

The Higgs Boson A Dissection Tool for New Physics

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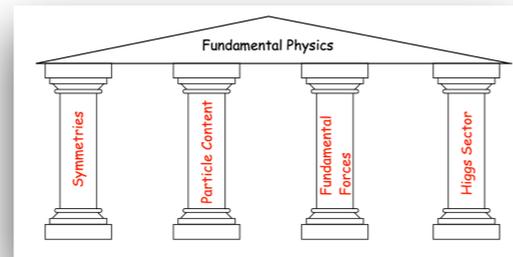


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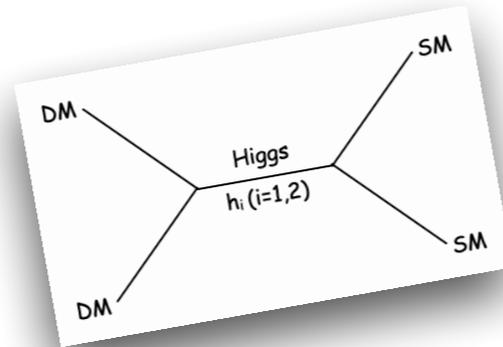
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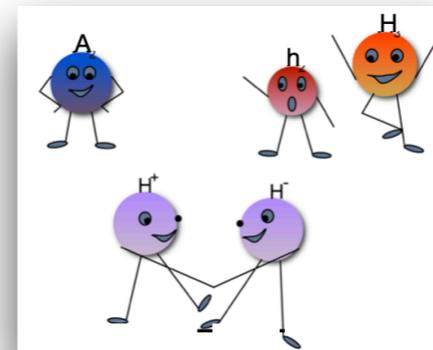
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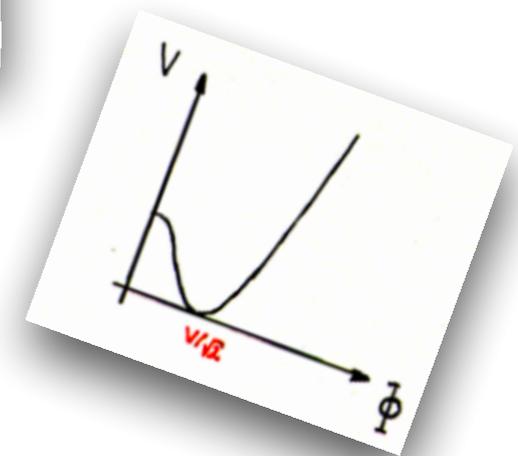
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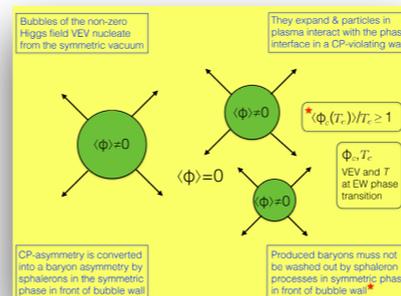
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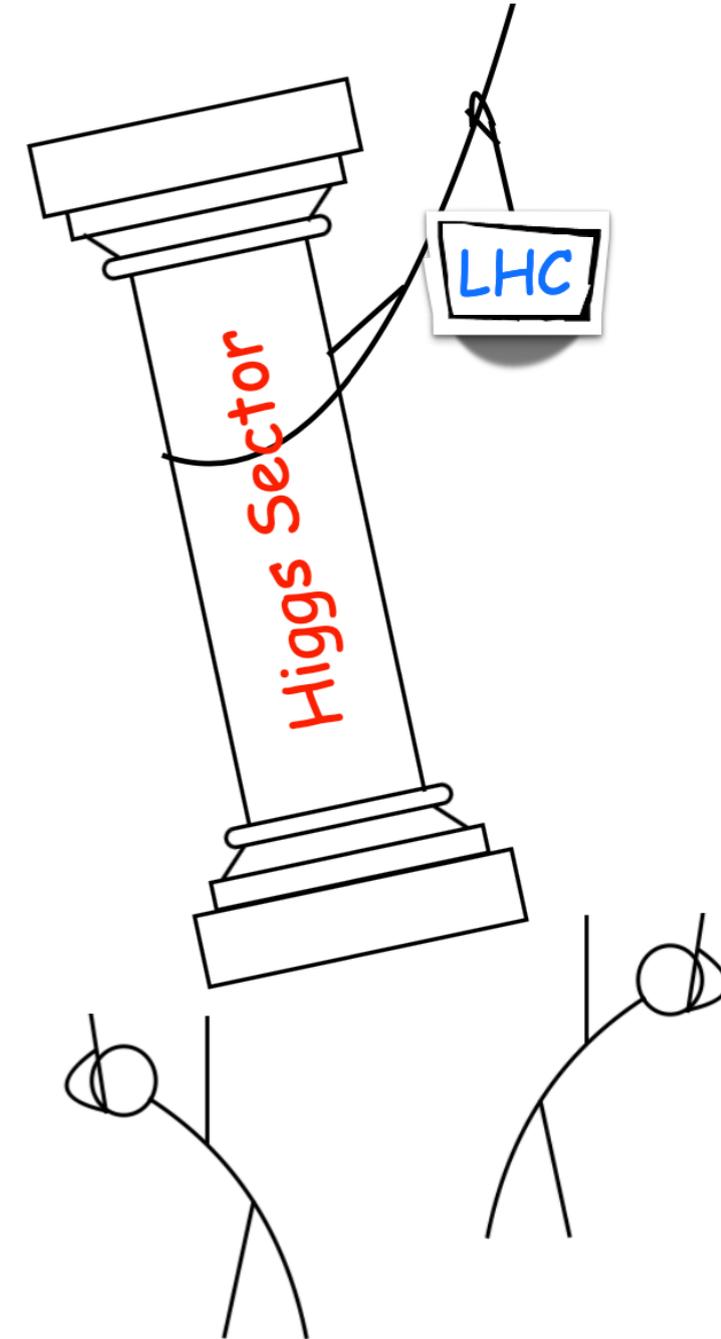
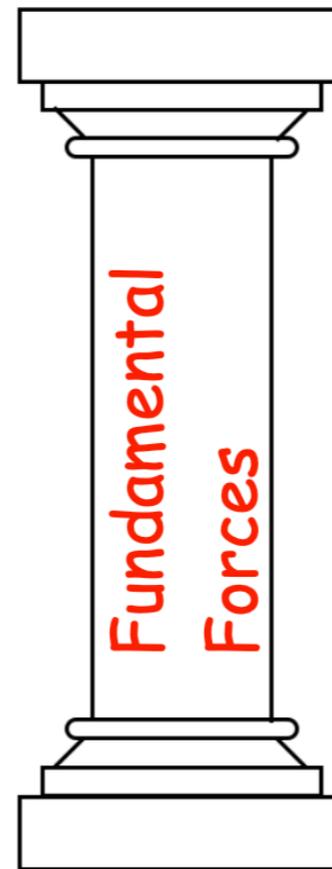
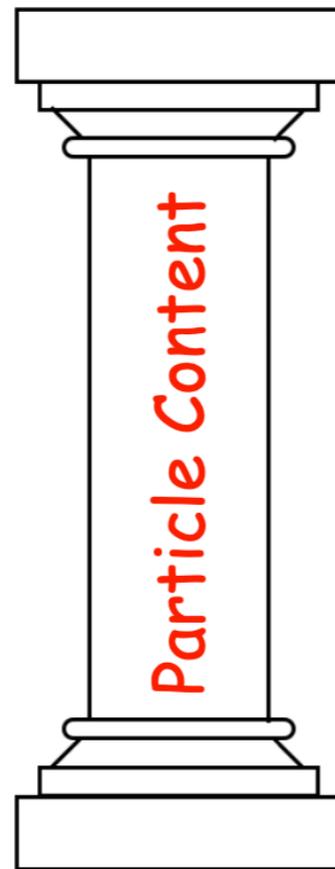
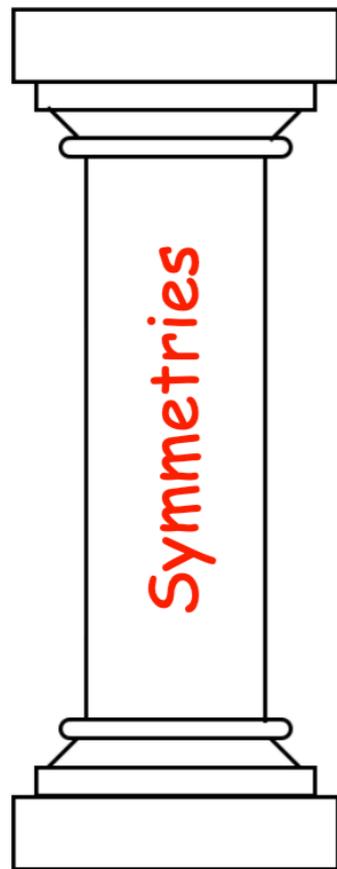
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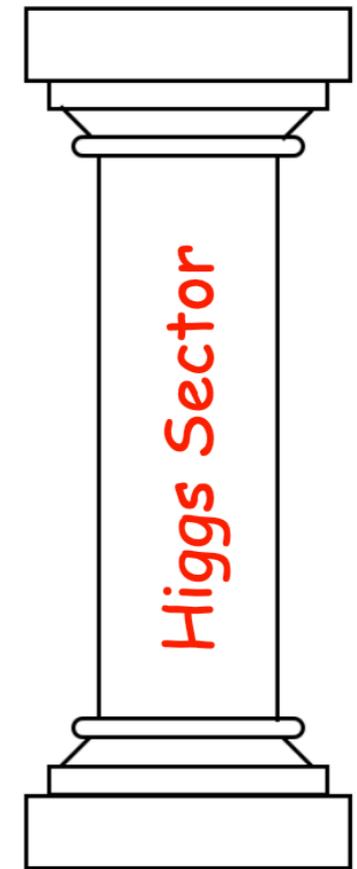
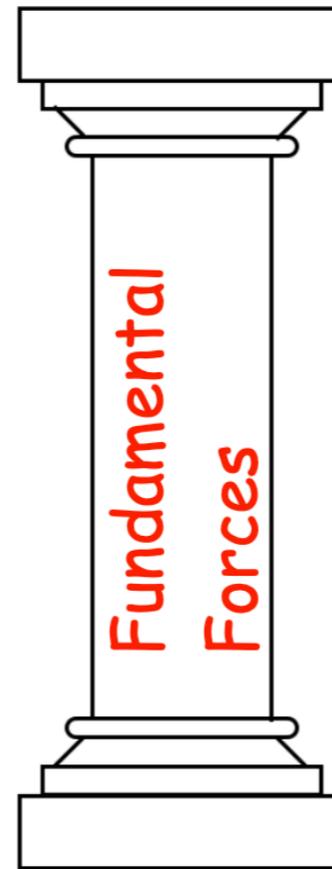
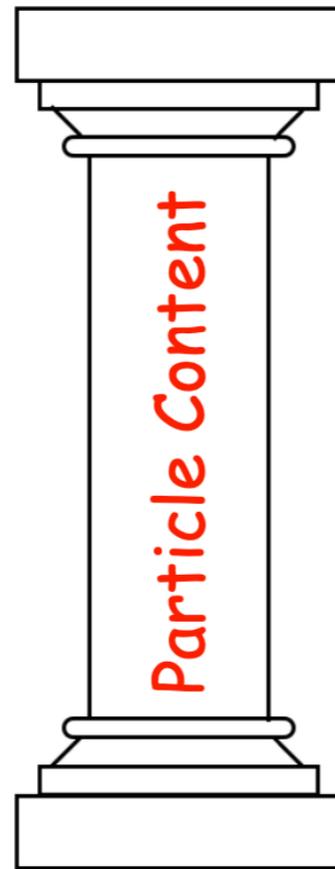
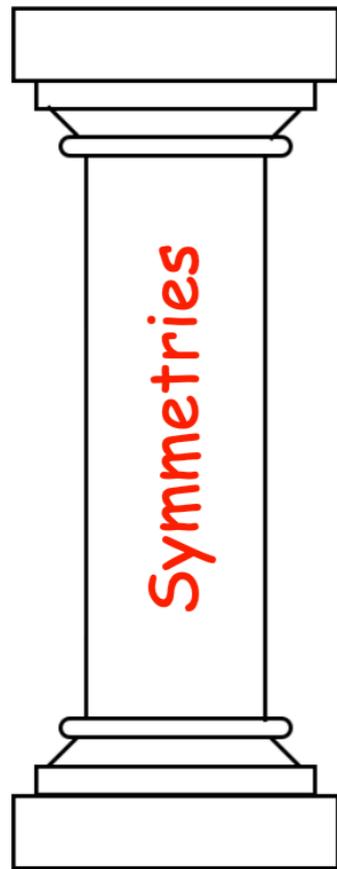
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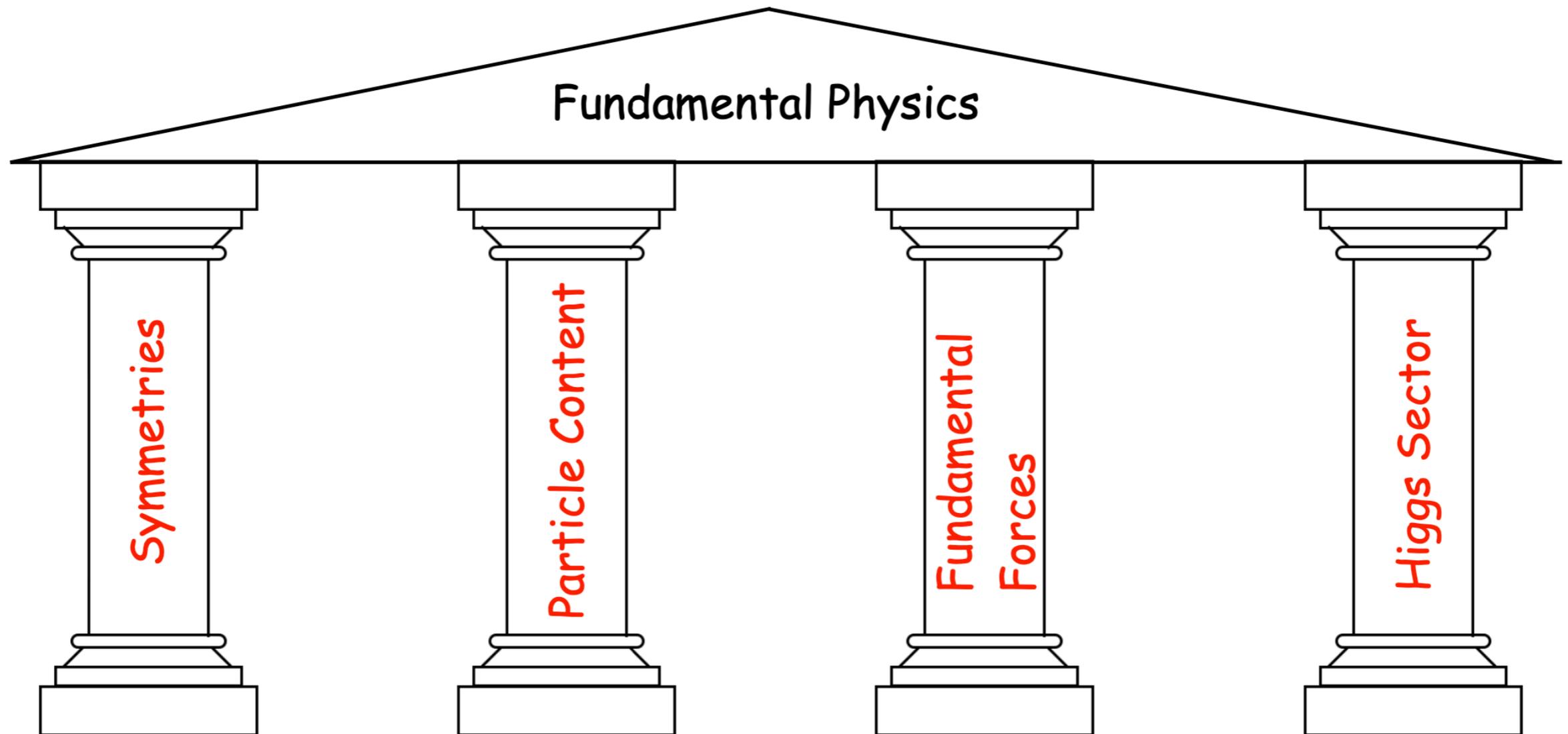
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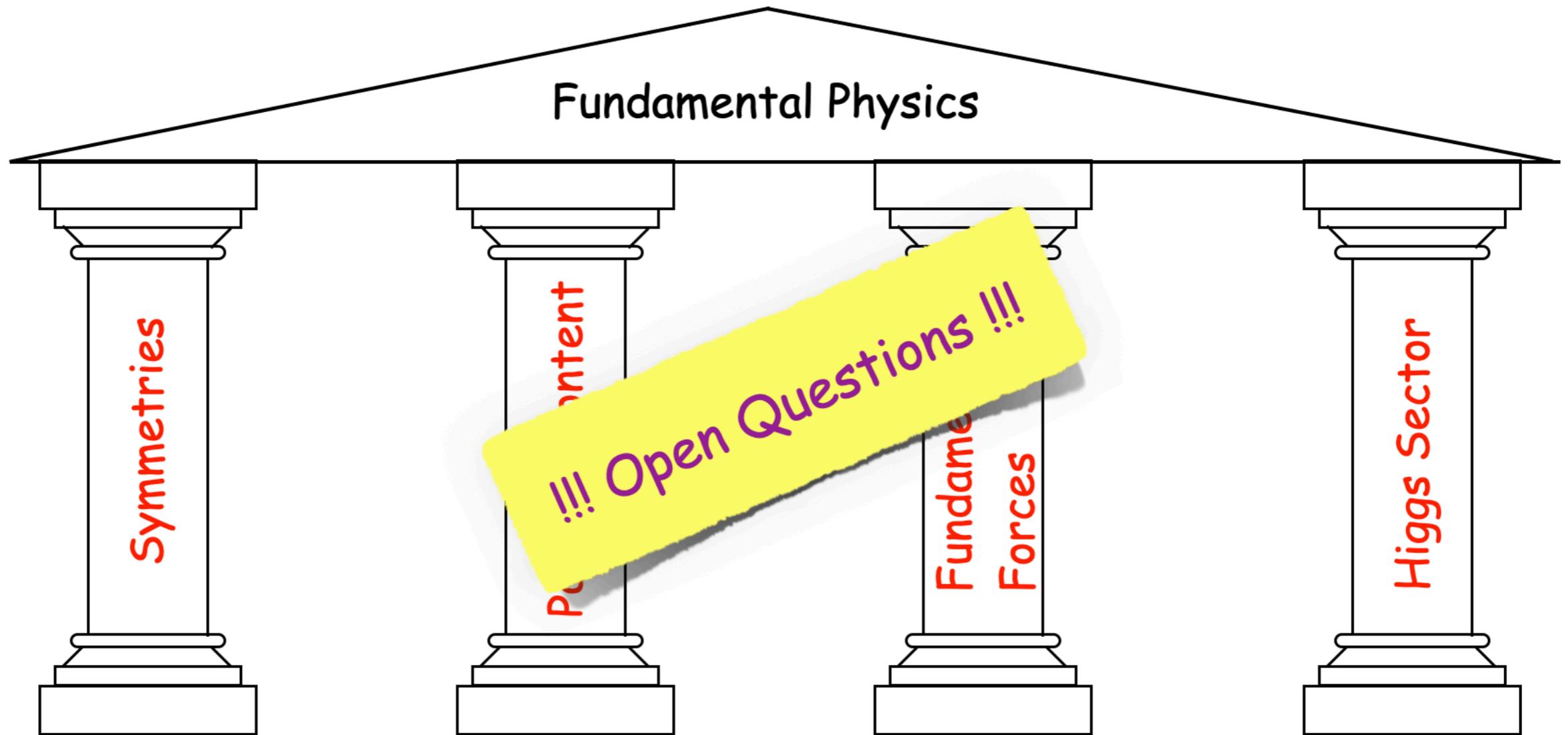
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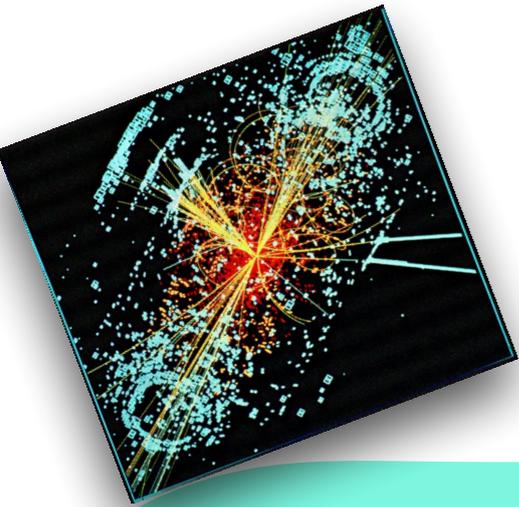
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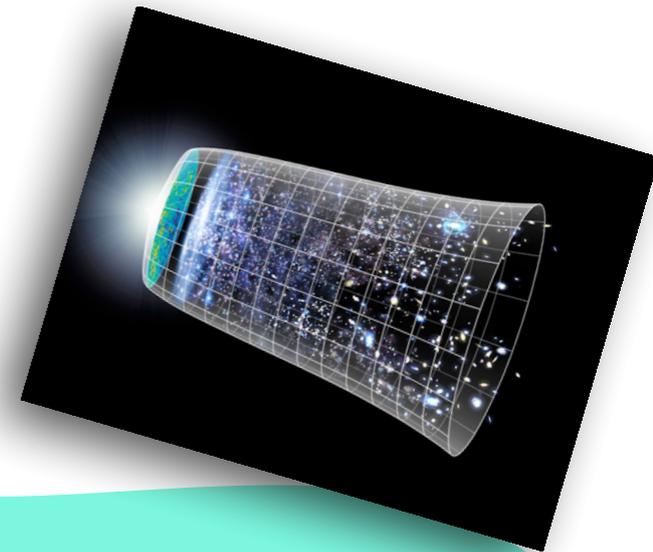


Open Questions



Particle physics

- ❖ origin of electroweak symmetry breaking
- ❖ hierarchy problem
- ❖ nature of the Higgs boson
- ❖ fermion mass and flavor puzzle
- ❖ origin of neutrino masses



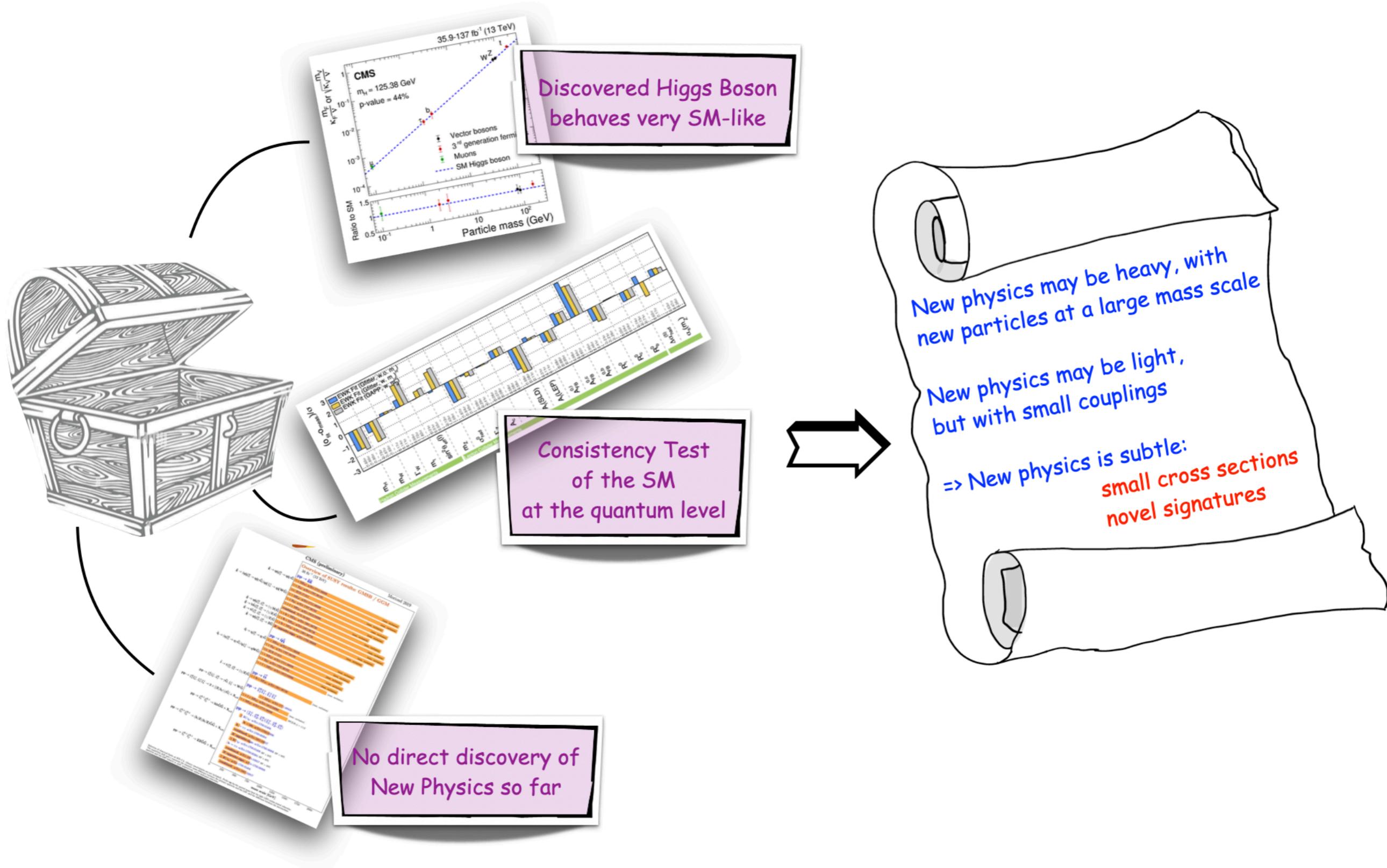
Cosmology

- ❖ nature of Dark Matter
- ❖ matter-antimatter asymmetry
- ❖ dark energy
- ❖ inflation
- ❖ how to incorporate gravity

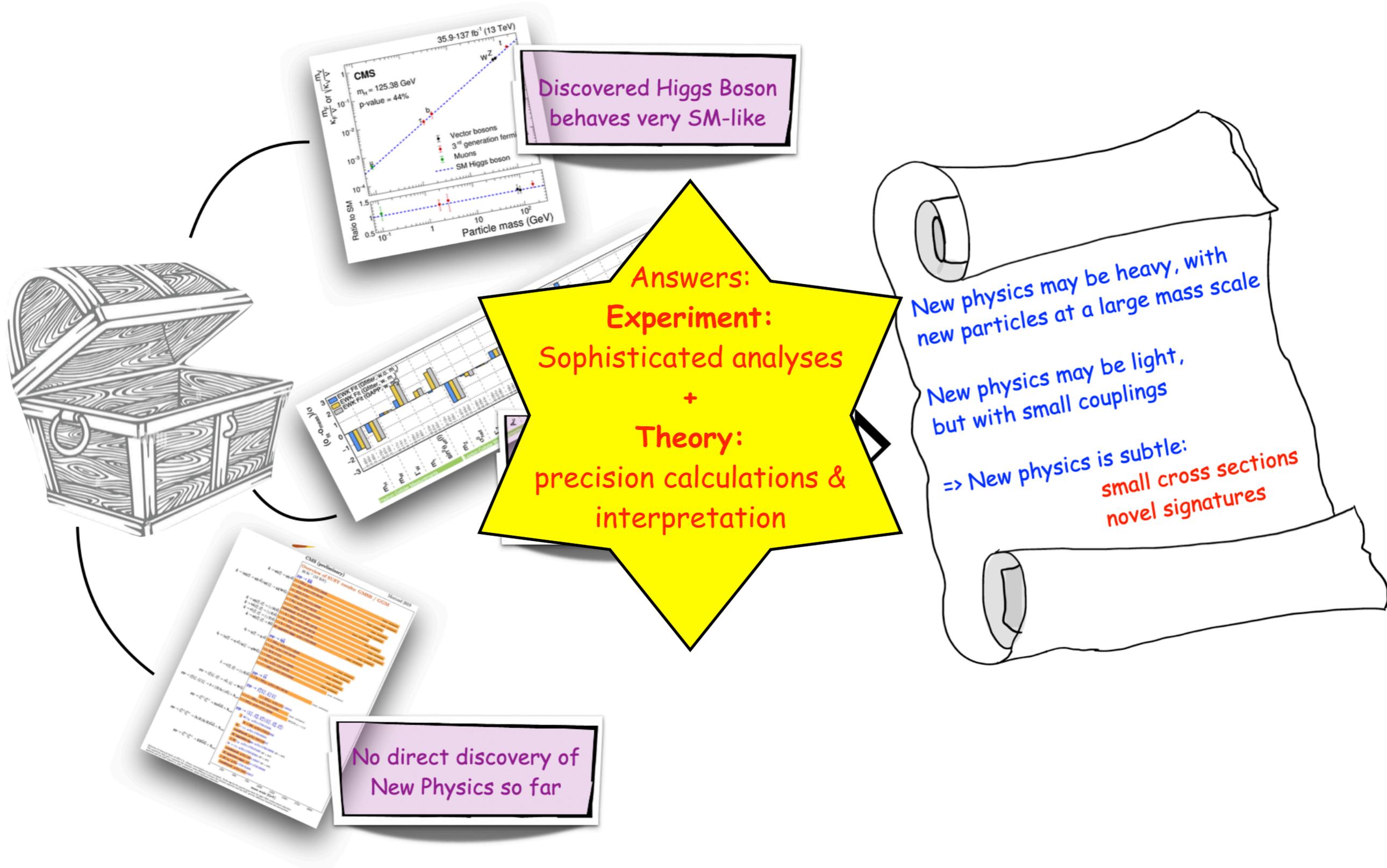
Decipherment of fundamental laws of nature:
judicious combination of
theoretical methods/interpretation
and experimental input/scrutiny

