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# *SUSY Higgs and Composite Higgs*

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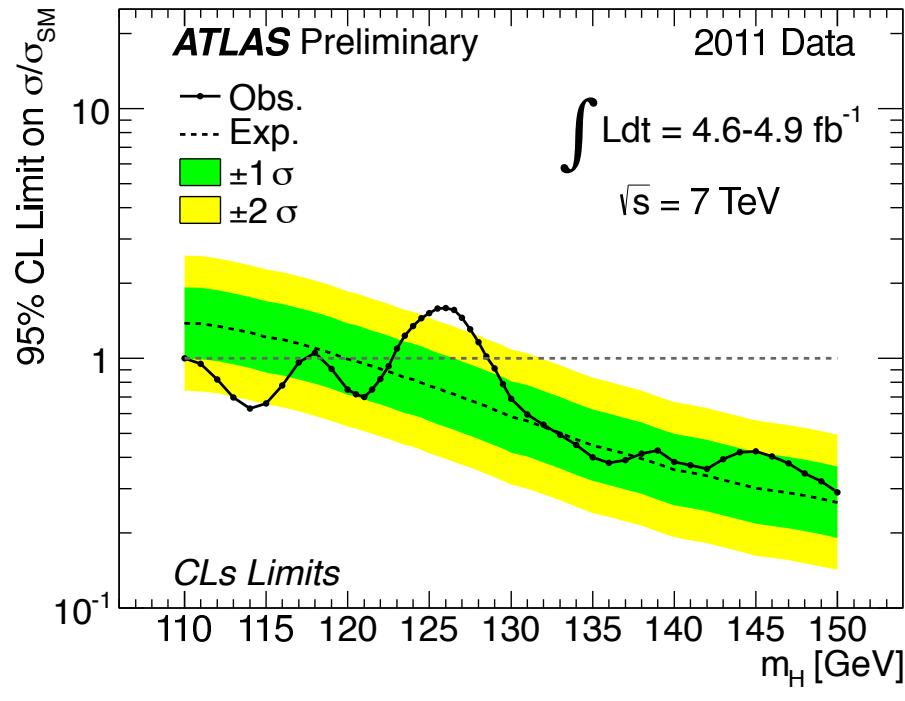
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## **Standard Model at LHC**

**Copenhagen**  
**10-13 April 2012**

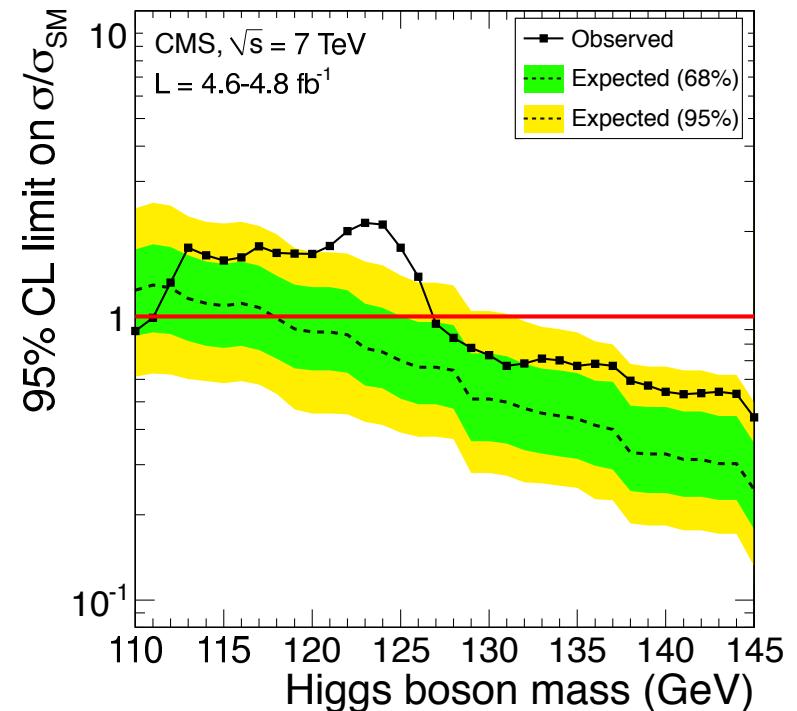


# LHC Higgs Search Results Moriond 2012



Exclusion: 110-117.5, 118.5-122.5 GeV  
 129-539 GeV @ 95% CL

Observed local significance at 126 GeV:  $3.6\sigma$



Exclusion: 127-600 GeV @ 95% CL

Observed local significance at 124 GeV:  $3.1\sigma$

In  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  more data than expected in the SM  $\rightarrow$  hint towards New Physics?

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# Which Higgs Boson?

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## *Outline*

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(i) **MSSM Higgs boson production** (very short)

(ii) **Interpretation of LHC Higgs search results within**

- \* MSSM
- \* NMSSM
- \* Composite Higgs
- \* Model-independent

# The $MSSM$ Higgs Sector

**MSSM Higgs sector** – supersymmetry & anomaly free theory  $\Rightarrow$  2 complex Higgs doublets

EWSB  
→

neutral, CP-even  $h, H$       neutral, CP-odd  $A$       charged  $H^+, H^-$

## Higgs masses

$$M_h \lesssim 140 \text{ GeV}$$

$$M_{A,H,H^\pm} \sim \mathcal{O}(v) \dots 1 \text{ TeV}$$

Ellis et al; Okada et al; Haber, Hempfling;  
Hoang et al; Carena et al; Heinemeyer et al;  
Zhang et al; Brignole et al; Harlander et al  
Degrassi et al; Kant et al; ...

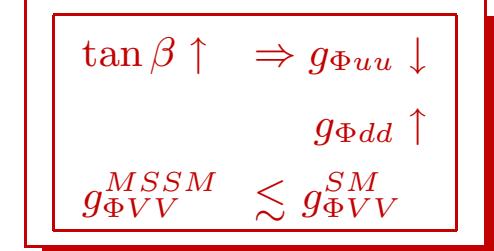
## Decoupling limit:

$$M_A \sim M_H \sim M_{H^\pm} \gtrsim v$$

$M_h \rightarrow$  max. value,  $\tan \beta$  fixed;  $h$  becomes SM-like

**Modified couplings with respect to the SM:** (decoupling limit Gunion, Haber)

$\Phi$	$g_{\Phi u \bar{u}}$	$g_{\phi d \bar{d}}$	$g_{\Phi VV}$
$h$	$c_\alpha / s_\beta \rightarrow 1$	$-s_\alpha / c_\beta \rightarrow 1$	$s_{\beta-\alpha} \rightarrow 1$
$H$	$s_\alpha / s_\beta \rightarrow 1/\tan \beta$	$c_\alpha / c_\beta \rightarrow \tan \beta$	$c_{\beta-\alpha} \rightarrow 0$
$A$	$1/\tan \beta$	$\tan \beta$	0

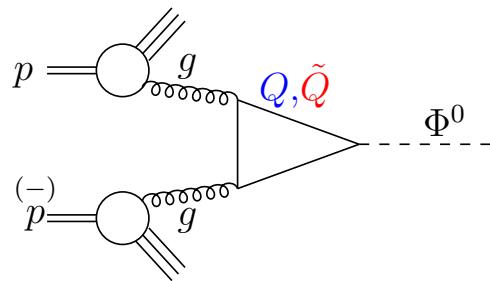


# Higgs Search at the LHC

## Higgs boson production in the MSSM

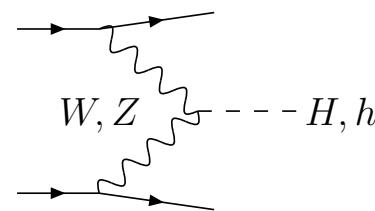
- Gluon Fusion

$$pp \rightarrow gg \rightarrow h, H, A$$



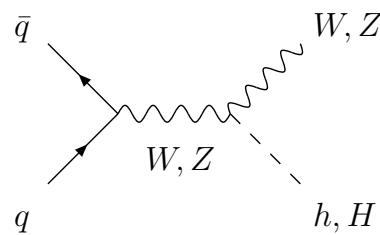
- $W/Z$  Fusion

$$pp \rightarrow qq \rightarrow qq + WW/ZZ \rightarrow qq + h, H$$



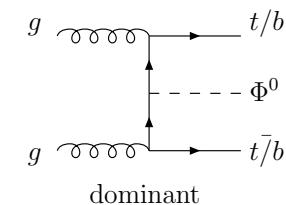
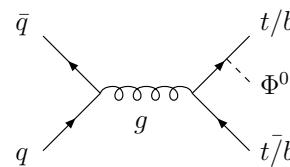
- Higgs-strahlung

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- Associated Production

$$pp \rightarrow t\bar{t}/b\bar{b} + h, H, A$$

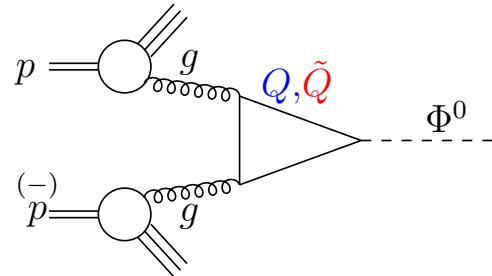


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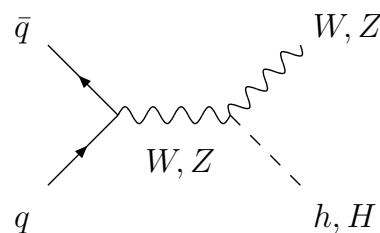
- LHC

$$gg \rightarrow \phi \quad \text{dominant for } \tan \beta \lesssim 10$$

$$gg \rightarrow \phi b\bar{b} \quad \text{dominant for } \tan \beta \gtrsim 10$$

- Higgs-strahlung

$$pp \rightarrow W^*/Z^* \rightarrow W/Z + h, H$$



- Tevatron

$$gg \rightarrow \phi \quad \text{dominant, for large } \tan \beta : \phi b\bar{b}$$

