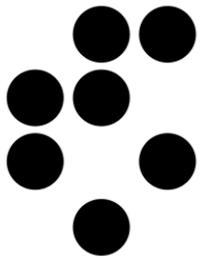


Progress in theory on new physics and flavor-high p_T interplay

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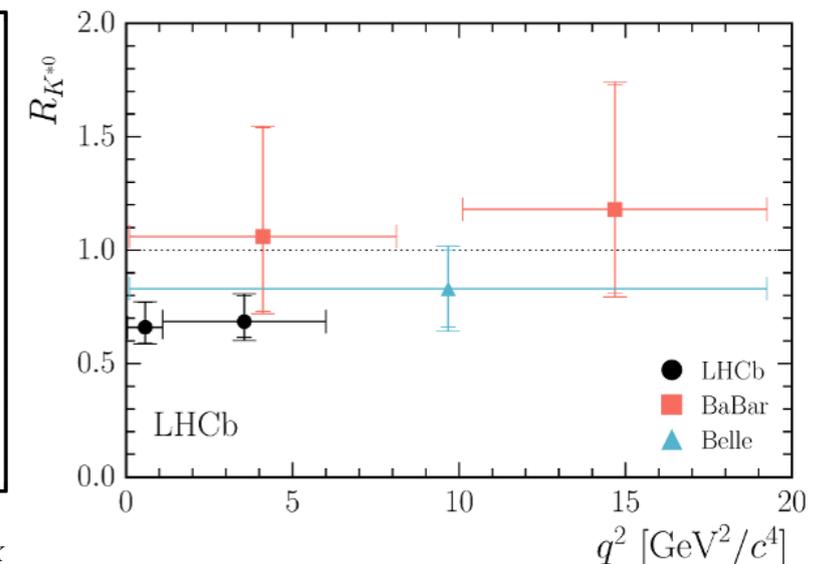
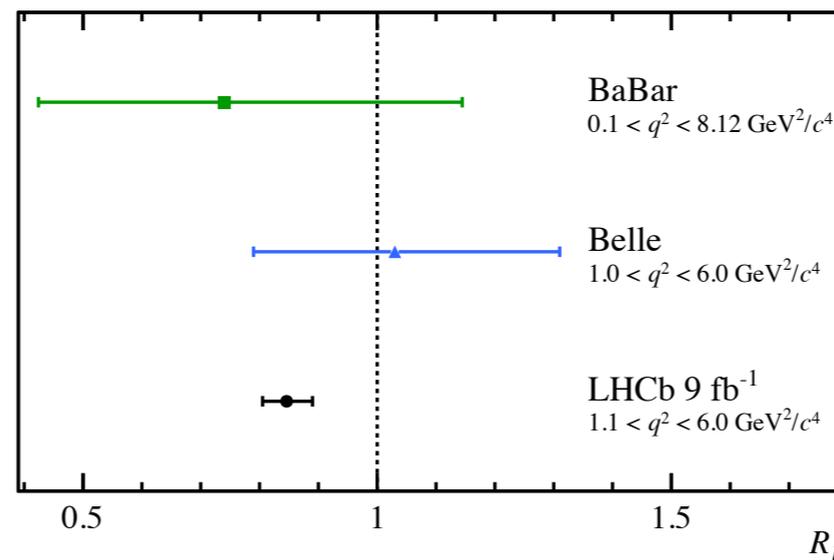
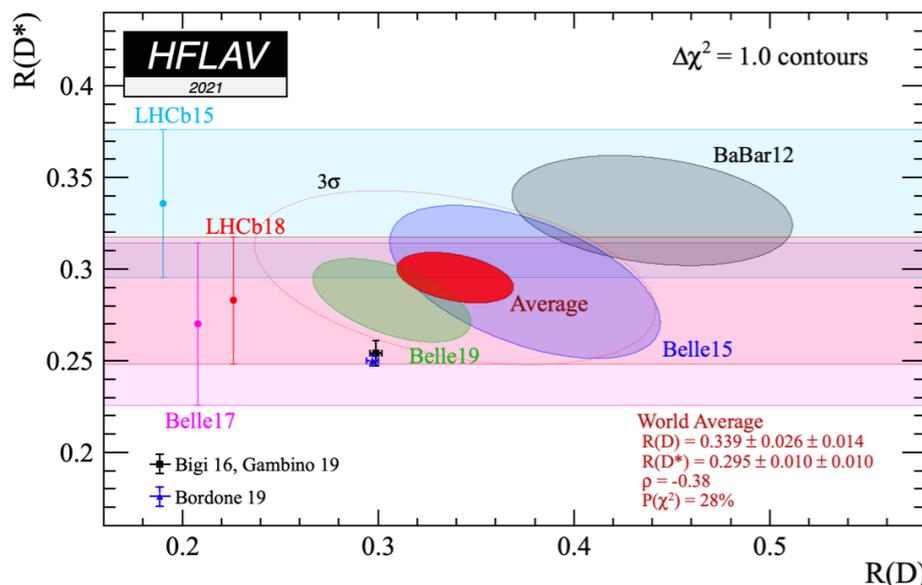
Flavor anomalies

- ➔ $\varepsilon'/\varepsilon, \Delta a_{CP}, K_L \rightarrow \pi^0 \nu \bar{\nu} \dots$ see talks by Buras et al....
Paul et al....
- ➔ Cabibbo angle - CKM unitarity see talks in WG1
- ➔ semitauonic b-decays see talk by Altmannshofer
- ➔ rare semileptonic b-decays

$$\mathcal{R}(D^{(*)}) = \frac{\text{BR}(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \tau \nu)}{\text{BR}(B \rightarrow D^{(*)} \ell \nu)}$$

$$R_H \equiv \frac{\int_{q_{\min}^2}^{q_{\max}^2} \frac{d\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow H \mu^+ \mu^-)}{dq^2} dq^2}{\int_{q_{\min}^2}^{q_{\max}^2} \frac{d\mathcal{B}(B \rightarrow H e^+ e^-)}{dq^2} dq^2}$$

+ angular observables and BRs
see e.g.
Alguero et al., 2104.08921



largest “coherent” set of deviations

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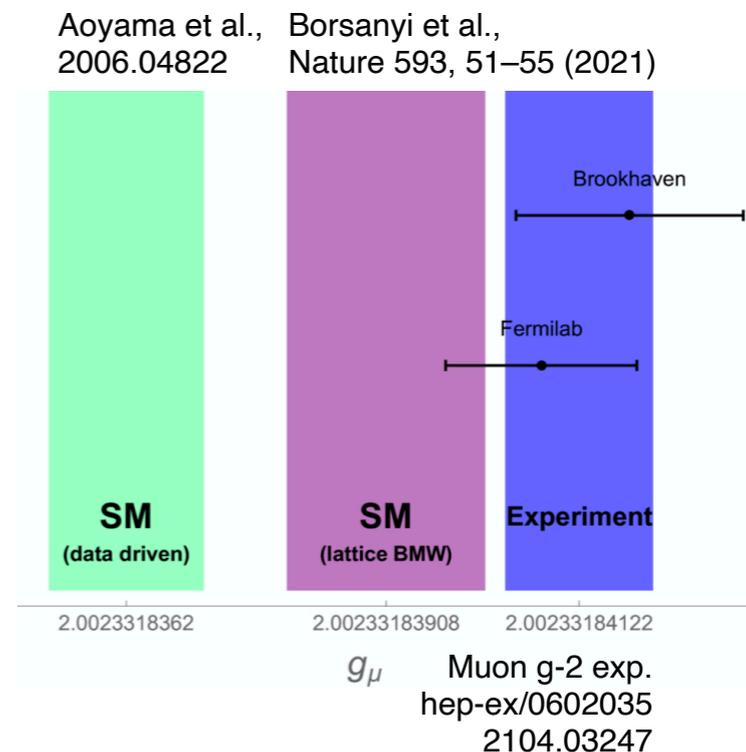
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see also
Crivellin & Hoferichter, 2002.07184
Bryman et al., 2111.05338

Flavor in SM

In SM: Higgs Yukawas unique source of both **flavor** and **LFU** breaking

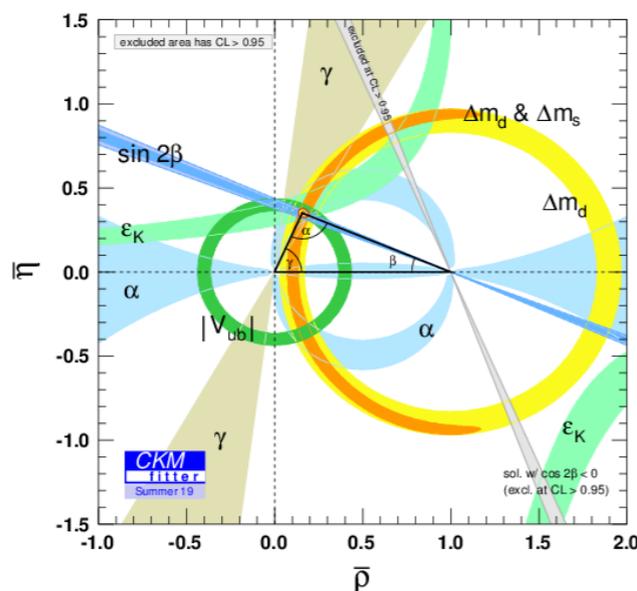
$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} \ni Y_f^{ij} \bar{f}_L^i H f_R^j + \text{h.c.}$$

see talk by K. Vos

see talks in Soreq et al....