New physics is required, but there is no clear indication at which energy scale

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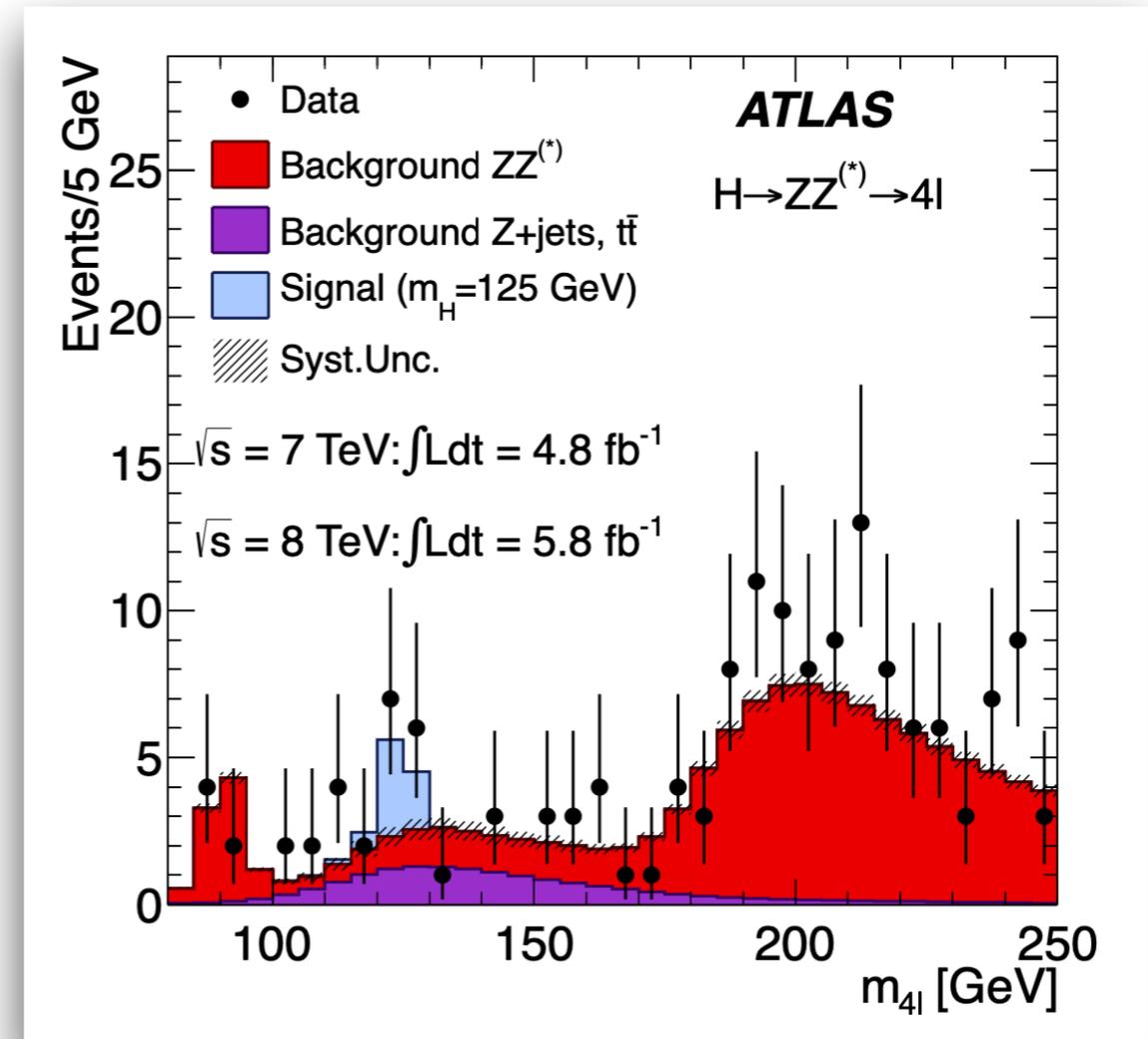
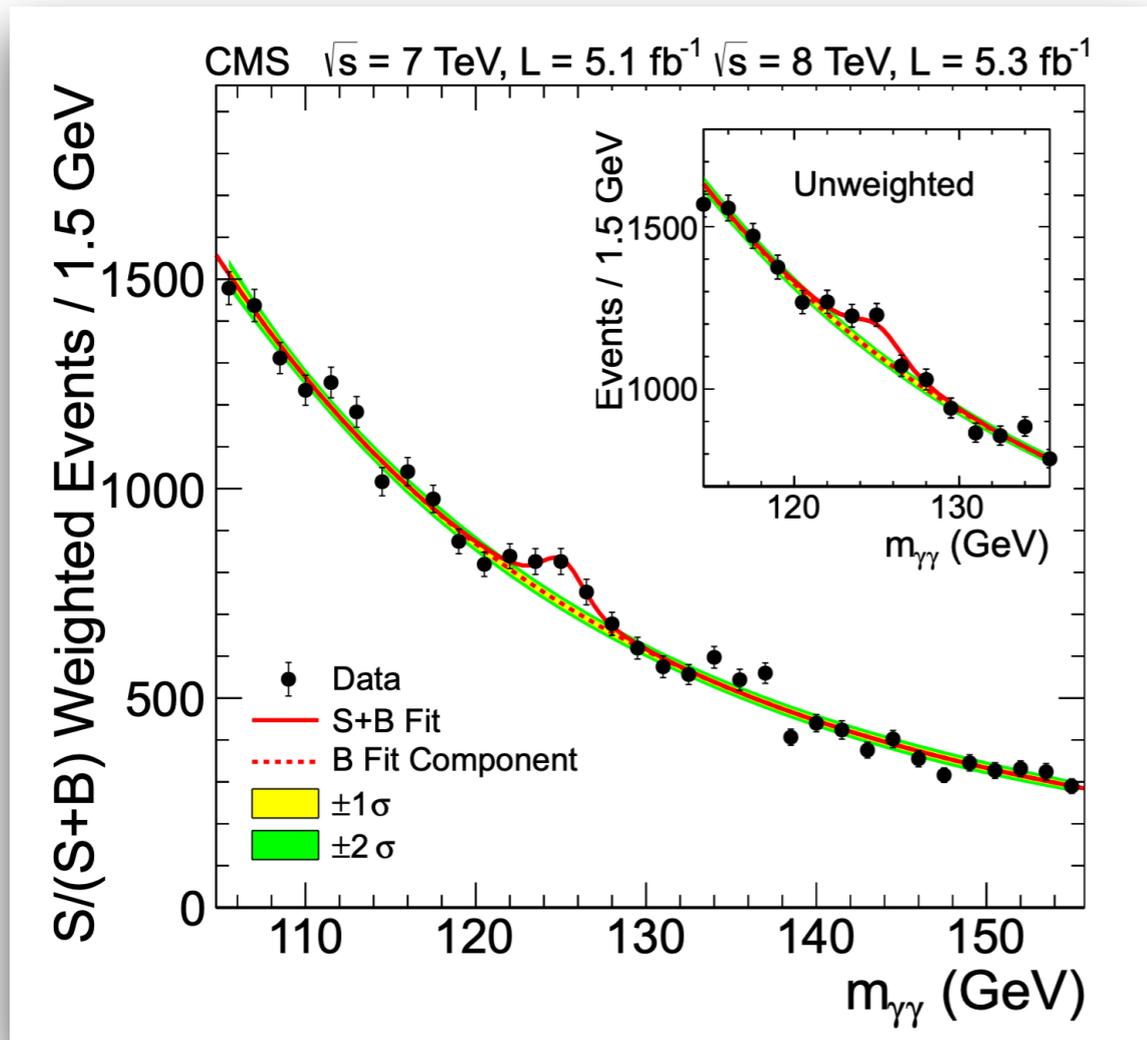
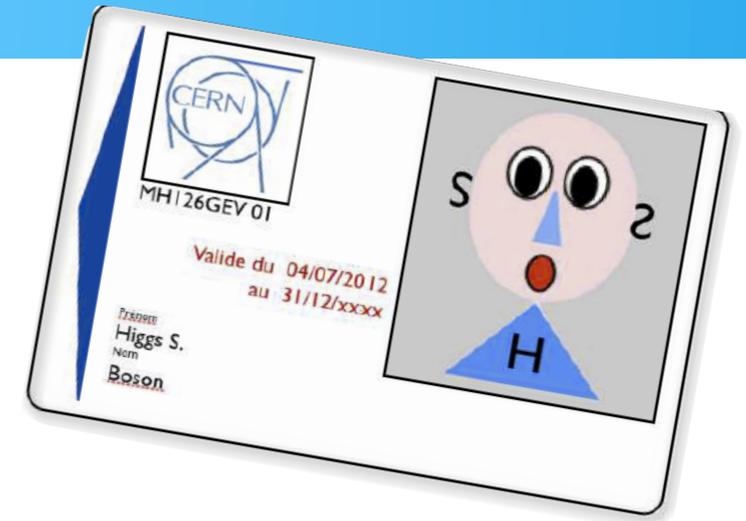
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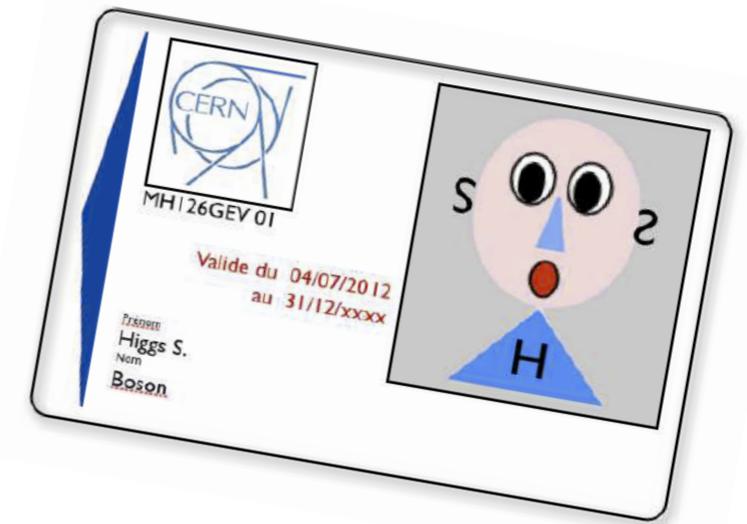
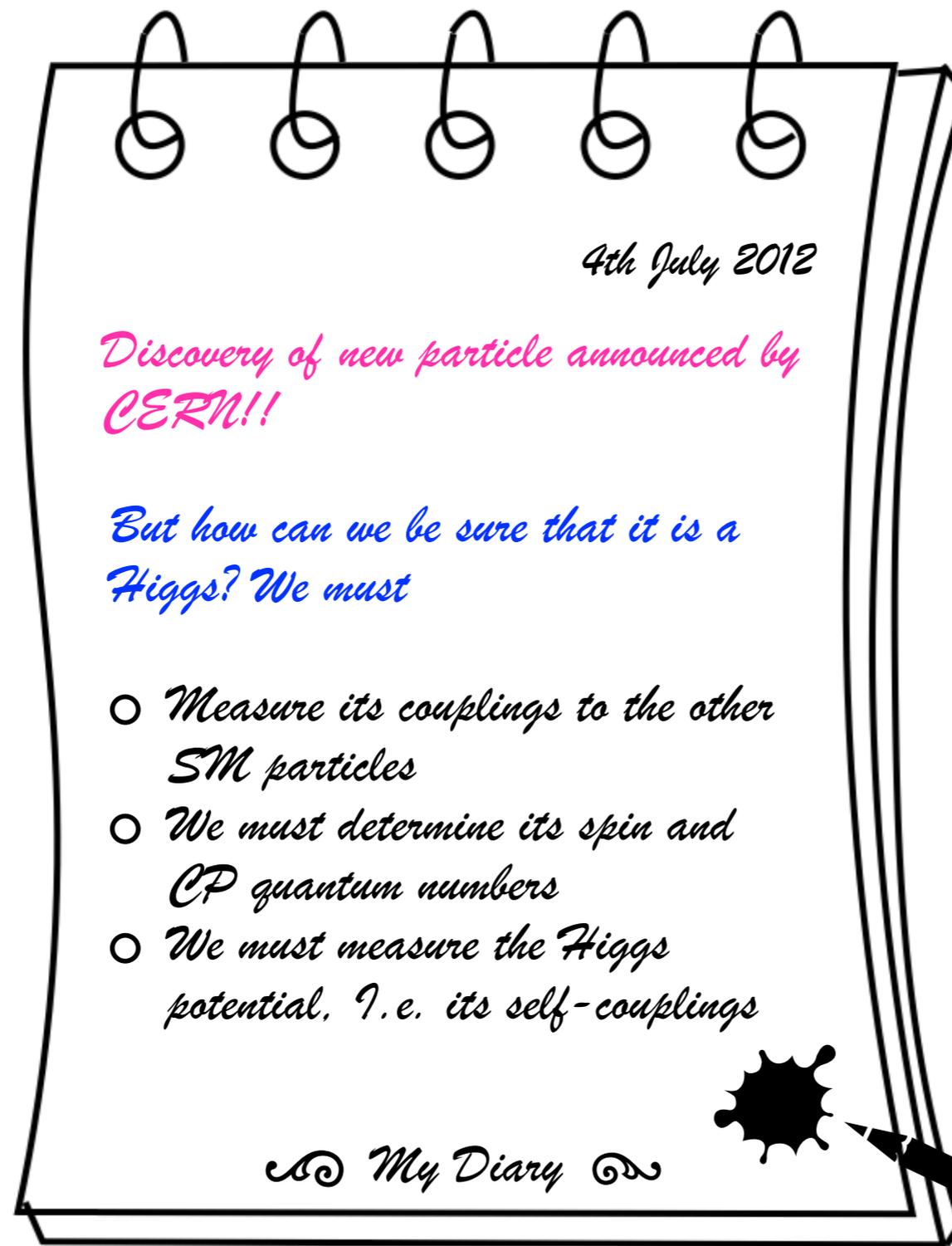
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♦ Discovery of the Higgs boson at LHC on 4 July 2012

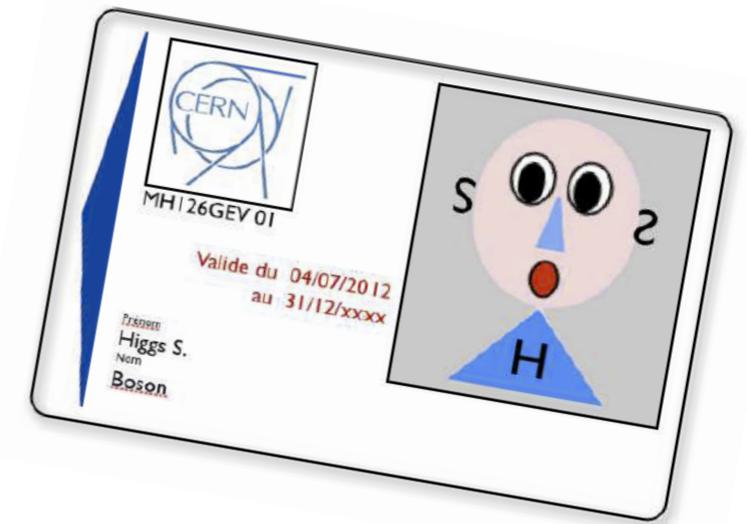
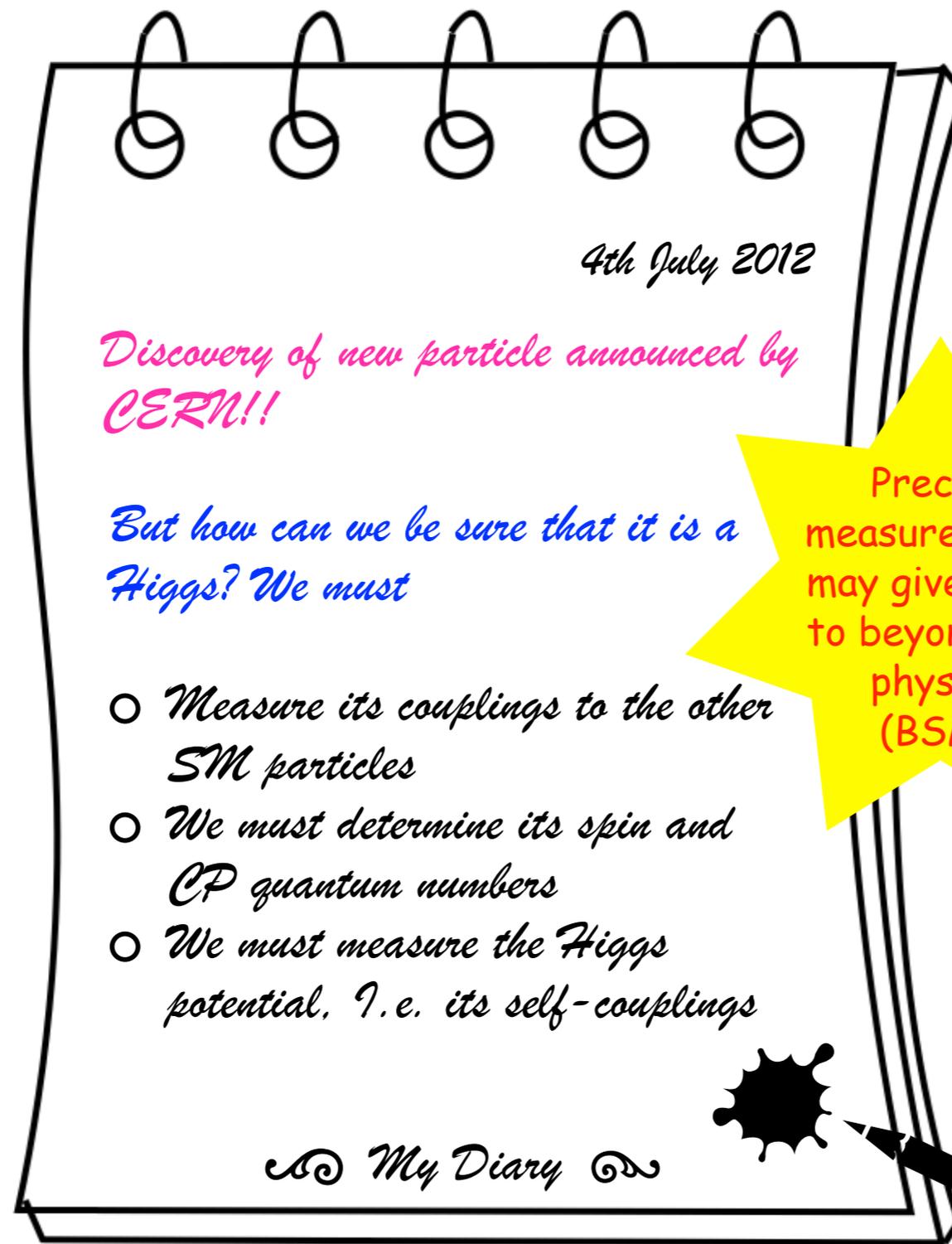
Is it the Higgs boson?



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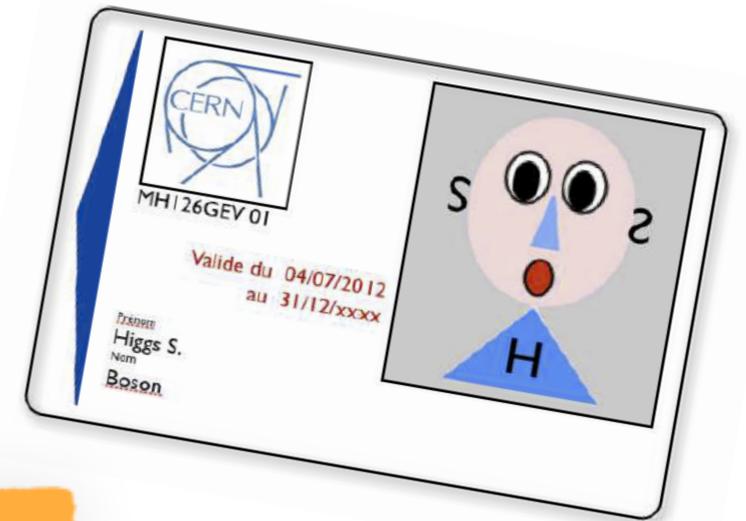


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- anomalous Higgs gauge couplings
- CP violation

- ⇒ New Physics & DM
- ⇒ Baryogenesis

- coupling relations $g_X \sim m_X^{(2)}$

- ⇒ Establish Higgs mechanism

- Higgs mass
- Higgs self-interaction
- vacuum structure
- CP violation
- portal to hidden sector

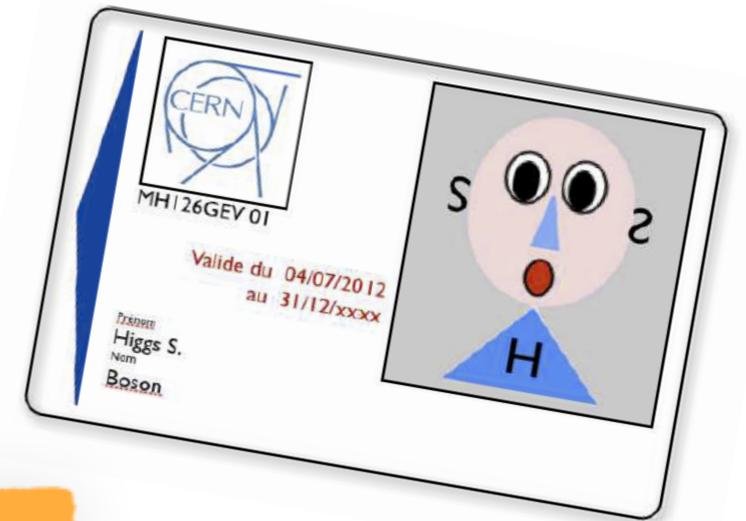
- ⇒ Self-consistency SM
- ⇒ Ultimate test Higgs mechanism
- ⇒ Vacuum stability
- ⇒ New Physics&DM
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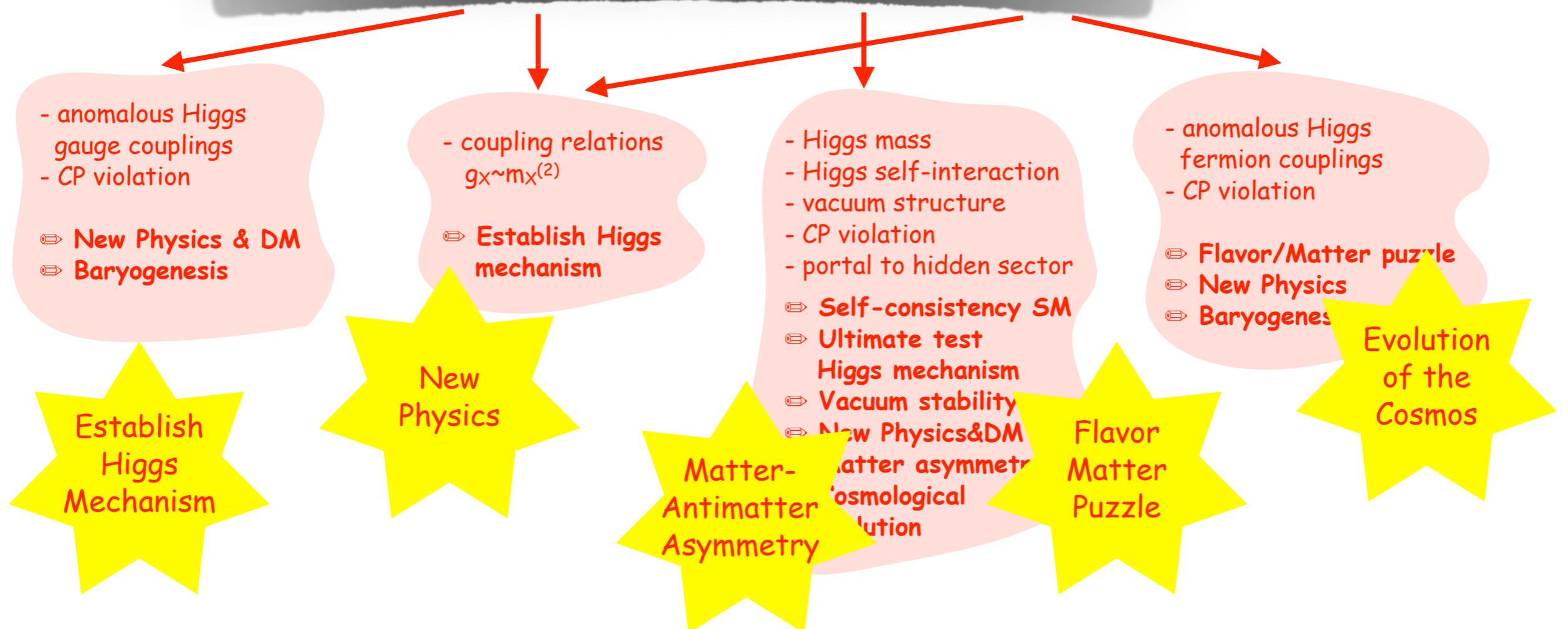
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Vast New Physics Landscape

Special Offer: BSM Models

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ν NMSSM

Leptoquarks

3HDM

Favor Violation

WIMPS

Dark Matter

Composite Higgs

Axion-like particles

C2HDM

NMSSM

Sterile neutrino

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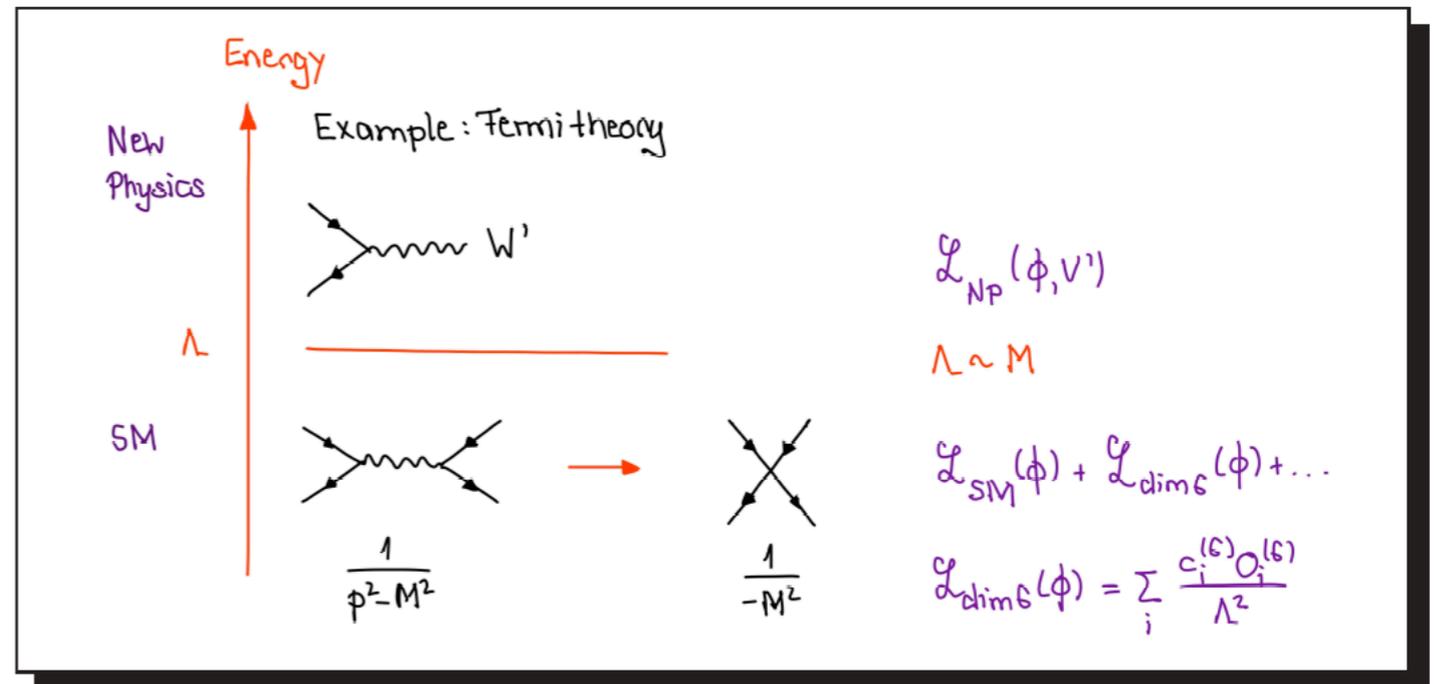
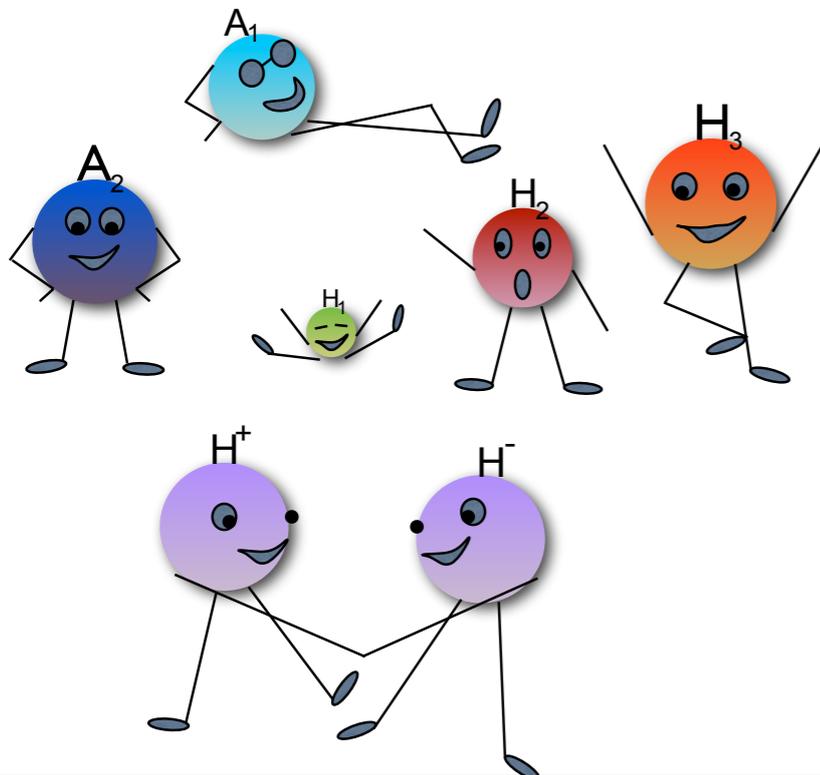
Extended Higgs Sectors

Why extended Higgs sectors?

- * many new physics models require extended Higgs models ← supersymmetry!
- * fermion/gauge sectors not minimal - why should the Higgs sector be minimal?
- * extended Higgs sectors:
alleviate metastability, DM candidate, additional sources of CP-violation ← baryogenesis

How systemize approach not to miss any new physics sign?

- * effective theory (rather model-independent, new physics effects at high energy scales)
- * specific well-motivated UV-complete models

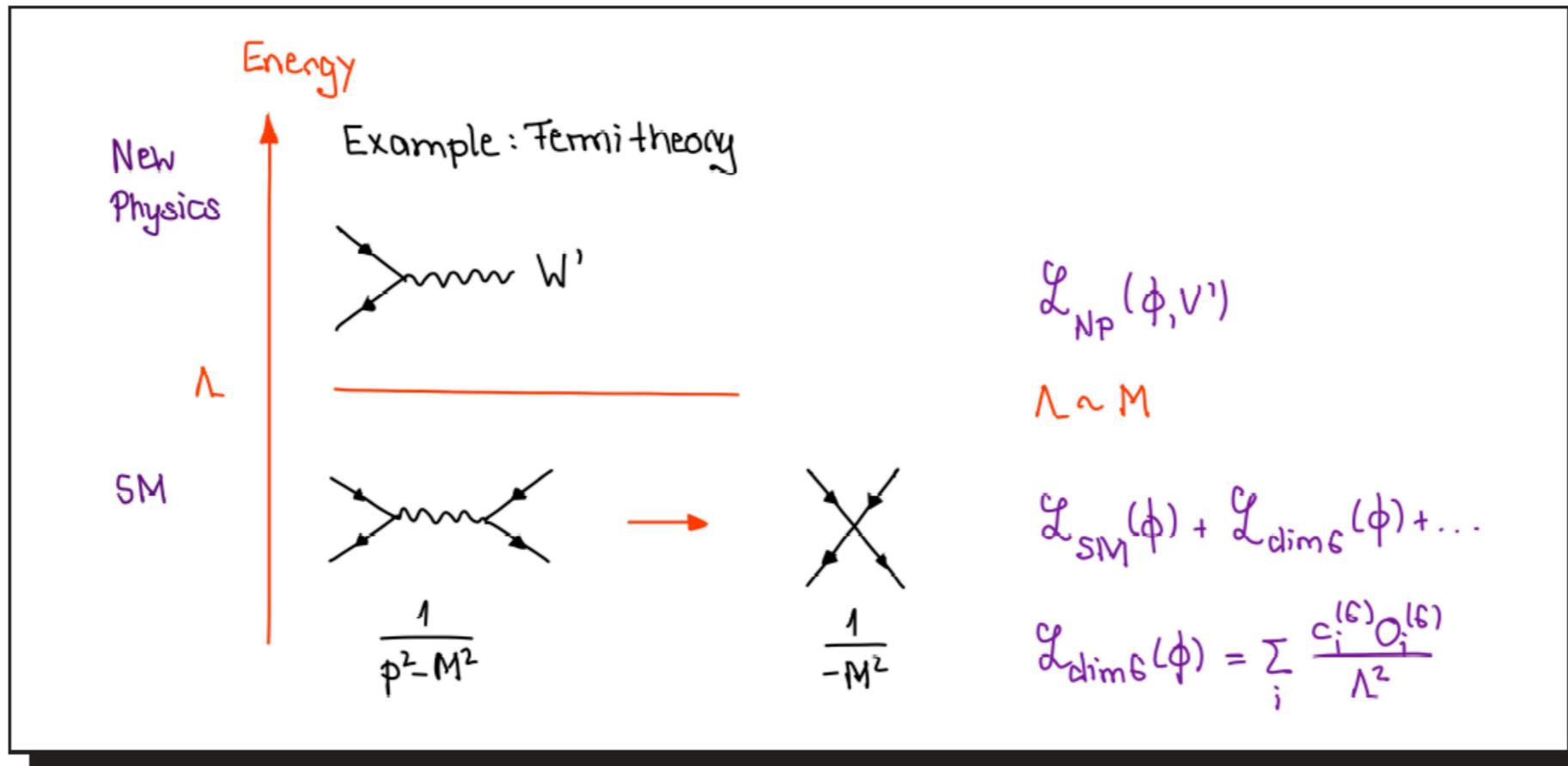


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- ◆ **New interactions of SM particles:** Higgs part of a doublet field (EWSB linearly realized) \leadsto leading new physics (NP) effects described by D=6 operators

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{eff}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \sum_i \frac{C_i^{(6)} O_i^{(6)}}{\Lambda^2} + \mathcal{O}(\Lambda^{-4})$$

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- * EWSB linearly realized: Higgs boson part of a weak doublet¹
- * Additional expansion in $g_*v/\Lambda \ll 1$ (g_* typical coupling of the NP sector)

◆ EW Chiral Lagrangian (EWChL):

[Contino eal; Azatov eal; Alonso eal;
Brivio eal; Elias-Miró eal; Buchada eal]

- * EWSB non-linearly realized: Higgs treated as singlet
- * Chiral expansion

cf. e.g. [Contino,1005.4269]

- ¹ Widely discussed benchmark model is **composite Higgs**: bound state from strongly interacting sector, Higgs emerges as pseudo Nambu-Goldstone boson of an enlarged global symmetry
For a composite 2HDM, cf.

[deCurtis eal,'18; deCurtis,delleRose,Egle,Moretti,MM,Sakurai,'23]

Global SMEFT Fit

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X^3		φ^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_φ	$(\varphi^\dagger \varphi)^3$	$Q_{e\varphi}$	$(\varphi^\dagger \varphi)(\bar{l}_p e_r \varphi)$
$Q_{\tilde{G}}$	$f^{ABC} \tilde{G}_\mu^{A\nu} G_\nu^{B\rho} G_\rho^{C\mu}$	$Q_{\varphi\Box}$	$(\varphi^\dagger \varphi)\Box(\varphi^\dagger \varphi)$	$Q_{u\varphi}$	$(\varphi^\dagger \varphi)(\bar{q}_p u_r \tilde{\varphi})$
Q_W	$\varepsilon^{IJK} W_\mu^{I\nu} W_\nu^{J\rho} W_\rho^{K\mu}$	$Q_{\varphi D}$	$(\varphi^\dagger D^\mu \varphi)^* (\varphi^\dagger D_\mu \varphi)$	$Q_{d\varphi}$	$(\varphi^\dagger \varphi)(\bar{q}_p d_r \varphi)$
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$X^2 \varphi^2$		$\psi^2 X \varphi$		$\psi^2 \varphi^2 D$	
$Q_{\varphi G}$	$\varphi^\dagger \varphi G_{\mu\nu}^A G^{A\mu\nu}$	Q_{eW}	$(\bar{l}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_r) \tau^I \varphi W_{\mu\nu}^I$	$Q_{\varphi l}^{(1)}$	$(\varphi^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu \varphi)(\bar{l}_p \gamma^\mu l_r)$
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$Q_{\varphi \tilde{W}B}$	$\varphi^\dagger \tau^I \varphi \tilde{W}_{\mu\nu}^I B^{\mu\nu}$	Q_{dB}	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} d_r) \varphi B_{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{\varphi ud}$	$i(\varphi^\dagger D_\mu \varphi)(\bar{u}_p \gamma^\mu d_r)$

$(\bar{L}L)(\bar{L}L)$		$(\bar{R}R)(\bar{R}R)$		$(\bar{L}L)(\bar{R}R)$	
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Q_{ledq}	$(\bar{l}_p^j e_r)(\bar{d}_s q_t^j)$	Q_{duq}	$\varepsilon^{\alpha\beta\gamma} \varepsilon_{jk} [(d_p^\alpha)^T C u_r^\beta] [(q_s^\gamma)^T C l_t^k]$		
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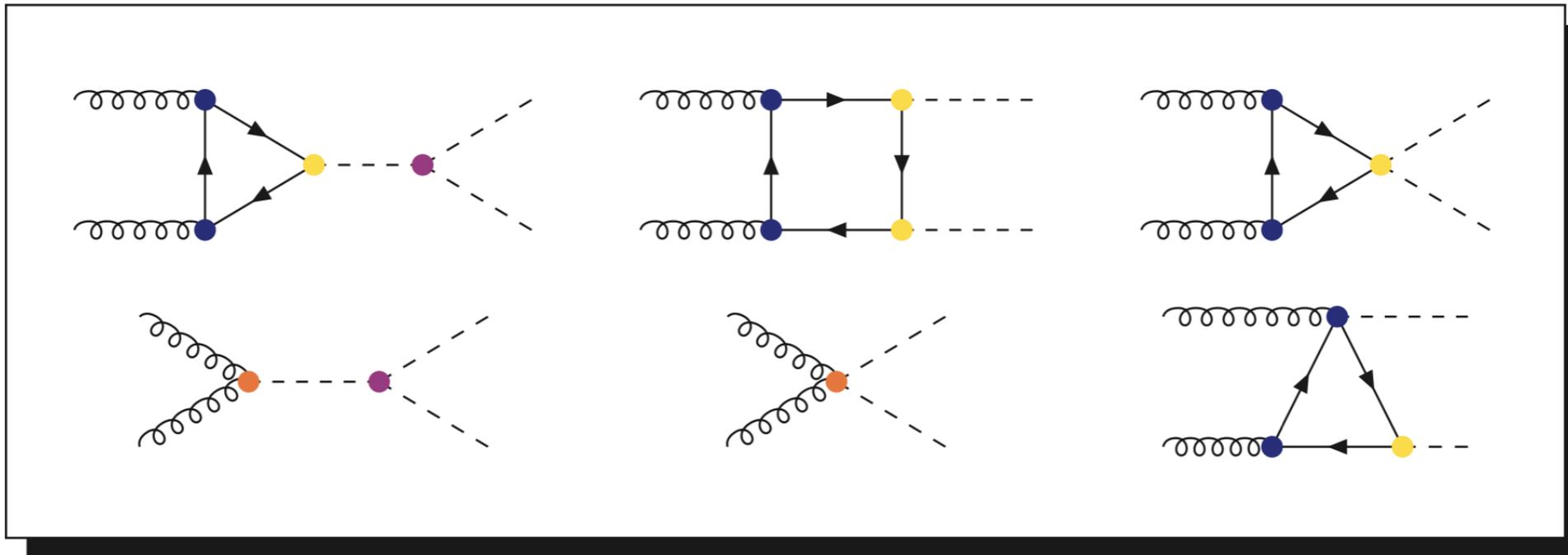
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- * Global fit: complicated parameter space w/ many degenerate/flat directions and local minima ~>

◆ Practical approach - reduce number of operators by:

- * Symmetry assumptions, e.g. flavor, CP conservation
- * focus on subsectors: Higgs, electroweak, top, Higgs-electroweak, top-Higgs, ...:
 - ◇ include only operators relevant to the considered particle(s)/processes
 - ◇ assume other operators well constrained from different processes
 - ◇ note: not always justified!