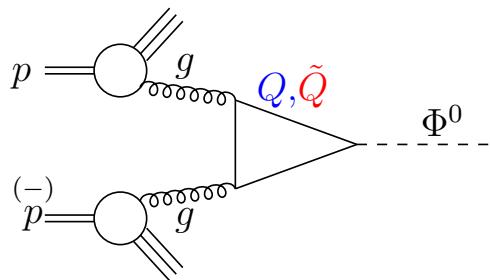
$$q\bar{q}' \rightarrow \phi W \quad \text{most important}$$

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## Higgs Boson Production in gluon fusion

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### (i) Dominant: Gluon Fusion $pp \rightarrow gg \rightarrow h, H, A$ (small & moderate $\tan \beta$ )



Georgi et al; Gamberini et al

#### QCD corrections to top & bottom loops

- ▷ NLO (SM, MSSM): increase  $\sigma$  by  $\sim 10\ldots 100\%$   
[moderate for large  $\tan \beta \leftarrow b\text{-loop}$ ]
- ▷ SM;  $\text{tg}\beta \lesssim 5$ : limit  $M_\Phi \ll m_t$  - approximation  $\sim 20\text{-}30\%$

Spira,Djouadi,Graudenz,Zerwas  
Dawson;Kauffman,Schaffer

Krämer,Laenen,Spira

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- ▷ in the heavy mass limit Dawson,Djouadi,Spira
- ▷ full SUSY-QCD corrections in heavy mass limit Harlander,Steinhauser;Harlander,Hofmann; Degrassi,Slavich '11
- ▷ bottom/sbottom contributions Degrassi,Slavich '11; Degrassi,Di Vita,Slavich '11; Harlander,Hofmann,Mantler '11
- ▷ top-stop-gluino contributions asymptotic expansion in large  $\tilde{M}$  Degrassi,Di Vita,Slavich '12
- ▷ top-stop-gluino contributions asymptotic expansion in heavy particle masses

#### $m_{\tilde{Q}} \lesssim 400$ GeV:

- ▷ NLO squark mass effects  $\sim 15\%$  MMM,Spira;Anastasiou,Beerli,Bucherer, Daleo,Kunszt;Aglietti,Bonciani,Degrassi,Vicini
- ▷ full NLO SUSY QCD calculation Anastasiou,Beerli,Daleo; MMM,Rzezak,Spira

#### NNLO SUSY-QCD corrections from $t/\tilde{t}$ sector

Pak,Steinhauser,Zerf

#### Impl. of $gg \rightarrow \phi$ into POWHEG including mass effects at NLO

Bagnaschi,Degrassi,Slavich,Vicini

## Higher Order Corrections to $SUSY$ Higgs Production at the $\mathcal{LHC}$

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### (ii) $W/Z$ Fusion: $qq \rightarrow qq + WW/ZZ \rightarrow qq + h, H$

NLO QCD $\sigma_{\text{tot}}$ (SM/MSSM)	$\sim 5$ bis $10\%$	Han,Valencia, Willenbrock	SUSY QCD	small	Djouadi,Spira
NLO QCD distributions (SM/MSSM)	$\sim 20\%$	Figy,Oleari, Zeppenfeld; Berger,Campbell	SUSY QCD&EW	small	Hollik,Plehn, Rauch,Rzechak;Figy Palmer,Weiglein'10
Impl. in POWHEG		Nason,Oleari	NNLO QCD $\Delta_{th}$	$\sim 2\%$	Harlander eal; Bolzoni eal

### (iii) Higgs-strahlung: $q\bar{q} \rightarrow Z^*/W^* \rightarrow Z/W + h, H$

NLO QCD (SM/MSSM)	$\sim +30\%$ (Drell-Yan)	Han,Willenbrock	
NNLO QCD (SM/MSSM)	$\sim +5 - 10\%$	Harlander,Kilgore; Hamberg,Van Neerven,Matsuura; Brein,Djouadi,Harlander	$\Delta_{\text{theor}} \sim 5\%$
SUSY QCD	$\lesssim$ few per cent	Djouadi, Spira	

### (iv) Associated Production with $t\bar{t}$ : $q\bar{q}/gg \rightarrow t\bar{t} + h$ ( $H, A$ )

$t\bar{t}\Phi^0$	NLO QCD $\sim +20\%$	Beenakker et al.; Dawson et al.	$\Delta_{\text{theor}} \sim 15\%$
SUSY QCD	$\pm(10 - 30)\%$	Peng et al.; Dittmaier et al	

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## Associated production with a $b\bar{b}$ pair

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(v) Higgs  $b\bar{b}$  production: dominant MSSM Higgs production mechanism for  $\tan \beta \gtrsim 7$

- **Four-flavour scheme 4FS:** LO cxn  $gg \rightarrow b\bar{b}\Phi^0$   
up to NLO

Dittmaier,Krämer,Spira;  
Dawson,Jackson,Reina,Wackeroth

- **Five-flavour scheme 5FS:** LO cxn  $b\bar{b} \rightarrow \Phi^0$   
up to NNLO

Dicus,Willenbrock  
Stelzer et al.;Balazs et al.  
Campbell et al.  
Harlander,Kilgore  
Kidonakis

- **Santander matching:** interpolation between 4FS and 5FS

Harlander,Krämer,Schumacher'11

- **Further corrections:**

- EW and QCD corrections to  $b\bar{b} \rightarrow \Phi^0$ : few % ( $\sim \Delta_b$ )
- dominant  $t$  contr. to “NNLO”  $b\bar{b}h$ : few %  $M_H \lesssim 120$  GeV  
several 10 % above
- SUSY QCD to  $gg \rightarrow b\bar{b}h$
- SUSY QCD to  $b\bar{b} \rightarrow \Phi^0, bg \rightarrow b\Phi^0$ : few % ( $\sim \Delta_b$ )
- EW to  $bg \rightarrow bH^{\text{SM}}$
- Complete EW to  $bg \rightarrow b\Phi^0$

Dittmaier,Krämer,  
Mück,Schlüter  
Boudjema,  
Ninh

Gao et al.;  
Hollik,Rauch

Dawson,  
Jackson

Dawson,  
Jaiswal '10

Beccaria,  
et al. '10

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## MSSM Higgs Mass in View of the LHC Results

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- **Vast literature on MSSM Higgs of  $\sim 122\ldots 128$  GeV**

Arbey eal; Li eal; Feng eal; Baer eal; Hall eal; Albornoz Vasquez eal; Heinemeyer eal; Desai et al.; Draper eal; Carena eal; Cao eal; Christensen eal; Kadastik eal; Buchmuller eal; Arvanitaki eal; Ellis eal; Curtin eal; ...

- **MSSM Higgs mass corrections**

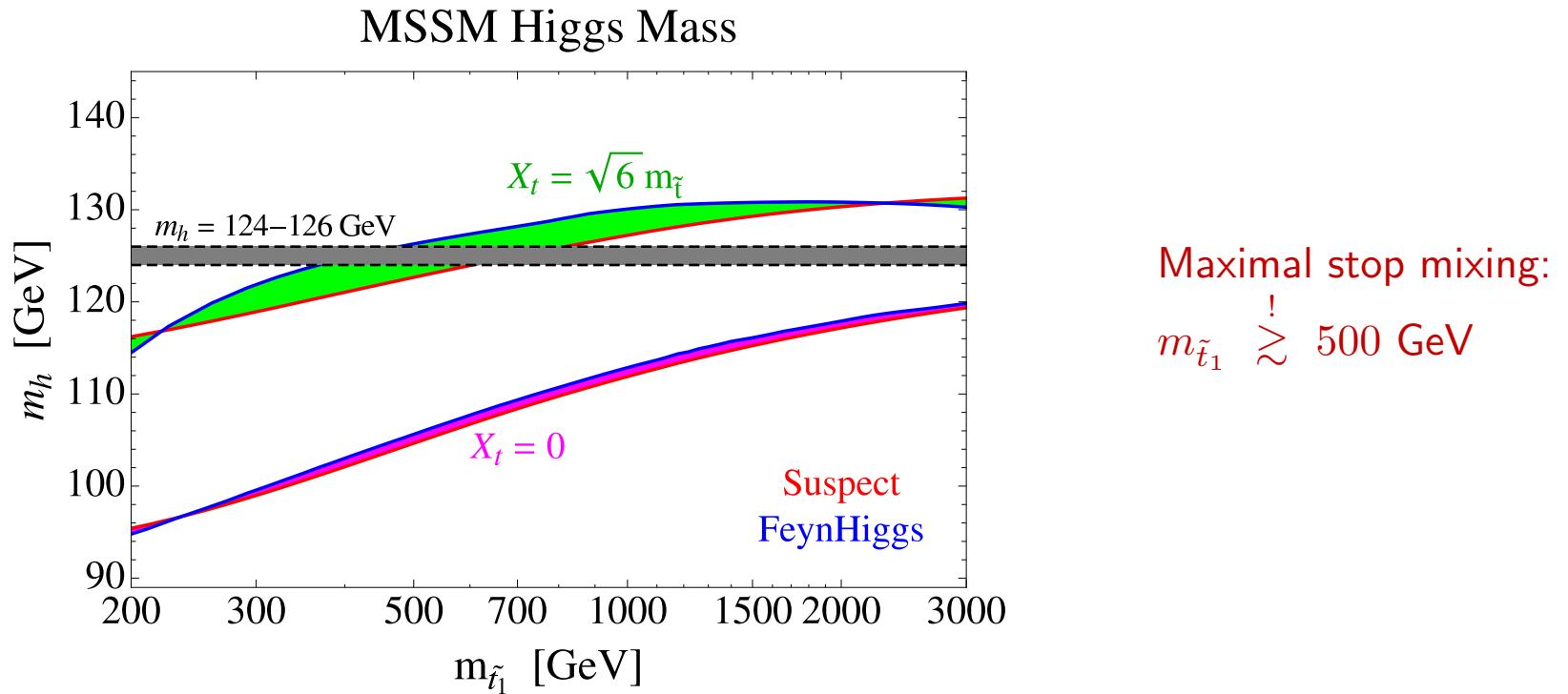
$$m_h^2 \approx M_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta + \Delta m_h^2$$

$\Rightarrow M_H \approx 125$  GeV requires

$$\Delta m_h \approx 85 \text{ GeV} (\tan \beta \text{ large}) \Rightarrow \text{large corrections} \rightsquigarrow \text{finetuning}$$