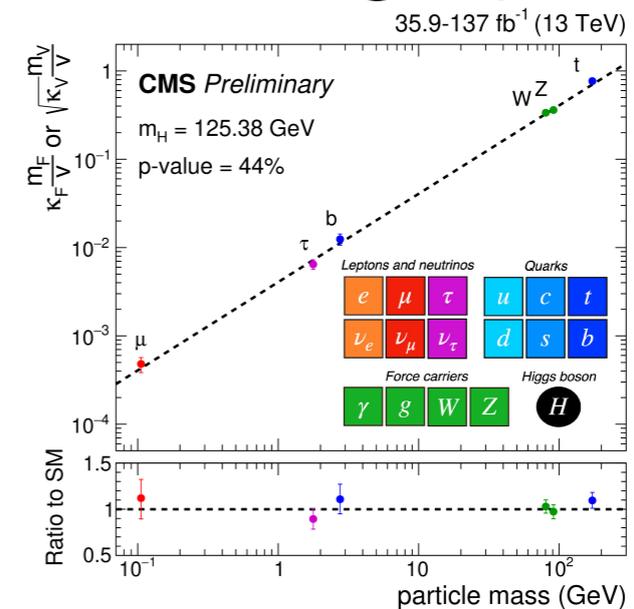
$$V_{CKM}^{ij} \bar{u}_L^i W d_L^j$$

Most sensitive low energy flavor observables



$$\frac{m_i}{v} h \bar{f}_i f_i$$

Can only be observed at high- p_T



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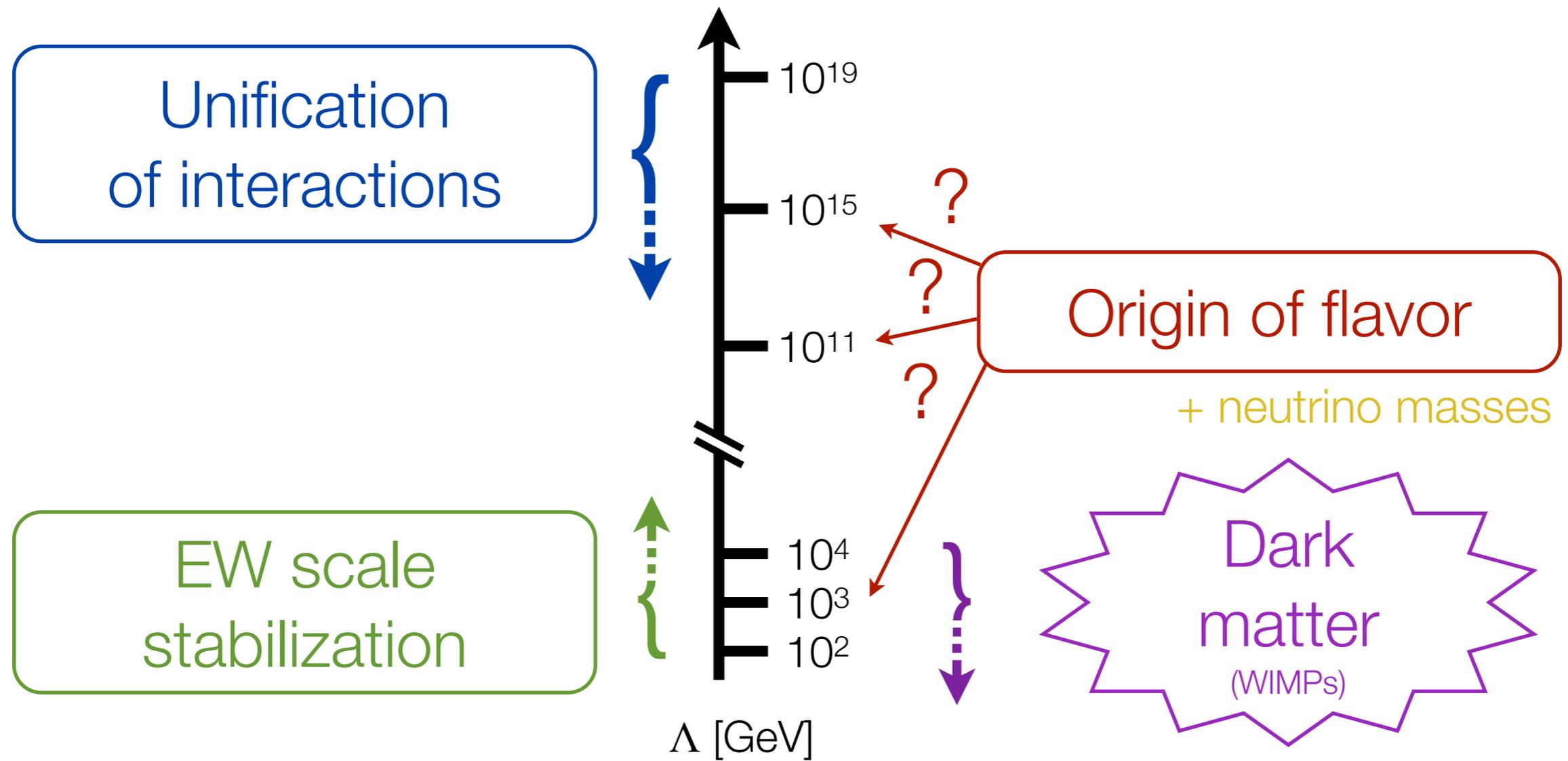
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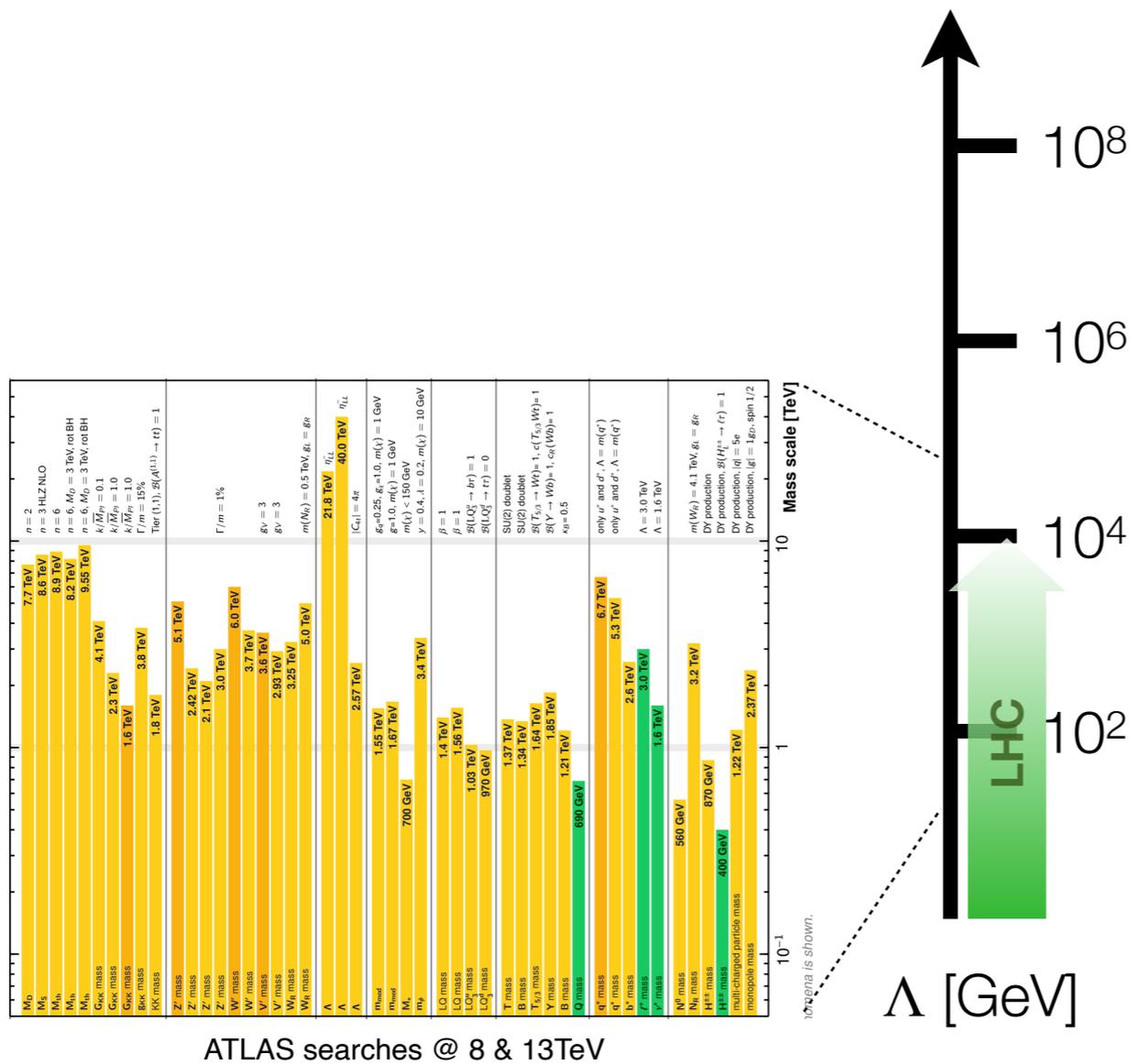
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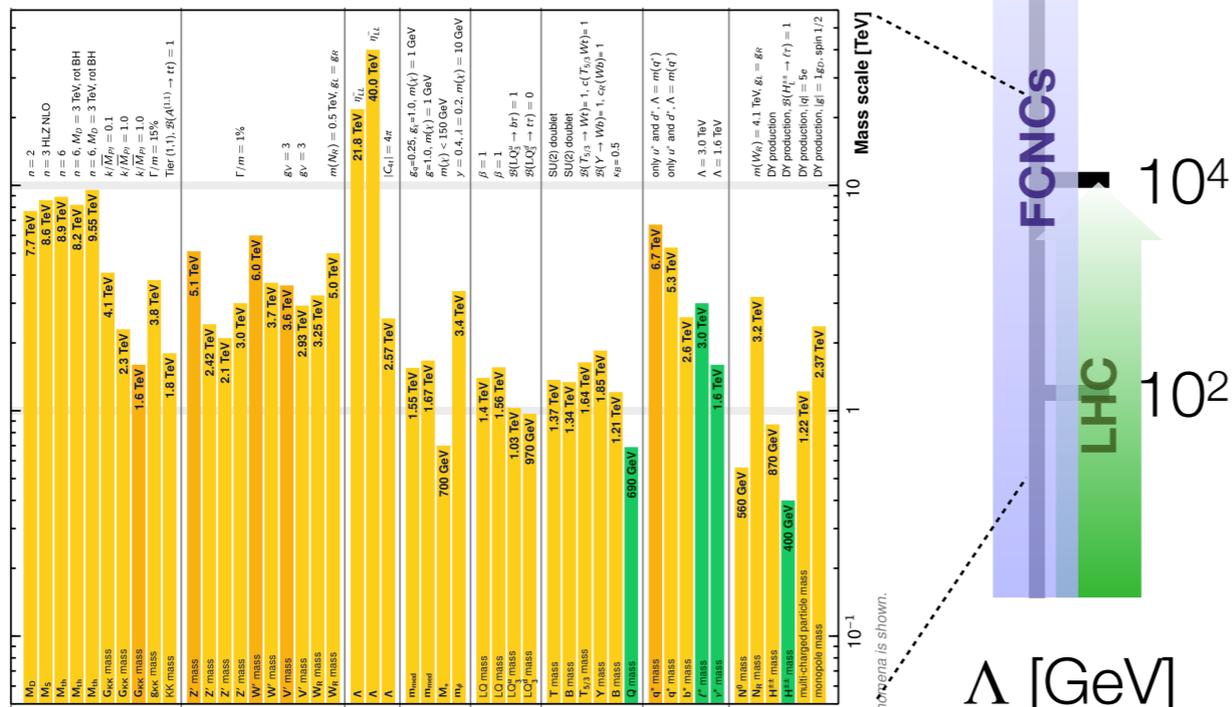
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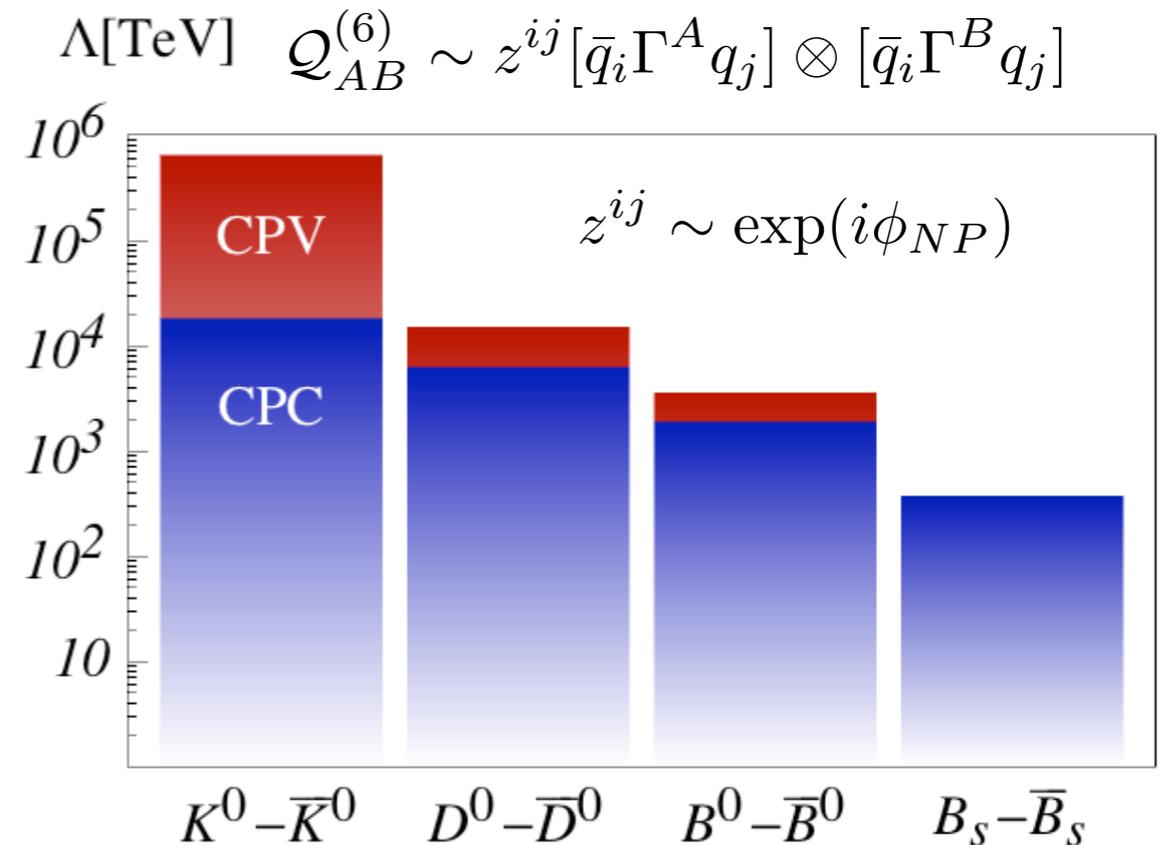