Example EFT Operators Contributing to Higgs Pair Production



\mathcal{O}_H	$= \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu(\phi^\dagger\phi))^2$	\longrightarrow	overall shift of couplings
\mathcal{O}_6	$= -(\phi^\dagger\phi)^3$	\longrightarrow	shifts Higgs self-coupling
$\mathcal{O}_{t\phi}$	$= (\phi^\dagger\phi)(\bar{Q}\tilde{\phi}t) + h.c.$	\longrightarrow	shifts top Yukawa coupling; $t\bar{t}HH$
$\mathcal{O}_{\phi G}$	$= (\phi^\dagger\phi)G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu}$	\longrightarrow	pointlike Higgs to gluon couplings
\mathcal{O}_{tG}	$= (\bar{Q}\sigma^{\mu\nu}T^a t)\phi G_{\mu\nu}^a + h.c.$	\longrightarrow	chromomagnetic dipole operator

Specific UV-Complete New Physics Models

Investigations of specific UV-complete models:

- * Indisponible: complement EFT approach
- * EFT approach cannot capture new physics effects due to new light particles

Guidelines for model selection

- * simplicity
- * compatibility with relevant experimental and theoretical constraints
- * solve (some of the) flaws of the SM
- * testable in experiment



Validity of the models: they have comply with

- * experimental constraints
- * theoretical constraints

Experimental Constraints on Extended Higgs Sectors

⇒ Electroweak rho parameter very close to 1: $\rho = \frac{M_W^2}{M_Z^2 \cos^2 \theta_W} \approx 1$ (in SM automatically fulfilled)

* model with n scalar multiplets ϕ_i with weak isospin I_i , weak hypercharge Y_i and VEVs v_i of the neutral components: rho parameter at tree level

$$\rho = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n [I_i(I_i + 1) - \frac{1}{4}Y_i^2]v_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{2}Y_i^2 v_i}$$

* SU(2) singlets with $Y = 0$ and SU(2) doublets with $Y = \pm 1$ satisfy

$$I(I + 1) = \frac{3}{4}Y^2$$

and hence $\rho = 1$

⇒ Flavor-changing neutral currents (FCNCs): very stringent constraints from experiment
solution for multi-Higgs models: apply symmetries such that all right-handed fermions of a given electric charge couple to exactly one Higgs doublet (cf. e.g. (N)2HDM type I...IV); minimal flavor violation (flavor violation only arises from CKM matrix)

Experimental Constraints on Extended Higgs Sectors

Further constraints:

* Electroweak precision tests (EWPTs): Peskin-Takeuchi resp. S, T, U parameters parametrize potential NP contributions to EW radiative corrections; S, T, U are zero for SM ref. point; assumptions:

- EW gauge group is $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \leadsto$ no additional gauge bosons beyond Z, W^\pm, γ , e.g. no Z'
- New physics couplings from light fermions are suppressed \leadsto only oblique corrections (= vacuum polarization), no box and vertex corrections need to be considered
- NP energy scale is large compared to the EW scale \leadsto expansion in q^2/M^2 , M = NP scale

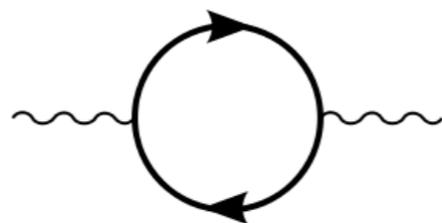
\Rightarrow parametrization in terms of **four vacuum polarization functions**: self-energies of the Z, W^\pm, γ and mixing between Z and γ induced by loop diagrams

$$\Pi_{\gamma\gamma}(q^2) = q^2 \Pi'_{\gamma\gamma}(0) + \dots$$

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$$\alpha S = 4s_w^2 c_w^2 \left[\Pi'_{ZZ}(0) - \frac{c_w^2 - s_w^2}{s_w c_w} \Pi'_{Z\gamma}(0) - \Pi'_{\gamma\gamma}(0) \right]$$

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Experimental Constraints on Extended Higgs Sectors

➤ Further constraints:

* Electroweak precision tests S, T, U parameters

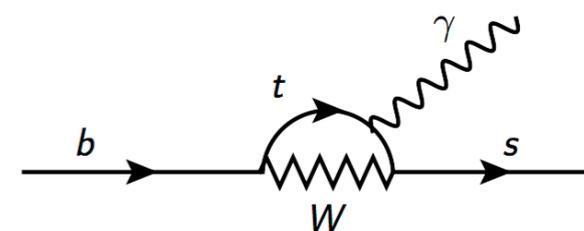
- **S parameter:** measures difference between left-handed & right-handed fermions w/ weak isospin \sim tightly constrains number of new fourth-generation chiral fermions
- **T parameter:** measures isospin violation (\leftarrow sensitive to loop corrections to Z and W vacuum polarization)
- **S and T parameter:** affected by varying the Higgs boson mass
Before discovery: mass of Higgs boson constrained by EWPTs to lie within close to LEP lower bound (114 GeV) and 200 GeV.
- **U parameter:** not very useful in practice, parametrizes dim-8 effects

* Flavour constraints: NP effects to flavor observables from loop corrections

- **Example:** $B \rightarrow X_s \gamma$ receives NP contributions from H^\pm exchange; sets lower bound of about 800 GeV on m_{H^\pm} in the 2HDM type II

[Deschamps eal,'09; Mahmoudi, Stal,'09; Hermann eal,'12; Misiak eal,'15; Misiak, Steihauser,'17; Misiak, Rehman, Steihauser,'20]

SM diagram:



Experimental Constraints on Extended Higgs Sectors

➤ Further constraints:

* Higgs data:

- one of the Higgs bosons must have a mass of 125 GeV and behave very SM-like, i.e. comply with LHC Higgs data
- remaining Higgs bosons have to comply with LHC exclusion limits from searches for additional Higgs bosons

* Direct searches for new particles predicted by the model:

- model has to respect exclusion limits on these particles (e.g. lower bounds on stop or gluino masses in supersymmetric models)

* Low-energy observables like the anomalous magnetic moment

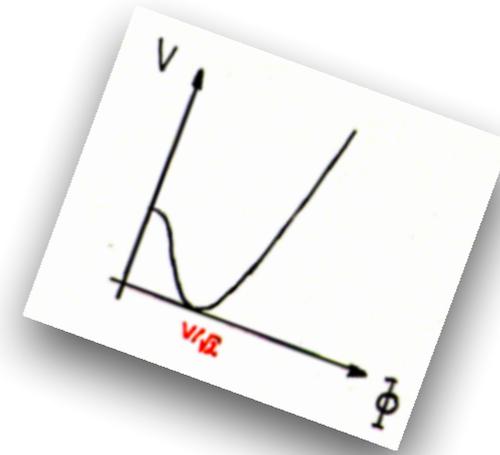
* Electric Dipole Moment (EDM) constraints: stringent constraints on CP violation in CP-violating models

* Dark Matter (DM) observables (relic density, direct and indirect detection limits): constrains models w/ DM candidate

Theory Constraints on Extended Higgs Sectors

⇒ **Theory constraints:** (will be discussed in detail below)

- * Higgs potential bounded from below
- * EW vacuum with $v=246$ GeV is the global minimum
- * Perturbative unitarity



Parameter Scans of the Models

Parameter scans w/ constraints:
Reduction of the parameter space
to the still allowed parameter space
~> sharpens predictions of the models

➤ Parameter scans performed with ScannerS: [Coimbra,Sampaio,Santos;MM,Sampaio,Santos,Wittbrodt]

ScannerS: Tool for performing scans in models with extended Higgs sectors
checking for the theoretical and experimental constraints

- link to HiggsTools to check for Higgs constraints

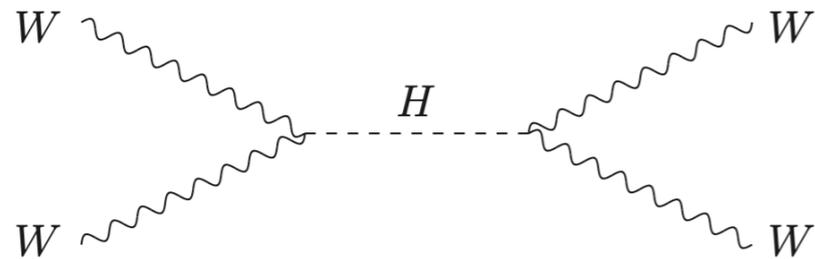
[Bahl,Biekötter,Bechtle,Heinemeyer,Li,Paasch,Weiglein,Wittbrodt]

- link to MicrOMEGAS to check for Dark Matter constraints

[Bélanger,Boudjema,Pukhov et al]

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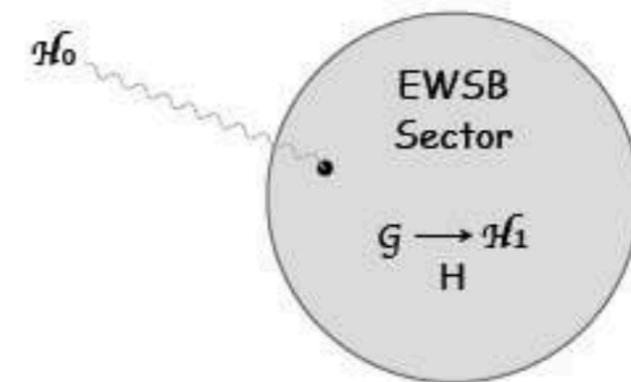
Weakly coupled models



SM and its singlet, doublet, triplet extensions, SUSY

New particles necessary to stabilize the Higgs mass

Strongly-interacting dynamics

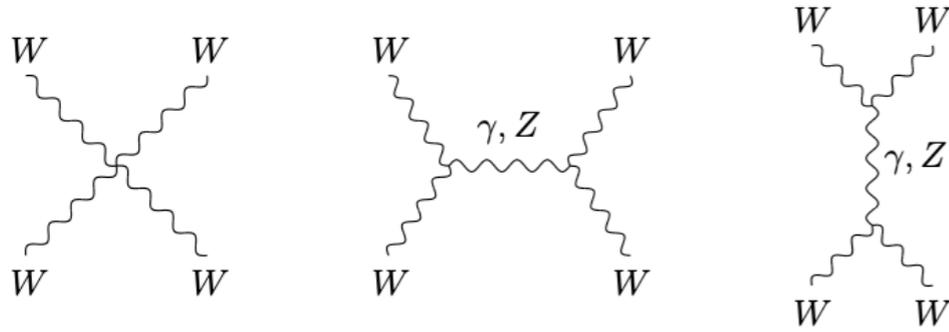


Composite Higgs Models

Resonances for unitarity
Higgs boson composite object

Weakly or Strongly Interacting Higgs?

Scattering of longitudinally polarized W bosons



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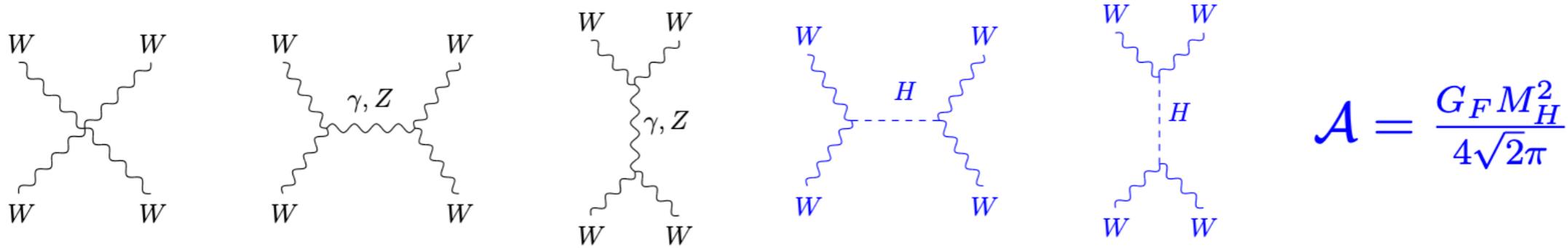
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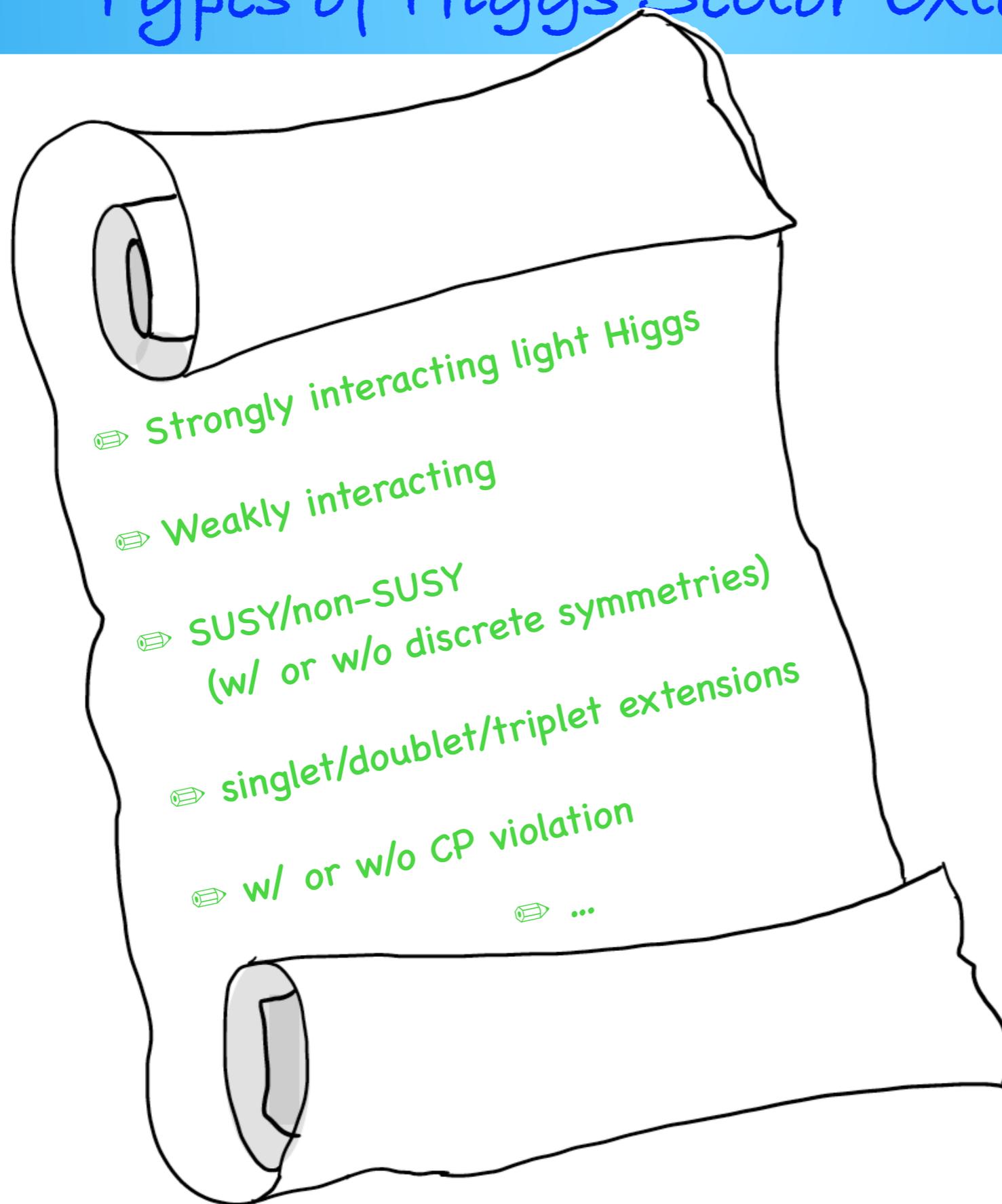


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Types of Higgs Sector Extensions



Singlet Extensions



Complex Singlet Extended SM (CxSM)

⇒ Add complex singlet field w/ hypercharge 0 to the SM Higgs sector:

$$S = S + iA$$

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$v=246$ GeV electroweak VEV; v_S, v_A singlet VEVs of real and imaginary field component

⇒ Applying discrete symmetries: possibility to have DM candidate, e.g.

impose two separate discrete symmetries: $S \rightarrow -S$ and $A \rightarrow -A$ ($b_1 \in \mathbb{R}, a_1 = 0$)

➤ $v_A=v_S=0 \Rightarrow h$ is SM Higgs boson, 2 Dark Matter particles (S, A)

➤ $v_A=0 \Rightarrow A$ is the Dark Matter candidate, h mixes with $S \Rightarrow 2$ visible Higgs bosons h_i ($i=1,2$), one must behave SM-like

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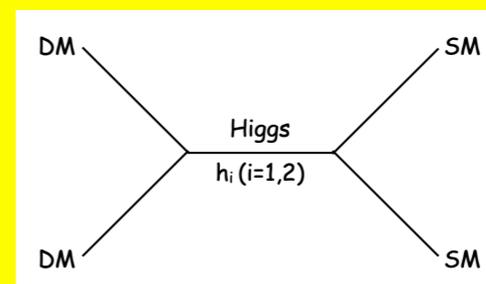
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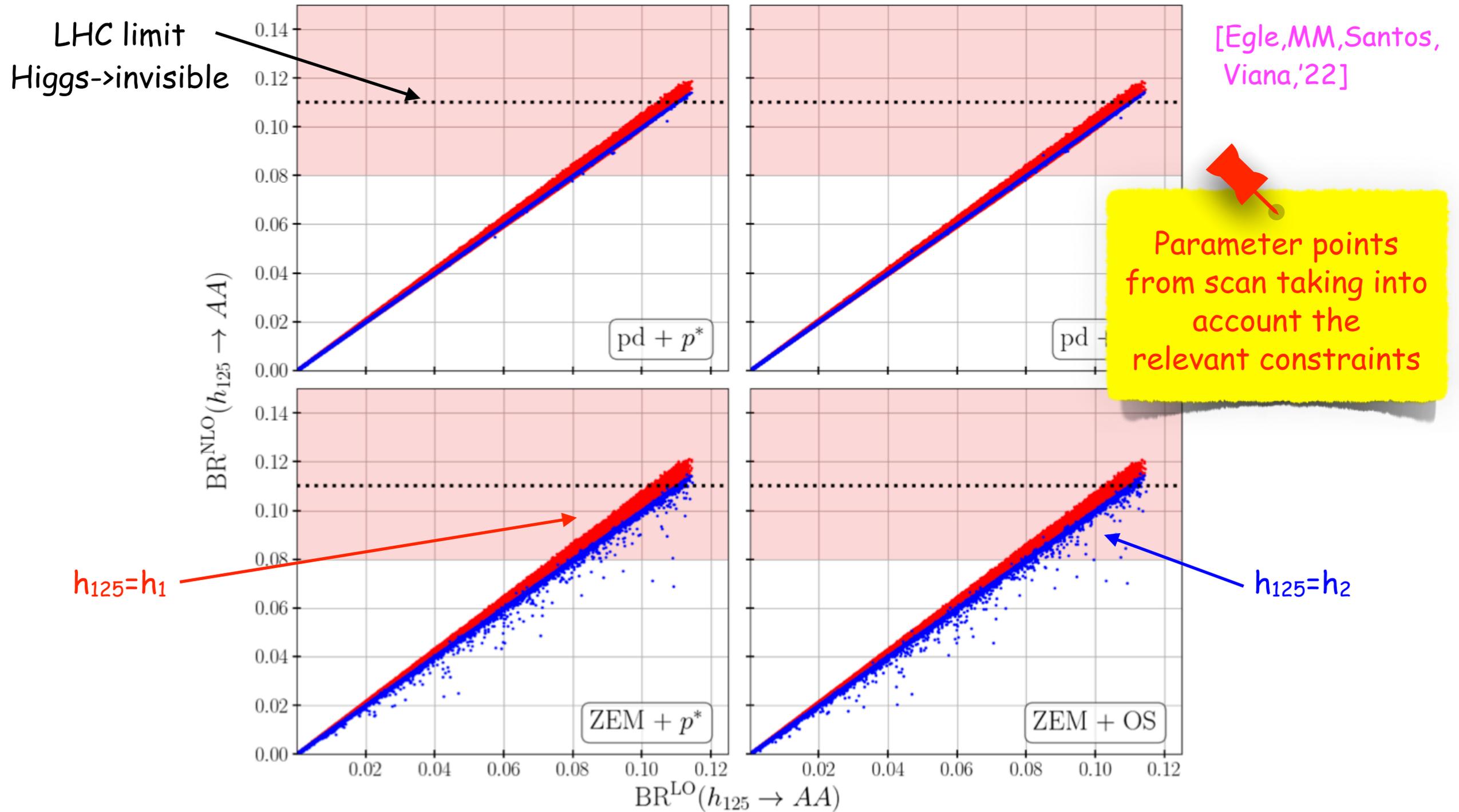
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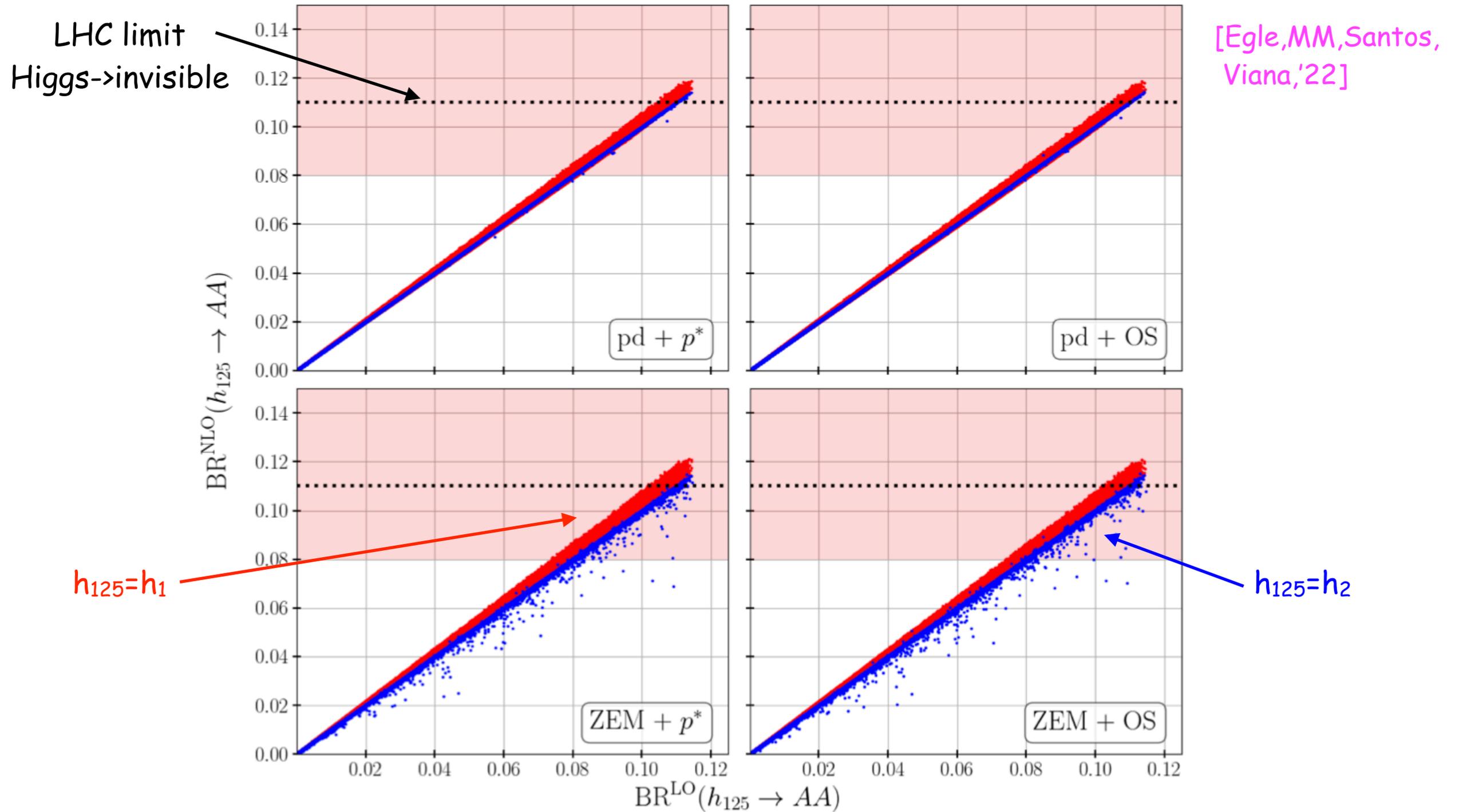
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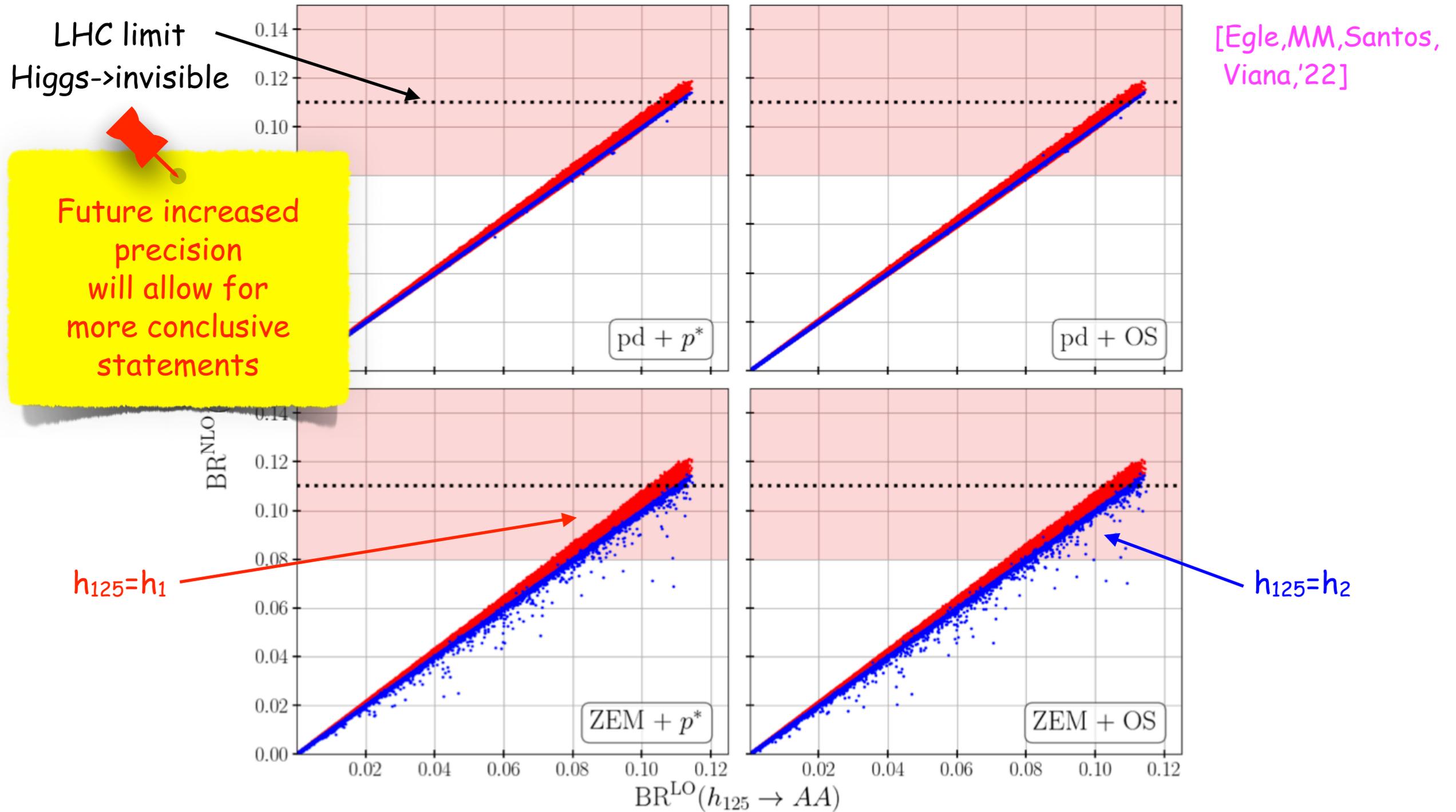
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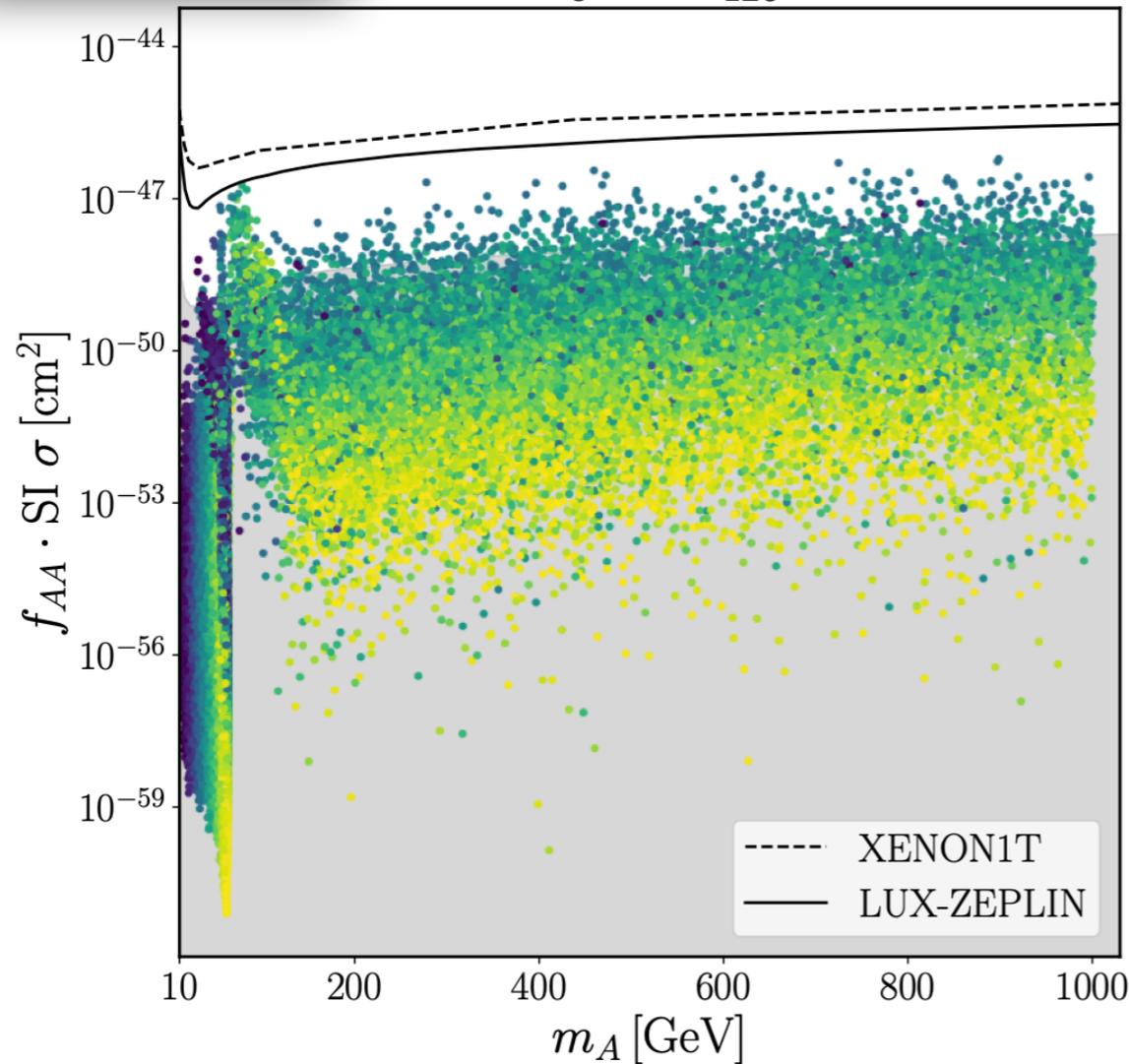
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Compatibility w/ Direct Detection Constraints