# MSSM Higgs Mass in View of the LHC Results

Hall,Pinner,Ruderman 1112.2703



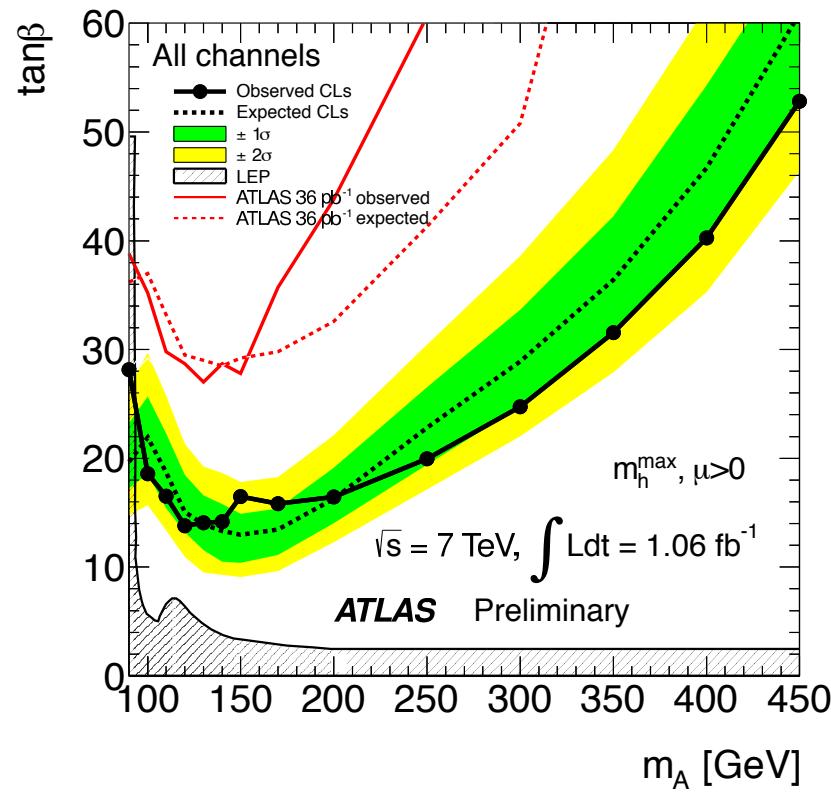
- **Further remarks:**

- next-lightest Higgs can be SM-like 122-128 GeV Higgs (low  $M_A$ , moderate  $\tan \beta$ )  
lightest Higgs below LEP limit see e.g. Heinemeyer et al '11
- enhanced diphoton rate can be achieved within MSSM w/ light staus Carena et al '11
- $\gamma\gamma$  excess, but no  $WW$  excess requires New Physics beyond MSSM Christensen et al '12

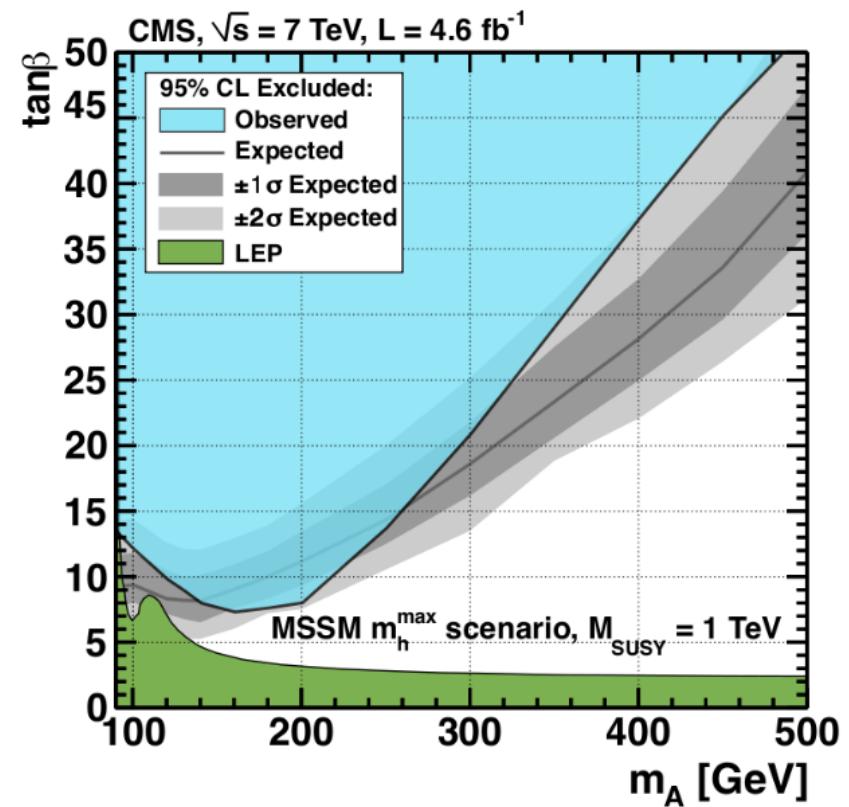
# Search for $MSSM$ Higgs Bosons at the $\mathcal{LHC}$

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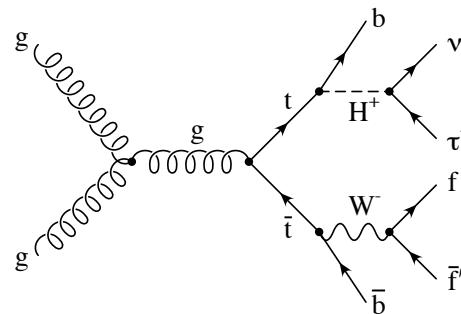
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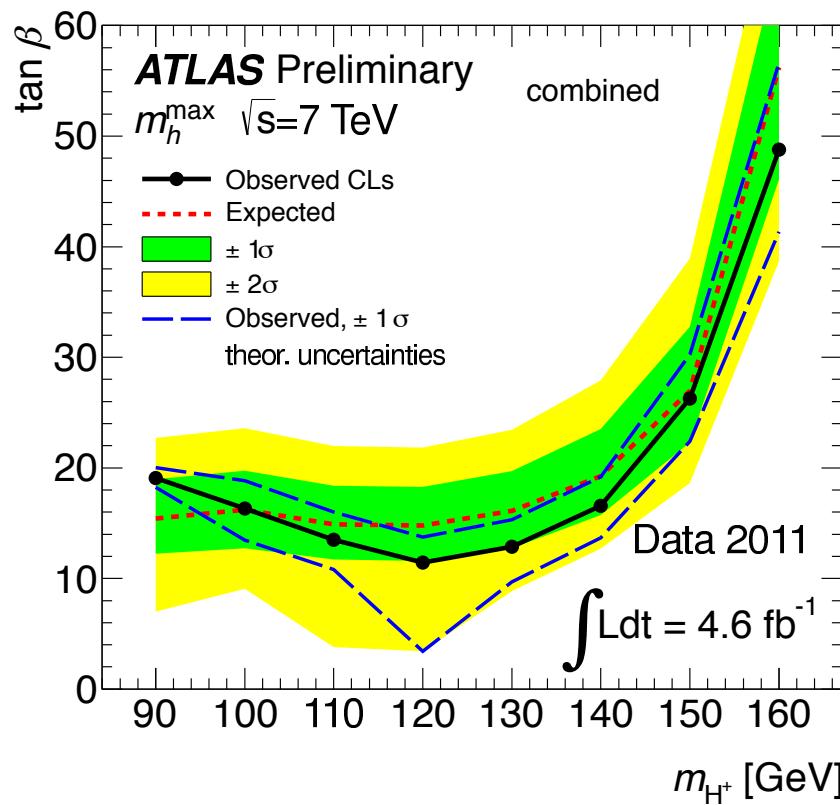
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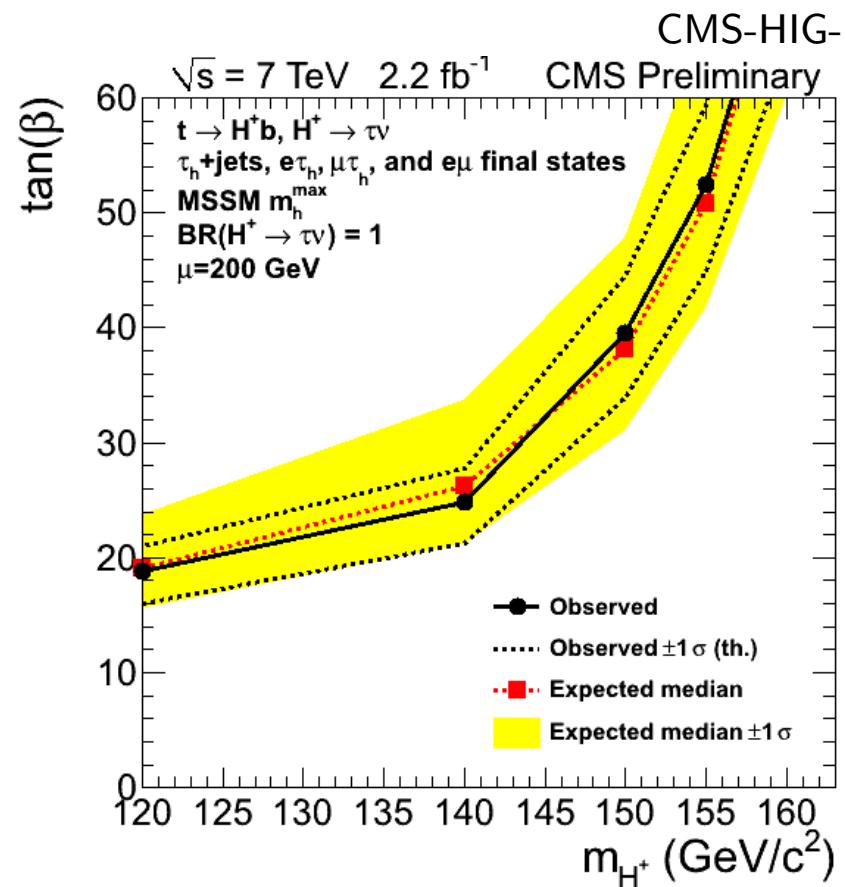
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## The NMSSM Higgs Sector

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- **Next-to-Minimal Supersymmetric Extension of the SM: NMSSM**

Fayet; Kaul eal; Barbieri eal; Dine eal; Nilles eal; Frere eal; Derendinger eal; Ellis eal;  
Drees; Ellwanger eal; Savoy; Elliott eal; Gunion eal; Franke eal; Maniatis; Djouadi eal; Mahmoudi eal; ...