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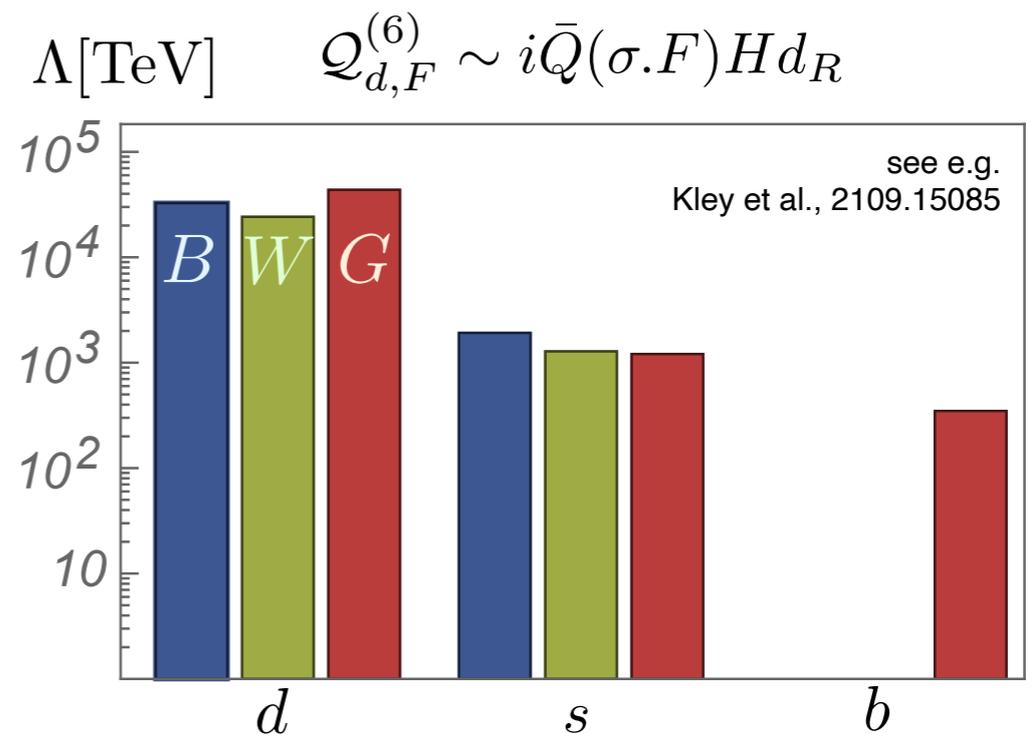
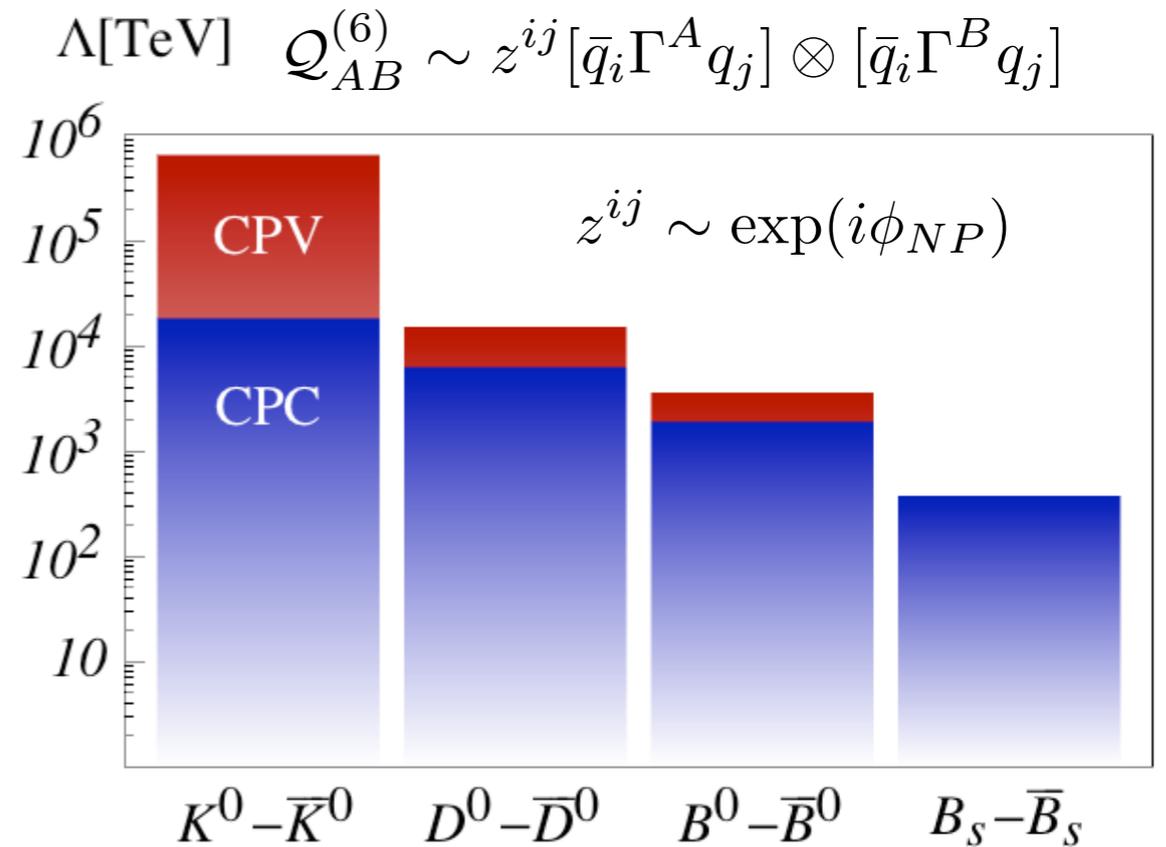
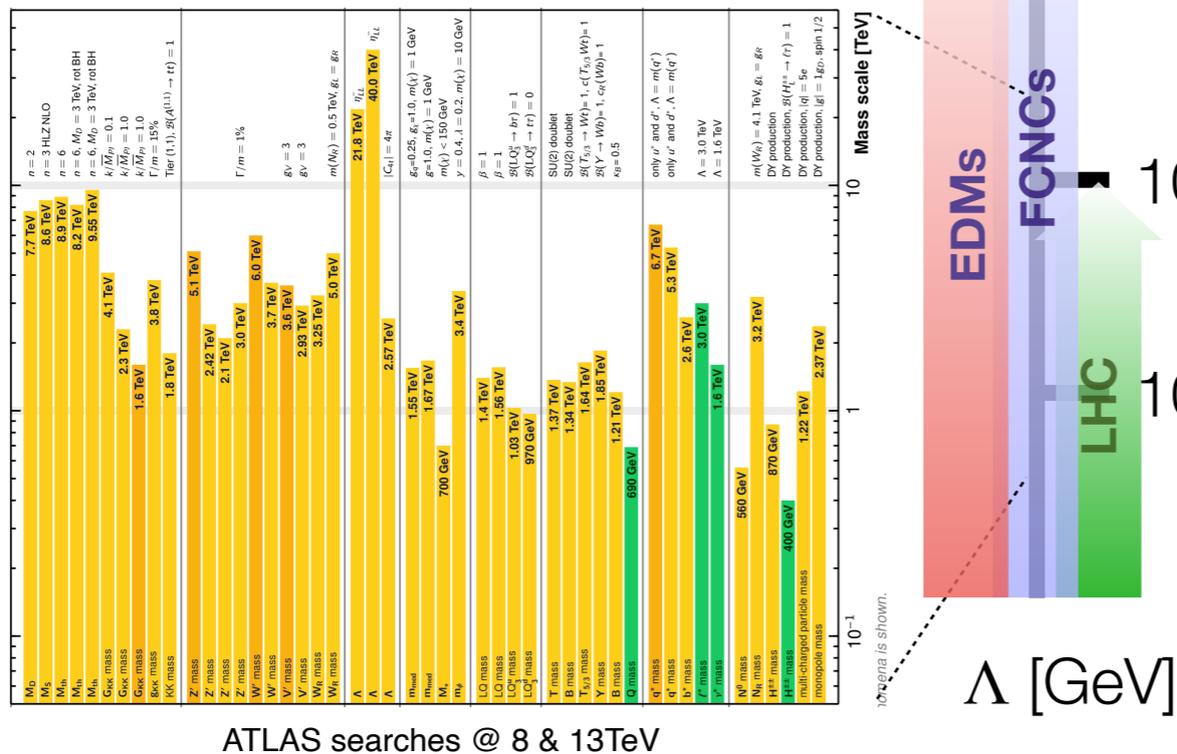
ATLAS searches @ 8 & 13TeV