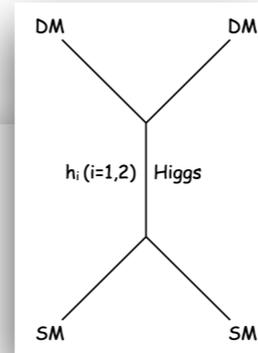
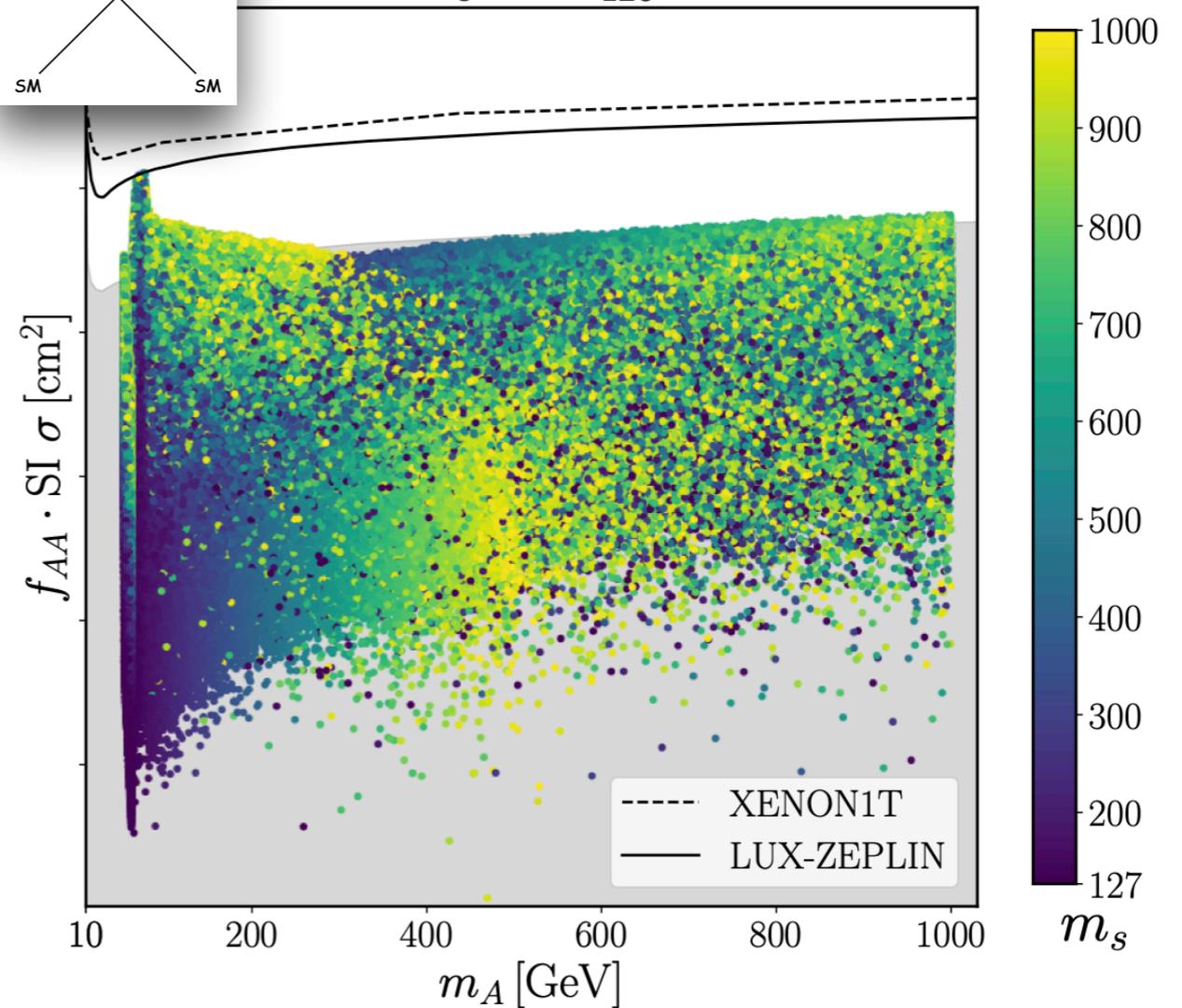
[Egle,MM,Santos,Viana,'23]

$$f_{AA} = \frac{(\Omega h^2)_A}{(\Omega h^2)_{\text{DM}}^{\text{obs}}}$$

$m_s < m_{125}$



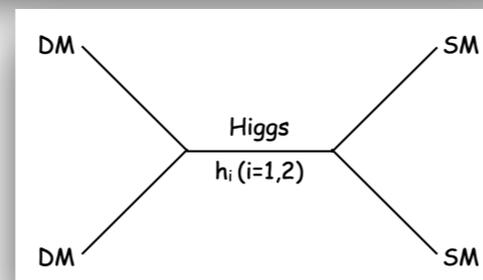
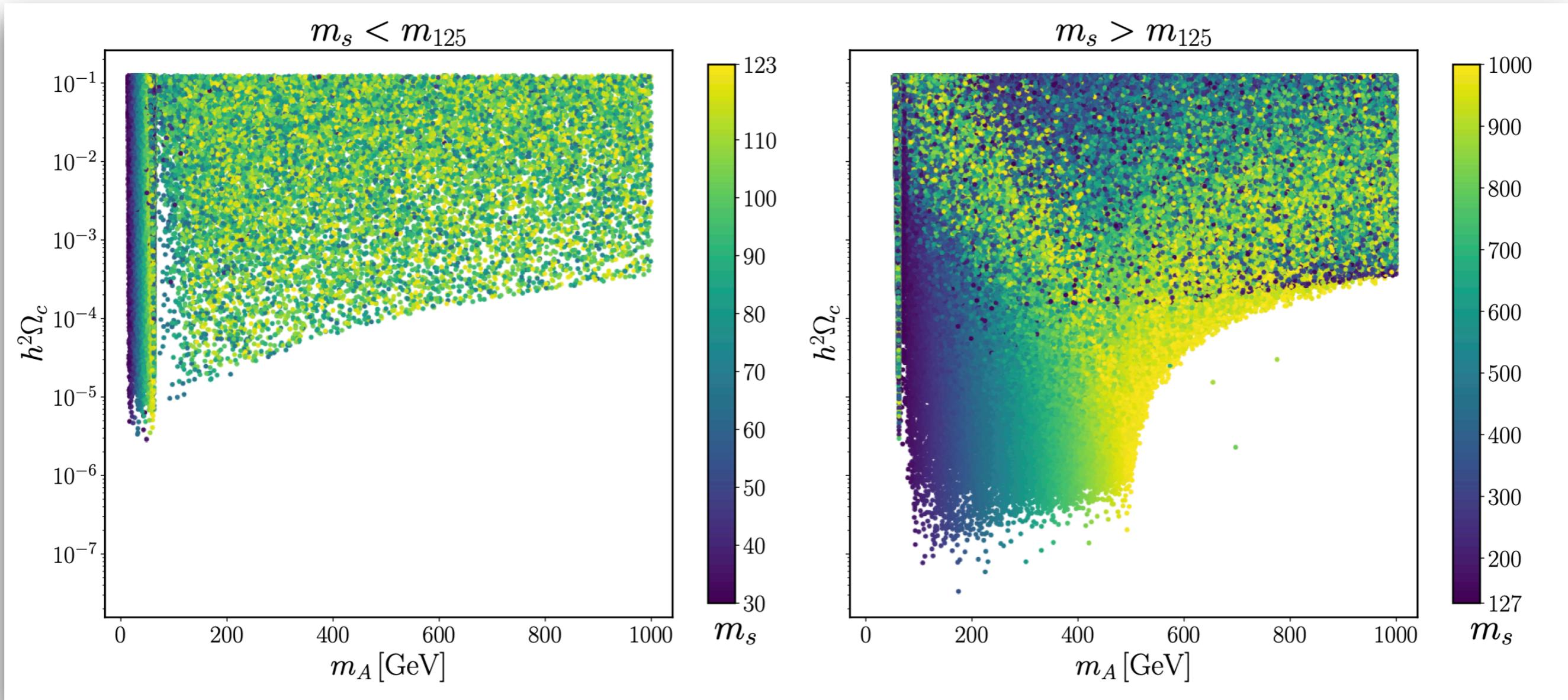
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m_{125} mass of SM-like Higgs, m_s mass of non-SM-like Higgs
 SI σ : spin-independent DM-nucleon scattering cross section

Compatibility w/ Relic Density

[Egle,MM,Santos,Viana,'23]



Real Singlet Extended SM (RxSM)

⇒ Add real singlet field S w/ discrete \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry ($S \rightarrow -S$) to the SM Higgs sector

⇒ Most general renormalizable RxSM Higgs potential:

$$V_{\text{RxSM}} = \frac{m^2}{2} H^\dagger H + \frac{\lambda}{4} (H^\dagger H)^2 + \frac{\lambda_{HS}}{2} H^\dagger H S^2 + \frac{m_S^2}{2} S^2 + \frac{\lambda_S}{4!} S^4$$

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$v=246$ GeV electroweak SM VEV; v_S singlet VEV

⇒ 2 possible phases:

Symmetric phase w/ $v_S = 0$: h is SM Higgs, S is DM candidate

Broken phase w/ $v_S \neq 0$: h mixes with $S \rightsquigarrow$ 2 visible Higgs bosons h_i ($i = 1, 2$)

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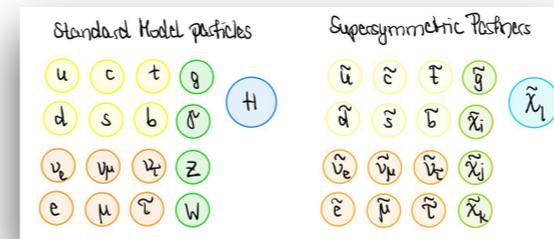
➤ The 2-Higgs-Doublet Model (2HDM) - Motivation:

- one of the simplest SM extensions

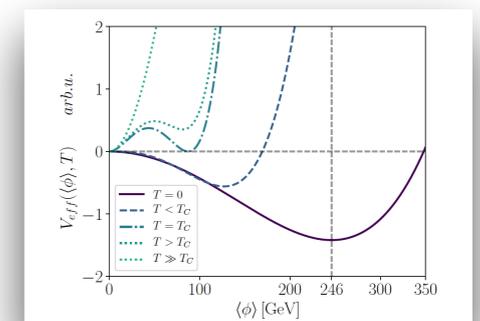
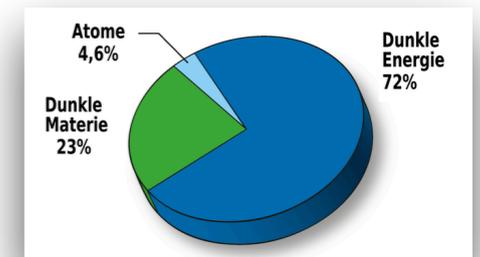


- provides DM candidate in its inert version

- supersymmetry requires introduction of two Higgs doublets



- provides strong-first-order phase transition (one of the three Sakharov conditions for the generation of the baryon asymmetry through EW baryogenesis)



The 2-Higgs-Doublet Model (2HDM)

⇒ Compatibility with constraints?

* **Rho parameter:** fulfilled as it is a doublet extension

* **Flavour-changing neutral currents:** will be discussed below

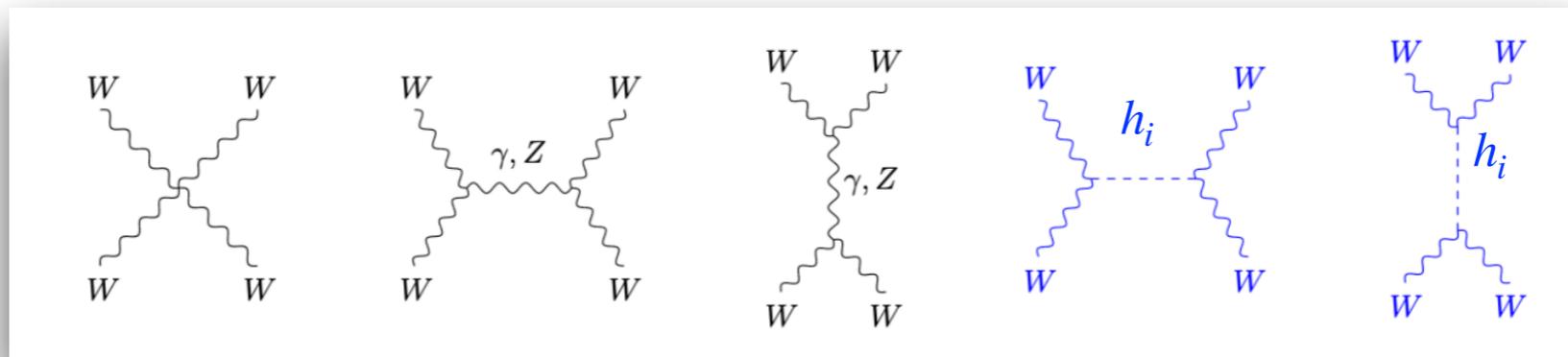
* **Unitarity constraints:**

$V_L V_L \rightarrow V_L V_L$, $f_+ \bar{f}_+ \rightarrow V_L V_L$ (f_+ =fermion w/ positive helicity) must not violate unitarity bounds

SM: \exists Higgs w/ couplings $g_{HWW} = \frac{gm_W}{2}$ and $g_{Hff} = \frac{gm_f}{\sqrt{2}m_W}$

2HDM:, \exists two scalar Higgs bosons: $h_i = h, H$ with sum rules for the couplings:

$$\sum_i g_{h_i VV}^2 = g_{hVV}^2 + g_{HVV}^2 = (g_{HVV}^{\text{SM}})^2 \quad \text{and} \quad \sum_i g_{h_i VV} g_{h_i ff} = g_{hVV} g_{hff} + g_{HVV} g_{Hff} = g_{HVV}^{\text{SM}} g_{Hff}^{\text{SM}}$$



The 2HDM Higgs Potential

[T.D.Lee, Phys.Rev.D8(1973)1226; Branco et al., 1106.0034]

- ⇒ 2 Higgs doublets Φ_i ($i = 1, 2$) w/ potential having the following properties:
SU(2)_L × U(1)_Y gauge-invariant, renormalizable, CP conservation,
discrete \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry under which $\Phi_1 \rightarrow -\Phi_1, \Phi_2 \rightarrow \Phi_2 \Rightarrow$ potential w/ softly broken \mathbb{Z}_2

$$V = m_{11}^2 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1 + m_{22}^2 \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2 - m_{12}^2 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2 + \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_1) + \frac{\lambda_1}{2} (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1)^2 + \frac{\lambda_2}{2} (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 \\ + \lambda_3 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1 \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2 + \lambda_4 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2 \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_1 + \frac{\lambda_5}{2} \left[(\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 + (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_1)^2 \right]$$

CP conservation: all parameters are real

- ⇒ Electroweak minimum of the potential: $\langle \Phi_1 \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{v_1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$ and $\langle \Phi_2 \rangle = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{v_2}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}$

- ⇒ Expansion of Higgs doublets around VEVs: $\Phi_a = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_a^+ \\ \frac{v_a + \rho_a + i\eta_a}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix}, \quad a = 1, 2$

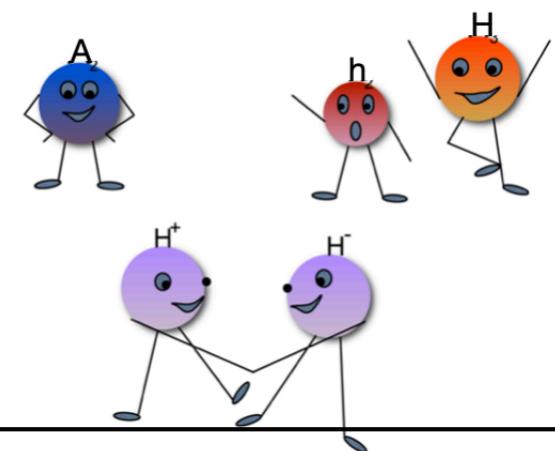
The 2HDM Higgs Spectrum

⇒ Higgs spectrum and masses:

- Plug in expansion around EW minimum in the potential V
- collect all terms bilinear in the fields \leadsto mass matrices
- diagonalize mass matrices w/ orthogonal matrices that are functions of the **mixing angle α** (neutral CP-even matrix) and **mixing angle β** (neutral CP-odd and charged matrices) \leadsto

physical states

$$\begin{pmatrix} H \\ h \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_\alpha & s_\alpha \\ -s_\alpha & c_\alpha \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \rho_1 \\ \rho_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} G^0 \\ A \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_\beta & s_\beta \\ -s_\beta & c_\beta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \eta_1 \\ \eta_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{pmatrix} G^+ \\ H^+ \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} c_\beta & s_\beta \\ -s_\beta & c_\beta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^+ \\ \phi_2^+ \end{pmatrix}$$



The 2HDM Higgs Masses

⇒ Higgs spectrum and masses:

2 neutral CP-even Higgs bosons: h and H , with $m_h \leq m_H$
1 neutral CP-odd Higgs boson: A
2 charged Higgs bosons: H^+, H^-

Mixing angle β : $\tan \beta = \frac{v_2}{v_1}$; to reproduce the W and Z masses, we must have $v_1^2 + v_2^2 = v^2$

Masses:
$$m_{H^\pm}^2 = \left(\frac{m_{12}^2}{v_1 v_2} - \frac{\lambda_4 + \lambda_5}{2} \right) (v_1^2 + v_2^2) = M^2 - \frac{1}{2}(\lambda_4 + \lambda_5)v^2 \quad M^2 = \frac{m_{12}^2}{\sin \beta \cos \beta}$$

$$m_A^2 = \left(\frac{m_{12}^2}{v_1 v_2} - \lambda_5 \right) (v_1^2 + v_2^2) = M^2 - \lambda_5 v^2$$

$$m_{H,h}^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left[\mathcal{M}_{11} + \mathcal{M}_{22} \pm \sqrt{(\mathcal{M}_{11} - \mathcal{M}_{22})^2 + 4\mathcal{M}_{12}^2} \right]$$

\mathcal{M}_{ij} matrix elements of the mass matrix in the neutral CP-even sector

⇒ 2HDM input parameters: $m_h, m_H, m_A, m_{H^\pm}, m_{12}^2, \cos(\beta - \alpha), v, \tan \beta$

Flavour-Changing Neutral Currents (FCNC)

⇒ Problem w/ 2 Higgs doublets:

Mass and coupling matrices cannot be diagonalized simultaneously \leadsto FCNC at tree level!

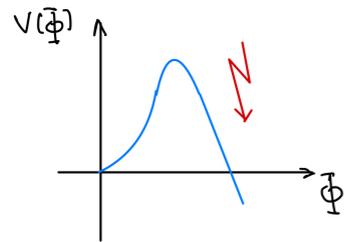
⇒ Solution: Extend discrete \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry of Higgs sector to Yukawa sector such that only one Higgs doublet couples to a given right-handed fermion field

⇒ Four 2HDM types:

- type I 2HDM: All quarks couple to just one of the Higgs doublets (conventionally chosen to be Φ_2).
- type II 2HDM: The $Q = 2/3$ right-handed (RH) quarks couple to one Higgs doublet (conventionally chosen to be Φ_2) and the $Q = -1/3$ RH quarks couple to the other (Φ_1).
- Lepton-specific model: The RH quarks all couple to Φ_2 and the RH leptons couple to Φ_1 .
- Flipped model: The RH up-type quarks couple to Φ_2 , the RH down-type quarks couple to Φ_1 , as in type II, but now the RH leptons couple to Φ_2 .

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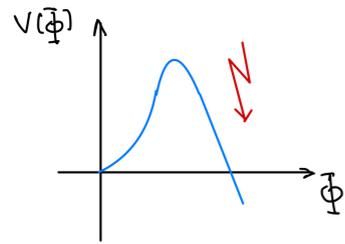
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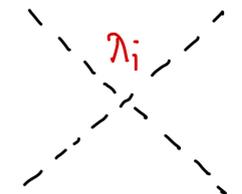
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⇒ **Perturbative Unitarity:**

make sure that the potential couplings do not become non-perturbatively large: analyze eigenvalues of the S matrix for scalar-scalar scattering amplitudes:



⇒ Require (tree-level perturbative unitarity):

$$|\lambda_3 - \lambda_4| < 8\pi$$

$$|\lambda_3 + 2\lambda_4 \pm 3\lambda_5| < 8\pi$$

$$\left| \frac{1}{2} \left(\lambda_1 + \lambda_2 + \sqrt{(\lambda_1 - \lambda_2)^2 + 4\lambda_4^2} \right) \right| < 8\pi$$

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Theory Constraints - The vacuum

⇒ Electroweak vacuum w/ $v=246$ GeV is the global minimum:

possible 2HDM vacuum directions ω_i

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neutral CP-conserving minima: ω_1, ω_2

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[Ferreira eal,'04;Barroso eal,'05;Ivanov,'07;Ivanov'08]

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[Ivanov'08;Barroso,'12,'13]

- Two CP-conserving minima could coexist, however! **Panic Vacuum!**

Vacuum w/ the symmetry breaking pattern ($v=246$ GeV) is the global minimum if and only if

$$D = m_{12}^2(m_{11}^2 - \sqrt{\lambda_1/\lambda_2}m_{22}^2)(v_2/v_1 - (\lambda_1\lambda_2)^{1/4}) > 0$$

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Note: These rules are No longer valid when vacuum is investigated including higher-order corrections

[Ferreira et al,'04;Barroso et al,'05;Ivanov,'07;Ivanov'08]

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[Ivanov'08;Barroso,'12,'13]

- Two CP-conserving minima could coexist, however! **Panic Vacuum!**

Vacuum w/ the symmetry breaking pattern ($v=246$ GeV) is the global minimum if and only if

$$D = m_{12}^2(m_{11}^2 - \sqrt{\lambda_1/\lambda_2}m_{22}^2)(v_2/v_1 - (\lambda_1\lambda_2)^{1/4}) > 0$$

Theory Constraints

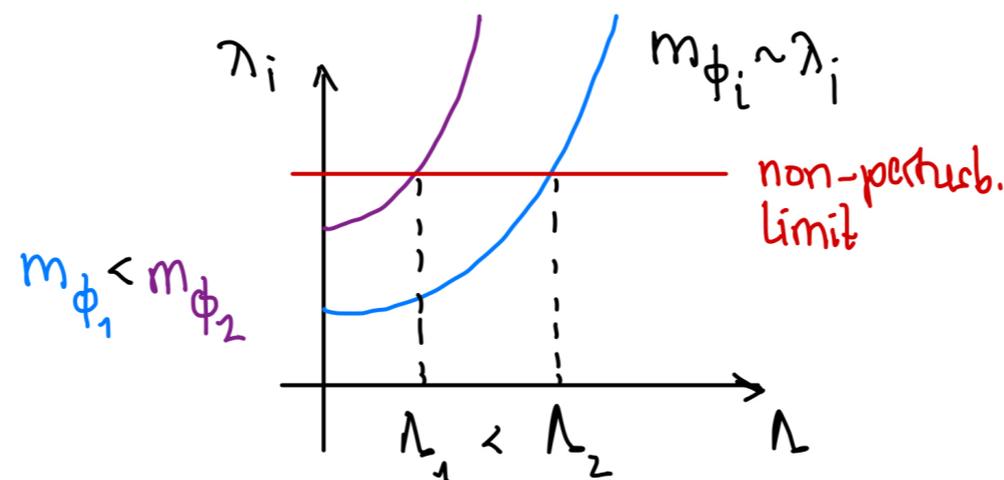
- Inclusion of renormalization group running of the parameters:

(capture - „hopefully“ - bulk of higher-order corrections)

[Basler, Ferreira, MM, Santos, '17]

- Perform RGE running of all potential parameters and VEVs starting at m_Z
- At each scale between m_Z and the Planck scale verify whether the theoretical constraints are still verified
- If yes, proceed to a higher scale and repeat

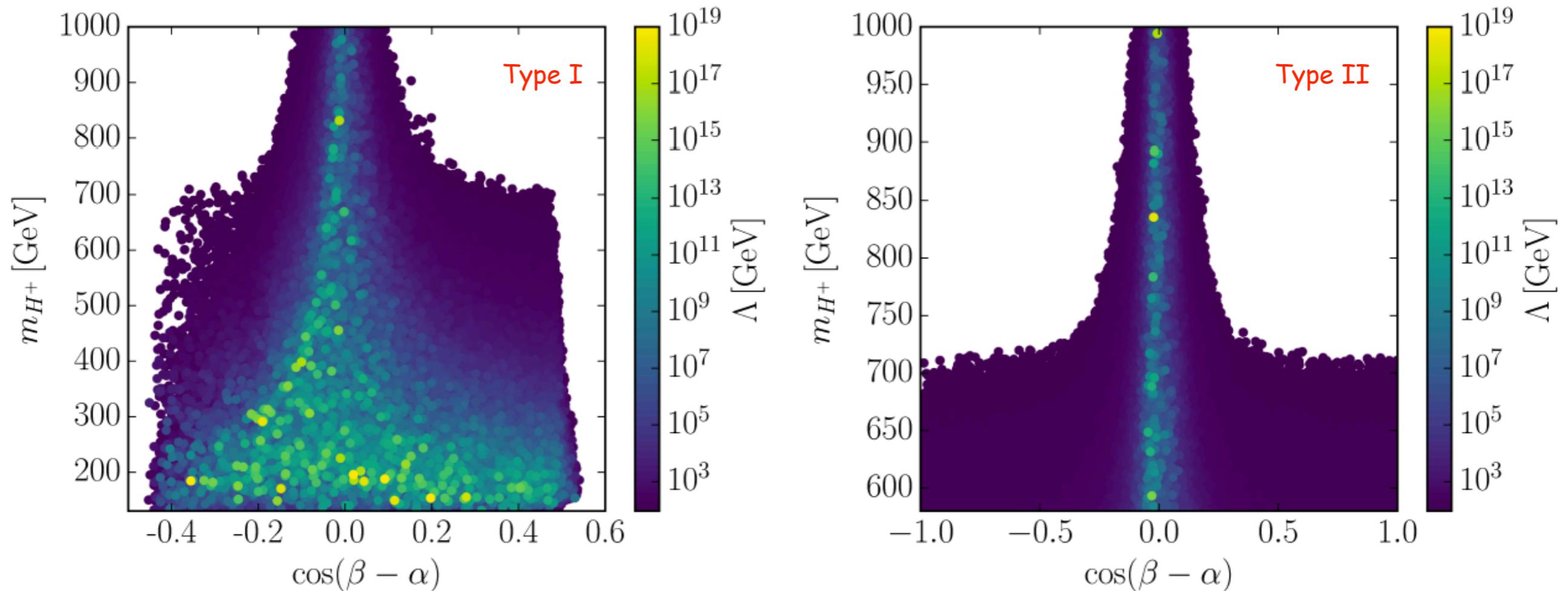
Note: Higgs mass values and quartic couplings are closely related \sim if at scale m_Z we start with a heavy Higgs spectrum \sim start values of quartic couplings λ_i are large \sim scale up to which model remains perturbative, is lowered



Theory Constraints and High Scale Impact

Flavor constraints set stringent lower bound on m_{H^\pm} in 2HDM Type II!

[Basler, Ferreira, MM, Santos, '17]



$m_{H^\pm} \geq 500 \text{ GeV}$ and requirement of validity up to the Planck scale \leadsto alignment (exp. & theor. constraints included) $\cos(\beta - \alpha) \approx 0$, i.e. h behaves very SM-like

See also [Chakrabarty eal; Bhupal Dev eal; Das, Saha; Chowdhury, Eberhardt; Ferreira eal; Cacchio eal; Cherchiglia, Nishi; Krauss eal; Goodsell, Staub; Braathen eal; ...]

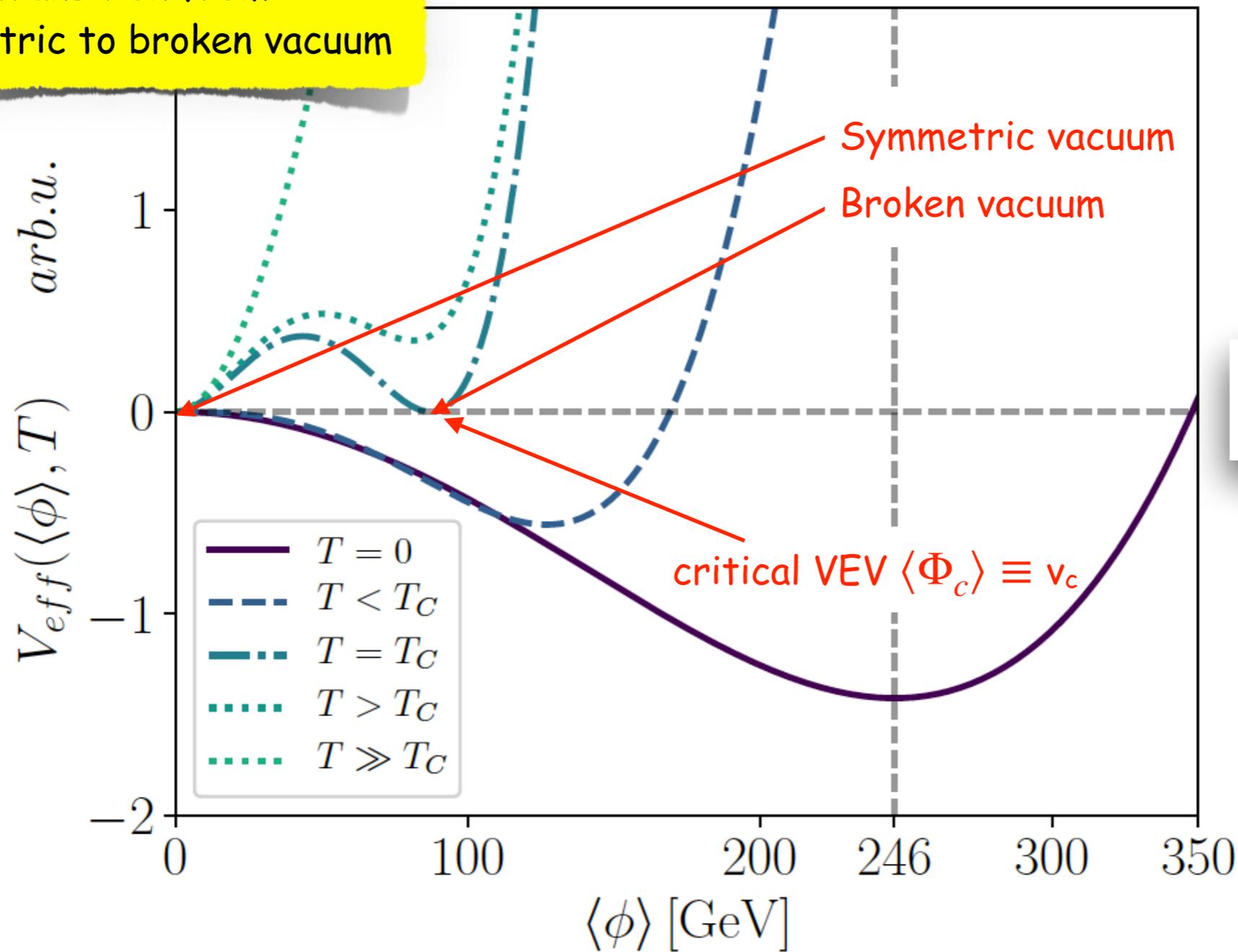
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[From Ph. Basler, PhD Thesis]

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- ⇒ Vacuum of the 2-Higgs-Doublet-Model: four minimum directions possible

$$V_{\text{tree}} = m_{11}^2 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1 + m_{22}^2 \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2 - \left[m_{12}^2 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2 + \text{h.c.} \right] + \frac{1}{2} \lambda_1 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1)^2 + \frac{1}{2} \lambda_2 (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 \\ + \lambda_3 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1) (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2) + \lambda_4 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2) (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_1) + \left[\frac{1}{2} \lambda_5 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 + \text{h.c.} \right].$$

$$\Phi_1 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \rho_1 + i \eta_1 \\ \zeta_1 + \omega_1 + i \psi_1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Phi_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} \rho_2 + \omega_{\text{CB}} + i \eta_2 \\ \zeta_2 + \omega_2 + i (\psi_2 + \omega_{\text{CP}}) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\{\omega_{\text{CB}}, \omega_1, \omega_2, \omega_{\text{CP}}\}|_{T=0} = \{0, v_1, v_2, 0\}, \text{ with}$$

$$\omega_{\text{EW}}|_{T=0} \equiv \sqrt{\omega_1^2 + \omega_2^2 + \omega_{\text{CB}}^2 + \omega_{\text{CP}}^2} \Big|_{T=0} = \sqrt{v_1^2 + v_2^2} \equiv v = 246 \text{ GeV}$$

Sample Benchmark Point BP1

- BP1 input parameters:

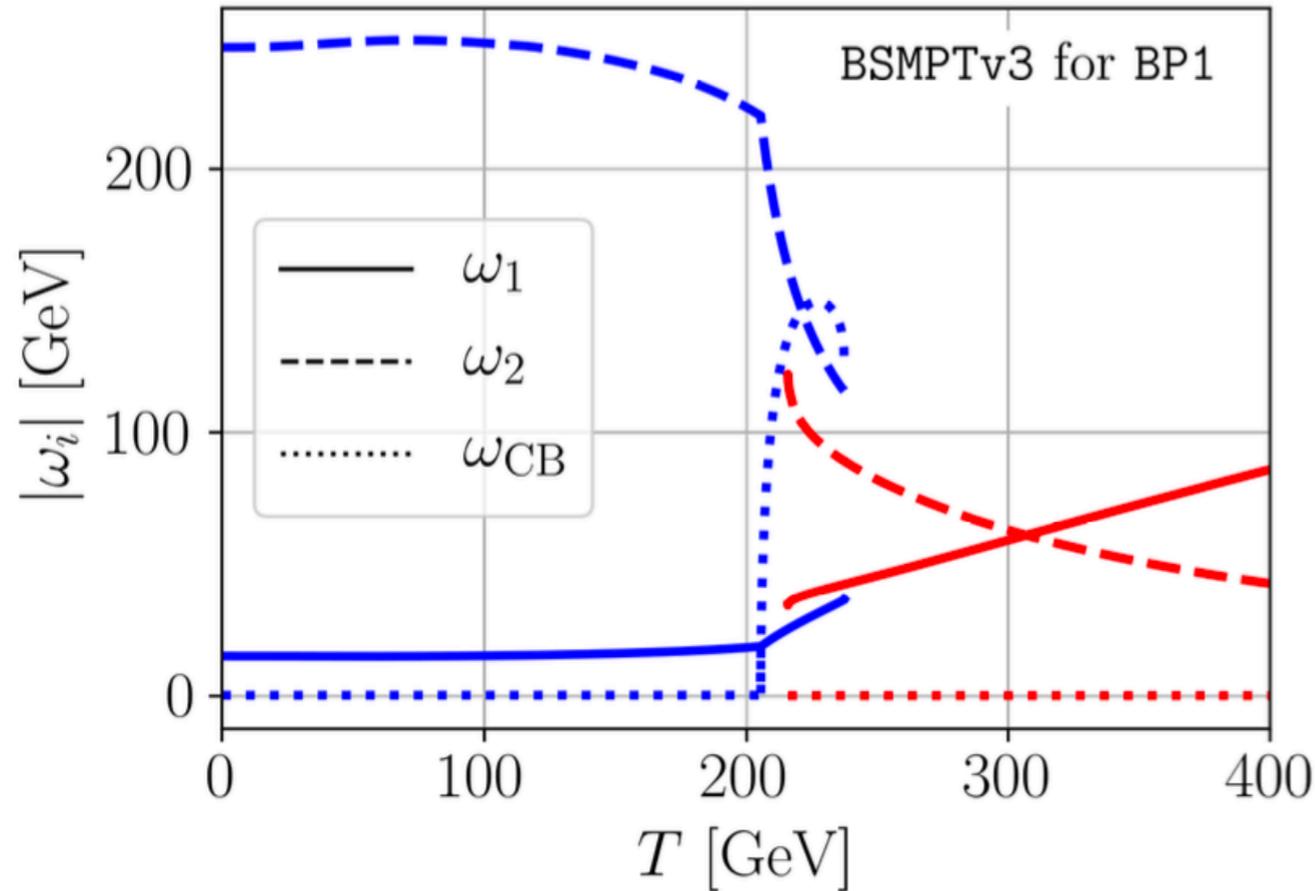
From [Aoki,Biermann,Borschensky,Ivanov,MM,Sakurai,'23]

BP1: $\text{type} = 1$, $\lambda_1 = 6.931$, $\lambda_2 = 0.2631$, $\lambda_3 = 1.287$, $\lambda_4 = 4.772$, $\lambda_5 = 4.728$,
 $m_{12}^2 = 1.893 \times 10^4 \text{ GeV}^2$, $\tan \beta = 16.578$.