- **The  $\mu$ -problem of the MSSM:**

Higgsino mass parameter  $\mu$  must be of order of EWSB scale

Kim,Nilles

- **Solution in the NMSSM:**

$\mu$  generated dynamically through the VEV of scalar component of an additional chiral superfield field  $\hat{S}$ :  $\mu = \lambda \langle S \rangle$

- **Enlarged Higgs and neutralino sector:**

7 Higgs bosons:  $H_1, H_2, H_3, A_1, A_2, H^+, H^-$   
5 neutralinos:  $\tilde{\chi}_i^0$  ( $i = 1, \dots, 5$ )

- **Significant changes of Higgs boson phenomenology**

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## NMSSM Higgs Boson Mass

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- **Higgs mass prediction** as precise as possible:

distinguish between MSSM and NMSSM

properly define scenarios with Higgs-to-Higgs decays

correctly interpret experimental data

- **Status of Higgs mass calculations:**

- 1-loop corrections in effective potential approach

Ellwanger eal; Elliott eal; Pandita;  
Degrassi,Slavich

- 1-loop corrections in Feynman-diagrammatic approach

Ender,Graf,MMM,Rzehak '11

- 2-loop  $\mathcal{O}(\alpha_t \alpha_s + \alpha_b \alpha_s)$

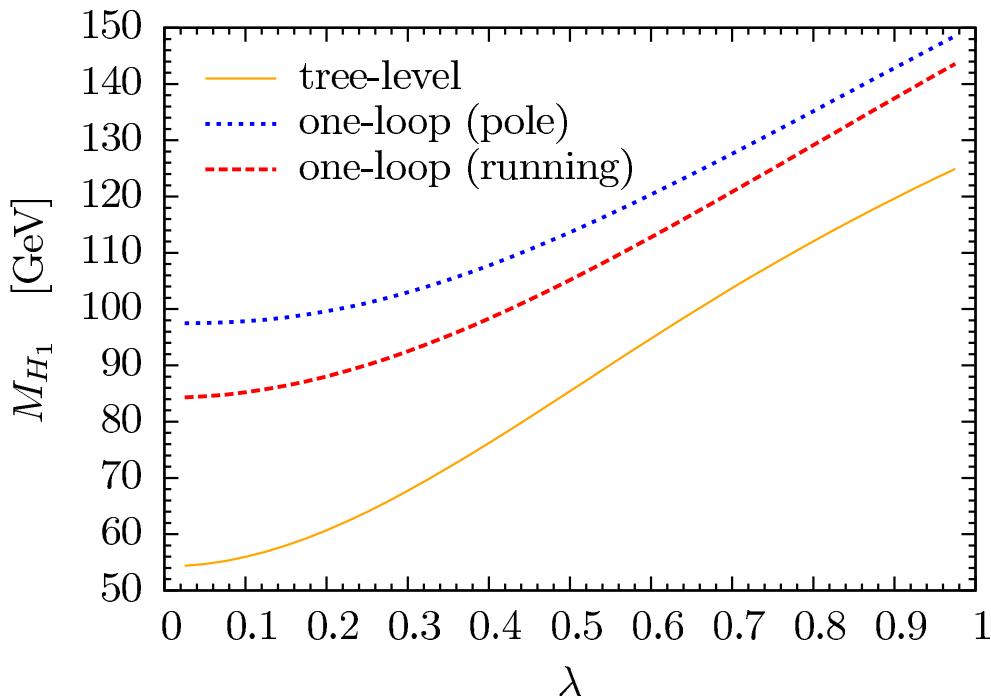
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- 1-loop w/ CP violation in effective potential approach

Ham eal; Cheung eal

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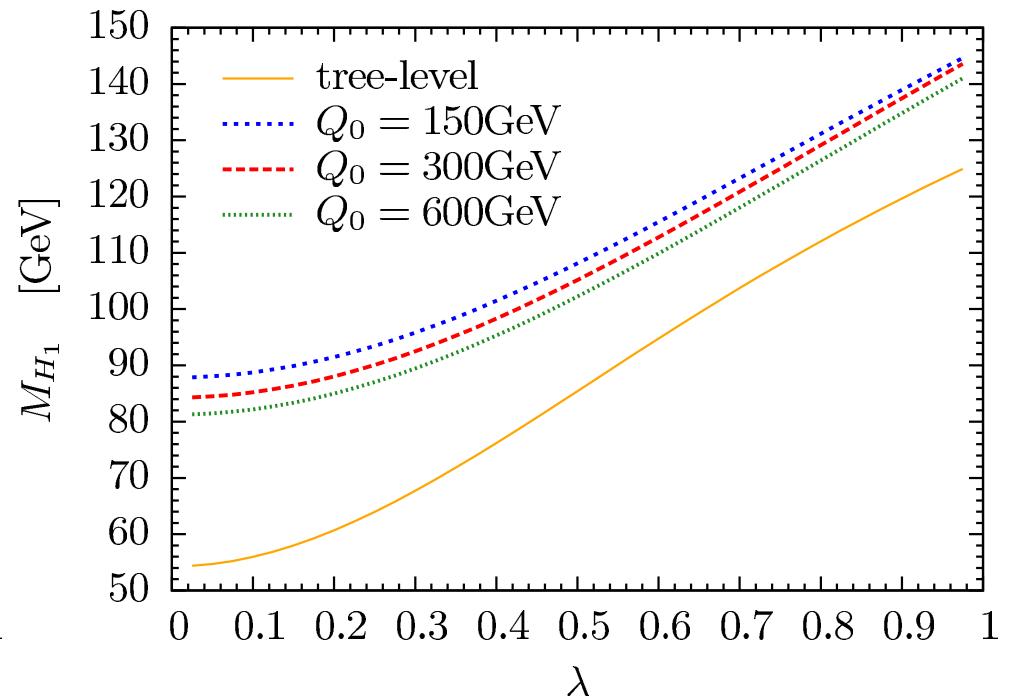
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Top quark mass:

$$m_t^{pole} = 173.3 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_t^{\overline{DR}} = 150.6 \text{ GeV at } Q = 300 \text{ GeV}$$



$\Rightarrow$  theoretical uncertainty  
 of the one-loop calculation:  
 $\mathcal{O}(10\%)$

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- **Remarks**

- ◊ SM-like Higgs with  $\sim 125$  GeV can be either  $H_1$  or  $H_2$  ( $H_1$  singlet-like, suppr. SM couplings)
- ◊ strong singlet-doublet mixing  $\rightsquigarrow$  reduced coupling to  $b\bar{b} \rightsquigarrow BR(H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$  enhanced
- ◊ mass value of  $\sim 125$  GeV more easily obtained  $\rightsquigarrow$  less finetuning

- **Corrections to the MSSM, NMSSM Higgs boson mass:**

$$\text{MSSM: } m_h^2 \approx M_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta + \Delta m_h^2$$

$$\text{NMSSM: } m_h^2 \approx M_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta + \lambda^2 v^2 \sin^2 2\beta + \Delta m_h^2$$

$\Rightarrow M_H \approx 125$  requires:

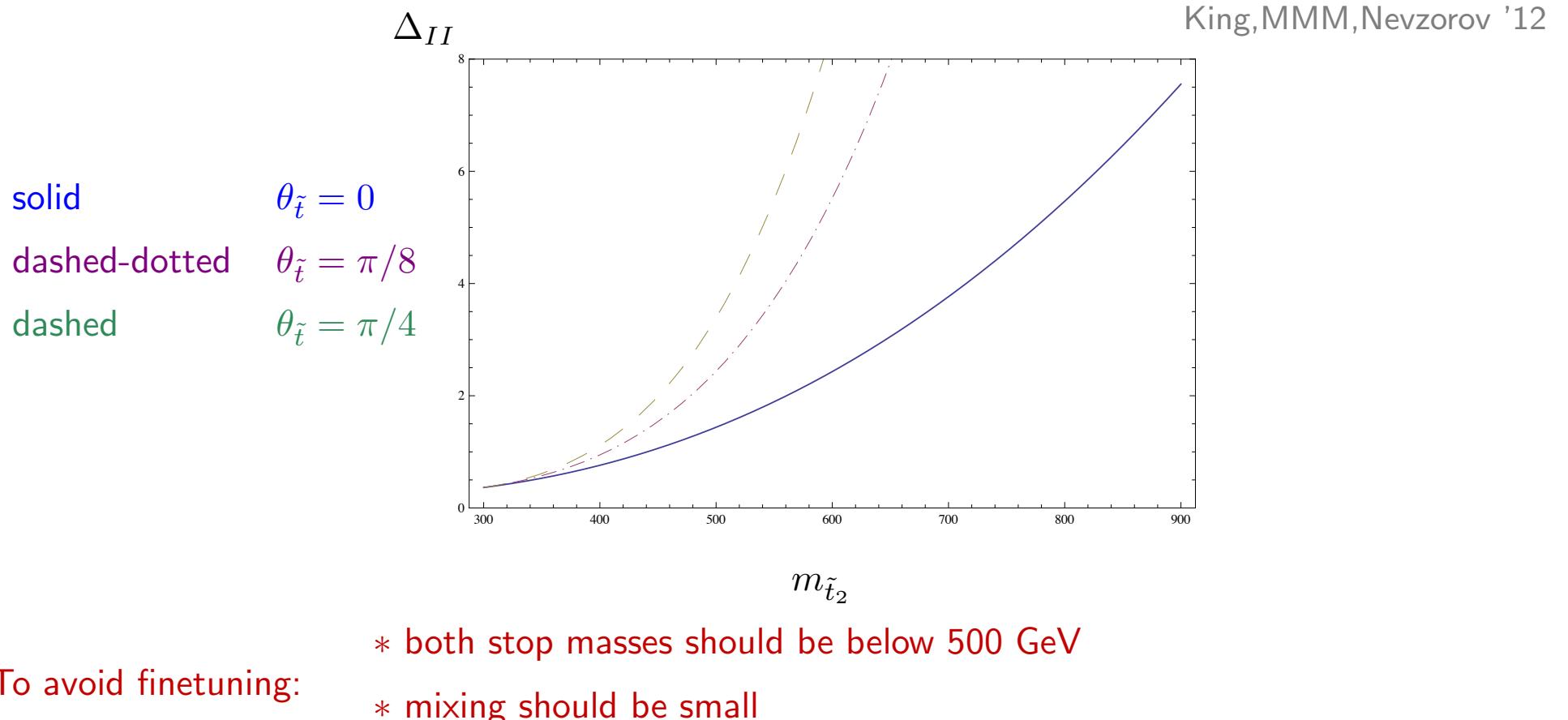
- MSSM:  $\Delta m_h \approx 85$  GeV ( $\tan \beta$  large)  $\Rightarrow$  large corrections are needed  $\rightsquigarrow$  conflict with finetuning
- NMSSM:  $\Delta m_h \approx 55$  GeV ( $\lambda = 0.7, \tan \beta = 2$ )