see e.g. UTFit 1411.7233
 ETM 1505.06639
 Fermilab Lattice & MILC, 1706.04622
 Aebischer et al., 2009.07276

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see e.g.
Di Luzio, JFK & Nardecchia, 1604.05746
Di Luzio & Nardecchia, 1706.01868

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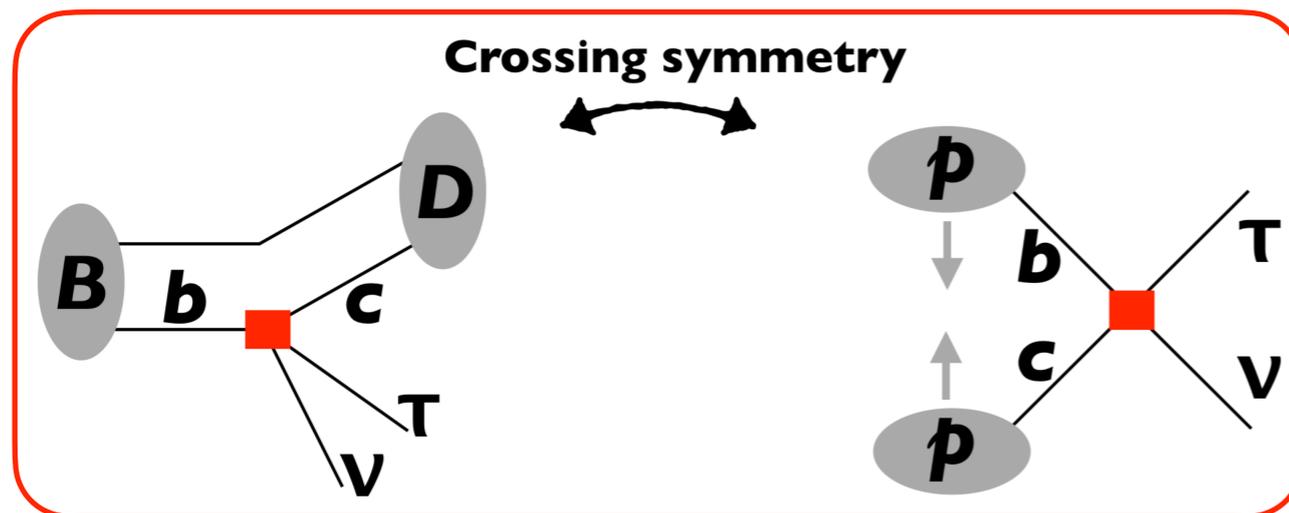
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Iguro et al., 1810.05843