Transition History

high-T phase, low-T phase

[Basler, Biermann, MM, Müller, Santos, Viana, '24]



History:

BSMPTv3

- first-order PT from neutral (red) to charge-breaking CB phase (blue)
- second-order PT into a neutral minimum

	BP1
$\text{phases}_{\text{BSMPT}}$	0: {216, 400} 1: {0, 237}
$\text{pairs}_{\text{BSMPT}}$	0: [0 → 1] {216, 237}
$t_{\text{MinimaTracer}}$	41.47 s
T_c	{226.3}
T_n	{222.9, 222.9}
T_p	{222.6}
T_f	{222.6}
$t_{\text{CalcTemps}}$	6.87 min
history	0 — (0) → 1

Measuring EWSB



Trilinear Higgs self-coupling

We must measure the Higgs potential, i.e. self-couplings

❖ SM Higgs potential: in physical gauge

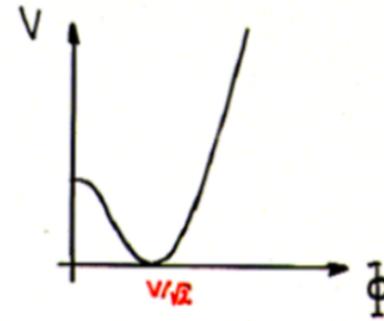
$$V(H) = \frac{1}{2} M_H^2 H^2 + \frac{M_H^3}{2v} H^3 + \frac{M_H^4}{8v^2} H^4$$

Higgs mass : $M_H = \sqrt{2\lambda} v$

trilinear Higgs self-coupling : $\lambda_{HHH} = 3M_H^2/M_Z^2$

quadrilinear Higgs self-coupling : $\lambda_{HHHH} = 3M_H^2/M_Z^4$

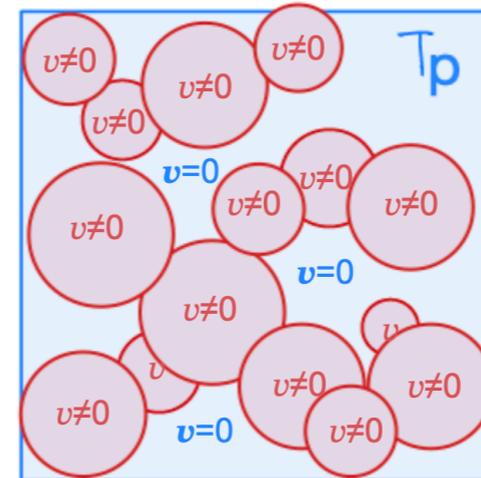
(units $\lambda_0 = 33.8 \text{ GeV}/\lambda^2$)



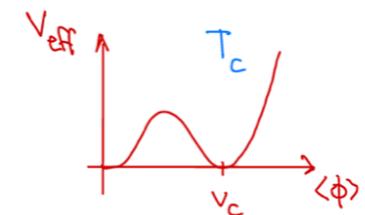
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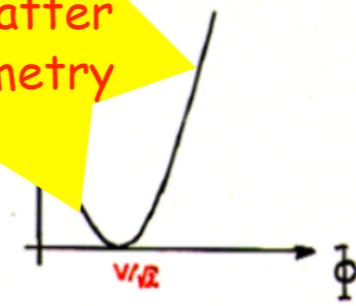
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Matter-Antimatter Asymmetry



Evolution of Cosmos

Ultimate test Higgs Mechanism

New Physics

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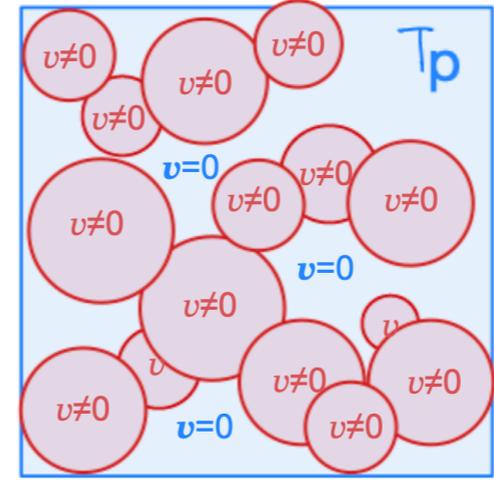
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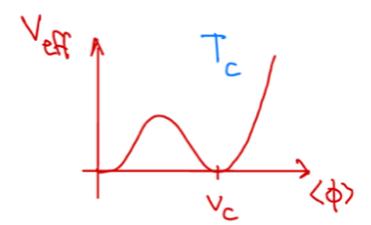
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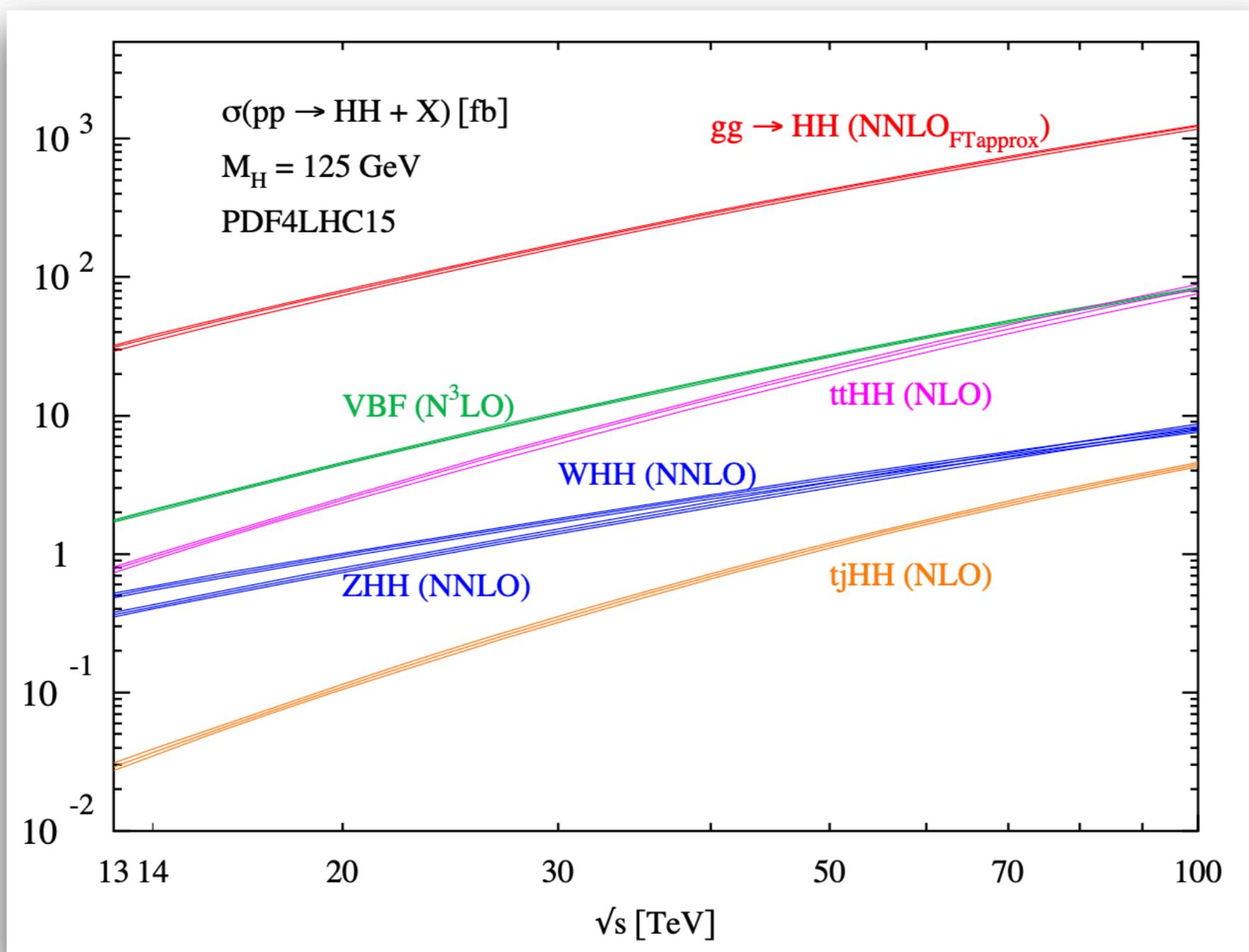


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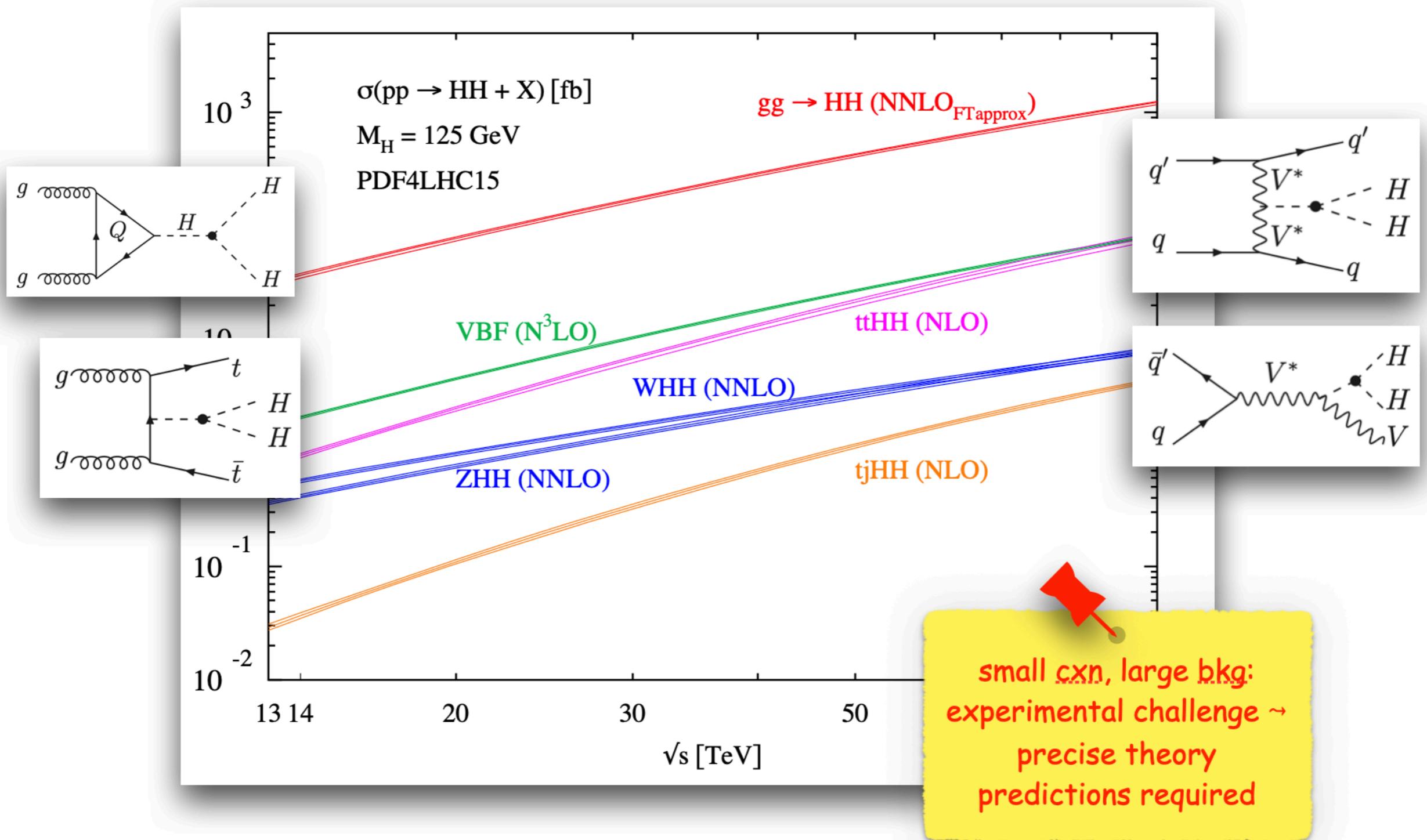
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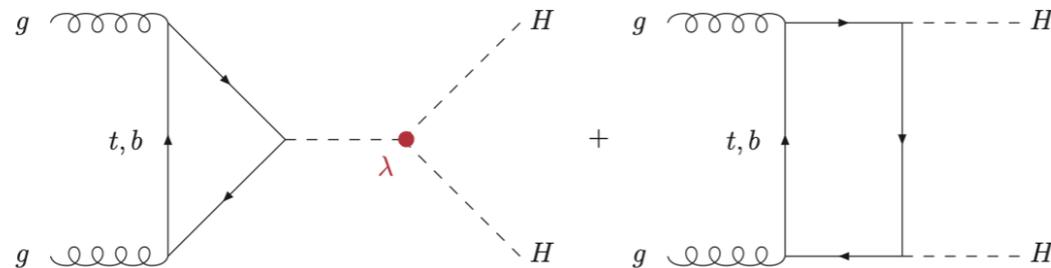
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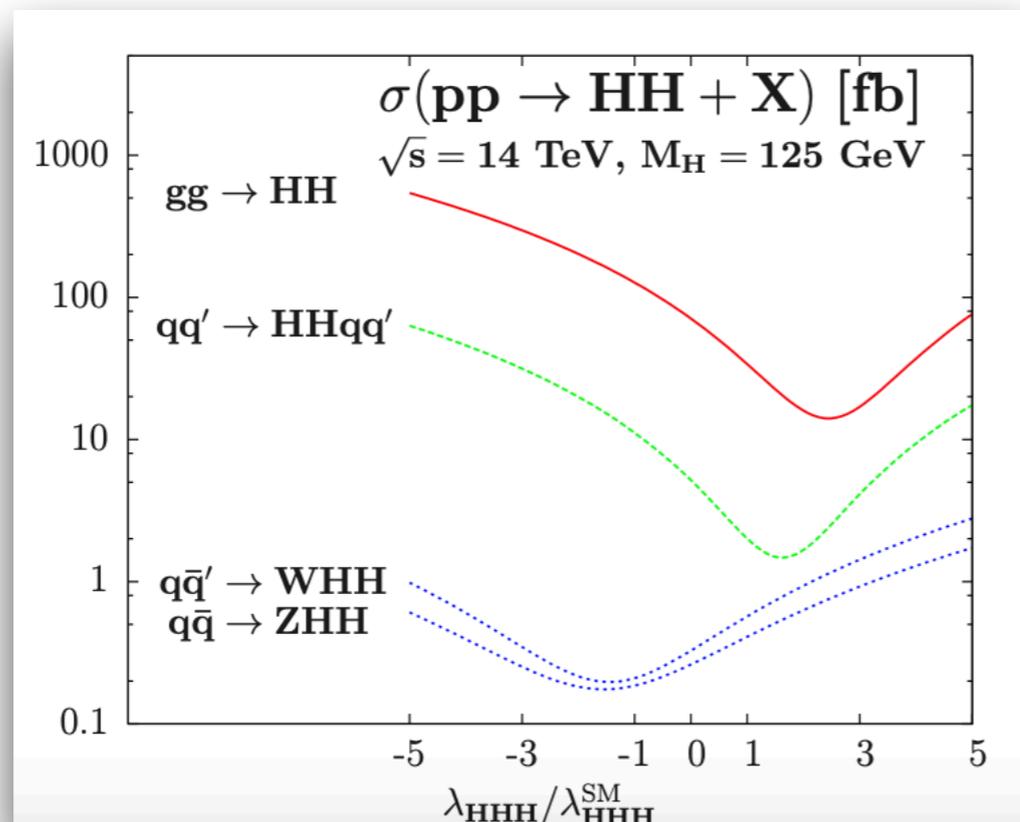


Higgs Pair Production through Gluon Fusion

- Loop mediated at leading order - SM: third generation dominant



- Threshold region sensitive to λ ; large M_{HH} : sensitive to c_{tt}/c_{bb} [e.g. boosted Higgs pairs]



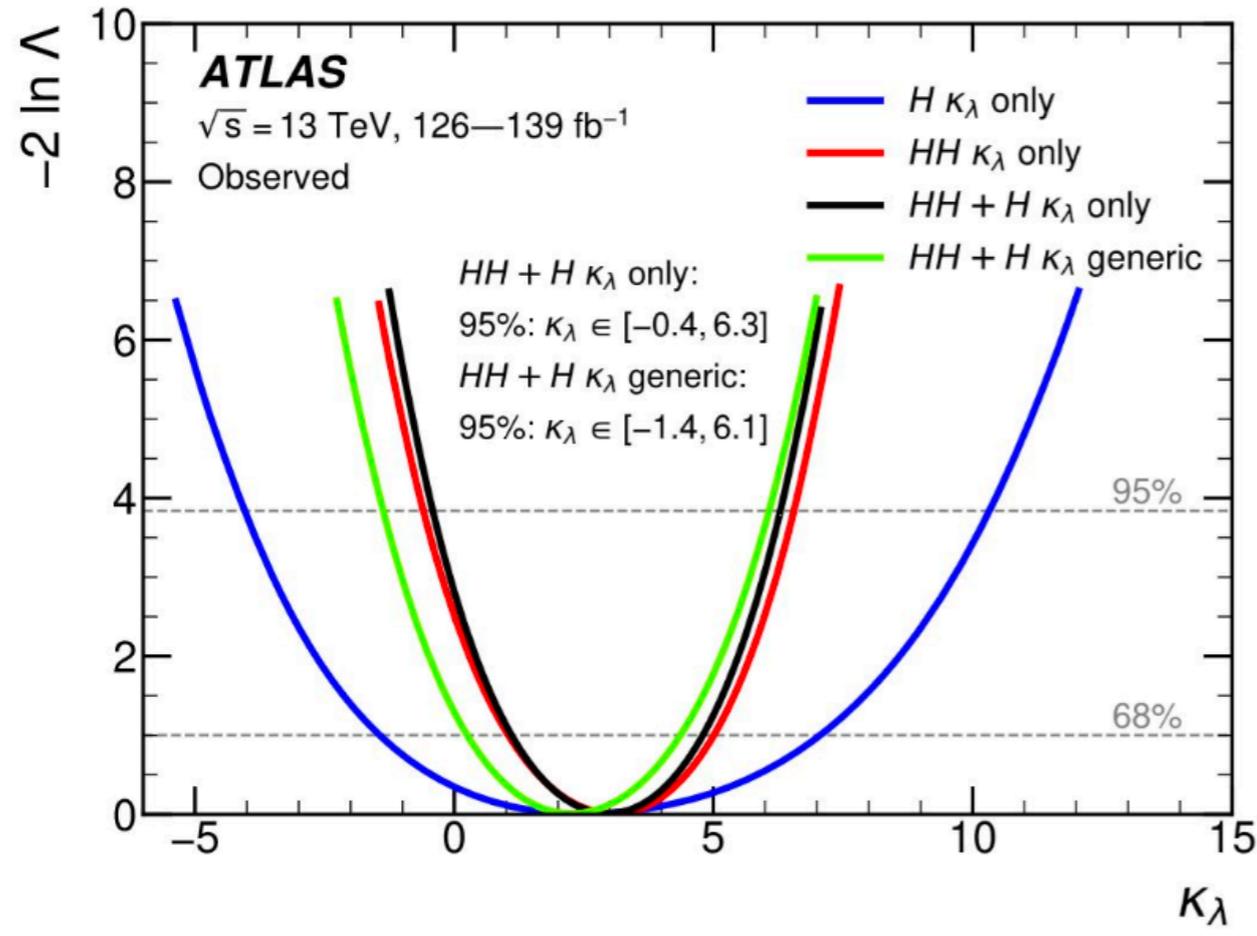
[Baglio, Djouadi, Gröber, MM, Quévillon, Spira]

$$gg \rightarrow HH : \frac{\Delta\sigma}{\sigma} \sim -\frac{\Delta\lambda}{\lambda}$$

decreasing with M_{HH}

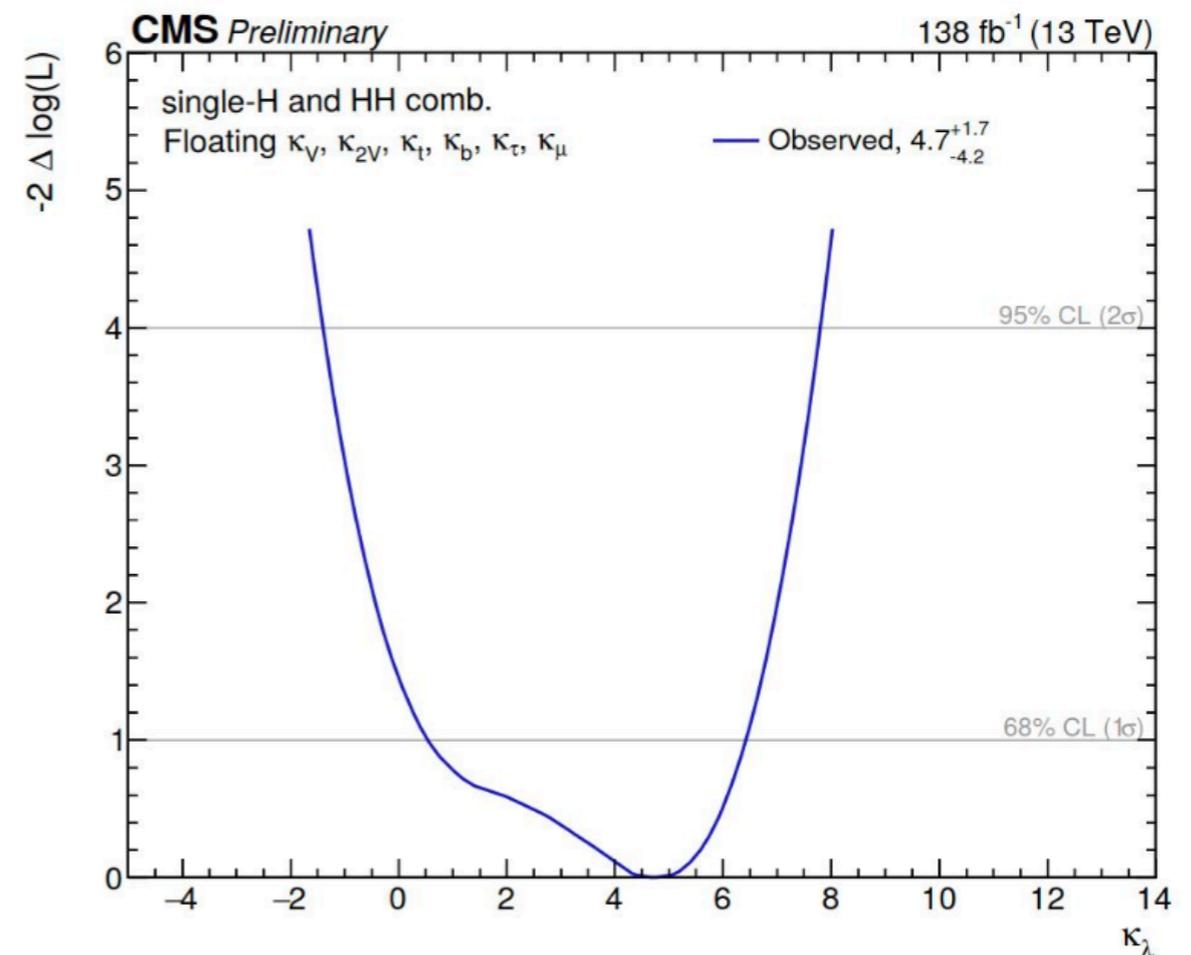
Experimental Results - Limits on λ_{HHH}

[Phys. Lett. B 843 \(2023\) 137745](#)



ATLAS: $-1.4 < \kappa_\lambda < 6.1$ at 95 % CL

[CMS-HIG-23-006](#)



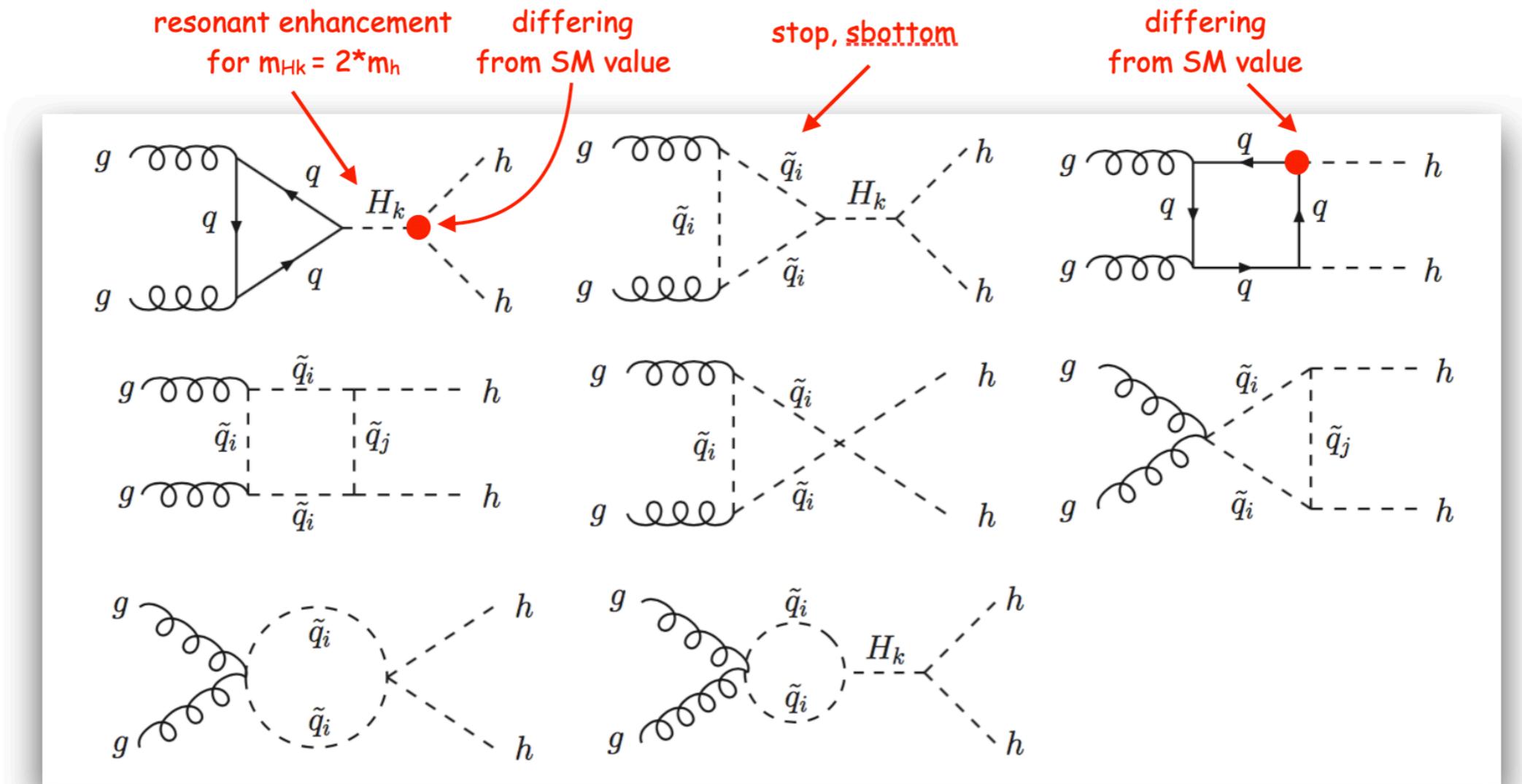
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New Physics Effects in Higgs Pair Production

- ♦ Cross section: - different trilinear couplings - different Yukawa couplings
- novel particles in the loops - resonant enhancement - novel couplings

♦ Example NMSSM:

[taken from Dao,MM,Streicher,Walz,'13]



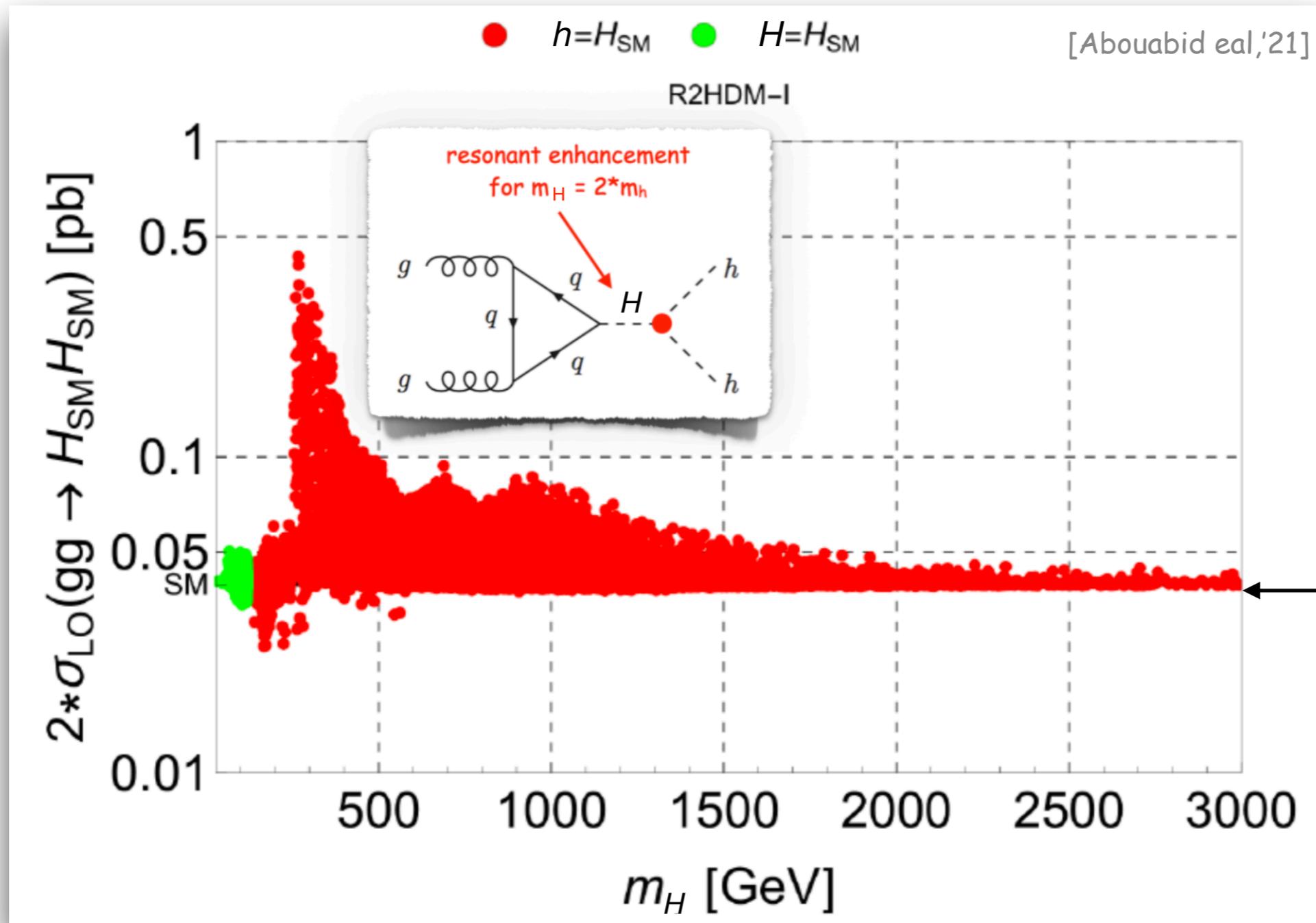
Example 2-Higgs-Doublet Model (2HDM)

2HDM Higgs sector: 2 Higgs doublets $\xrightarrow{\text{EWSB}}$

neutral, CP-even h, H

neutral, CP-odd A

charged H^+, H^-



● ●
Parameter scan points compatible w/ all relevant theoretical & experimental constraints

SM HH csn value (LO)

Allowed Ranges of Trilinear Higgs Couplings

[Abouabid et al., '21]

Large values
of $\lambda_{3H_{SM}}$ required
for SFOEWPT!

	R2HDM		C2HDM	
	$y_{t,H_{SM}}^{R2HDM} / y_{t,H}$	$\lambda_{3H_{SM}}^{R2HDM} / \lambda_{3H}$	$y_{t,H_{SM}}^{C2HDM} / y_{t,H}$	$\lambda_{3H_{SM}}^{C2HDM} / \lambda_{3H}$
light I	0.893...1.069	-0.096...1.076	0.898...1.035	-0.035...1.227
medium I	n.a.	n.a.	0.889...1.028	0.251...1.172
heavy I	0.946...1.054	0.481...1.026	0.893...1.019	0.671...1.229
light II	0.951...1.040	0.692...0.999	0.956...1.040	0.096...0.999
medium II	n.a.	n.a.	—	—
heavy II	—	—	—	—
	N2HDM		NMSSM	
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light I	0.895...1.079	-1.160...1.004	n.a.	n.a.
medium I	0.874...1.049	-1.247...1.168	n.a.	n.a.
heavy I	0.893...1.030	0.770...1.112	n.a.	n.a.
light II	0.942...1.038	-0.608...0.999	0.826...1.003	0.024...0.747
medium II	0.942...1.029	0.613...0.994	0.916...1.000	-0.502...0.666
heavy II	—	—	—	—

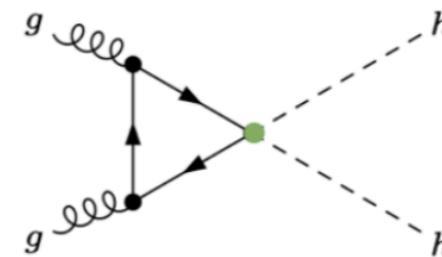
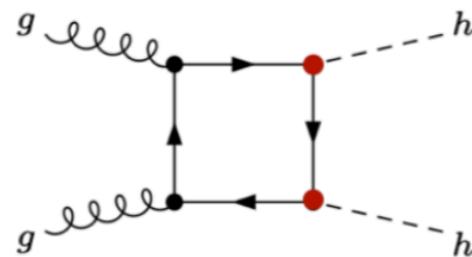
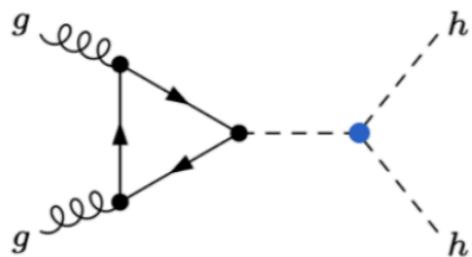
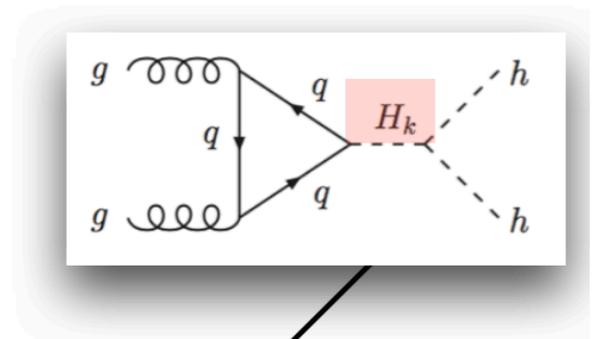
Comparison with EFT

♦ Effective Lagrangian:
$$\Delta\mathcal{L}_{\text{non-lin}} \supset -m_t t\bar{t} \left(c_t \frac{h}{v} + c_{tt} \frac{h^2}{2v^2} \right) - c_3 \frac{1}{6} \left(\frac{3M_h^2}{v} \right) h^3$$

c_3 : trilinear coupling modification; c_{tt} : top-Yukawa coupling modification;

c_{ttt} : effective two-Higgs-two-fermion coupling

no c_g , c_{gg} : no new heavy colored BSM particles assumed



♦ Matching relations of our specific BSM models:

Higgs-top Yukawa coupling	:	$g_t^{H_{SM}}(\alpha_i, \beta)$	$\rightarrow c_t$
trilinear Higgs coupling	:	$\frac{g_3^{H_{SM}H_{SM}H_{SM}}(p_i)}{3M_{H_{SM}}^2/v}$	$\rightarrow c_3$
two-Higgs-two-top quark coupling	:	$\sum_{k=1}^{k_{\max}} \left(\frac{-v}{m_{H_k}^2} \right) g_3^{H_k H_{SM} H_{SM}}(p_i) g_t^{H_k}(\alpha_i, \beta)$	$\rightarrow c_{tt}$

2HDM VERSUS EFT

[Abouabid, Arhrib, Azevedo, El Falaki, Ferreira, MM, Santos, '21]

♦ R2HDM T2 sample parameter point:

m_{H_1} [GeV]	m_{H_2} [GeV]	m_A [GeV]	m_{H^\pm} [GeV]	α	$\tan \beta$	m_{12}^2 [GeV ²]
125.09	1131	1082	1067	-0.924	0.820	552749

♦ corresponding EFT values:

$$g_t^{H_2} = -1.126$$

$$c_3 = 0.782, \quad c_t = 0.951, \quad c_{tt} = -0.122$$

♦ goodness of approximation?:

m_{H_2} [GeV]	Γ_{H_2} [GeV]	c_{tt}	$g_3^{H_2 H_1 H_1}$ [GeV]	$\sigma_{\text{R2HDM}}^{\text{w/ res}}$ [fb]	$\sigma_{\text{SMEFT}}^{c_{tt} \neq 0}$ [fb]	ratio
1131	78.80	-0.1222	-504.52	30.5	26.1	86%
1200	89.74	-0.1031	-479.29	27.7	24.8	90%
1500	470.2	$-4.853 \cdot 10^{-2}$	-352.42	21.8	21.4	98%