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## Finetuning - Natural *SUSY* Model

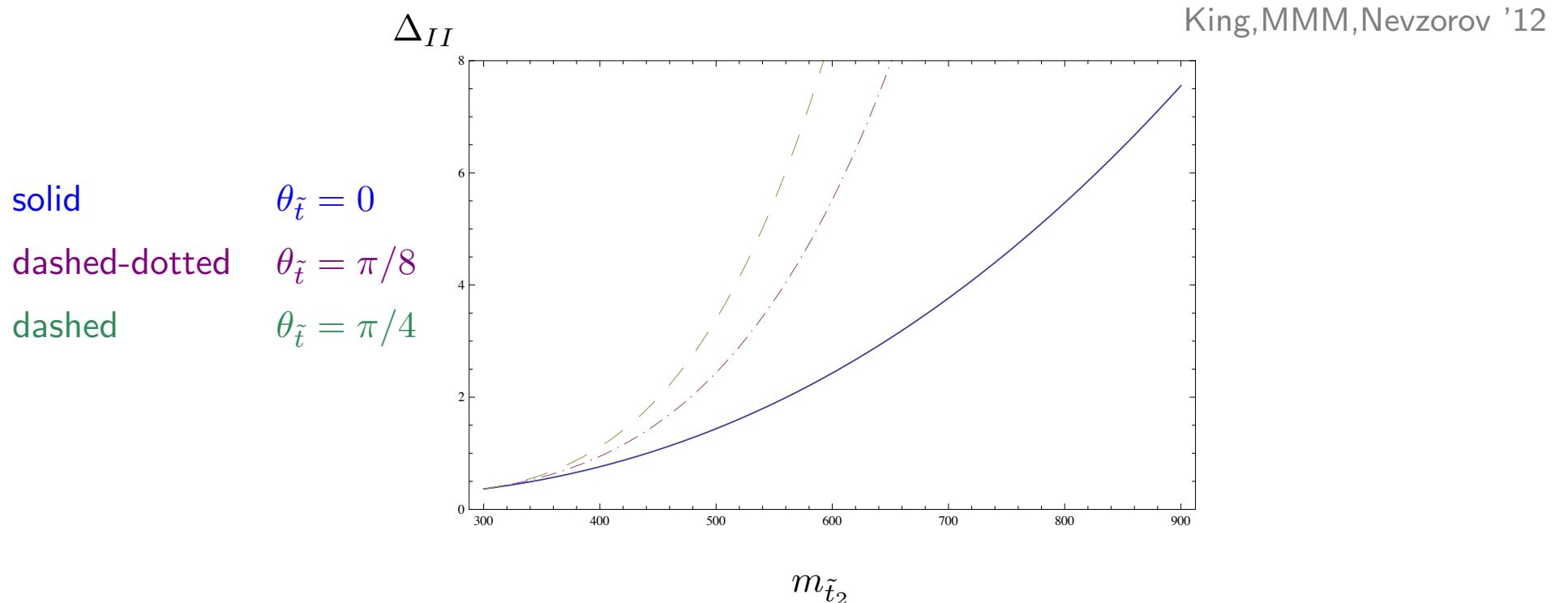
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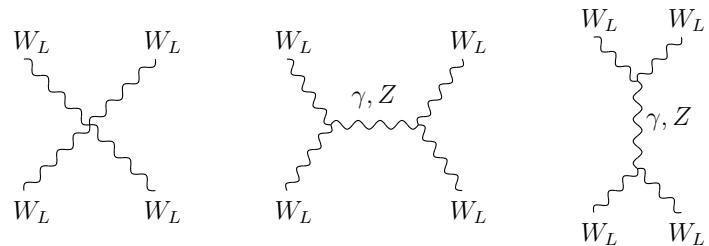
- **Benchmark points:** compatible w/ LHC, finetuning, enhanced  $BR(h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$  King,MMM,Nevzorov
- **NMSSM scans** Albornoz Vasquez eal '12; Cao eal '12

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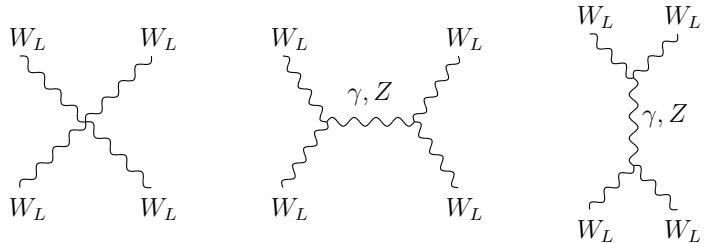
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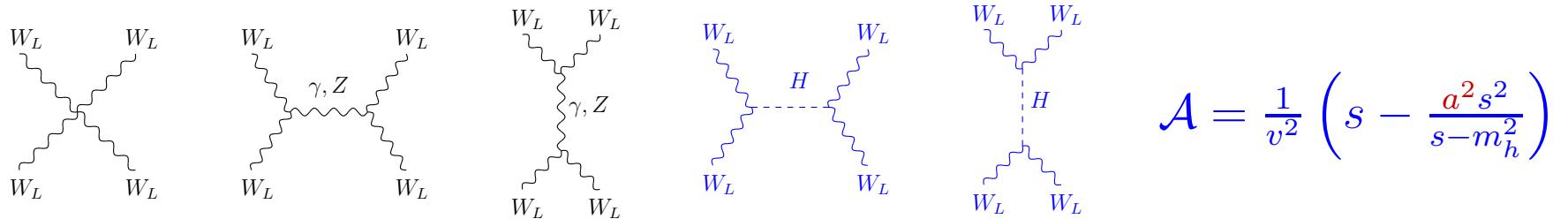
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$\Sigma = e^{i\sigma^a \pi^a/v}$  Goldstone of  $SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R / SU(2)_V$

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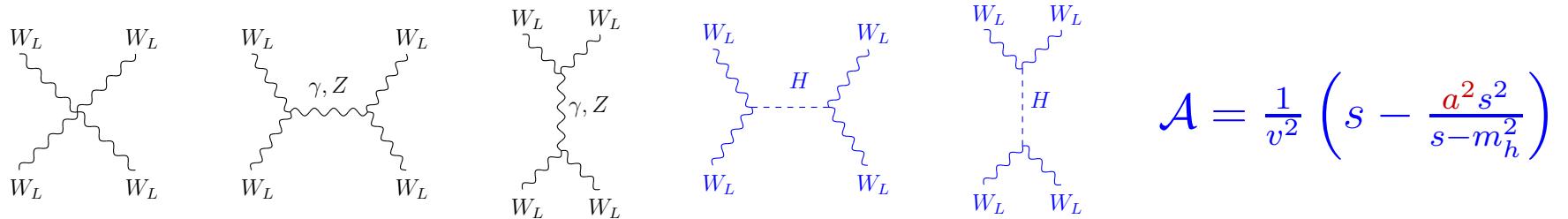
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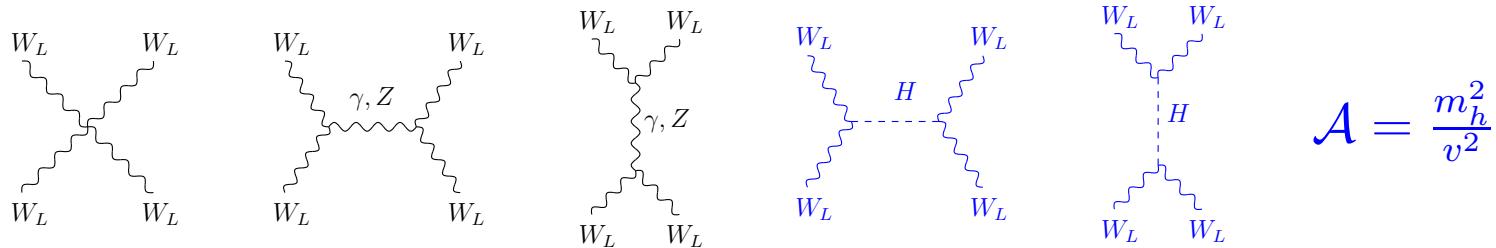
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- Higgs boson: creation of particle masses and UV regulator



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SM Higgs boson:  $a = b = c = 1$

Composite Higgs boson:  $a, b, c \neq 1$

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## Composite Higgs Boson

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- **Composite Higgs boson**

- ◊ pseudo-Goldstone boson of strongly interacting sector Kaplan,Georgi;Dimopoulos,Preskill;Dugan et al
- $SO(5)/SO(4)$  : 4 PGBs =  $W_L^\pm, Z_L, h \rightarrow$  Minimal Comp. Higgs Model Agashe,Contino,Pomarol
- $SO(6)/SO(5)$  : 5 PGBs =  $W_L^\pm, Z_L, h, a \rightarrow$  Next MCHM Gripaios,Pomarol,Riva,Serra
- ◊ Higgs composite object  $\rightsquigarrow$  no hierarchy problem
- ◊ couplings deviate from SM couplings  $\rightsquigarrow$  unitary breakdown postponed to higher energies

- **SILH effective Lagrangian** (strongly interacting light Higgs)