Example: mono-tau production @ LHC

Greljo et al., 1811.07920



$$\sigma \sim \mathcal{L} \times \hat{\sigma}$$

\times heavy flavour pdf. suppression

$$\mathcal{L}_{ij} \propto \int f_i(x) f_j(\hat{s}/sx) dx$$

\checkmark compensated by high partonic energy

$$\hat{\sigma} \propto (\hat{s}/M^2)^2$$

see also
Angelescu, Farouhy & Sumensari, 2002.05684
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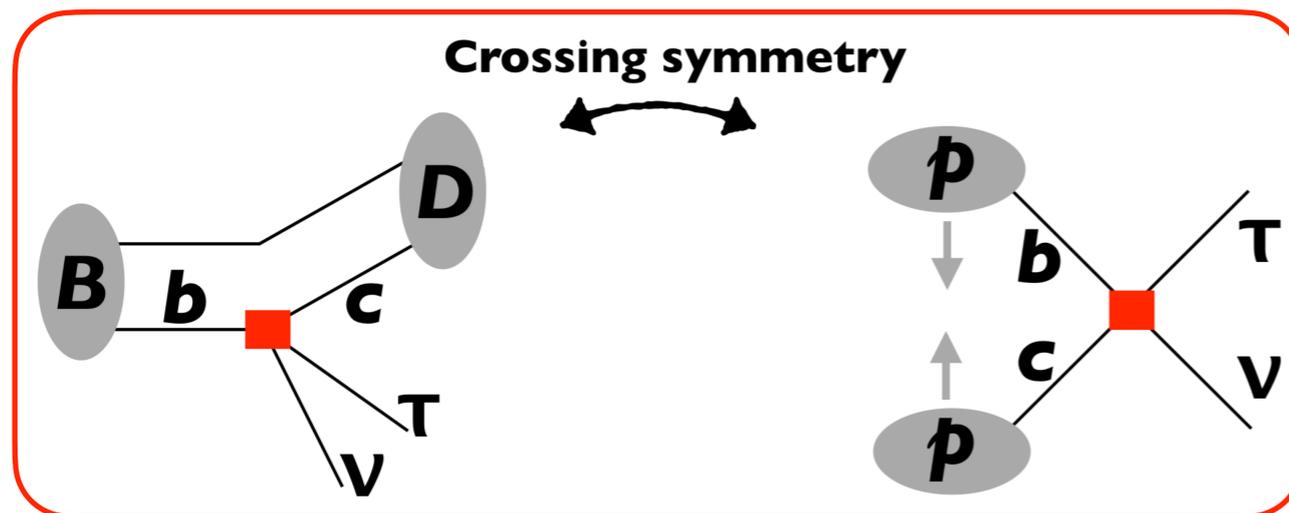
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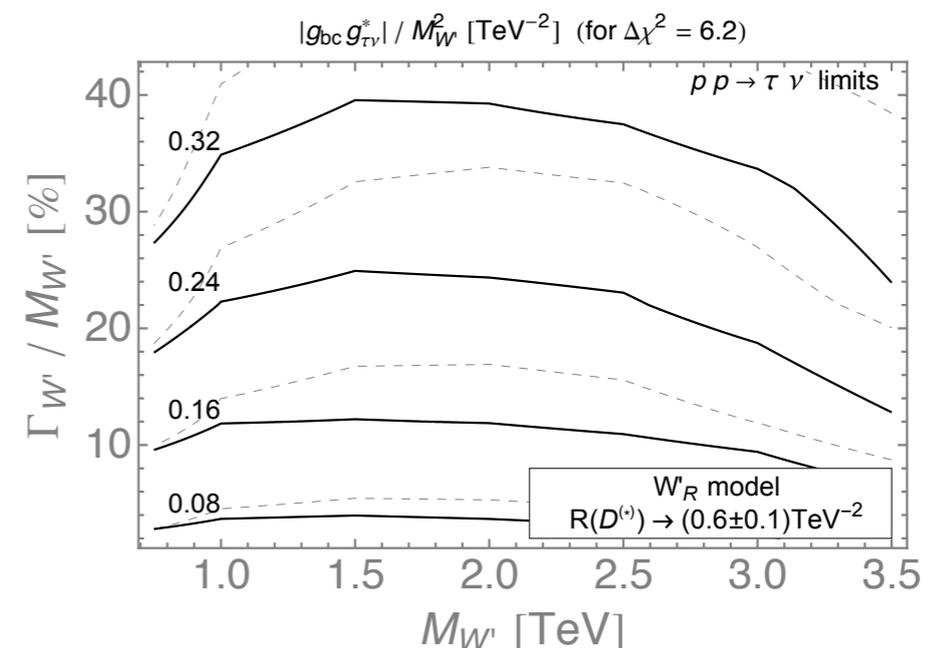
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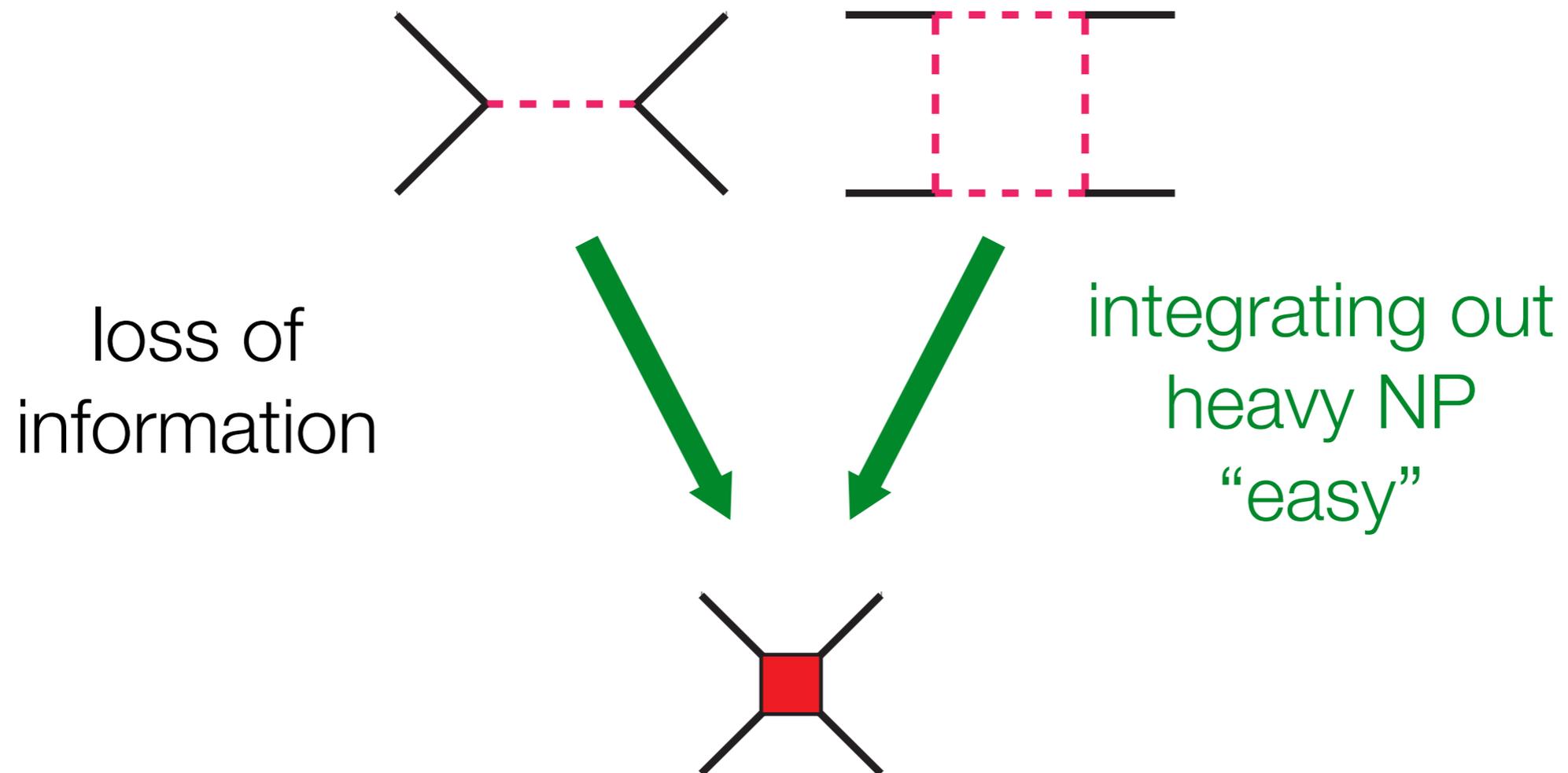
LFUV in $R_{K^{(*)}}$ (& other obs.) : $\Lambda \sim 40 \text{ TeV}$

e.g. $\mathcal{Q} = (\bar{s}\gamma_\mu P_L b)(\bar{\mu}\gamma^\mu P_L \mu)$

\Rightarrow NP d.o.f.s accessible at LHC only if their couplings to *bs* and/or $\mu\mu$ suppressed!

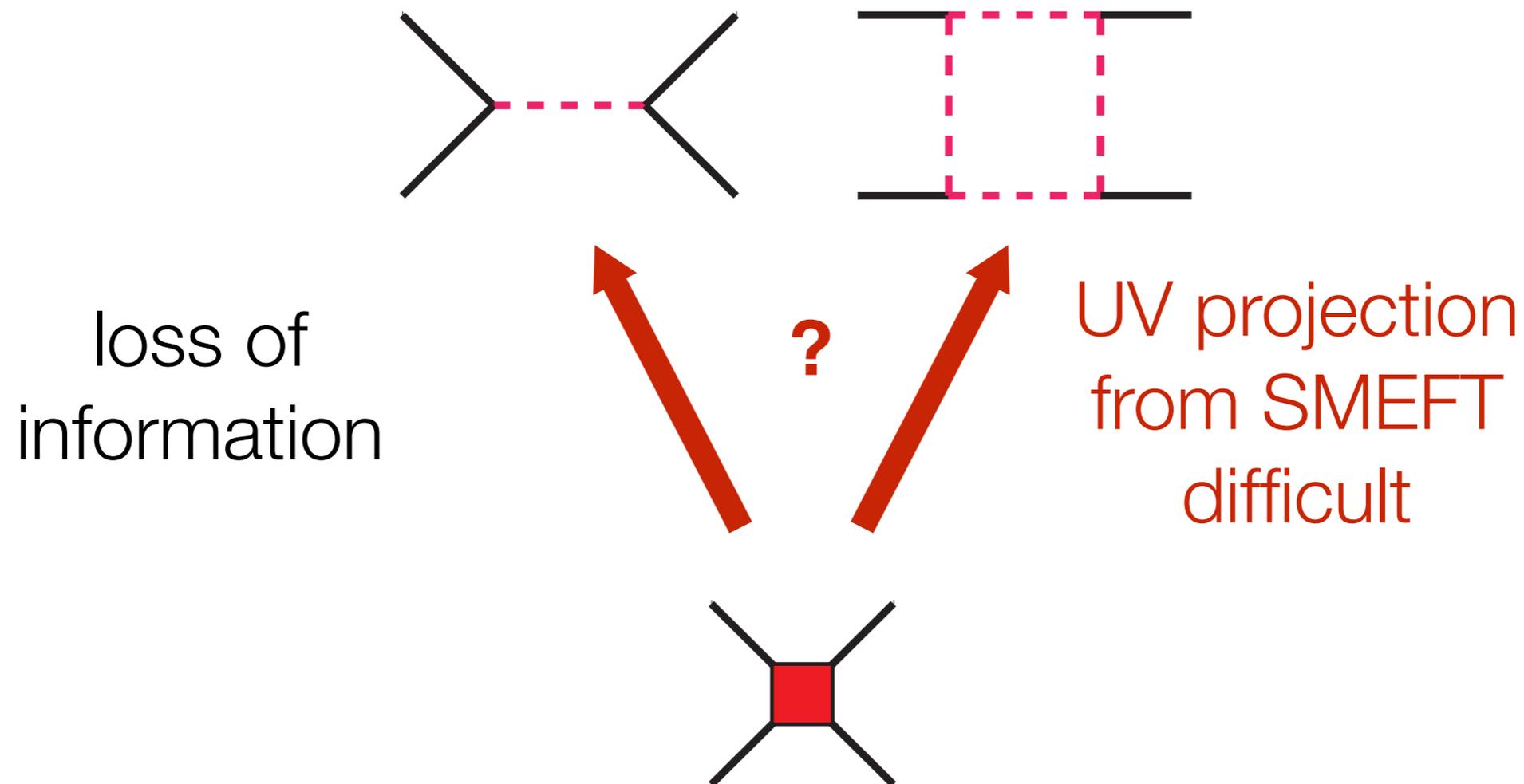
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If d.o.f.s within kinematical reach, LHC crucial to disentangle various UV models of NP

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Simplest UV:

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LQ's

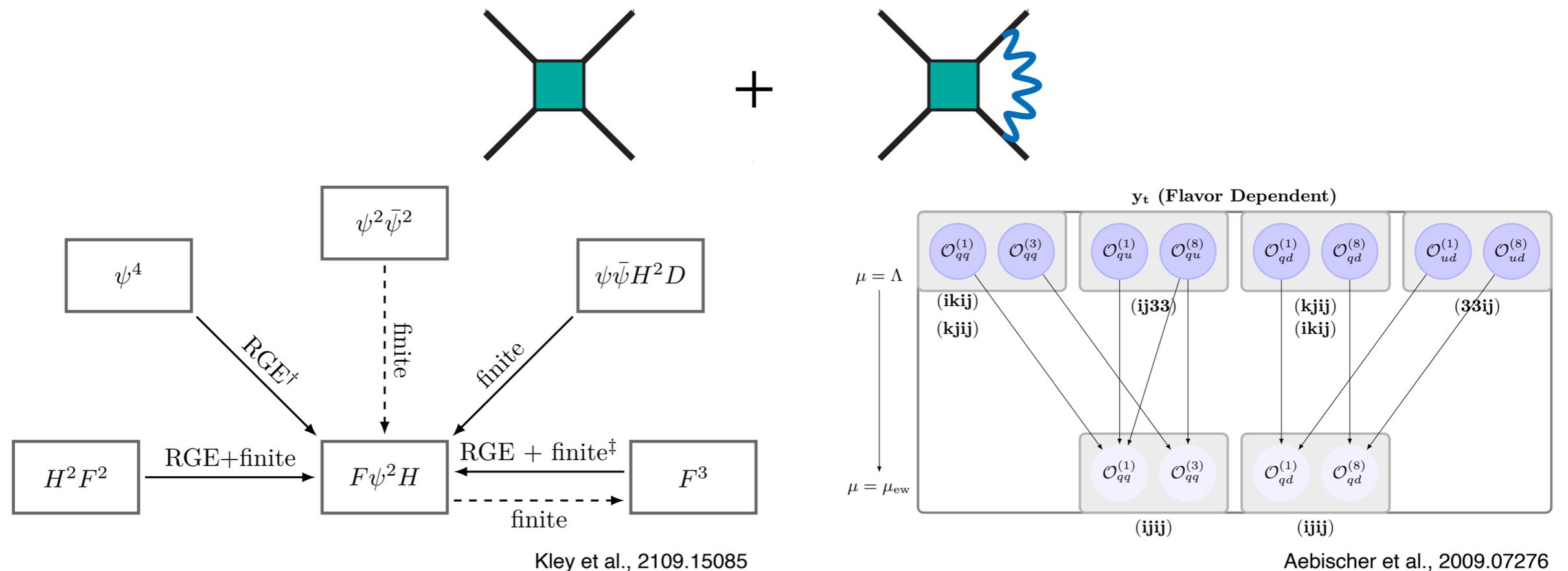
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different LHC pheno!

