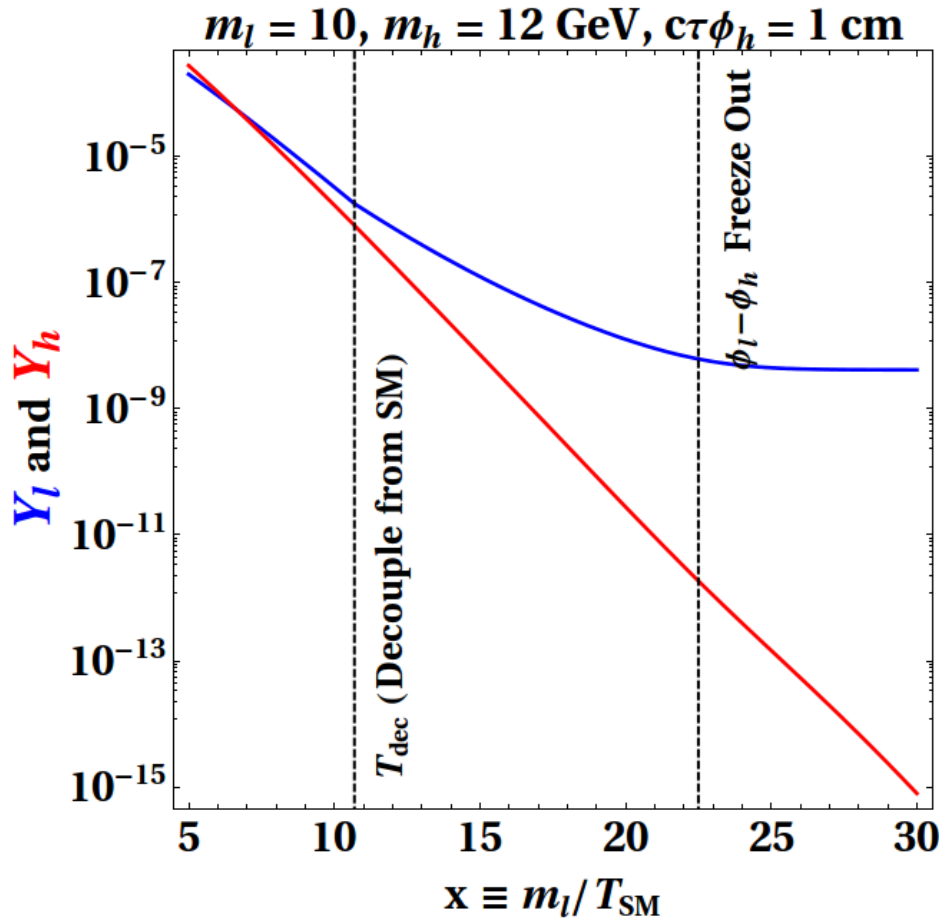
Sensitive to:

- Decay length Γ (kinematic decoupling time)

- $\omega_d - \eta_d$ mass difference Δm (when freeze out happens).

The analytical form is **not always precise**

Thermal History



$$Y_l(T) \simeq \frac{Y_l^{\text{eq}}(\hat{T})}{Y_h^{\text{eq}}(\hat{T})} Y_h^{\text{eq}}(T)$$

$$\propto \exp\left(\frac{\Delta m T_{\text{dec}}}{T^2}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{m_h}{T}\right)$$