Giudice,Grojean,Pomarol,Rattazzi

Genuine strong operators (sensitive to the scale  $f \leftarrow$  compositeness scale)

$$\frac{c_H}{2f^2}(\partial_\mu(|H|^2))^2 + \frac{c_T}{2f^2}(H^\dagger \overset{\leftrightarrow}{D}{}^\mu)^2 + \left( \frac{c_y y_f}{f^2} |H|^2 \bar{f}_L H f_R + h.c. \right) + \frac{c_6 \lambda}{f^2} |H|^6$$

Form factor operators (sensitive to the scale  $m_\rho$ )

$$\frac{ic_w g}{2m_\rho^2} (H^\dagger \sigma^i \overset{\leftrightarrow}{D}{}^\mu H)(D^\nu W_{\mu\nu})^i + \frac{ic_B g'}{2m_\rho^2} (H^\dagger \overset{\leftrightarrow}{D}{}^\mu H)(\partial^\nu B_{\mu\nu}) + \dots$$

SILH: expansion for low  $\xi \equiv v^2/f^2$

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## Minimal Composite Higgs Examples

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- Completion for large  $v/f$ : 5D MCHM -  $\frac{v}{f}$  ( $SO(5)/SO(4)$ )

Contino eal; Agashe eal

$$g_{HVV} = g_{HVV}^{SM} \sqrt{1-\xi}$$

$\Leftrightarrow$

$$a = \sqrt{1-\xi}, b = 1 - 2\xi$$

- Fermion couplings depend on embedding into representations of the bulk symmetry

spinorial representations of  $SO(5)$

MCHM4

$$g_{Hff} = g_{Hff}^{SM} \sqrt{1-\xi} \equiv g_{Hff}^{SM} c$$

universal shift of couplings  
no modifications of BRs

fundamental representations of  $SO(5)$

MCHM5

$$g_{Hff} = g_{Hff}^{SM} \frac{1-2\xi}{\sqrt{1-\xi}} \equiv g_{Hff}^{SM} c$$

BRs depend on  $\xi = v^2/f^2$

- Higgs self-couplings also model-dependent

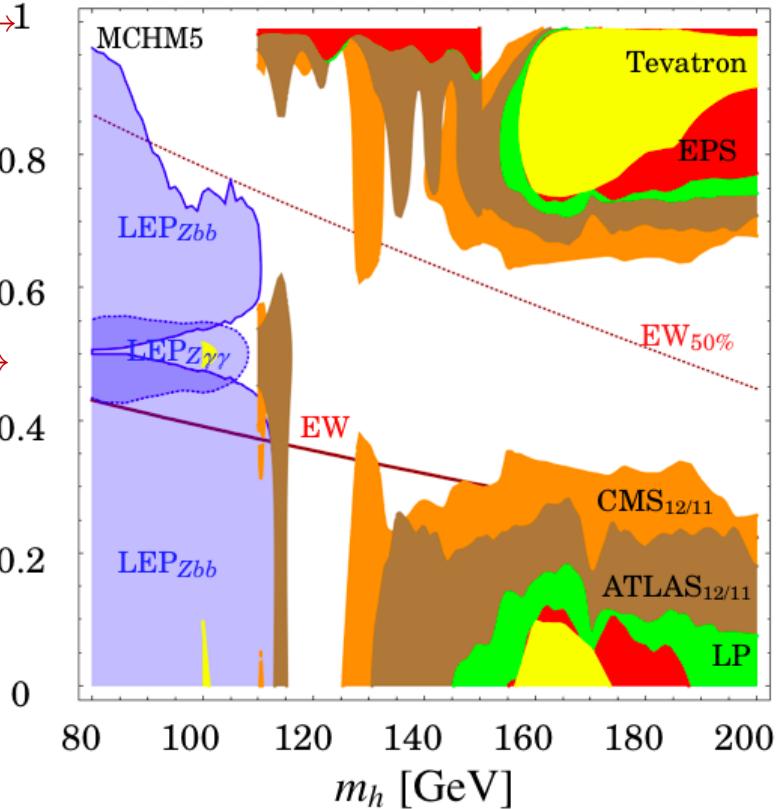
Contino eal; Gröber,MMM; Bock eal; Barger eal

# Constraints from EWPT, LEP, Tevatron, LHC - Pre-Moriond '12

gauge-phobic  $\longrightarrow 1$

fermiphobic  $\xi \longrightarrow$

SM-limit  $\longrightarrow$

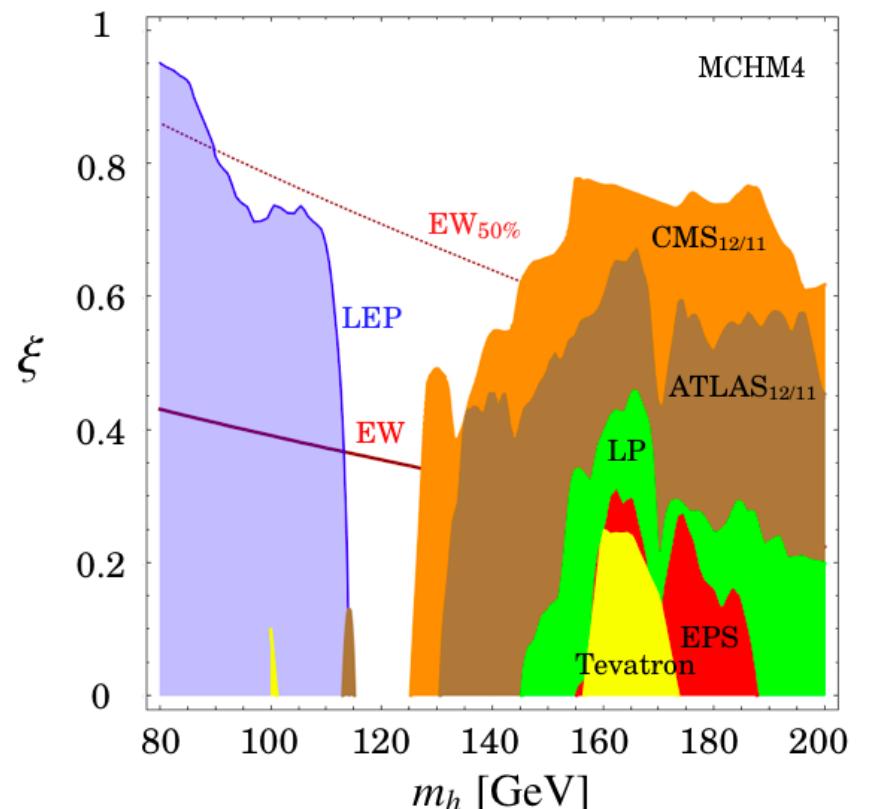


CMS 12/11

LEP

ATLAS 12/11

EPS-HEP 11



Lepton-Photon 11

Tevatron

Espinosa, Grojean, MMM

## Pre-Moriond 2012

Channel [Exp]	$m_h$ [GeV] (Local Significance)	$\mu$ ( $\mu_L$ )	Scaling to SM
$pp \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ [ATLAS]	$126.5 \pm 0.7$ ( $2.8\sigma$ ) [22]	$2^{+0.9}_{-0.7}$ [23] (2.6)	$\sim c^2 \text{Br}_{\gamma\gamma}[a, c]$
$pp \rightarrow Z Z^* \rightarrow \ell^+ \ell^- \ell^+ \ell^-$ [ATLAS]	$126 \pm \sim 2\%$ ( $2.1\sigma$ ) [22]	$1.2^{+1.2}_{-0.8}$ [23] (4.9)	$\sim c^2 \text{Br}_{ZZ}[a, c]$
$pp \rightarrow W W^* \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu \ell^- \bar{\nu}$ [ATLAS]	$126 \pm \sim 20\%$ ( $1.4\sigma$ ) [22]	$1.2^{+0.8}_{-0.8}$ [23] (3.4)	$\sim c^2 \text{Br}_{WW}[a, c]$
$pp \rightarrow \gamma\gamma jj$ [CMS]	$124 \pm 3\%$ [10,11]	$3.7^{+2.5}_{-1.8}$ [11]	$\sim a^2 \text{Br}_{\gamma\gamma}[a, c]$
$pp \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ [CMS, b, $R_9^{\min} > 0.94$ ]	$124 \pm 3\%$ [10,11]	$1.5^{+1.1}_{-1.0}$ [11]	$\sim c^2 \text{Br}_{\gamma\gamma}[a, c]$
$pp \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ [CMS, b, $R_9^{\min} < 0.94$ ]	$124 \pm 3\%$ [10,11]	$2.1^{+1.5}_{-1.4}$ [11]	$\sim c^2 \text{Br}_{\gamma\gamma}[a, c]$
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$pp \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$ [CMS, e, $R_9^{\min} < 0.94$ ]	$124 \pm 3\%$ [10,11]	$4.1^{+4.6}_{-4.1}$ [11]	$\sim c^2 \text{Br}_{\gamma\gamma}[a, c]$
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$pp \rightarrow W W^* \rightarrow \ell^+ \nu \ell^- \bar{\nu}$ [CMS]	$126 \pm 20\%$ [10,25]	$0.7^{+0.4}_{-0.6}$ [10] (1.8)	$\sim c^2 \text{Br}_{WW}[a, c]$
$pp \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ [CMS]	$124 \pm 10\%$ [10]	$1.2^{+1.4}_{-1.7}$ [10] (4.1)	$\sim a^2 \text{Br}_{b\bar{b}}[a, c]$
$pp \rightarrow \tau\bar{\tau}$ [CMS]	$124 \pm 20\%$ [10]	$0.8^{+1.2}_{-1.7}$ [10] (3.3)	$\sim c^2 \text{Br}_{\tau\bar{\tau}}[a, c]$

in the presence of excess, the combined limit  
is stronger than the quadrature

$$\sum_i \frac{(\mu_L - \hat{\mu})^2}{(\mu_L^i - \hat{\mu})^2} - \sum_i \frac{\hat{\mu}}{(\mu_L^i - \hat{\mu})^2} = 1$$

Espinosa, Grojean, MMM, Trott '12

# Model-Independent Fit to LHC Data

Effective theory assuming: custodial symmetry & MFV

Espinosa,Grojean,MMM,Trott '12

red-dashed:

Atlas 95% CL exclusion

blue-full

CMS 95% CL exclusion

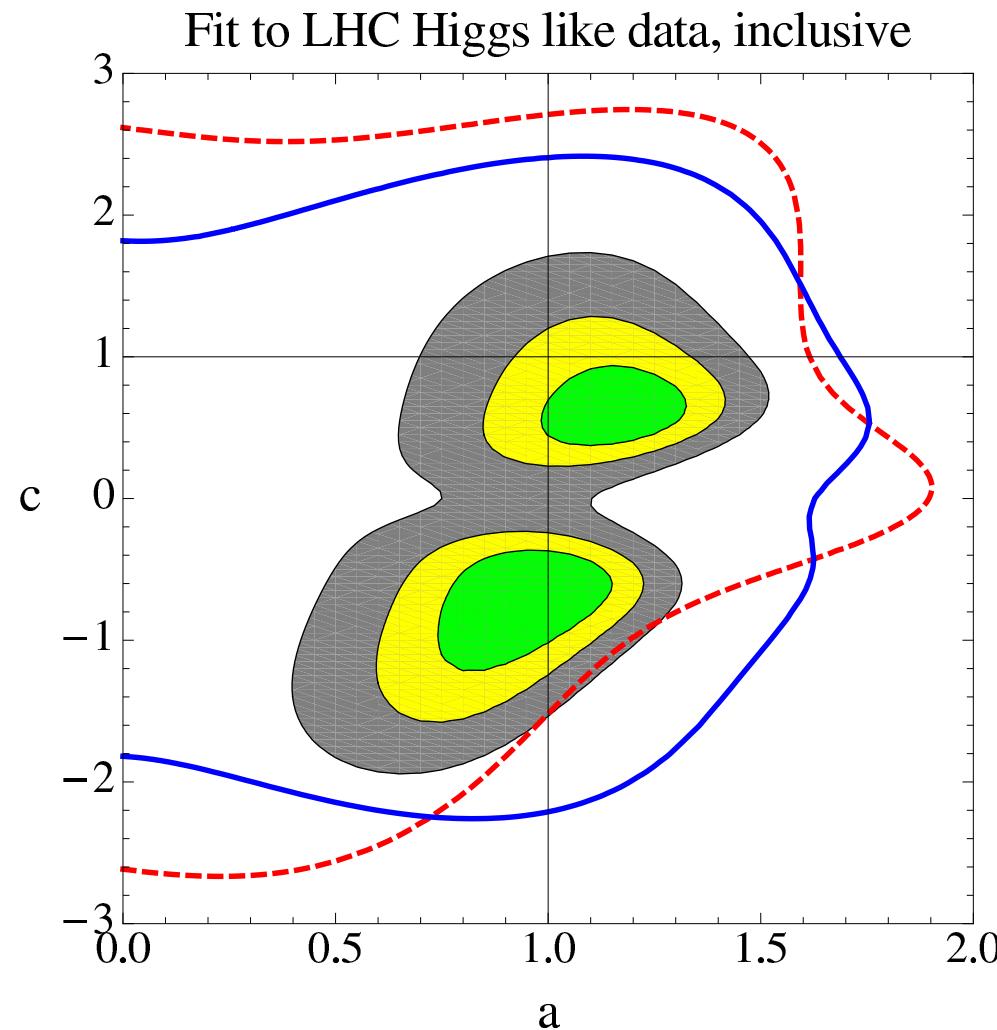
Two minima:

$$(a, c) = (1.13, 0.58)$$

$$\chi^2 = 2.86$$

$$(a, c) = (0.96, -0.64)$$

$$\chi^2 = 1.96$$

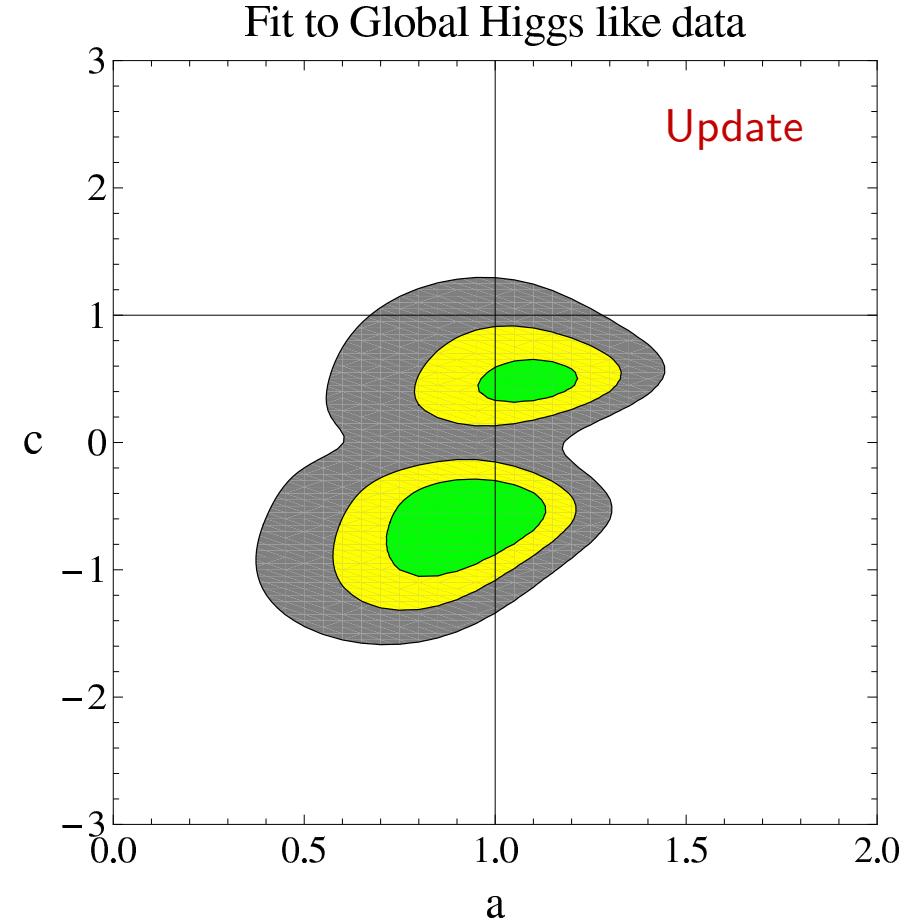
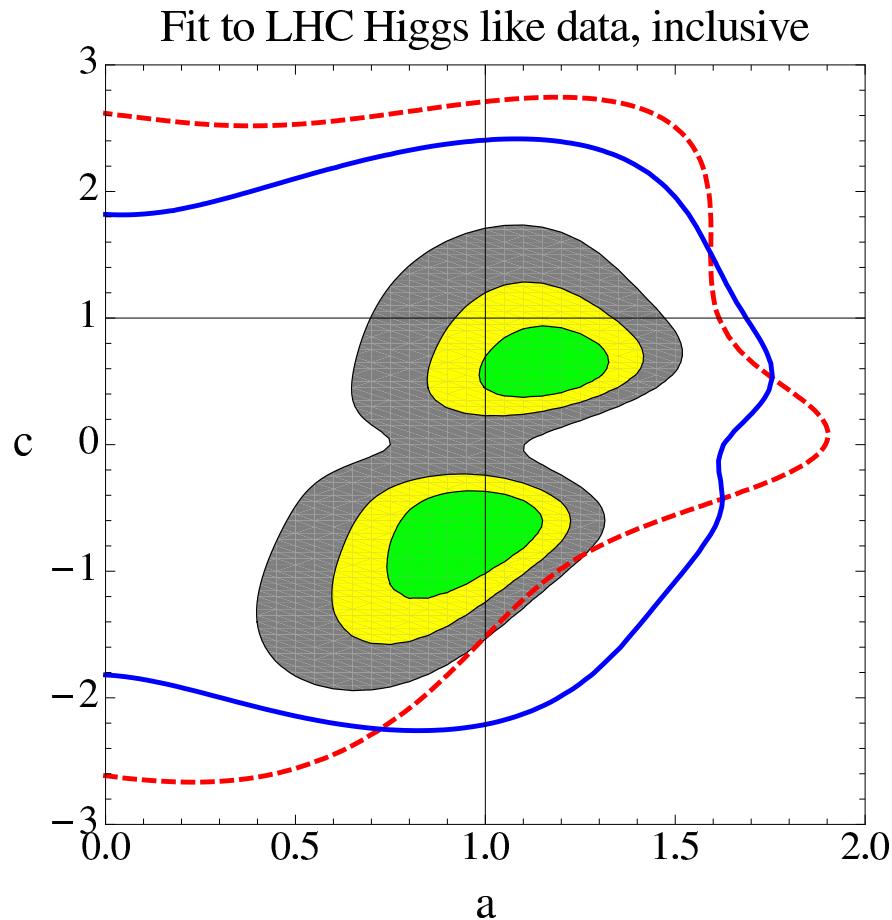


for similar analyses, see also

Azatov,Contino,Galloway '12  
Carmi,Falkowski,Kuflik,Volansky '12  
Ellis,You '12; Giardino eal '12

# Model-Independent Fit to LHC Data - Update with Moriond Data

Espinosa, Grojean, MMM, Trott '12

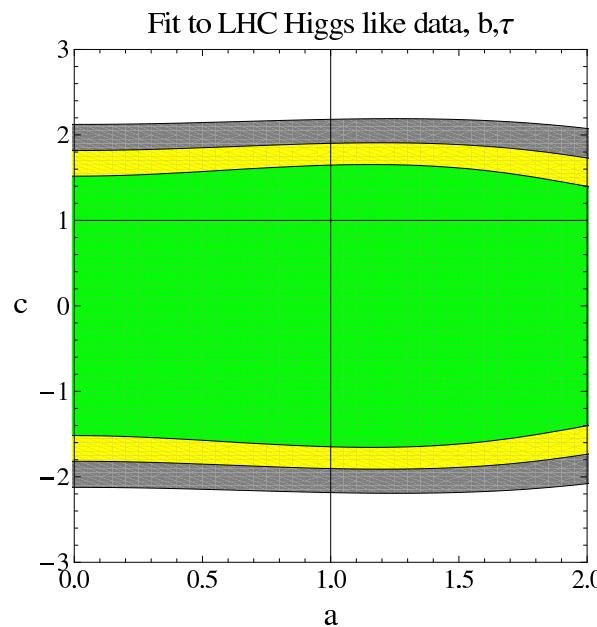


ATLAS update:  $pp \rightarrow WW^* \rightarrow l^+\nu l^-\bar{\nu}$ ,  
ATLAS  $pp \rightarrow \tau\tau$ , Tevatron  $p\bar{p} \rightarrow b\bar{b}$