see e.g. Angelescu et al., 2103.12504

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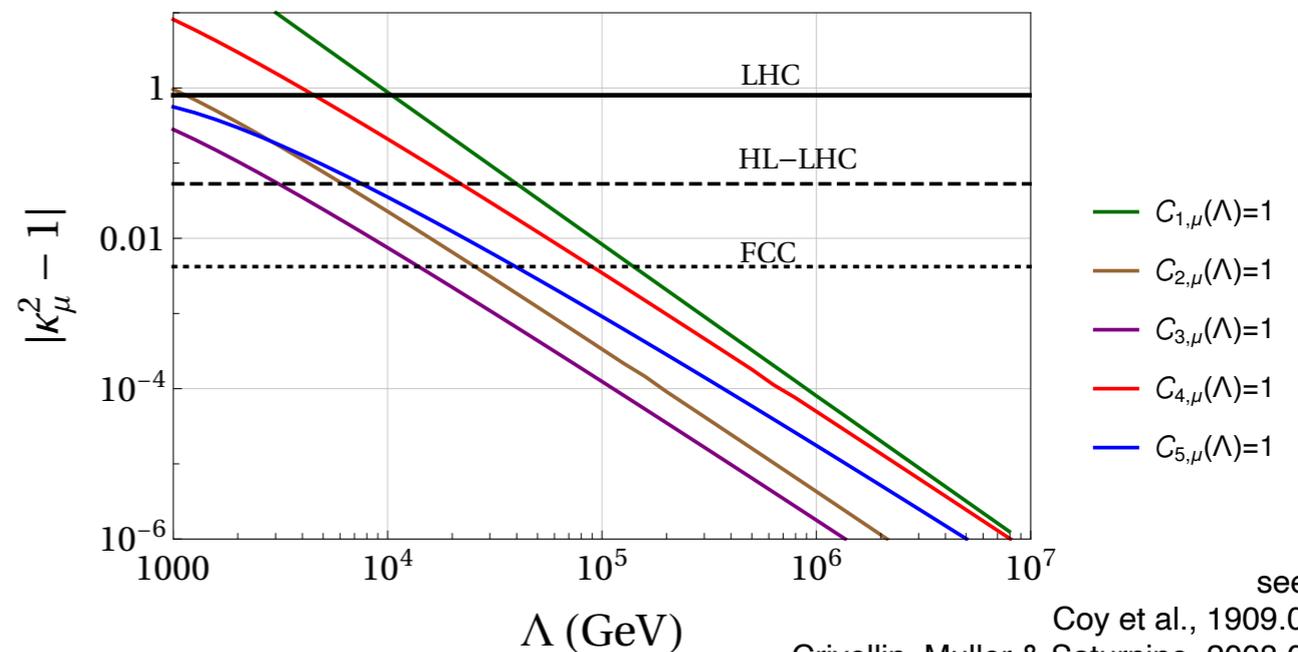
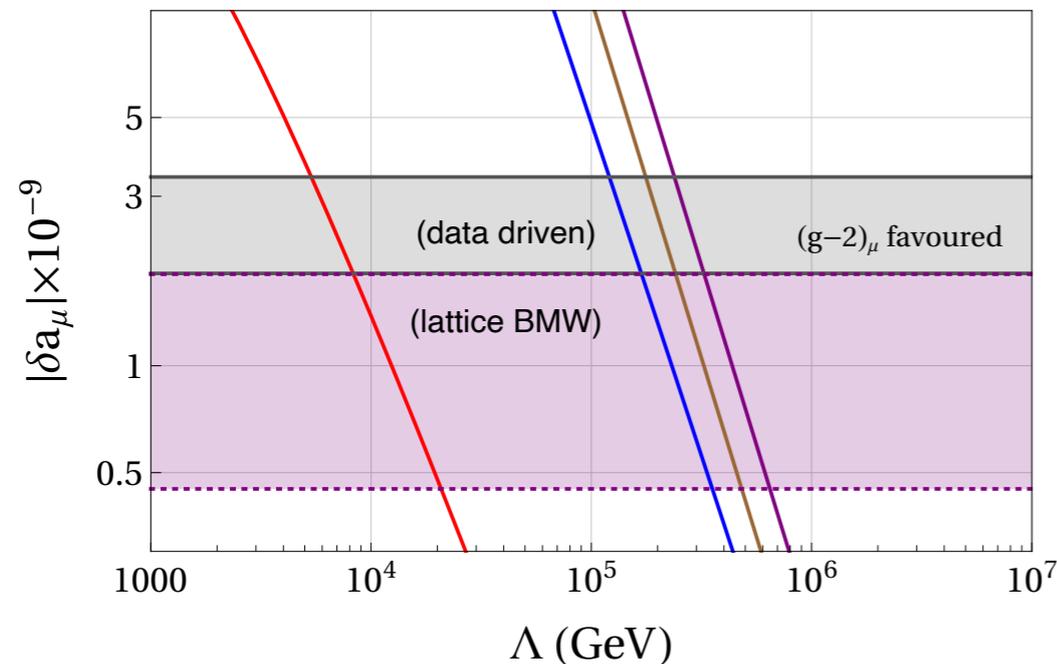
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Example: muon $g-2$ & Higgs decays to muons

Fajfer, JFK & Tammaro, 2103.10859



see also
Coy et al., 1909.08567
Crivellin, Muller & Saturnino, 2008.02643

$$\mathcal{O}_{1,pr} = (\varphi^\dagger \varphi) (\bar{\ell}_p e_r \varphi), \quad \mathcal{O}_{2,pr} = (\bar{\ell}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_r) \tau^a \varphi W_{\mu\nu}^a, \quad \mathcal{O}_{3,pr} = (\bar{\ell}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_r) \varphi B_{\mu\nu}.$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{4,prst} = (\bar{\ell}_p^j e_r) \epsilon_{jk} (\bar{q}_s^k u_t), \quad \mathcal{O}_{5,prst} = (\bar{\ell}_p^j \sigma_{\mu\nu} e_r) \epsilon_{jk} (\bar{q}_s^k \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_t)$$

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3. Comparison of high p_T & FCNC/CPV measurements **(and their interpretation within SMEFT)** depends crucially on assumed (unknown) **flavor & CP structure of NP**

the rest of this talk...

see e.g.
Descotes-Genon et al., 1812.08163
Faroughy et al., 2005.05366
Aebischer et al., 2009.07276
Kley et al., 2109.15085
Greljo et al., 2107.07518

Flavor of new physics (pre LHC)

UV solutions to EW hierarchy problem require NP @ TeV

Not possible for generic flavor & CP structure

“NP flavor & CP” problem

Minimal flavor violating assumption: all flavor & CP violation (even BSM) proportional to SM Yukawas

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} \ni Y_f^{ij} \bar{f}_L^i H f_R^j + \text{h.c.}$$

Formally: $Y_{u,d,e}$ only (spurionic) sources of SM $U(3)^5$ flavor symmetry (& CP) breaking even BSM