♦ Remark:

$$\sigma_{\text{R2HDM}}^{\text{w/o res}} = 18.6 \text{ fb} \quad \text{and} \quad \sigma_{\text{SMEFT}}^{c_{tt} = 0} = 18.6 \text{ fb}$$

N2HDM VERSUS EFT

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♦ N2HDM T1 sample parameter point:

m_{H_1} [GeV]	m_{H_2} [GeV]	m_{H_3} [GeV]	m_A [GeV]	m_{H^\pm} [GeV]	$\tan \beta$
125.09	269	582	390	380	4.190
α_1	α_2	α_3	v_s [GeV]	$\text{Re}(m_{12}^2)$ [GeV ²]	
1.432	-0.109	0.535	1250	28112	

$$g_t^{H_2} = 0.179 \quad \text{and} \quad g_t^{H_3} = 2.337 \times 10^{-2}$$

♦ corresponding EFT values:

$$c_3 = 0.877, \quad c_t = 1.012, \quad c_{tt} = 4.127 \times 10^{-2}$$

♦ goodness of approximation?: (m_{H_3} kept fixed)

m_{H_2}	Γ_{H_2}	$c_{tt}^{H_2}$	c_{tt}	$g_3^{H_2 H_1 H_1}$	$\sigma_{\text{N2HDM}}^{\text{w/res}}$ [fb]	$\sigma_{\text{SMEFT}}^{c_{tt} \neq 0}$ [fb]	ratio
269	0.075	4.410×10^{-2}	4.127×10^{-2}	-72.42	183.70	20.56	11%
300	0.083	3.170×10^{-2}	2.877×10^{-2}	-64.80	162.80	21.28	13%
400	0.177	9.544×10^{-3}	6.721×10^{-3}	-34.68	43.33	22.60	52%
420	0.229	6.895×10^{-3}	4.063×10^{-3}	-27.62	31.70	22.76	72%
440	0.284	4.600×10^{-3}	1.767×10^{-3}	-20.22	26.26	22.90	87%
450	0.315	3.564×10^{-3}	7.323×10^{-4}	-16.39	24.84	22.96	92%
500	2.567	-7.132×10^{-4}	-3.545×10^{-3}	4.05	23.56	23.22	99%

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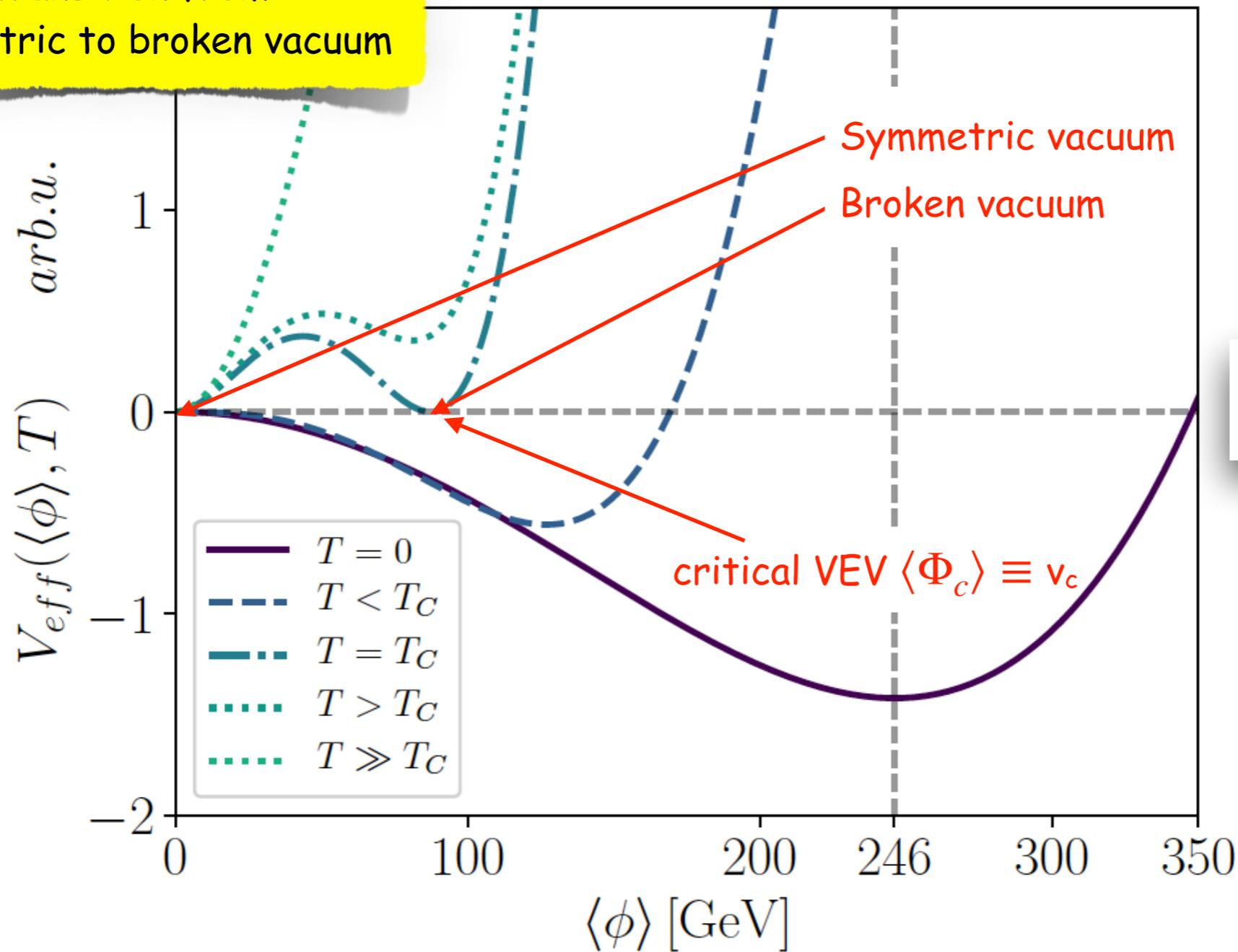
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- SM: smooth cross-over
- not enough CP violation
- large trilinear Higgs coupling required
=> physics beyond the SM needed
Extended Higgs sectors!

[Sakharov '67]

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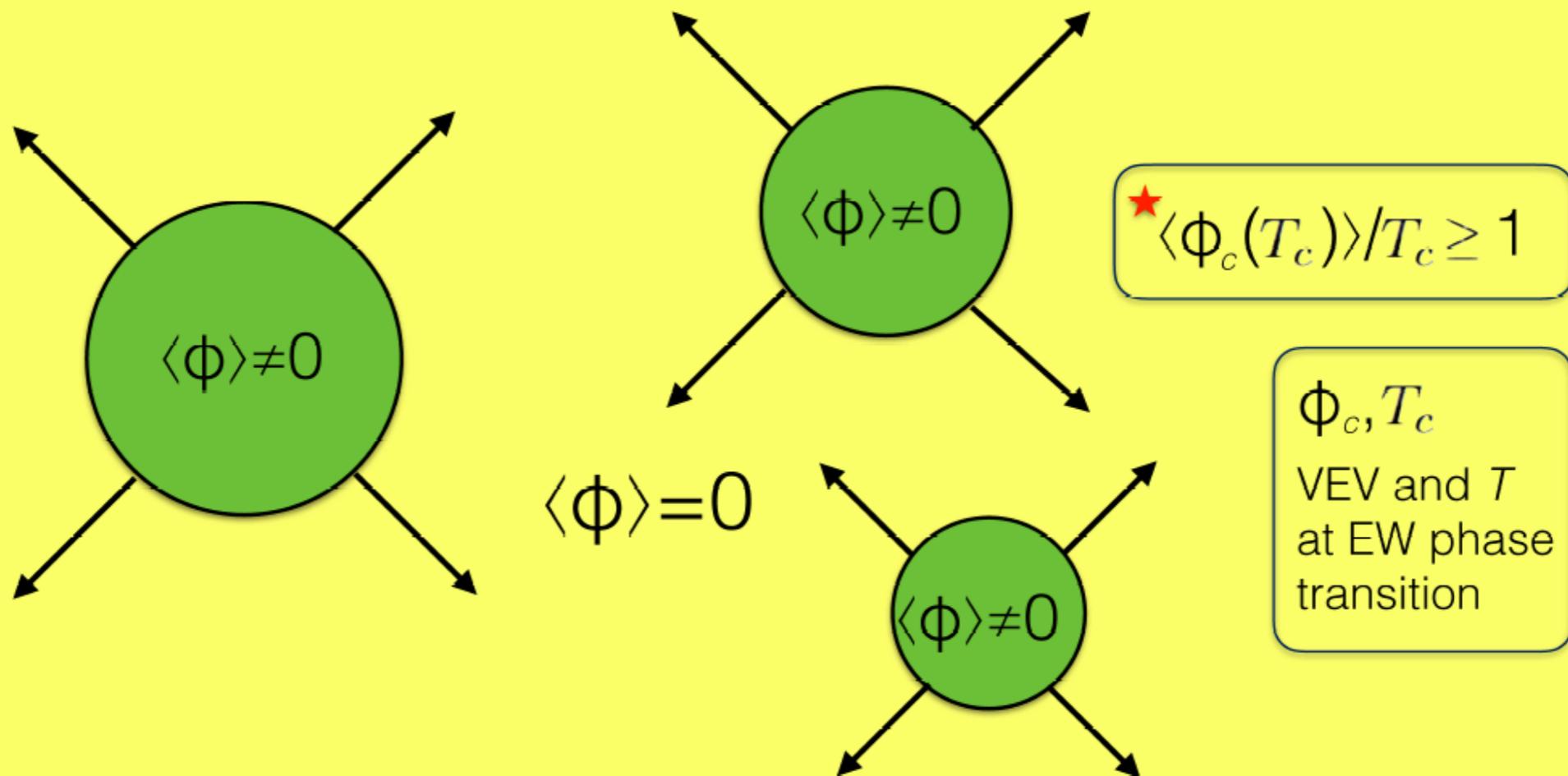
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EWBG in a Nutshell

Bubbles of the non-zero Higgs field VEV nucleate from the symmetric vacuum

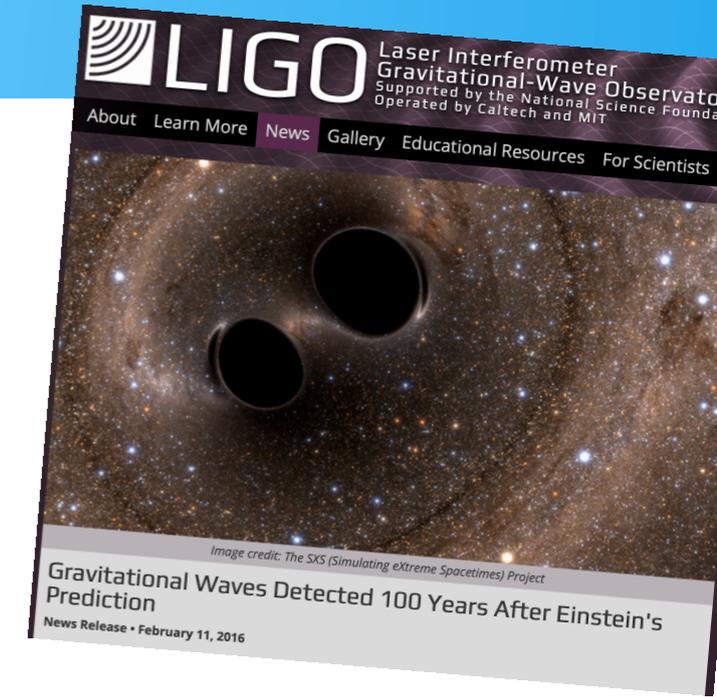
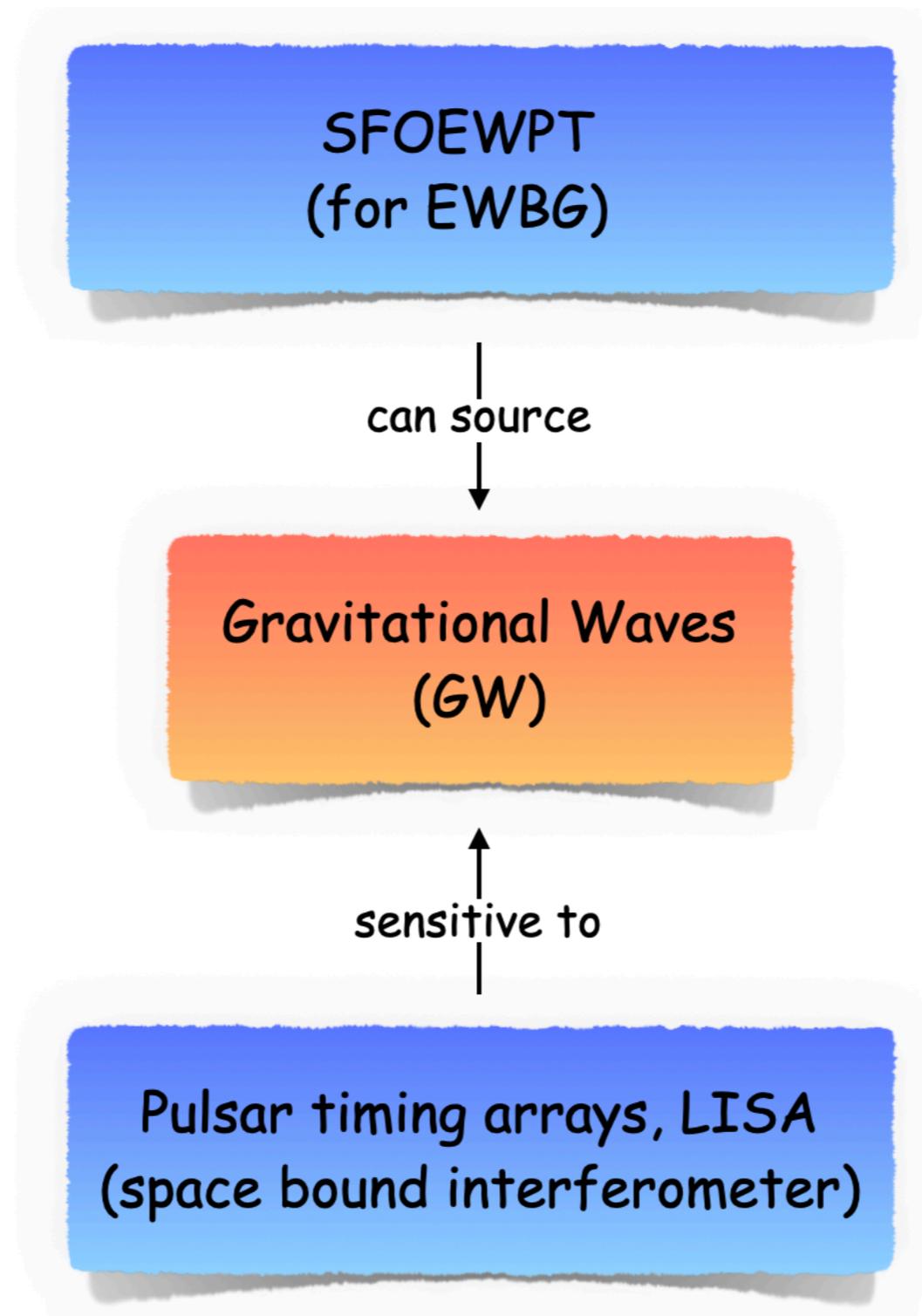
They expand & particles in plasma interact with the phase interface in a CP-violating way



CP-asymmetry is converted into a baryon asymmetry by sphalerons in the symmetric phase in front of bubble wall

Produced baryons must not be washed out by sphaleron processes in symmetric phase in front of bubble wall \star

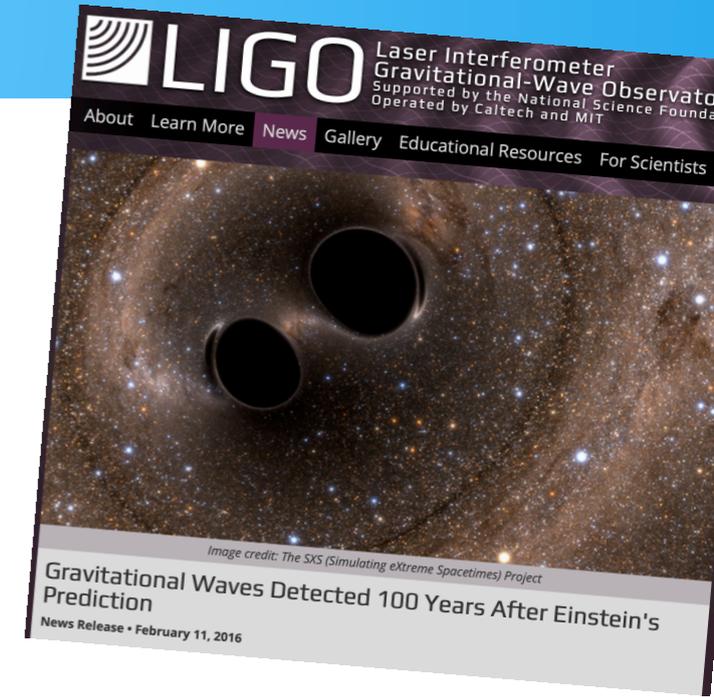
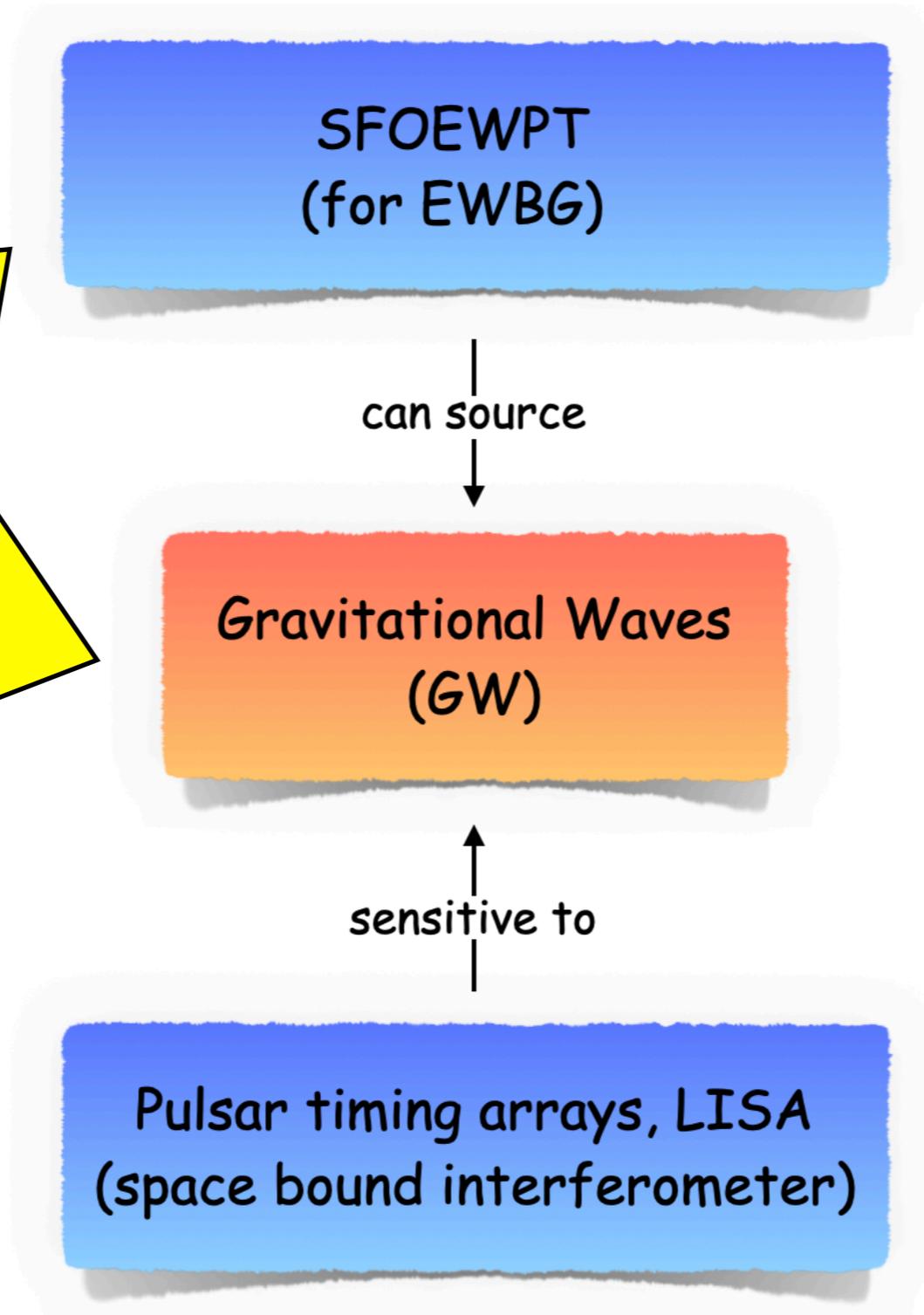
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Directly probe echo of
Cosmological FOPT

Discovery of Physics
Beyond the SM



The Model „CP in the Dark“

♦ Next-to-Minimal 2-Higgs Doublet Model:

[Azevedo, Ferreira, MM, Patel, Santos, Wittbrodt, '18]

$$\begin{aligned} V^{(0)} = & m_{11}^2 |\Phi_1|^2 + m_{22}^2 |\Phi_2|^2 + \frac{m_S^2}{2} \Phi_S^2 + \left(A \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2 \Phi_S + \text{h.c.} \right) \\ & + \frac{\lambda_1}{2} |\Phi_1|^4 + \frac{\lambda_2}{2} |\Phi_2|^4 + \lambda_3 |\Phi_1|^2 |\Phi_2|^2 + \lambda_4 |\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2|^2 + \frac{\lambda_5}{2} [(\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 + (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_1)^2] \\ & + \frac{\lambda_6}{4} \Phi_S^4 + \frac{\lambda_7}{2} |\Phi_1|^2 \Phi_S^2 + \frac{\lambda_8}{2} |\Phi_2|^2 \Phi_S^2. \end{aligned}$$

♦ with one discrete \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry: $\Phi_1 \rightarrow \Phi_1$, $\Phi_2 \rightarrow -\Phi_2$, $\Phi_S \rightarrow -\Phi_S$

one SM-like Higgs plus dark sector: h_1, h_2, h_3, H^\pm

♦ trilinear coupling A is complex: dark sector with explicit CP violation <- not constrained by electric dipole moment

Vacuum Structure of „CP in the Dark“

♦ General vacuum structure at $T \neq 0$:

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electroweak VEVs: ω_1, ω_2 , CP-violating VEV: ω_{CP}

charge-breaking VEV: ω_{CB} (unphysical; found to be zero for all of our scan points)

Z_2 -symmetry breaking VEV: ω_S

♦ General vacuum structure at $T=0$:

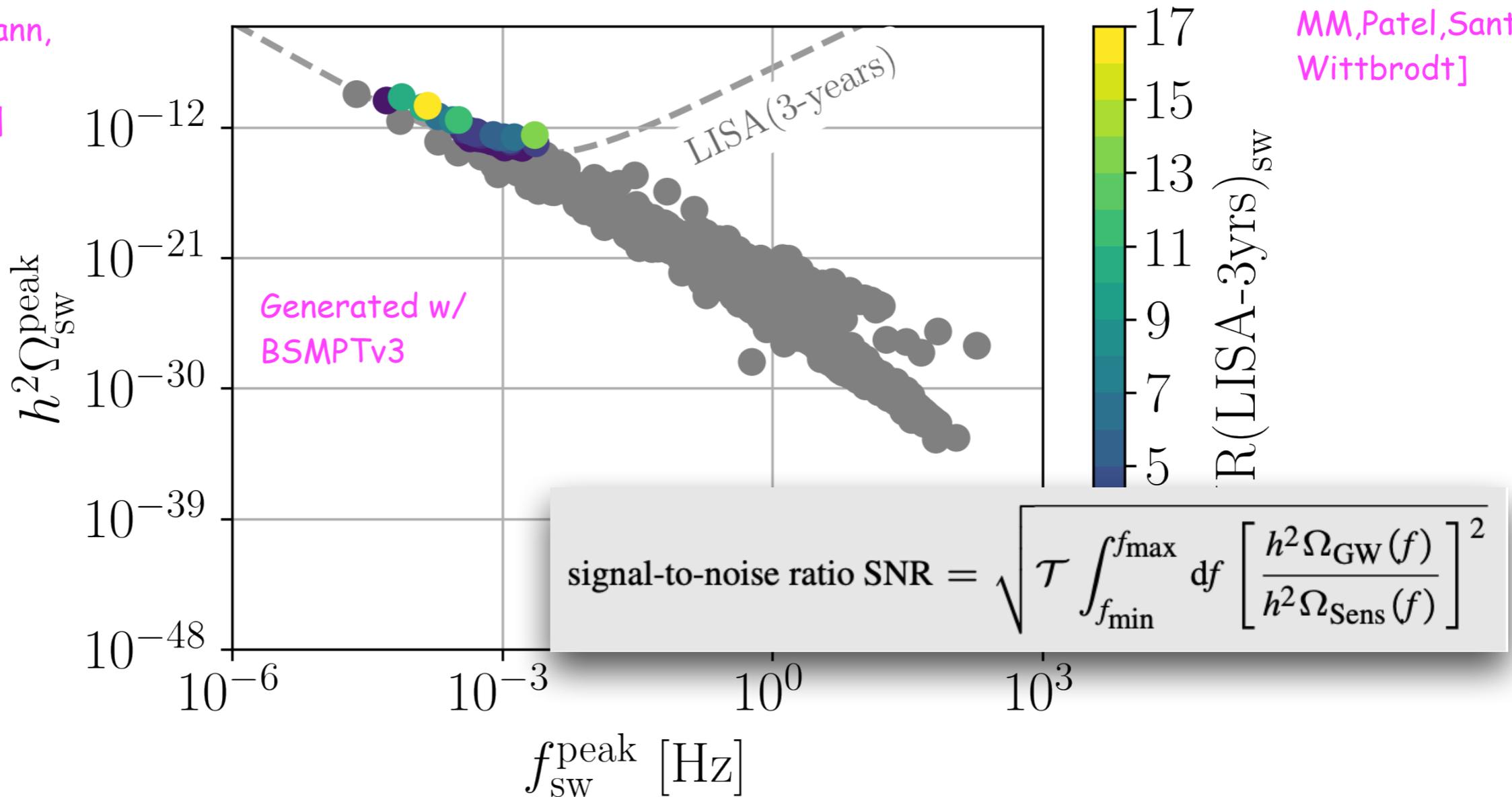
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$$\omega_1|_{T=0 \text{ GeV}} = v_1 \equiv v = 246.22 \text{ GeV}$$

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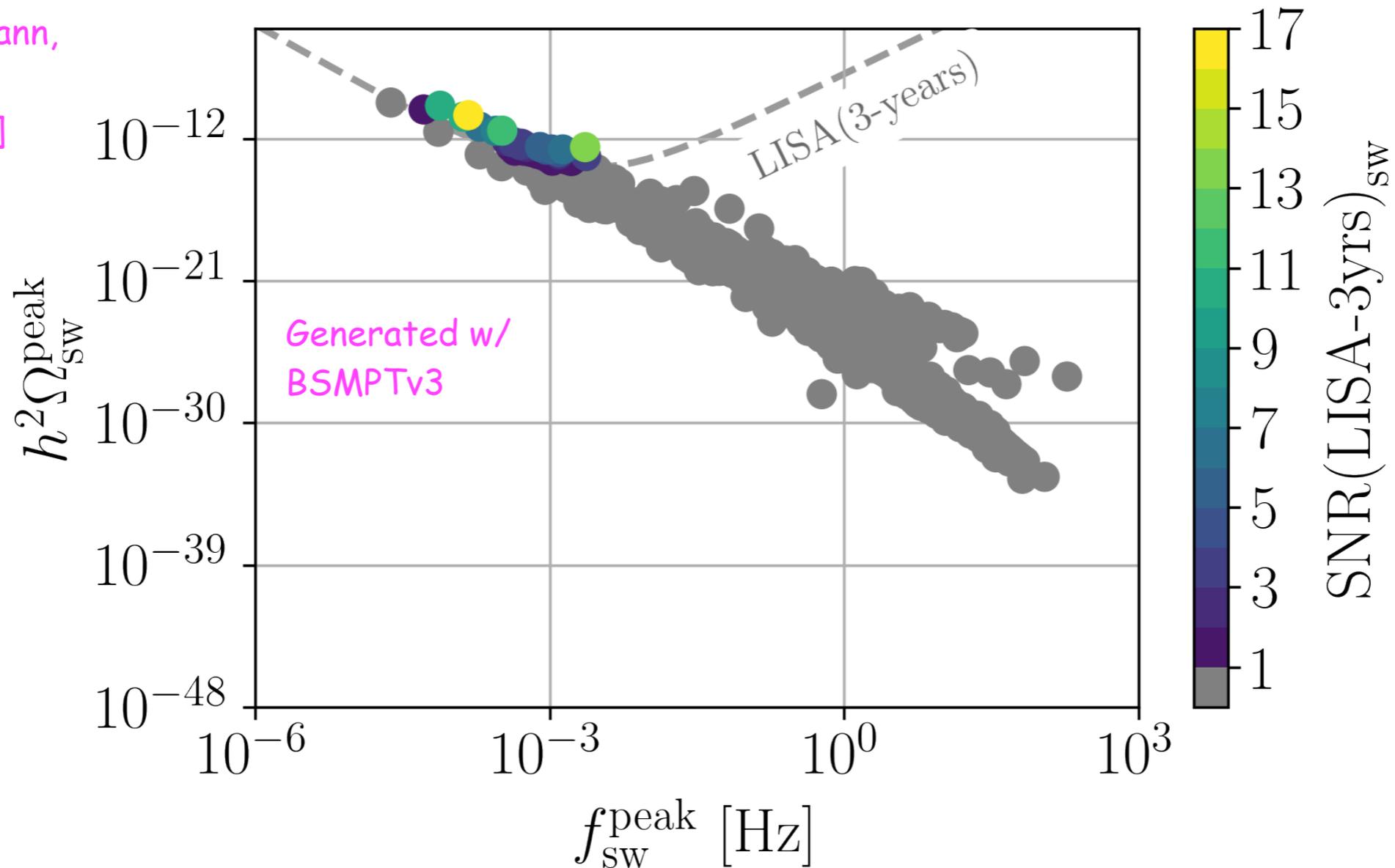


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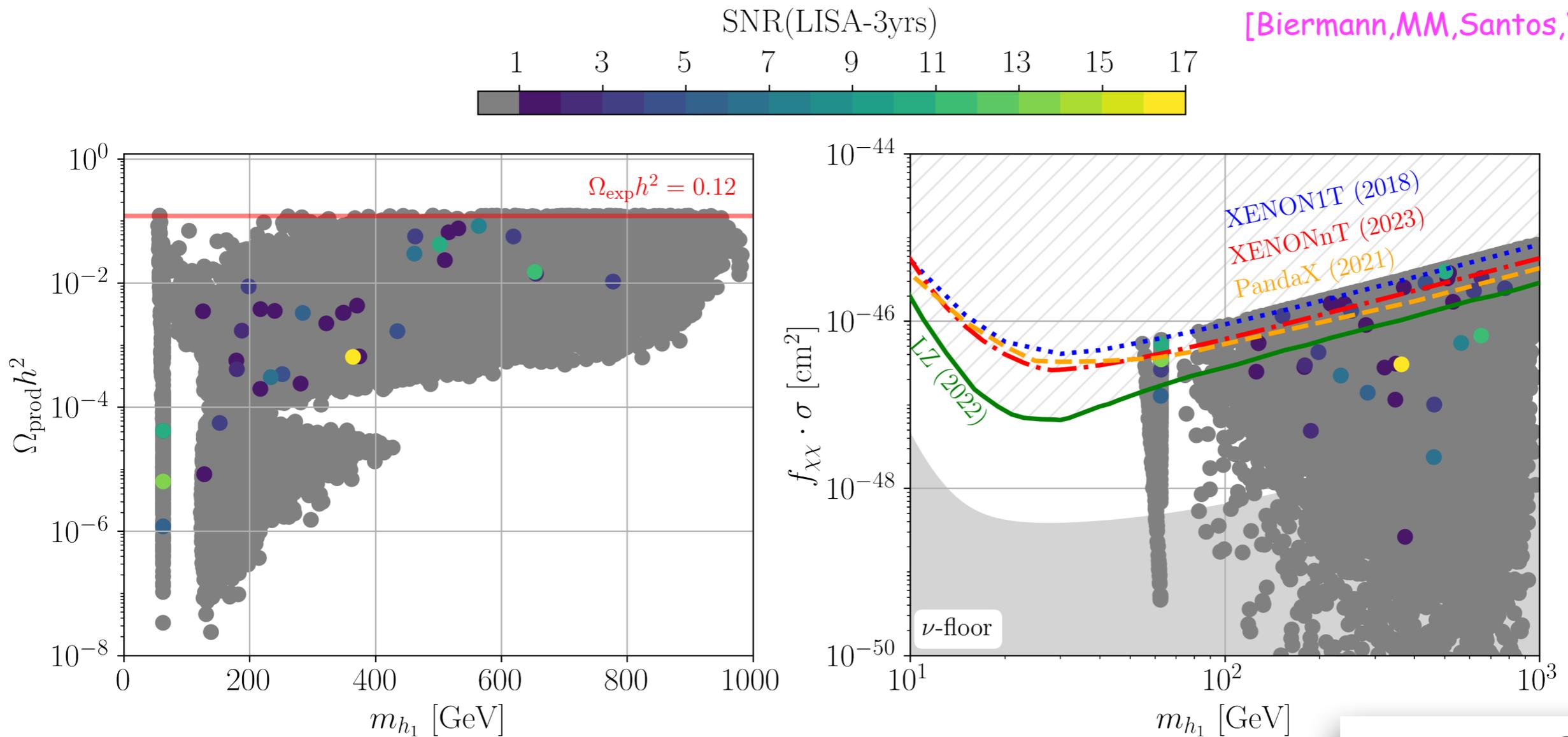


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DM Observables and GW

[Biermann,MM,Santos,Viana]

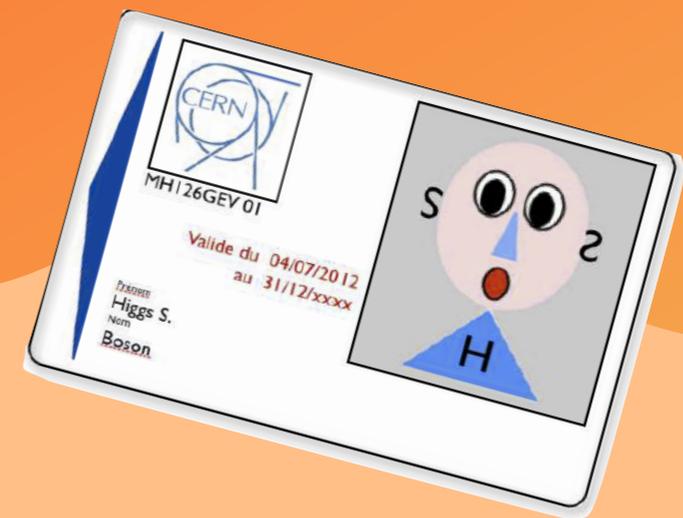


$$\sigma \cdot f_{\text{xx}} \equiv \sigma \cdot \frac{\Omega_{\text{prod}} h^2}{\Omega_{\text{obs}} h^2}$$

- Viable GW points (SNR(LISA-3yrs)>1 - colored points): compatible w/ relic density (< Ωh^2)
- above neutrino floor
- testable at future direct detection experiments

Conclusions

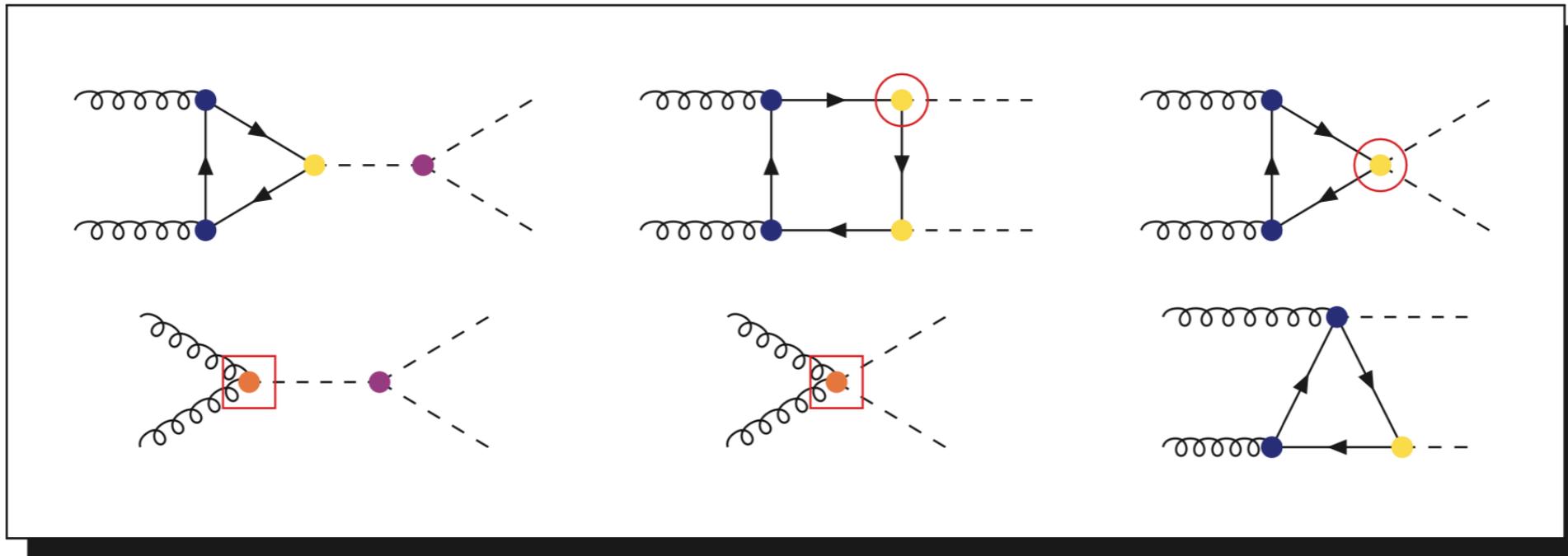
- ◆ Open Problems of the SM \rightsquigarrow BSM w/ (mostly extended) Higgs sectors
- ◆ Higgs tool: new physics model, flavour/matter puzzle, Dark Matter, baryon asymmetry, vacuum stability, evolution of the universe
- ◆ Precision investigation of the Higgs boson:
 - > establish electroweak symmetry breaking
 - > indirect constraints on BSM physics
- ◆ Not miss any new physics hint:
 - > sophisticated experimental investigations, precise theory predictions
 - > multi-pronged approach (collider physics - astroparticle physics - cosmology)
- ◆ Exciting times ahead!