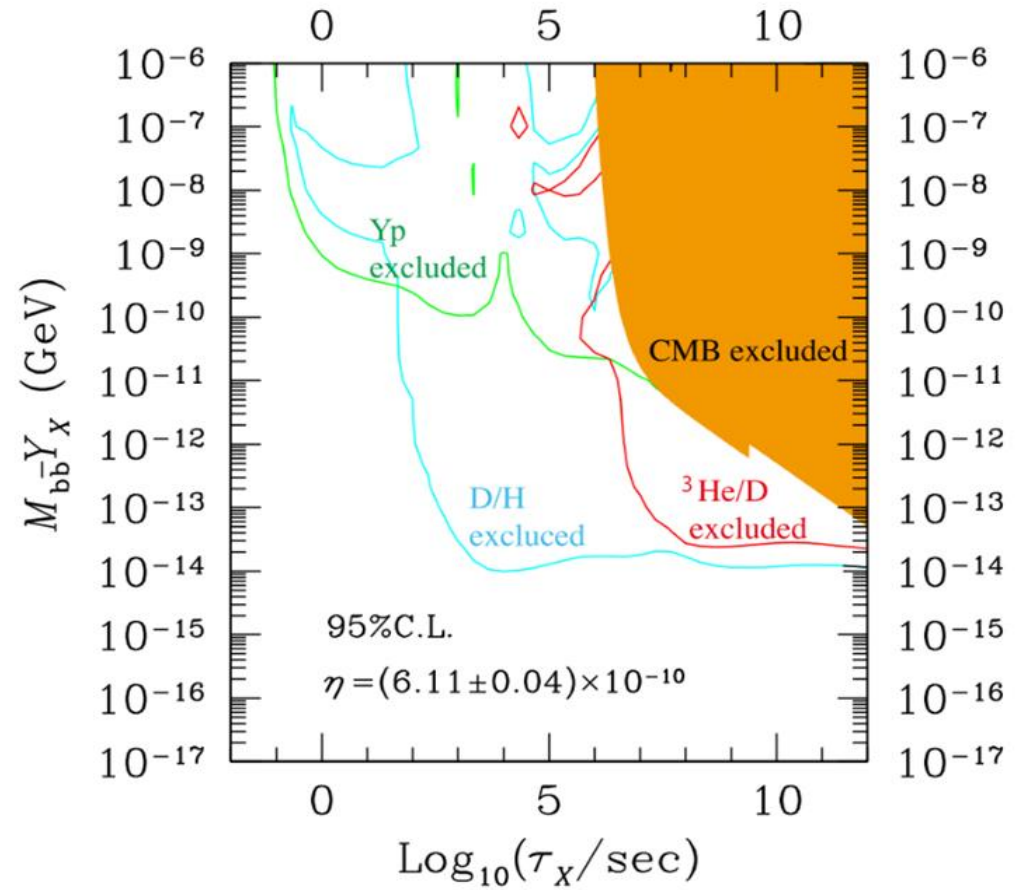
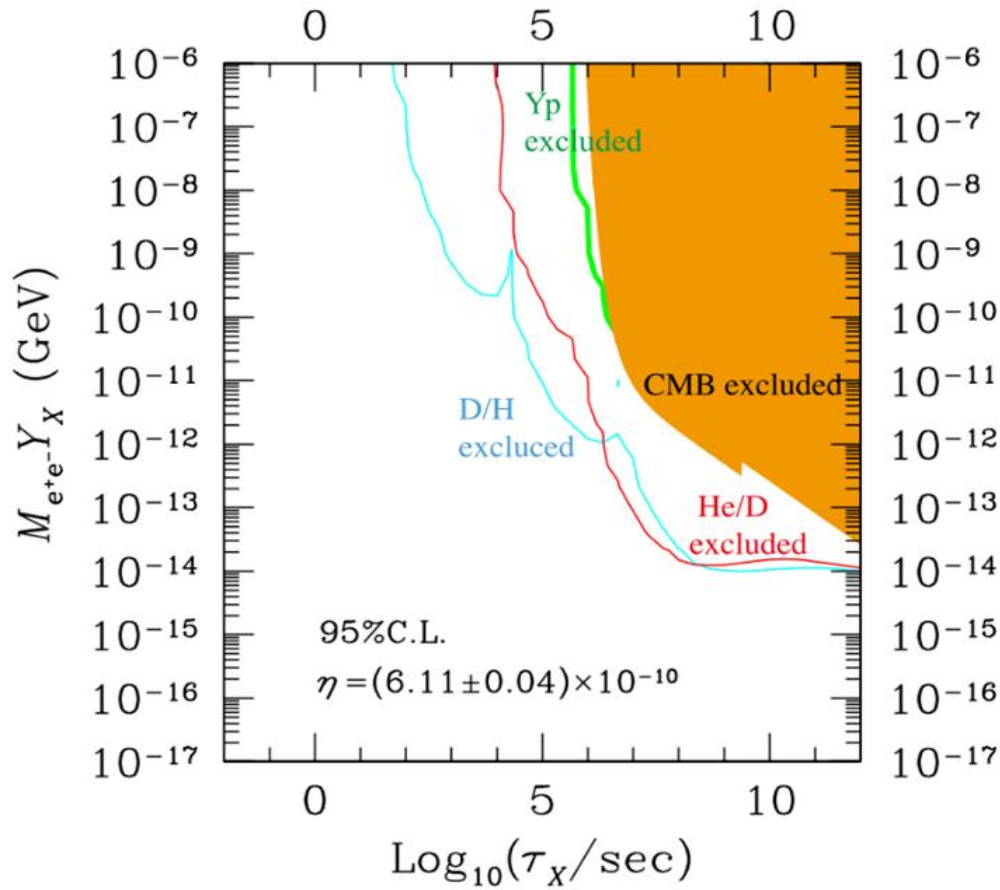
Sensitive to h decay length Γ (related to T_{dec}) and Δm (related to freeze out temperature).

$$Y_l|_{\text{BBN}} \simeq 10^{-4} \left(\frac{1000 m_h^2}{M_P \Gamma_h} \right)^{\frac{\text{const} \times m_h}{\Delta m}} \exp\left(-\text{const} \frac{m_h}{\Delta m}\right)$$

Reasonable form but **not**

always precise 40

BBN Constraint



Taken from [\[1709.01211\]](#)