d'Ambrosio et al., hep-ph/0207036

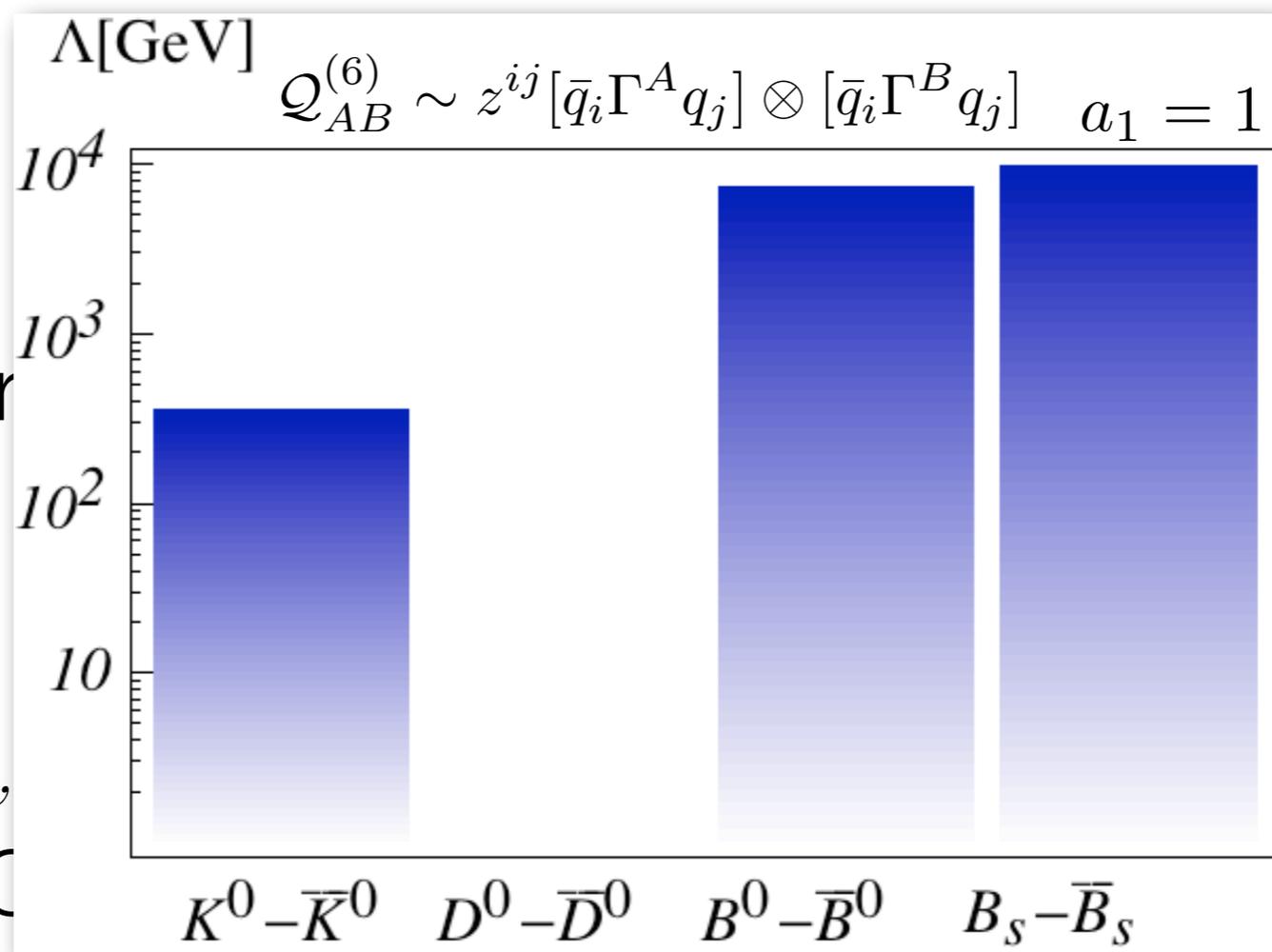
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Example: $z^{ij} = a_0 \delta^{ij} + a_1 (Y_u Y_u^\dagger)^{ij} + \dots$

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For **generic expansion** ($a_i \sim 1$) MFV solutions to EW hierarchy & B-anomalies already in tension with direct LHC searches!

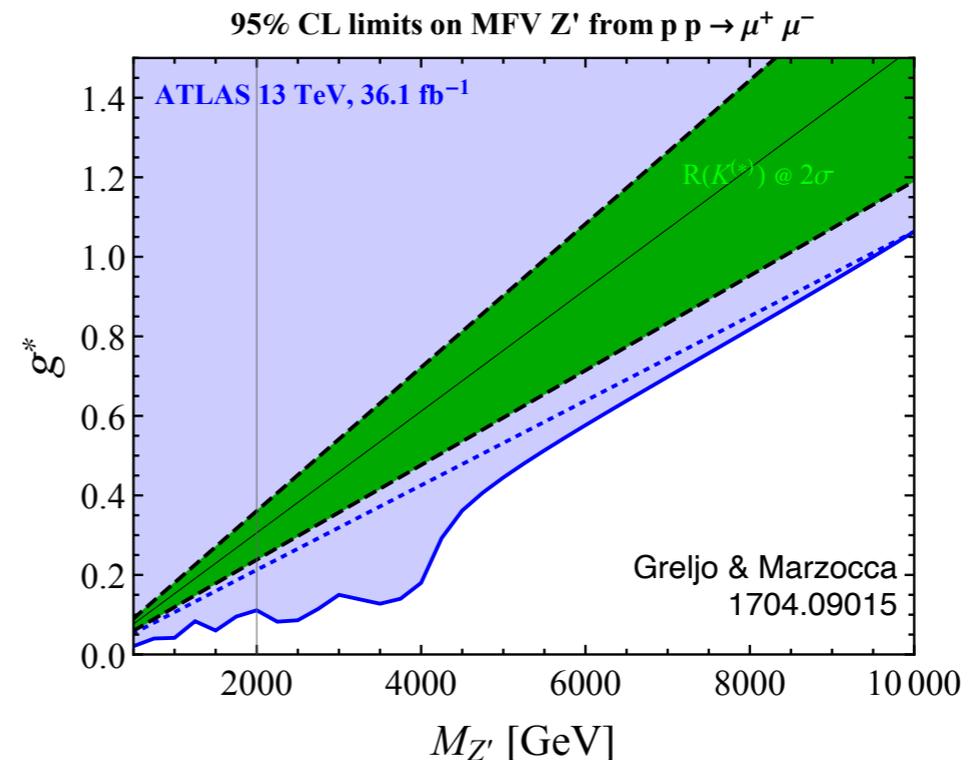
Also: Unless CP conservation assumed in UV in general strong bounds on NP scale from EDMs

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Example: R_K $\epsilon_{sb}^Q \propto V_{tb}V_{ts}$

$$\epsilon_{ij}^Q \simeq \mathbf{1} + \mathcal{O}(\mathbf{Y}\mathbf{Y}^\dagger)$$

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However: LHC sensitivity dominated by couplings to first generation quarks, while EW fine-tuning (& B-anomalies) dominated by third (& second) generation couplings!

Also: other FCNC & CPV bounds most severe for 1st - 2nd generations (mixing)

Implications for TeV scale NP: coupling (predominantly) to 3rd gen. fermions \Rightarrow 3rd gen. alignment [GMFV, U(2)]

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see e.g.
Kagan et al., 0903.1794
Barbieri et al., 1105.2296
Fajfer et al., 1206.1872
Bordone et al., 1702.07238

Immediate implications of B-anomalies for LHC

Quark 3rd gen. flavor alignment implies lower NP scale (similar to MFV):

$$(\bar{Q}_3 Q_3)(\bar{L}_3 L_3) \rightarrow V_{cb}(\bar{c}b)(\bar{\tau}\nu)$$

$\Rightarrow R(D^{(*)})$ anomaly

$$\Lambda \sqrt{|V_{cb}|} \sim 500 \text{ GeV}$$

Well within LHC reach!

$$(\bar{Q}_3 Q_3)(\bar{L}_2 L_2) \rightarrow V_{tb} V_{ts}(\bar{s}b)(\bar{\mu}\mu)$$

$\Rightarrow R_{K^{(*)}}$ anomaly

$$\Lambda \sqrt{|V_{ts}|} \sim 8 \text{ TeV}$$

Still only marginally!

However: Including 3rd gen. alignment in lepton sector (with small breaking): $(\bar{Q}_3 Q_3)(\bar{L}_3 L_3) \rightarrow V_{tb} V_{ts}(\bar{s}b)(\bar{\tau}\tau + \epsilon_\ell^2 \bar{u}\mu)$ see e.g. Cornella et al., 2103.16558

$$\epsilon_\ell \sim m_\mu / m_\tau$$

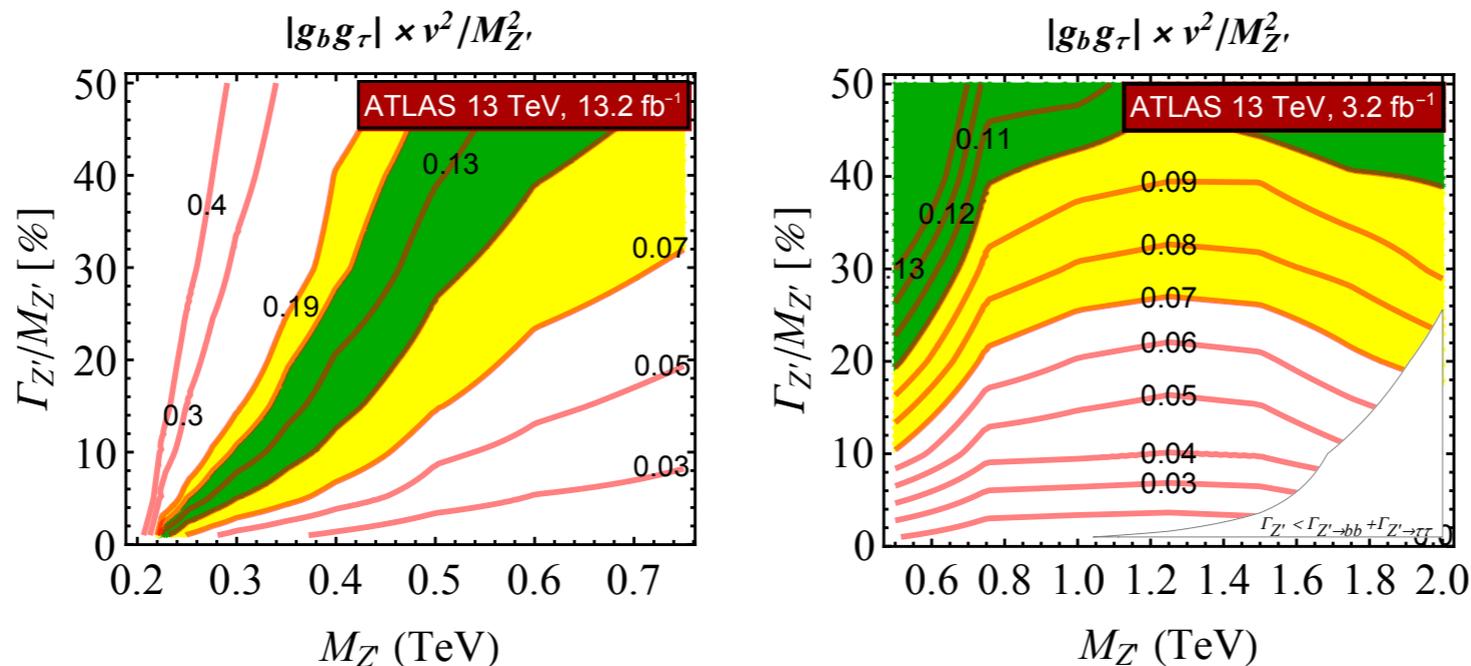
1. can fit both LFU anomalies, d.o.f.s within LHC reach!
2. important implications for $b \rightarrow s\tau^+\tau^-$