*Thank you for
your attention!*



Example EFT Operators Contributing to Higgs Pair Production



Non-linear EFT:

couplings of one/two Higgs bosons to gluons become linear independent
couplings of one/two Higgs bosons to fermions become linear independent

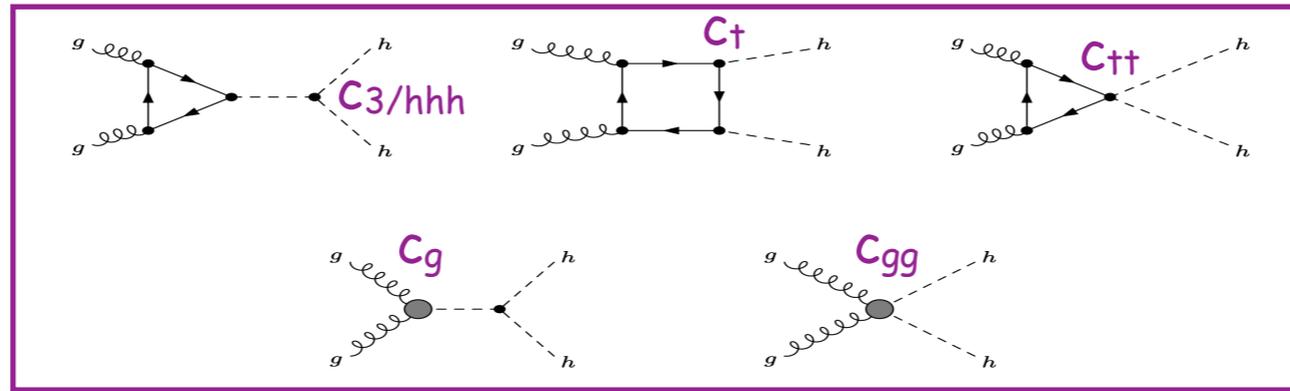
can be probed directly in di-Higgs productions

Processes w/ 0,1,2 Higgs boson need to be connected to disentangle linear/non-linear dynamics

Note: EFT operators destroy SM cancellation between triangle and box diagrams

↪ limits derived on λ_{HHH} depend on EFT description

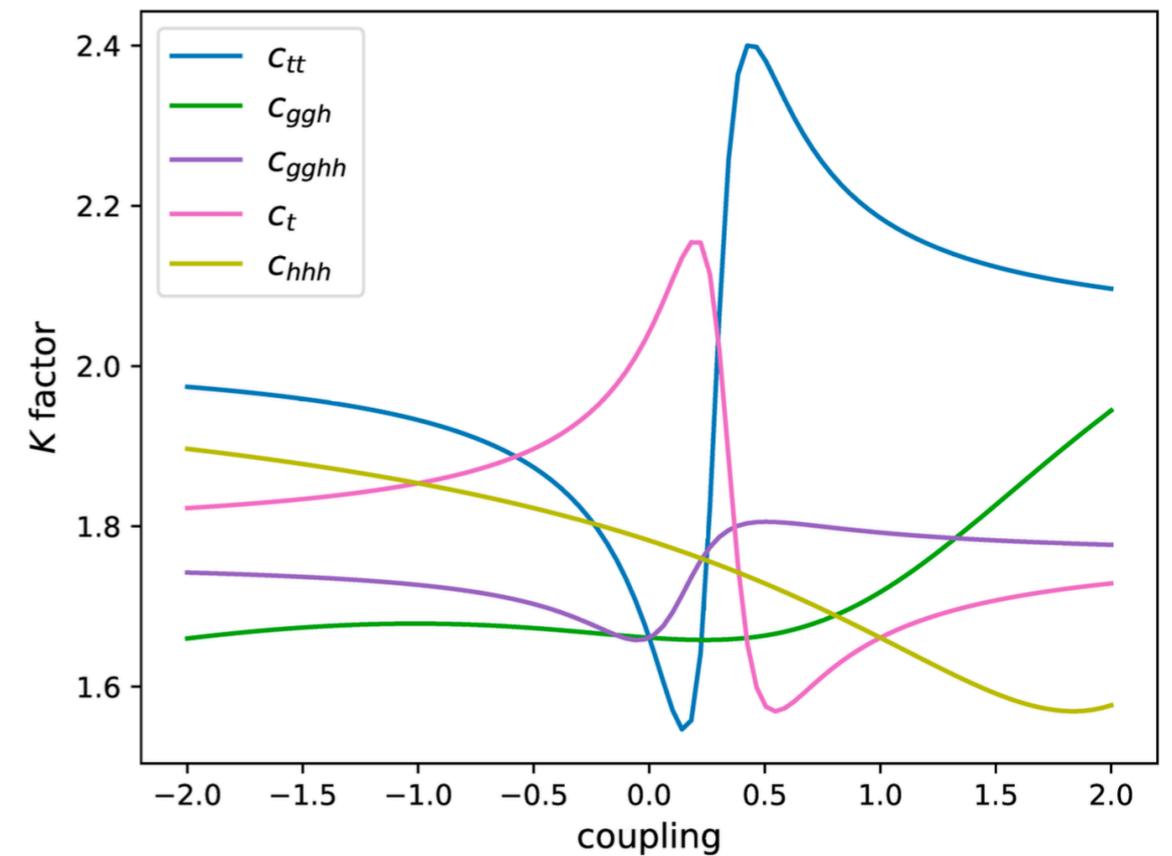
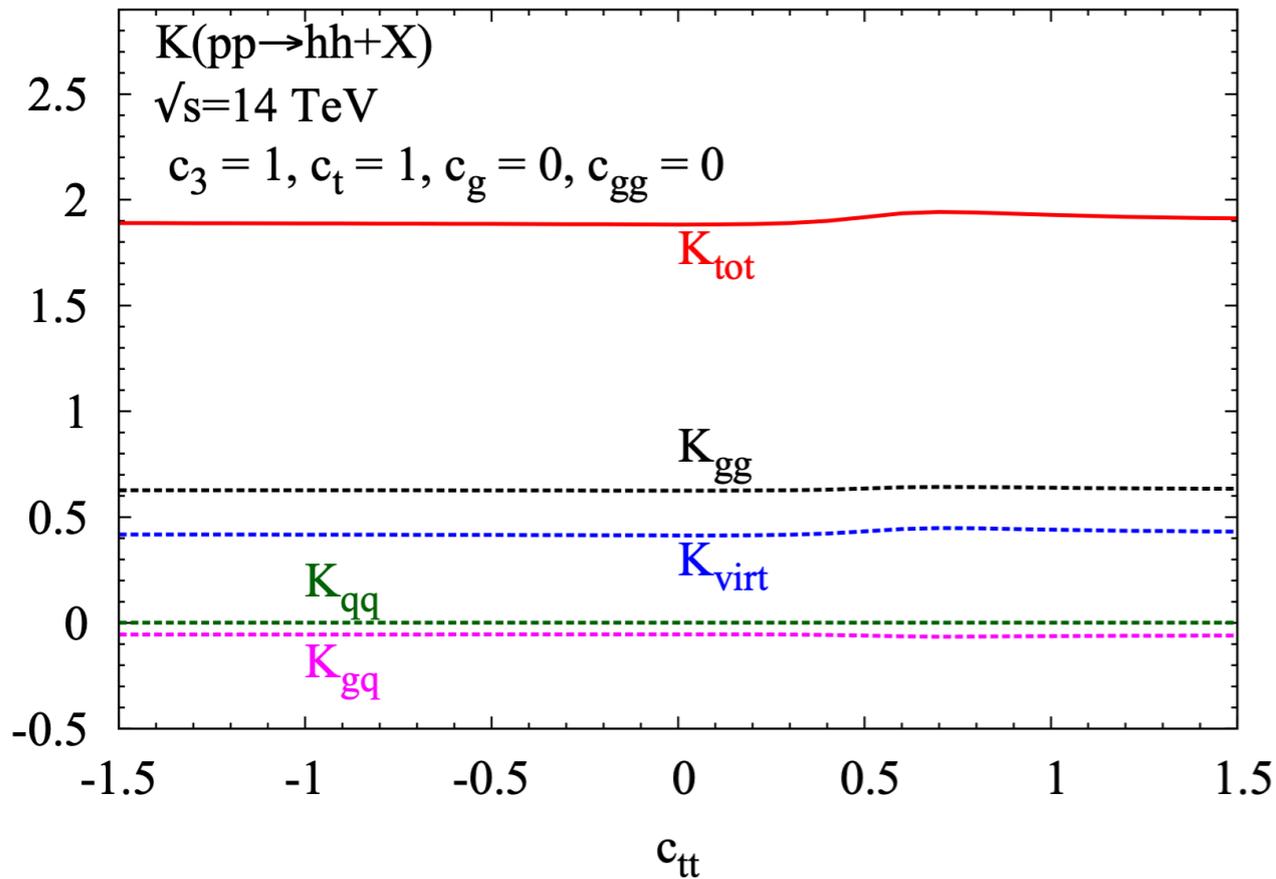
EFT Effect at NLO QCD in HH



K-factor:
ratio of NLO
to LO observable

[Gröber,MM,Spira,Streicher,'15]

[Buchalla,Capozi,Celis,Heinrich,Scyboz,'18]



Tops integrated out at NLO:
- flat dependence of K-factors

Inclusion of full top dependence at NLO:
- non-uniform K-factors

[see also de Florian,Fabre,Mazzitelli,'17]

Decoupling

- **Alignment limit:** one of the neutral Higgs bosons has to be approximately aligned with the direction of the Higgs VEV in field space \sim limit of a SM Higgs
- **Alignment with decoupling:** Alignment limit in extended Higgs sector realized if all additional Higgs states are very heavy: **decoupling limit**
- **Alignment without decoupling:** occurs generically in 2HDMs

⇒ Masses of the heavy 2HDM Higgs bosons take the form: $\Phi \equiv H, H^\pm, A$

$$m_\Phi^2 = M^2 + \lambda_i v^2 (+\mathcal{O}(v^4/M^2))$$

λ_i linear combination of $\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_5$

⇒ In case $M^2 \gg \lambda_i v^2$: heavy Higgs bosons decouple, h behaves SM-like ($\sin(\beta - \alpha) \rightarrow 1$)

alignment/decoupling limit

⇒ **alignment without decoupling:** H can become SM-like particle ($\cos(\beta - \alpha) \rightarrow 1$) \sim light Higgs h with mass below 125 GeV in the spectrum

⇒ **Strong coupling regime:** $M^2 \leq \lambda_i v^2$: large value of m_Φ for λ_i large (limited by perturbativity)

Flavour-Changing Neutral Currents

⇒ Yukawa Lagrangian:
$$\mathcal{L}_Y = -\left\{ \bar{Q}'_L (\Gamma_1 \Phi_1 + \Gamma_2 \Phi_2) D'_R - \bar{Q}'_L (\Delta_1 \tilde{\Phi}_1 + \Delta_2 \tilde{\Phi}_2) U'_R + \bar{L}' (\Pi_1 \Phi_1 + \Pi_2 \Phi_2) E'_R + h.c. \right\},$$

where Q'_L, L'_L denote the left-handed quark and lepton doublets and $Q \equiv (U, D)^T$, $L \equiv (\nu, E)^T$, with $U \equiv (u, c, t)^T$, $D \equiv (d, s, b)^T$, $\nu \equiv (\nu_e, \nu_\mu, \nu_\tau)^T$ and $E \equiv (e, \mu, \tau)^T$. The indices L, R denote left- and right-handed fermions f given by

$$f_{L,R} = P_{L,R} f \equiv \frac{1}{2} (1 \mp \gamma_5) f.$$

We have defined $\tilde{\Phi}_a = (\Phi_a^T \epsilon)^\dagger$, with

$$\epsilon = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 \\ -1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

The couplings Γ_a, Δ_a and Π_a ($a = 1, 2$) are 3×3 complex matrices in flavour space.

Problem w/ 2 Higgs doublets: Mass and coupling matrices cannot be diagonalized simultaneously
~> FCNC at tree-level!

- **Solution:** Extend discrete \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry of Higgs sector to Yukawa sector such that only one Higgs doublet couples to a given right-handed fermions

Flavour-Changing Neutral Currents

- Four 2HDM types:

- type I 2HDM: All quarks couple to just one of the Higgs doublets (conventionally chosen to be Φ_2).
- type II 2HDM: The $Q = 2/3$ right-handed (RH) quarks couple to one Higgs doublet (conventionally chosen to be Φ_2) and the $Q = -1/3$ RH quarks couple to the other (Φ_1).
- Lepton-specific model: The RH quarks all couple to Φ_2 and the RH leptons couple to Φ_1 .
- Flipped model: The RH up-type quarks couple to Φ_2 , the RH down-type quarks couple to Φ_1 , as in type II, but now the RH leptons couple to Φ_2 .

- Alternative solution: alignment in flavor space of the Yukawa couplings

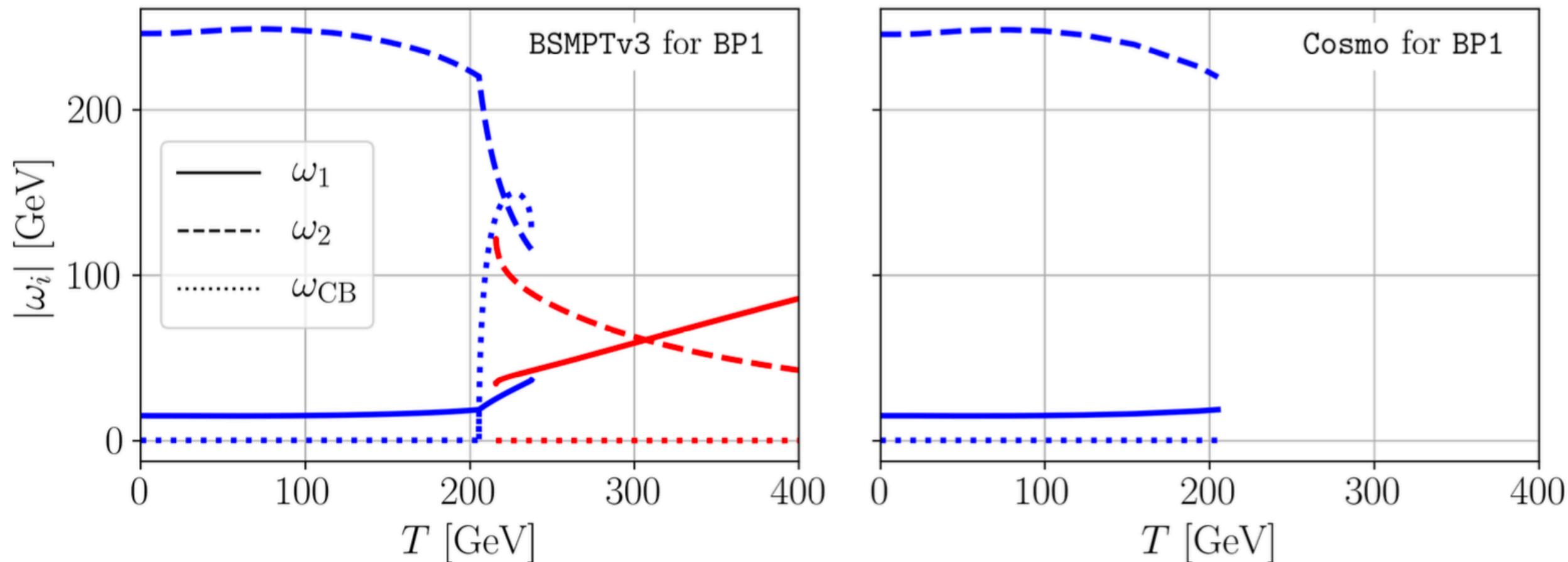
$$\Gamma_2 = \xi_d e^{-i\theta} \Gamma_1, \quad \Delta_2 = \xi_u^* e^{i\theta} \Delta_1, \quad \Pi_2 = \xi_l e^{-i\theta} \Pi_1$$

masses and couplings are proportional to each other \leadsto can be diagonalized simultaneously
four Yukawa types appear as special cases of the aligned 2HDM (A2HDM)

Transition History - Comparison w/ CosmoTransitions

high-T phase, low-T phase

[Basler, Biermann, MM, Müller, Santos, Viana, '24]



History:

BSMPTv3

- first-order PT from neutral (red) to charge-breaking CB phase (blue)
- second-order PT into a neutral minimum

CosmoTransitions

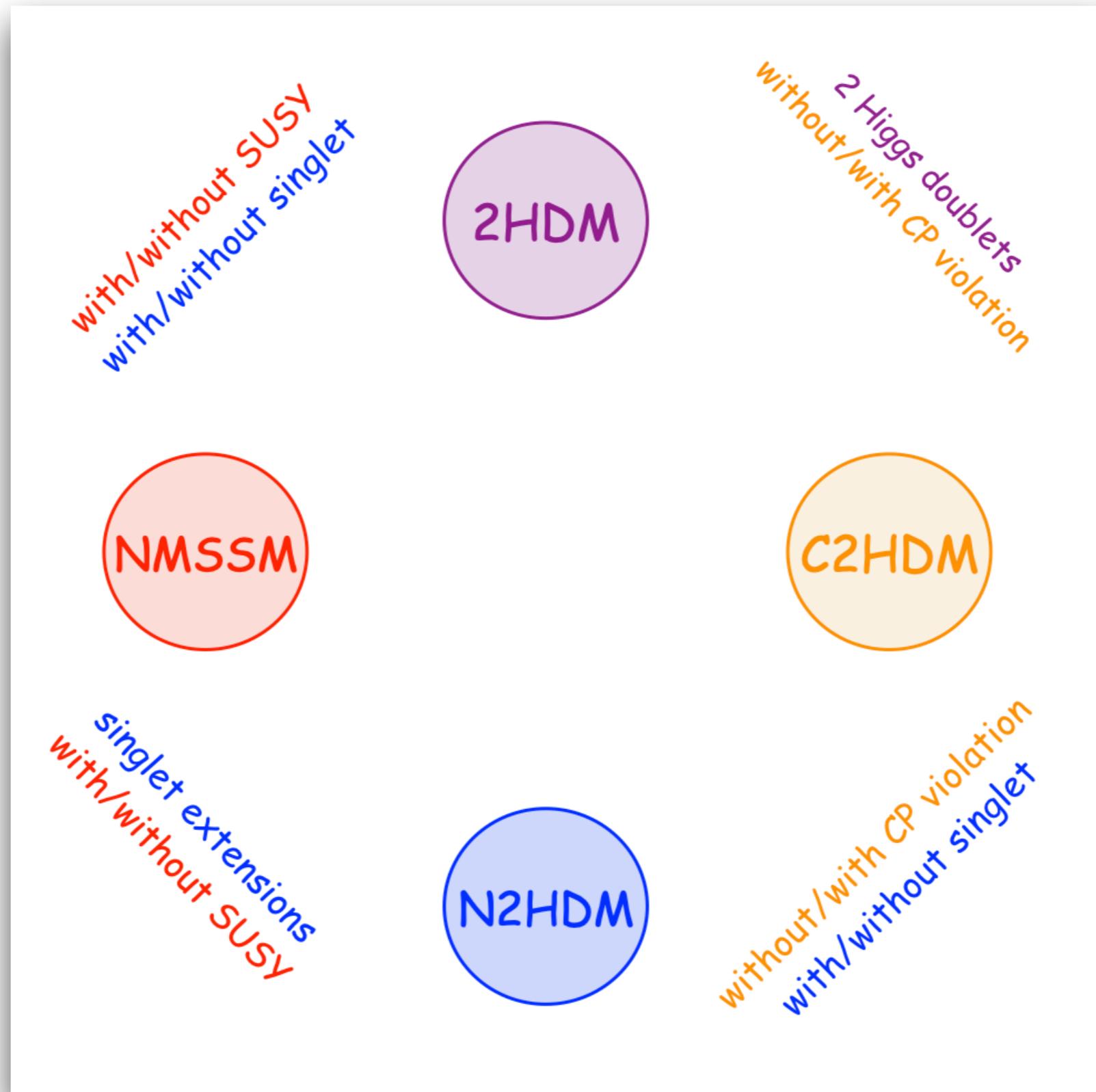
- agrees w/ low-T phase until $T \sim 200$ GeV
- fails to trace any minima for higher temperatures

Overview on BSM Higgs Pair Production

Overview of Higgs Pair production possibilities including theoretical and experimental constraints in archetypical BSM Higgs sectors including different symmetries

provide benchmark points / lines / planes for experiment

Investigated Models



Investigated Models

2HDM

C2HDM

N2HDM

NMSSM

2 Higgs doublets

CP-violating

Singlet extension

Supersymmetry

h, H, A, H^+, H^-

H_1, H_2, H_3, H^+, H^-

H_1, H_2, H_3, H^+, H^-

$H_1, H_2, H_3, A, H^+, H^-$

SFOEWPT, DM,
plus charged Higgs

plus CP violation
baryogenesis

rich pheno, DM
SFOEWPT

a lot (DM, CPviol,
Hierarchy, ...)

Resonant Enhancement

Higgs-to-Higgs Cascade decays

♦ Following results based on:

Abouabid, Arhrib, Azevedo, El Falaki, Ferreira, MMM, Santos, „Benchmarking Di-Higgs Production in Extended Higgs Sectors“, JHEP 09 (2022) 011

How Define Resonant Di-Higgs Production?

Additional Higgs bosons H_k : possible resonant enhancement of the di-Higgs cross section

- * If $m_{H_k} < m_{H_i} + m_{H_j}$ then clear case of „non-resonant“ production
- * If $m_{H_k} > m_{H_i} + m_{H_j}$: resonance contribution may be suppressed due to small couplings, large masses, large widths or destructive interference effects
- * Distinction resonant/non-resonant: if cross section** more than 10% of total di-Higgs result \leadsto resonant limits

From an experimental point of view the cross section would not be distinguishable from „non-resonant“ production then. \Rightarrow Our recipe:

- * HiggsBounds turned off for di-Higgs
- * Use SusHi to calculate $\sigma(H_k)$ for all possible intermediate resonances H_k at NNLO QCD
- * Calculate $\sigma(H_k) \times \text{BR}(H_k \rightarrow H_{SM} H_{SM})^{**}$ and compare it with experiment
- * Exception: exp. limits assume narrow resonance \rightarrow we keep points if $(\Gamma_{\text{tot}}(H_k)/m_{H_k})_{\text{limit}} > 5\%$

Provided final states on request: 4b, (2b)(2tau), (2b)(2gamma), (2b)(2W), (2b)(2Z), (2W)(2gamma), 4W

Suppress interfering Higgs signals by excluding scenarios with neighboring Higgs masses below 5 GeV.

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- **CP violation:** one of the three Sakharov conditions for the generation of the baryon-anti baryon asymmetry through electroweak baryogenesis

- **C2HDM Higgs potential:** w/ softly broken \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry

[Ginzburg, Krawczyk, Osland, '02]

$$V = m_{11}^2 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1 + m_{22}^2 \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2 - \left(m_{12}^2 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2 + h.c. \right) + \frac{\lambda_1}{2} \left(\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1 \right)^2 + \frac{\lambda_2}{2} \left(\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2 \right)^2 \\ + \lambda_3 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1) (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2) + \lambda_4 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2) (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_1) + \left[\frac{\lambda_5}{2} \left(\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2 \right)^2 + h.c. \right]$$

All parameters are real except for m_{12}^2 and λ_5 : $m_{12}^2 = |m_{12}^2| e^{i\phi(m_{12}^2)}$, $\lambda_5 = |\lambda_5| e^{i\phi(\lambda_5)}$

The two complex phases are not independent of each other

$$2\text{Re}(m_{12}^2) \tan \phi(m_{12}^2) = v_1 v_2 \text{Re}(\lambda_5) \tan \phi(\lambda_5)$$

Ensure CP violation (both phases cannot be removed simultaneously) by choosing:

$$\phi(\lambda_5) \neq 2\phi(m_{12}^2)$$

The CP-violating 2HDM (C2HDM)

- **Mass spectrum and mixing:** CP violation \leadsto neutral formerly CP-even (h, H) and CP-odd (A) states mix to mass eigenstates H_i ($i = 1, 2, 3$) with indefinite CP quantum number

$$\Phi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^+ \\ \frac{v_1 + \rho_1 + i\eta_1}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} \quad \Phi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_2^+ \\ \frac{v_2 + \rho_2 + i\eta_2}{\sqrt{2}} \end{pmatrix} \quad \Rightarrow \quad \begin{pmatrix} H_1 \\ H_2 \\ H_3 \end{pmatrix} = R \begin{pmatrix} \rho_1 \\ \rho_2 \\ \rho_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

with
$$R = \begin{pmatrix} c_1 c_2 & s_1 c_2 & s_2 \\ -(c_1 s_2 s_3 + s_1 c_3) & c_1 c_3 - s_1 s_2 s_3 & c_2 s_3 \\ -c_1 s_2 c_3 + s_1 s_3 & -(c_1 s_3 + s_1 s_2 c_3) & c_2 c_3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{and} \quad m_{H_1} \leq m_{H_2} \leq m_{H_3}$$

$-\pi/2 < \alpha_1 \leq \pi/2, \quad -\pi/2 < \alpha_2 \leq \pi/2, \quad -\pi/2 < \alpha_3 \leq \pi/2$

only two masses are independent:

$$m_{H_3}^2 = \frac{m_{H_1}^2 R_{13}(R_{12} \tan \beta - R_{11}) + m_{H_2}^2 R_{23}(R_{22} \tan \beta - R_{21})}{R_{33}(R_{31} - R_{32} \tan \beta)}$$

Charged Higgs sector is unchanged.

- **C2HDM input parameters:** $m_{H_i}, m_{H_j}, m_{H^\pm}, \text{Re}(m_{12}^2), v, \tan \beta, R_{23}, c_{H_i VV}^2, c_{H_i tt}^2$, with $m_{H_i} \leq m_{H_j}$ and sign of R_{13} to lift degeneracy from squared couplings
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3 neutral CP-mixed Higgs bosons: H_1, H_2, H_3 ,

with $m_{H_1} \leq m_{H_2} \leq m_{H_3}$

2 charged Higgs bosons: H^+, H^-

with $R = \begin{pmatrix} -(c_1 s_1 s_2 c_3 + s_1 s_2 c_3) & -(c_1 s_3 + s_1 s_2 c_3) & c_2 c_3 \\ -c_1 s_2 c_3 + s_1 s_3 & & \end{pmatrix} \leq m_{H_2} \leq m_{H_3}$

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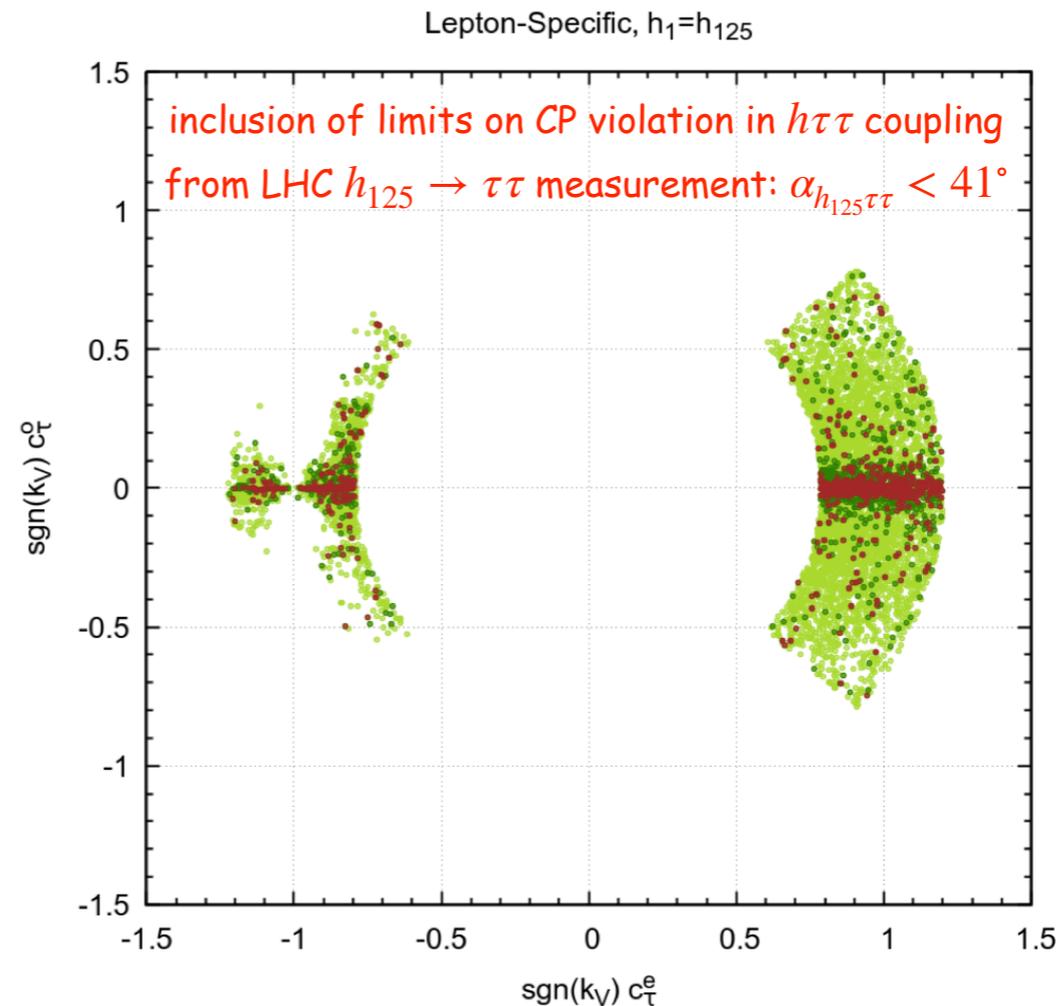
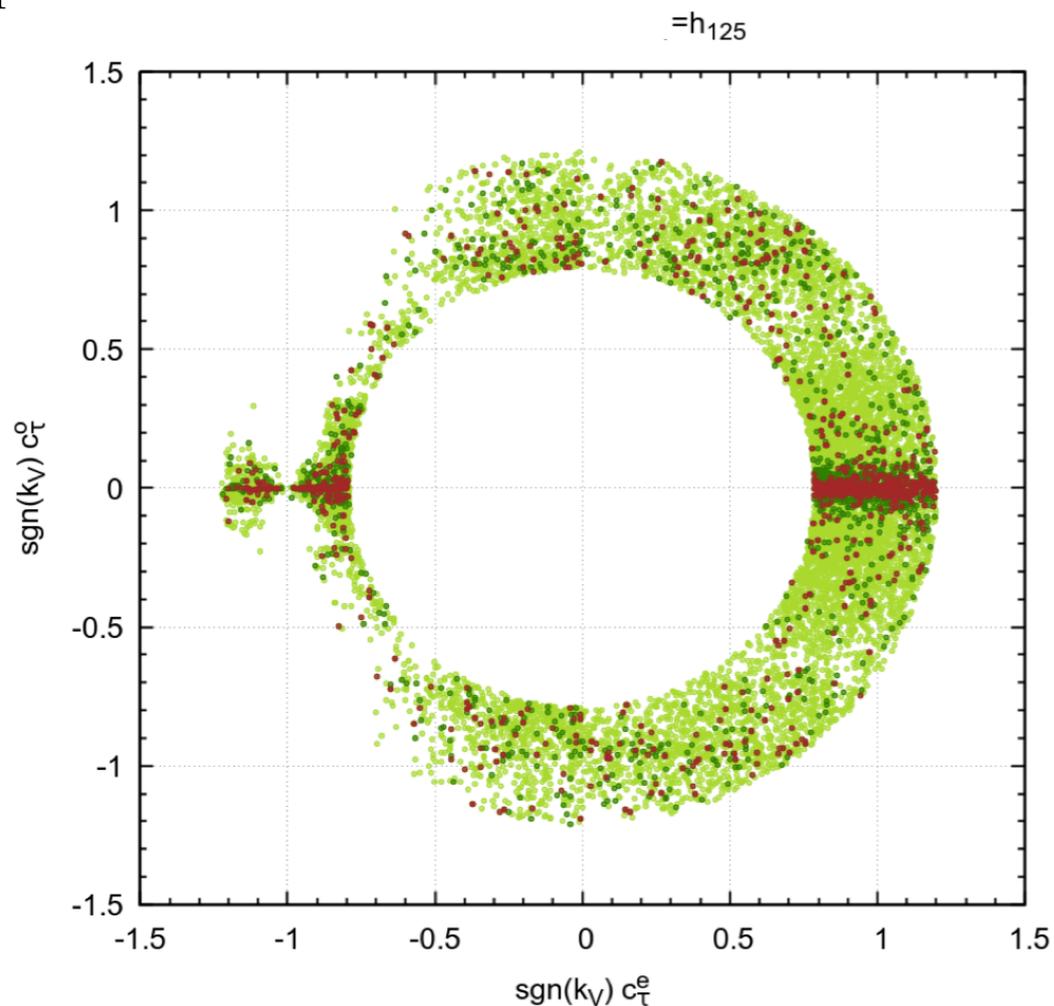
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Interdependence between LHC Higgs Data and the Electron EDM

$$\mathcal{L}_Y = - \sum_{i=1}^3 \frac{m_f}{v} \bar{f} [c^e(h_i f \bar{f}) + i c^o(h_i f \bar{f}) \gamma_5] f h_i$$

[Biekötter, Fontes, MM, Romão, Santos, Silva, '24]



Combined fits from LHC run2&3 on Higgs data&searches, new EDM results, data from direct CP-violation searches in angular correlations of the τ 's in $h_{125} \rightarrow \tau\tau$, the bound on m_{H^\pm} from $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ constrain possible amount of CP-violation: only in the LS case a sizable amount of CP-odd components, $|c^o| \approx |c^e|$, is still allowed, where CP violation occurs in the $h_{125}\tau\tau$ coupling. The amount is ultimately limited by the LHC measurements of $\alpha_{h_{125}\tau\tau}$

The dark red points obey the currently strongest limit on the eEDM 4.1×10^{-30} e.cm reported by JILA [60].