Immediate implications for LHC: $R(D^{(*)})$

Weak gauge invariance \Rightarrow neutral currents

$$(\bar{Q}_3 Q_3)(\bar{L}_3 L_3) \rightarrow V_{cb}(\bar{c}b)(\bar{\tau}\nu) + V_{tb}(\bar{t}b)(\bar{\tau}\nu) + \boxed{(\bar{b}b)(\bar{\tau}\tau)}$$

Constraints from existing $pp \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$ searches at LHC



Faroughy, Greljo & JFK, 1609.07138

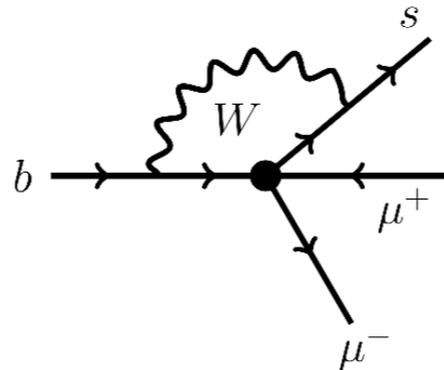
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B-anomalies without new quark flavor violation

Starting with flavor conserving non-universal (3rd gen. aligned) operators:

$$(\bar{L}_2 L_2)(\bar{U}_3 U_3) \quad (\bar{E}_2 E_2)(\bar{U}_3 U_3)$$

EW matching & RGE induce LFUV in rare FCNC B decays



Aebischer et al., 1512.02830
Faroughy et al., 1805.04917

see also
Blanger, Delaunay, & Westhoff, 1507.06660
Bauer et al., 1511.01900
Becirevic & Sumensari, 1704.05835

Effective NP scale now loop-suppressed: $\Lambda \frac{\sqrt{|V_{ts}|}}{4\pi} \sim 600 \text{ GeV}$

⇒ automatically respects 3rd gen. alignment

⇒ d.o.f.'s mediating R_K well within LHC kinematical reach

Conclusions

Low energy flavor & CP probes together with high p_T searches at LHC put strong constraints on TeV scale NP

Interesting case for 3rd generation flavor alignment

- ➔ Implications for EW hierarchy solutions (don't give up yet!)
- ➔ Coherent pattern of LFUV observables in b-hadron decays

Crucial to explore related pheno (both at low E and high p_T):

➔ $b \rightarrow q\tau\nu$ (R_π, R_Υ, \dots)

➔ $pp \rightarrow \tau X, E_T^{\text{miss}} X$

see also
Allwicher, Isidori & Selimovic, 2109.03833

Bordone et al., 2101.11626

Descotes-Genon et al., 2104.06842, 2005.03734

Angelescu et al., 2103.12504

Cornella et al., 2103.16558

Aloni et al., 1702.07356

JFK, Katz & Stolarski, 1808.00964

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➔ $b \rightarrow q\nu\nu$ ($B \rightarrow K^{(*)}\nu\bar{\nu}, \dots$)

➔ higgs decays

see talks by Greljo et al...

see talks by Soreq et al....

➔ $b \rightarrow q\tau\ell$ ($B \rightarrow K^{(*)}\tau\mu, \dots$)

➔ top quark decays, production

see talks by Worek et al...

see talks in WG3

Essential role of Belle II and future colliders (FCC-ee)

Amhis et al., 2105.13330

Charles et al., 2006.04824

Grossman & Ligeti, 2106.12168

Conclusions

More generally: Flavor studies of NP in the scope of general SMEFT are well under way

see e.g.
Descotes-Genon et al., 1812.08163
Faroughy et al., 2005.05366
Aebischer et al., 2009.07276
Kley et al., 2109.15085

Important implications for measurement interpretations as well as UV NP model building see talks by Hiller et al...

Going beyond SMEFT: NP with light new d.o.f.s (ALPs, dark photons)

see e.g.
Banerjee et al., 1705.02327
Bauer et al., 1908.00008, 2012.12272, 2102.13112
Cornella, Paradisi & Sumensari, 1911.06279
Calibbi et al., 2006.04795, 1612.08040
Galda, Neubert & Renner, 2105.01078

Flavor important/complementary probe also of light (invisible) NP

JFK & Smith 1111.6402
Dolan et al., 1412.5174
JFK & Haisch, 1601.05110
Dobrich et al., 1810.11336

Highlight possible role of **Flavor experiments as discovery machines**

see e.g.
Ilten et al., 1603.08926
Borsato et al., 2105.12668

Backup

$R_{K^{(*)}}$ without new flavor violation: a UV completion

JFK, Soreq & Zupan, 1704.06005

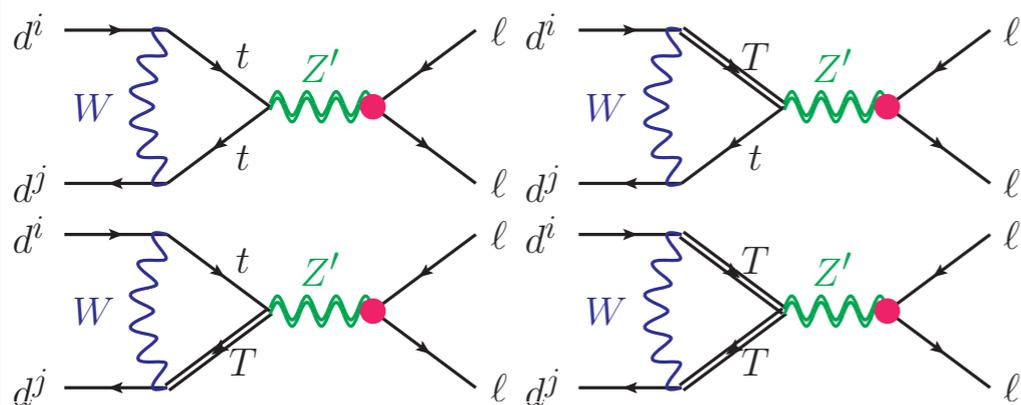
VL quark partner of right-handed top (T),

- charged under gauged $U(1)'$ (Z' , h')

- T - t_R mix after $U(1)'$ breaking - induced $U(1)'$ charge of t_R

(similar mechanism possible to induce muon $U(1)'$ charge)

R_K induced through W loops



Dominant signatures:

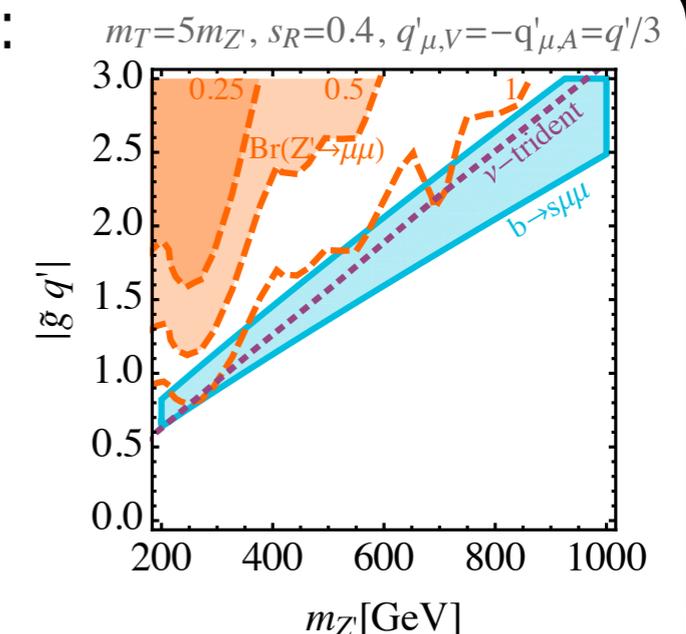
- neutrino trident

- $pp \rightarrow 4t$

Alvarez et al., 1611.05032

- $pp \rightarrow 2\mu 2t$

see also
Fox et al., 1801.03505



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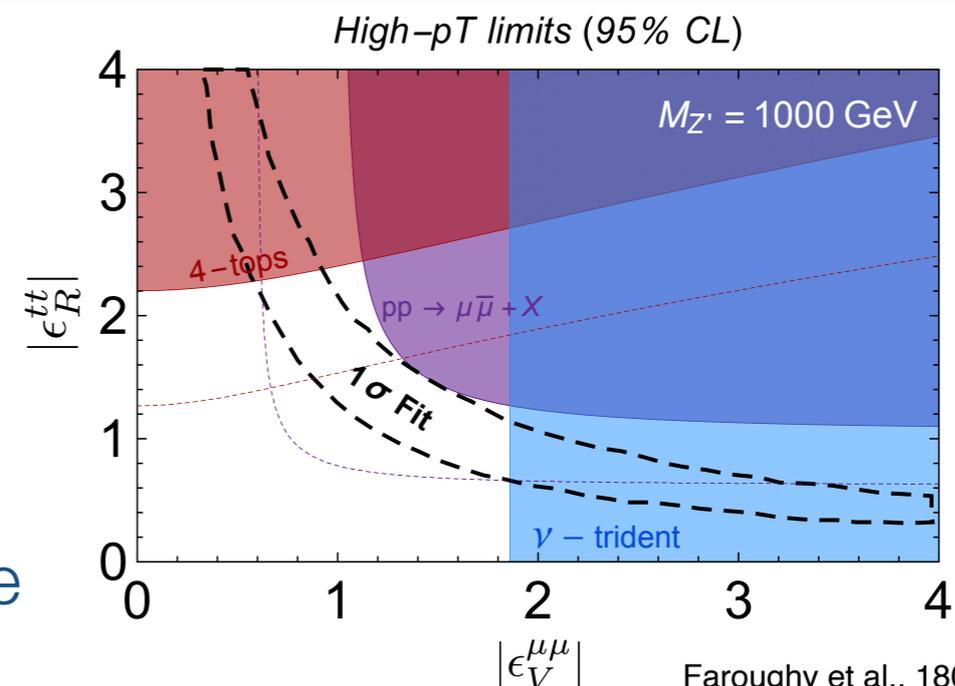
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Complementary constraints:

- Flavor (LHCb, BelleII)
- LHC top & muon production
- Low energy colliders: neutrino trident

Existing experiments should confirm/exclude



Faroughy et al., 1805.04917