C2HDM Higgs Decay Widths

[Fontes,MM,Romão,Santos,Silva,Wittbrodt,'17]

- **Fortran code C2HDM_HDECAY**: partial decay widths and branching ratios in the CP-violating 2HDM including off-shell decays, loop-induced decays and state-of-the-art higher-order QCD correction

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- **The N2HDM:** based on the CP-conserving 2HDM w/ a softly broken \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry, extended by a real singlet field Φ_S [Chen,Freid,Sher,'14] [MM,Sampaio,Santos,Wittbrodt,'16]
- **Motivation:**
 - enlarged Higgs sector \leadsto rich phenomenology
 - study effect of singlet admixture
 - rich vacuum structure (possibility of strong first order phase transition)
 - possible Dark Matter candidate

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- The tree-level potential:

$$\begin{aligned} V = & m_{11}^2 |\Phi_1|^2 + m_{22}^2 |\Phi_2|^2 - m_{12}^2 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2 + h.c.) + \frac{\lambda_1}{2} (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1)^2 + \frac{\lambda_2}{2} (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 \\ & + \lambda_3 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1) (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2) + \lambda_4 (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2) (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_1) + \frac{\lambda_5}{2} [(\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 + h.c.] \\ & + \frac{1}{2} m_S^2 \Phi_S^2 + \frac{\lambda_6}{8} \Phi_S^4 + \frac{\lambda_7}{2} (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1) \Phi_S^2 + \frac{\lambda_8}{2} (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2) \Phi_S^2 . \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{V} \right\} \begin{array}{l} \text{2HDM} \\ \text{structure} \end{array}$$

invariant under two discrete symmetries:

$$\mathbb{Z}_2: \Phi_1 \rightarrow \Phi_1, \quad \Phi_2 \rightarrow -\Phi_2, \quad \Phi_S \rightarrow \Phi_S \quad (\text{softly broken})$$

$$\mathbb{Z}'_2: \Phi_1 \rightarrow \Phi_1, \quad \Phi_2 \rightarrow \Phi_2, \quad \Phi_S \rightarrow -\Phi_S$$

- After EWSB:

$$\Phi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^+ \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(v_1 + \rho_1 + i\eta_1) \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Phi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_2^+ \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}(v_2 + \rho_2 + i\eta_2) \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Phi_S = v_S + \rho_S$$

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and $m_{H_1} < m_{H_2} < m_{H_3}$

$$-\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \alpha_{1,2,3} < \frac{\pi}{2}$$

- **N2HDM input parameters:** $m_{H_{1,2,3}}, m_A, m_{H^\pm}, m_{12}^2, \alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3, v, \tan \beta$
- **FCNCs at tree-level:** avoided by extending \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry to Yukawa sector \leadsto 4 N2HDM types analogously to the 2HDM

[MM,Sampaio,Santos,Wittbrodt,1612.01309]

e.g. Yukawa coupling modification factors of the N2HDM H_i Higgs bosons w.r.t. the corresponding SM coupling

	u -type	d -type	leptons
type I	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$
type II	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i1}}{c_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i1}}{c_\beta}$
lepton-specific	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i1}}{c_\beta}$
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and $m_{H_1} < m_{H_2} < m_{H_3}$

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- FCNCs at tree-level:** avoided by extending \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry to Yukawa sector \leadsto 4 N2HDM types analogously to the 2HDM

[MM,Sampaio,Santos,Wittbrodt,1612.01309]

e.g. Yukawa coupling modification factors of the N2HDM H_i Higgs bosons w.r.t. the corresponding SM coupling

	u -type	d -type	leptons
type I	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$
type II	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i1}}{c_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i1}}{c_\beta}$
lepton-specific	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i1}}{c_\beta}$
flipped	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i1}}{c_\beta}$	$\frac{R_{i2}}{s_\beta}$

Theory Constraints

- **Theoretical constraints:** tree-level perturbative unitarity, boundedness from below, global minimum; for details, cf. [MM,Sampaio,Santos,Wittbrodt,1612.01309]
- **More on the N2HDM potential minimum structure:** [Ferreira,MM,Santos,Weiglein,Wittbrodt,1905.1023]
 - **First normal stationary point \mathcal{N} :** both doublet w/ non-zero real VEV, singlet VEV=0 $\Rightarrow \mathbb{Z}'_2$ preserved; singlet does not mix w/ remaining scalars \leadsto DM phase

$$\langle \Phi_1 \rangle_{\mathcal{N}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v_1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle \Phi_2 \rangle_{\mathcal{N}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle \Phi_S \rangle_{\mathcal{N}} = 0$$

- **Second normal stationary point \mathcal{N}_s :** both doublet and singlet w/ non-zero real VEV $\Rightarrow \mathbb{Z}'_2$ broken; singlet mixes w/ the remaining scalars

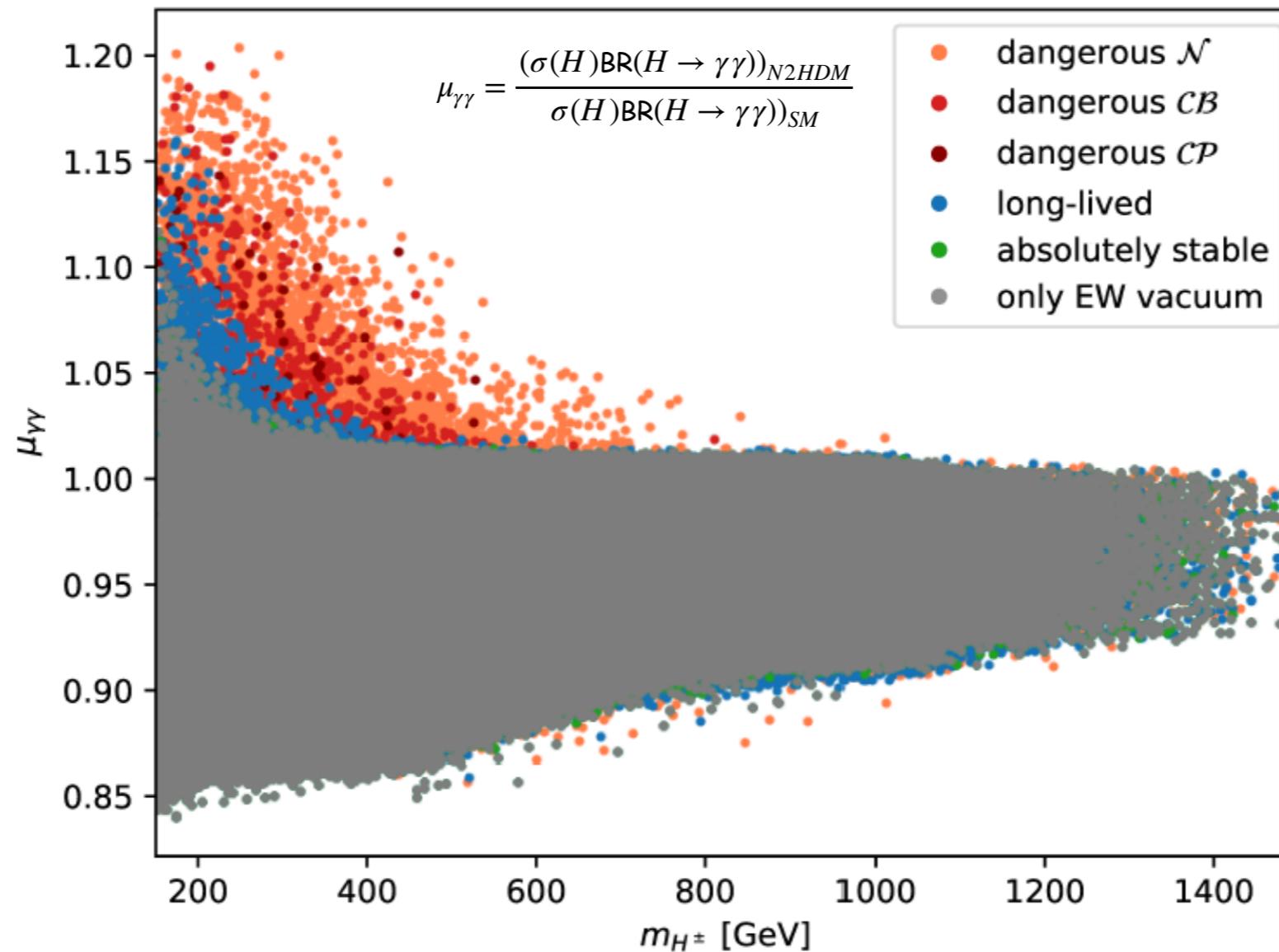
$$\langle \Phi_1 \rangle_{\mathcal{N}_s} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v'_1 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle \Phi_2 \rangle_{\mathcal{N}_s} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v'_2 \end{pmatrix}, \quad \langle \Phi_S \rangle_{\mathcal{N}_s} = v'_S$$

- Analogously first and second charge-breaking, resp. CP-breaking stationary points
- **Stationary point S :** doublets do not acquire VEV, only singlet has non-zero VEV \leadsto EW gauge bosons and fermions massless \leadsto unphysical
- **Further possibilities:** existence of multiple minima of types \mathcal{N} , \mathcal{N}_s or S , also **panic vacuum!**

Interplay vacuum stability and collider observables

Possible vacua in the Next-to-Minimal 2-Higgs-Doublet Model (N2HDM)

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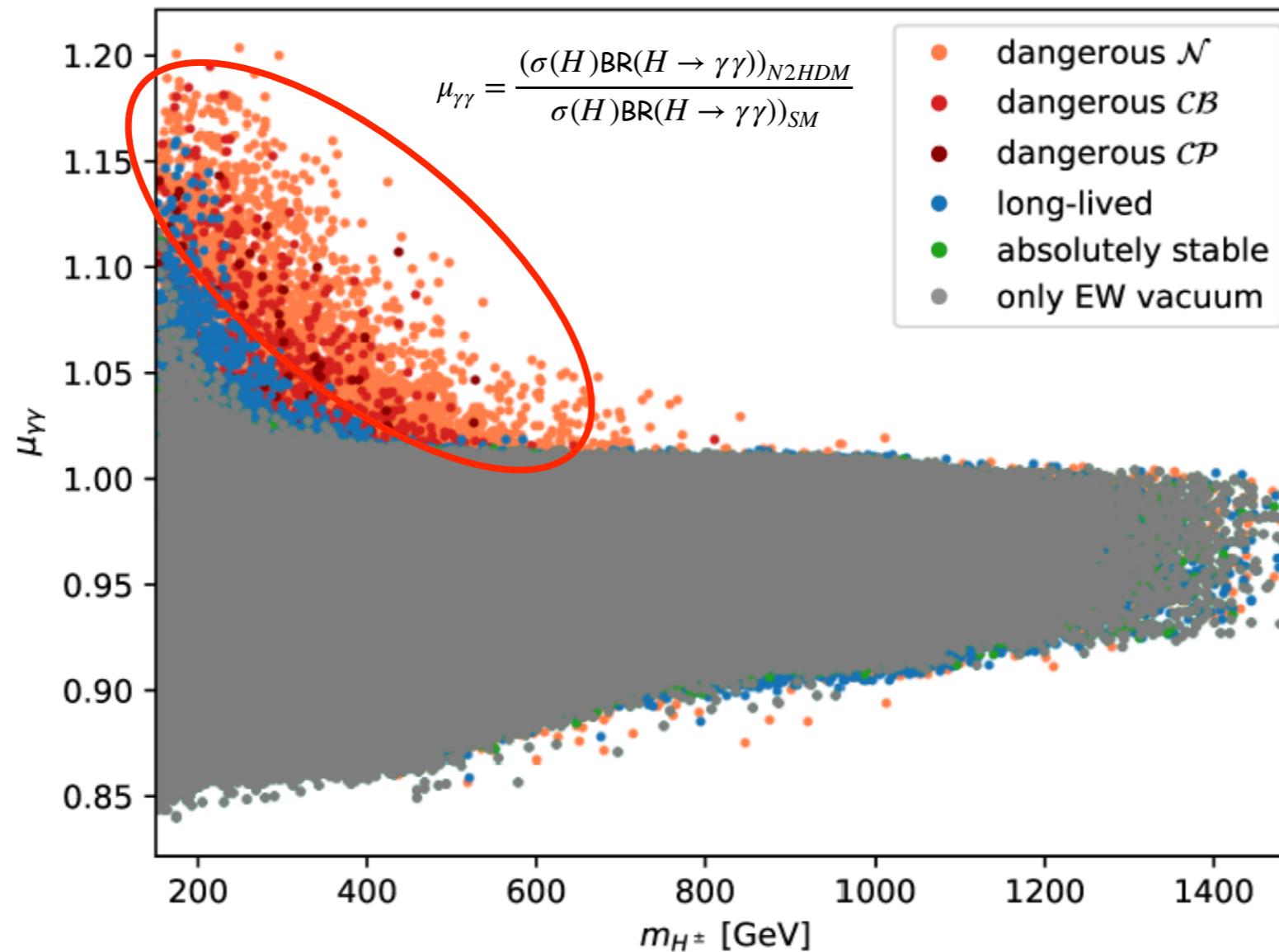


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The Dark Phases of the N2HDM

- **Discrete symmetries:** If both symmetries

$$\mathbb{Z}_2: \Phi_1 \rightarrow \Phi_1, \quad \Phi_2 \rightarrow -\Phi_2, \quad \Phi_S \rightarrow \Phi_S \quad \mathbb{Z}'_2: \Phi_1 \rightarrow \Phi_1, \quad \Phi_2 \rightarrow \Phi_2, \quad \Phi_S \rightarrow -\Phi_S$$

are exact \leadsto DM candidates; tree-level potential (no m_{12}^2):

$$\begin{aligned} V_{\text{Scalar}} = & m_{11}^2 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1 + m_{22}^2 \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2 + \frac{\lambda_1}{2} (\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1)^2 + \frac{\lambda_2}{2} (\Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 \\ & + \lambda_3 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1 \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2 + \lambda_4 \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2 \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_1 + \frac{\lambda_5}{2} \left[(\Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_2)^2 + \text{h.c.} \right] \\ & + \frac{1}{2} m_s^2 \Phi_S^2 + \frac{\lambda_6}{8} \Phi_S^4 + \frac{\lambda_7}{2} \Phi_1^\dagger \Phi_1 \Phi_S^2 + \frac{\lambda_8}{2} \Phi_2^\dagger \Phi_2 \Phi_S^2, \end{aligned}$$

Broken Phase (BP): doublets+singlet non-zero VeVs; $\mathbb{Z}_2, \mathbb{Z}'_2$ spont. broken \leadsto no DM candidates

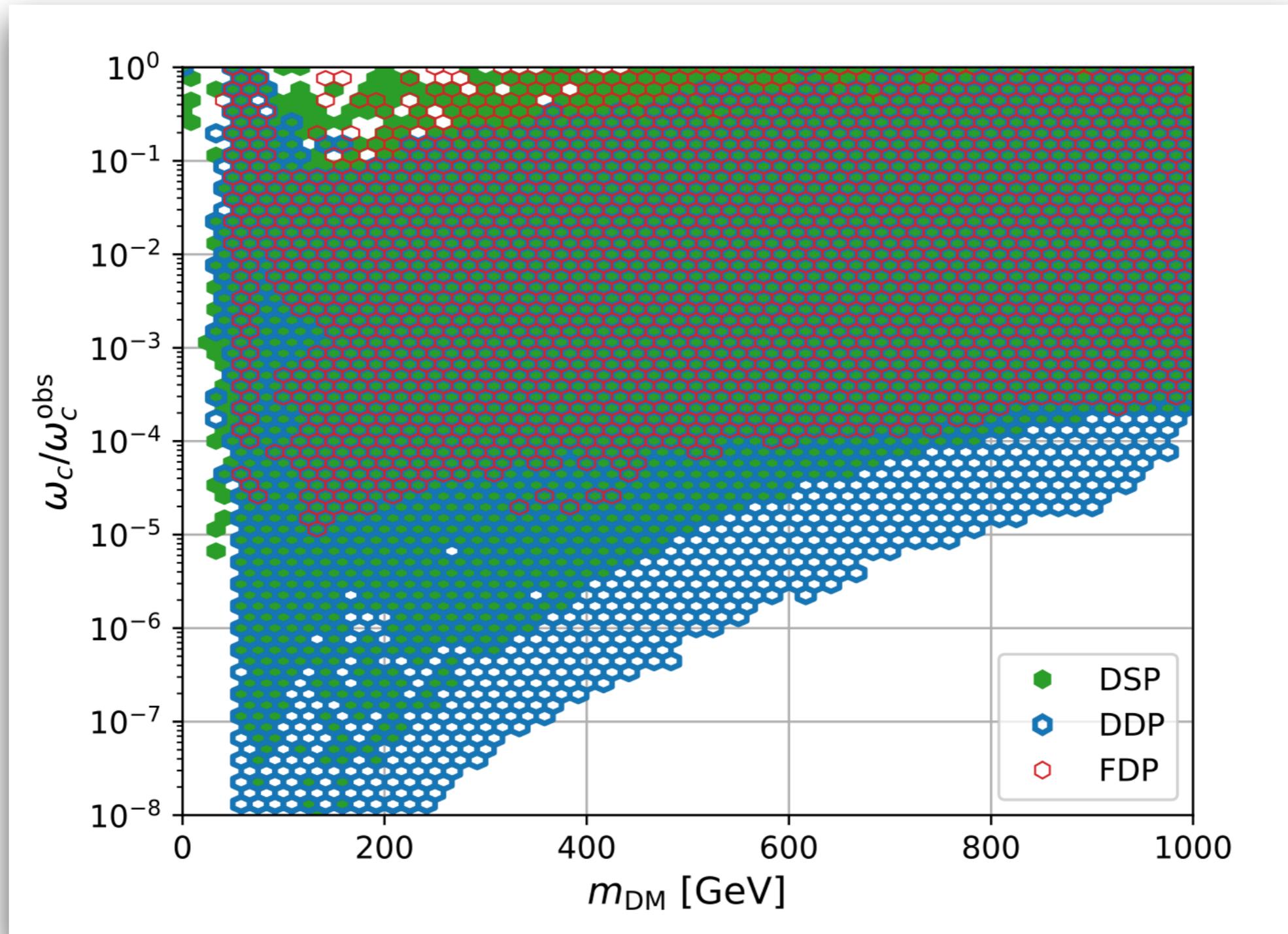
Dark Singlet Phase (DSP): both doublets non-zero VeVs, singlet zero VEV; \mathbb{Z}'_2 unbroken \leadsto 1 DM sector particle (H_D), 5 visible particles (H_1, H_2, A, H^\pm)

Dark Doublet Phase (DDP): one doublet+singlet non-zero VeVs; \mathbb{Z}_2 exact, \mathbb{Z}'_2 spont. broken \leadsto 4 dark sector particles (A_D, H_D, H_D^\pm), 2 visible particles (H_1, H_2)

Fully Dark Phase (FDP): only one doublet non-zero VeV; \mathbb{Z}_2 and \mathbb{Z}'_2 exact \leadsto visible SM Higgs (H_{SM}), dark particles ($H_D^D, H_D^S, A_D, H_D^\pm$)

Impact on DM Observables - Relic Density

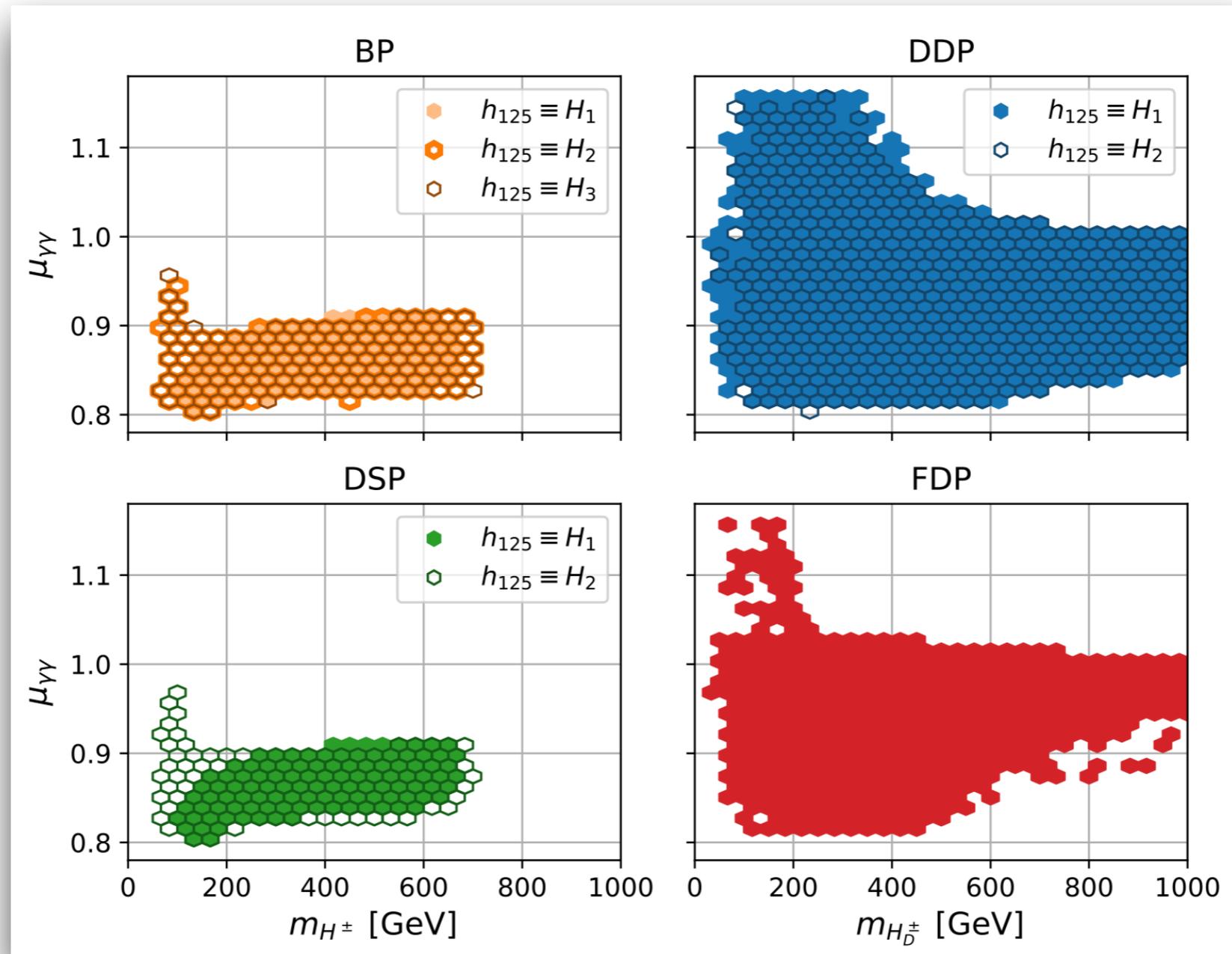
[Engeln,Ferreira,MM,Santos,Wittbrodt,2004.05382]



Interplay with Collider Observables

$$\mu_{\gamma\gamma} = \frac{(\sigma(H)BR(H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma))_{N2HDM}}{\sigma(H)BR(H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)_{SM}}$$

[Engeln,Ferreira,MM,Santos,Wittbrodt,2004.05382]



Visible H^\pm always suppress $\mu_{\gamma\gamma}$ compared to the SM; H_D^\pm have more freedom in their couplings \leadsto enhance or suppress rate
 $\Rightarrow \mu_{\gamma\gamma}$ measurement could exclude BP, DSP

Di-Higgs Beats Single Higgs

[Abouabid, Arhrib, Azevedo, El Falaki, Ferreira, MM, Santos, '21]

Possible for models w/ singlet-dominated and/or h_d -like (small gluon fusion production cxn!)
non-SM-like Higgs boson => **NMSSM benchmark:**

λ	κ	A_λ [GeV]	A_κ [GeV]	μ_{eff} [GeV]	$\tan \beta$
0.545	0.598	168	-739	258	2.255
m_{H^\pm} [GeV]	M_1 [GeV]	M_2 [GeV]	M_3 [TeV]	A_t [GeV]	A_b [GeV]
548	437.872	498.548	2	-1028	1083
$m_{\tilde{Q}_3}$ [GeV]	$m_{\tilde{t}_R}$ [GeV]	$m_{\tilde{b}_R}$ [GeV]	A_τ [GeV]	$m_{\tilde{L}_3}$ [GeV]	$m_{\tilde{\tau}_R}$ [GeV]
1729	1886	3000	-1679.21	3000	3000 ₀

m_{H_1} [GeV]	m_{H_2} [GeV]	m_{H_3} [GeV]	m_{A_1} [GeV]	m_{A_2} [GeV]
123.20	319	560	545	783
$\Gamma_{H_1}^{\text{tot}}$ [GeV]	$\Gamma_{H_2}^{\text{tot}}$ [GeV]	$\Gamma_{H_3}^{\text{tot}}$ [GeV]	$\Gamma_{A_1}^{\text{tot}}$ [GeV]	$\Gamma_{A_2}^{\text{tot}}$ [GeV]
3.985×10^{-3}	0.010	4.207	6.399	6.913
h_{11}	h_{12}	h_{13}	h_{21}	h_{22}
0.419	0.909	0.015	0.187	-0.102
h_{23}	h_{31}	h_{32}	h_{33}	a_{11}
0.977	0.889	-0.407	-0.212	0.908
a_{21}	a_{13}	a_{23}		
-0.104	0.114	0.994		

singlet-like
 H_2

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Possible for models w/ singlet-dominated (suppressed couplings to SM particles) and/or h_d -like (suppressed direct production) non-SM-like Higgs boson => **NMSSM benchmark**:

H_2 is singlet-like: dominant decay channel into $A_1 A_1$

Single Higgs Production (4b final state)

$$\begin{aligned}\sigma^{\text{NNLO}}(H_2)_{4b} &= \sigma^{\text{NNLO}}(H_2) \times \text{BR}(H_2 \rightarrow A_1 A_1) \times \text{BR}(A_1 \rightarrow b\bar{b})^2 \\ &= 13.54 \times 0.887 \times 0.704^2 \text{ fb} = 5.95 \text{ fb} .\end{aligned}$$

Di-Higgs Production (6b final state)

$$\sigma^{\text{NLO}}(H_1 H_2) = 111 \text{ fb} \quad \text{BR}(H_1 \rightarrow b\bar{b}) = 0.539$$

$$\sigma^{\text{NLO}}(H_1 H_2) \times \text{BR}(H_1 \rightarrow b\bar{b}) \times \text{BR}(H_2 \rightarrow A_1 A_1) = 53 \text{ fb}$$

$$\sigma^{\text{NLO}}(H_1 H_2)_{6b} = 53 \times 0.704^2 \text{ fb} = 26 \text{ fb}$$

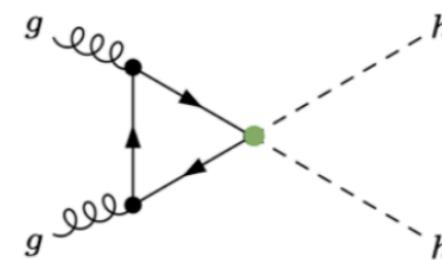
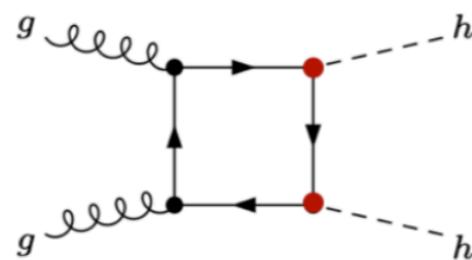
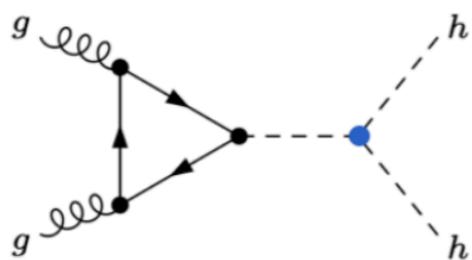
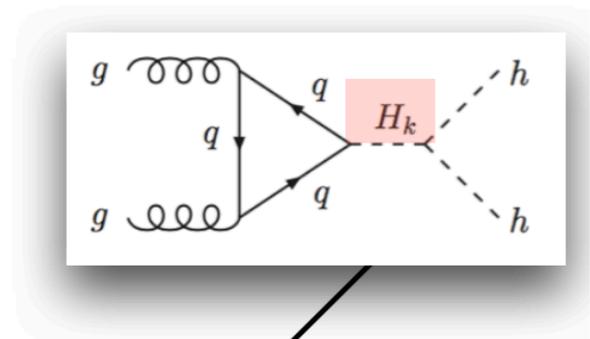
Comparison with EFT

♦ Effective Lagrangian:
$$\Delta\mathcal{L}_{\text{non-lin}} \supset -m_t t\bar{t} \left(c_t \frac{h}{v} + c_{tt} \frac{h^2}{2v^2} \right) - c_3 \frac{1}{6} \left(\frac{3M_h^2}{v} \right) h^3$$

c_3 : trilinear coupling modification; c_{tt} : top-Yukawa coupling modification;

c_{tt} : effective two-Higgs-two-fermion coupling

no c_g , c_{gg} : no new heavy colored BSM particles assumed



♦ Matching relations of our specific BSM models:

Higgs-top Yukawa coupling	:	$g_t^{H_{SM}}(\alpha_i, \beta)$	$\rightarrow c_t$
trilinear Higgs coupling	:	$\frac{g_3^{H_{SM}H_{SM}H_{SM}}(p_i)}{3M_{H_{SM}}^2/v}$	$\rightarrow c_3$
two-Higgs-two-top quark coupling	:	$\sum_{k=1}^{k_{\max}} \left(\frac{-v}{m_{H_k}^2} \right) g_3^{H_k H_{SM} H_{SM}}(p_i) g_t^{H_k}(\alpha_i, \beta)$	$\rightarrow c_{tt}$

2HDM VERSUS EFT

[Abouabid, Arhrib, Azevedo, El Falaki, Ferreira, MM, Santos, '21]

♦ R2HDM T2 sample parameter point:

m_{H_1} [GeV]	m_{H_2} [GeV]	m_A [GeV]	m_{H^\pm} [GeV]	α	$\tan \beta$	m_{12}^2 [GeV ²]
125.09	1131	1082	1067	-0.924	0.820	552749

♦ corresponding EFT values:

$$g_t^{H_2} = -1.126$$

$$c_3 = 0.782, \quad c_t = 0.951, \quad c_{tt} = -0.122$$

♦ goodness of approximation?:

m_{H_2} [GeV]	Γ_{H_2} [GeV]	c_{tt}	$g_3^{H_2 H_1 H_1}$ [GeV]	$\sigma_{\text{R2HDM}}^{\text{w/ res}}$ [fb]	$\sigma_{\text{SMEFT}}^{c_{tt} \neq 0}$ [fb]	ratio
1131	78.80	-0.1222	-504.52	30.5	26.1	86%
1200	89.74	-0.1031	-479.29	27.7	24.8	90%
1500	470.2	$-4.853 \cdot 10^{-2}$	-352.42	21.8	21.4	98%

♦ Remark:

$$\sigma_{\text{R2HDM}}^{\text{w/o res}} = 18.6 \text{ fb} \quad \text{and} \quad \sigma_{\text{SMEFT}}^{c_{tt} = 0} = 18.6 \text{ fb}$$

N2HDM VERSUS EFT

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♦ N2HDM T1 sample parameter point:

m_{H_1} [GeV]	m_{H_2} [GeV]	m_{H_3} [GeV]	m_A [GeV]	m_{H^\pm} [GeV]	$\tan \beta$
125.09	269	582	390	380	4.190
α_1	α_2	α_3	v_s [GeV]	$\text{Re}(m_{12}^2)$ [GeV ²]	
1.432	-0.109	0.535	1250	28112	

$$g_t^{H_2} = 0.179 \quad \text{and} \quad g_t^{H_3} = 2.337 \times 10^{-2}$$

♦ corresponding EFT values:

$$c_3 = 0.877, \quad c_t = 1.012, \quad c_{tt} = 4.127 \times 10^{-2}$$

♦ goodness of approximation?: (m_{H_3} kept fixed)

m_{H_2}	Γ_{H_2}	$c_{tt}^{H_2}$	c_{tt}	$g_3^{H_2 H_1 H_1}$	$\sigma_{\text{N2HDM}}^{\text{w/ res}}$ [fb]	$\sigma_{\text{SMEFT}}^{c_{tt} \neq 0}$ [fb]	ratio
269	0.075	4.410×10^{-2}	4.127×10^{-2}	-72.42	183.70	20.56	11%
300	0.083	3.170×10^{-2}	2.877×10^{-2}	-64.80	162.80	21.28	13%
400	0.177	9.544×10^{-3}	6.721×10^{-3}	-34.68	43.33	22.60	52%
420	0.229	6.895×10^{-3}	4.063×10^{-3}	-27.62	31.70	22.76	72%
440	0.284	4.600×10^{-3}	1.767×10^{-3}	-20.22	26.26	22.90	87%
450	0.315	3.564×10^{-3}	7.323×10^{-4}	-16.39	24.84	22.96	92%
500	2.567	-7.132×10^{-4}	-3.545×10^{-3}	4.05	23.56	23.22	99%