## Channels Driving the $\mathcal{F}$

Espinosa, Grojean, MMM, Trott '12

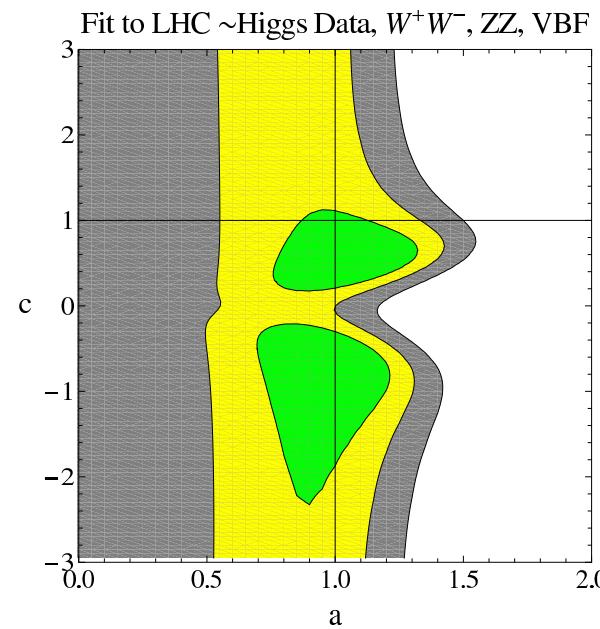
fermion couplings



almost no constraints

at the moment

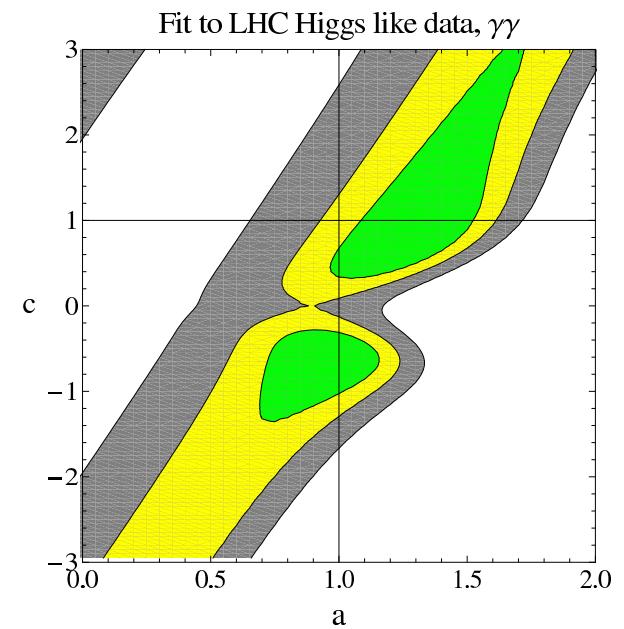
gauge couplings



almost  $(a, c) \leftrightarrow (a, -c)$  symmetric

large  $a$  are disfavoured

both couplings



most constraining

even if  $\Gamma(h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)$  is not really modified (no operator  $|H|^2 B_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu}$ ),  
 $BR_{\gamma\gamma}$  has strong dependence on  $a, c$

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## *Conclusions*

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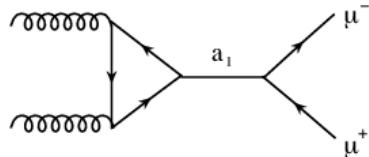
(i) **MSSM Higgs boson production** including HO corrections available

(ii) **Interpretation of LHC Higgs search results within**

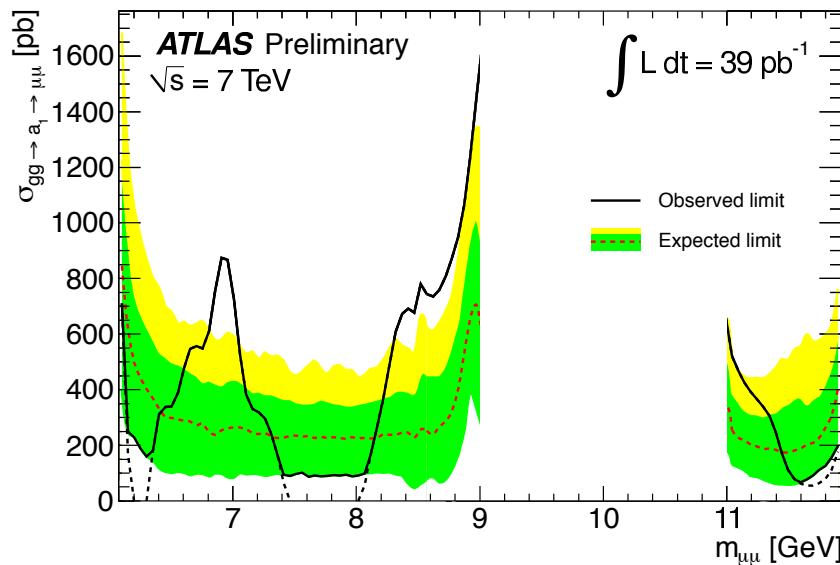
- \* MSSM: requires 'finetuning'
- \* NMSSM: less finetuned
- \* Composite Higgs: compatible with LHC results
- \* Model-independent
  - effective theory: global fits to best signal strengths and exclusion regions
  - SM Higgs hypothesis consistent w/ data at 94% CL

Thank you for your attention!

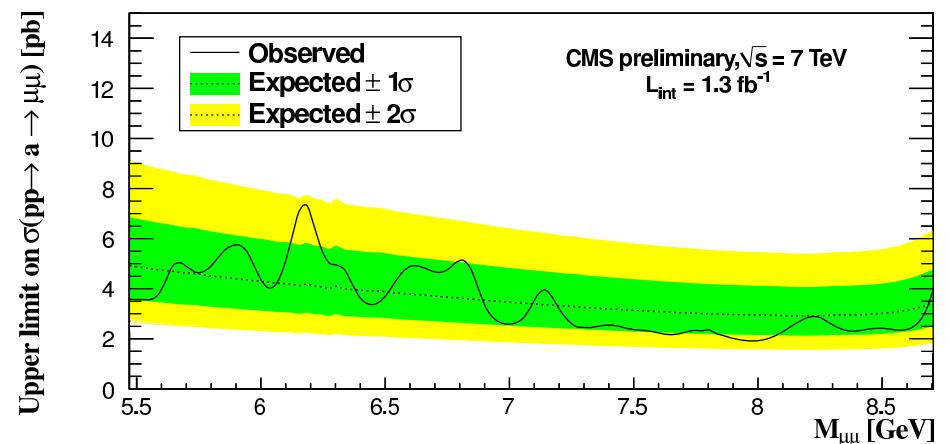
# Upper Limit on $\mathcal{NMSSM}$ $a_1$ Production



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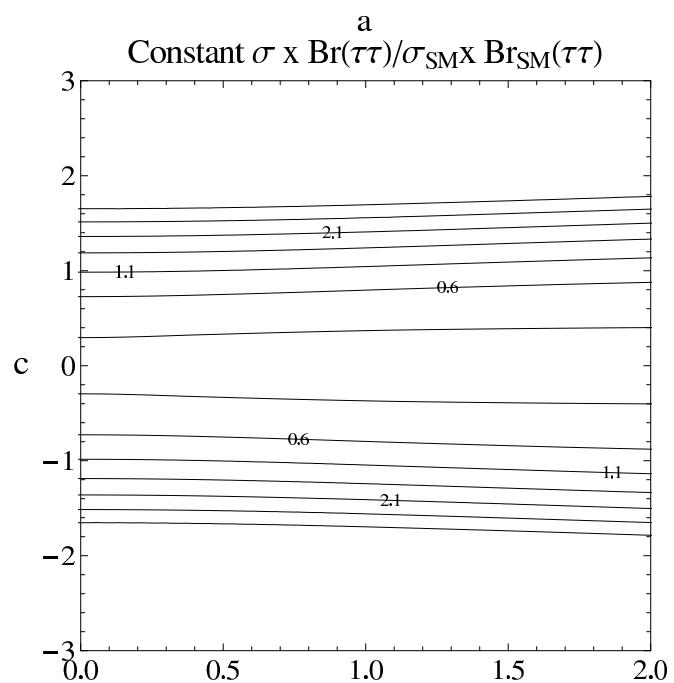
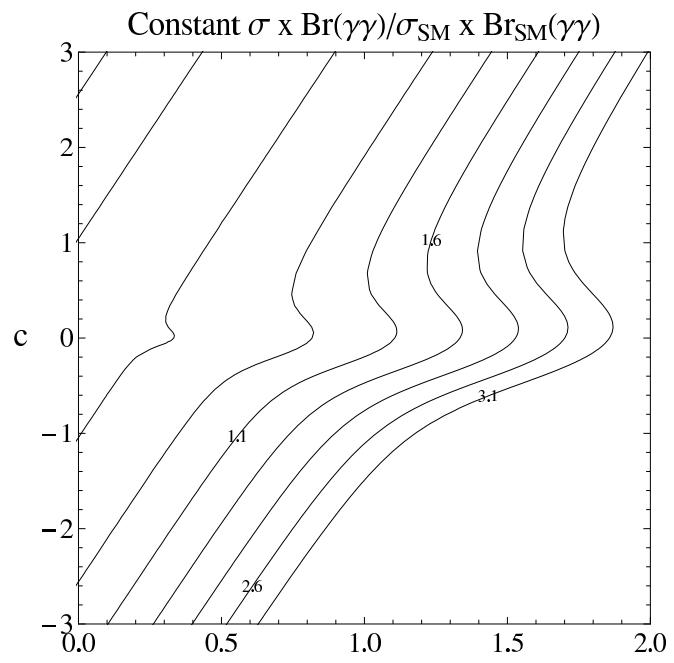
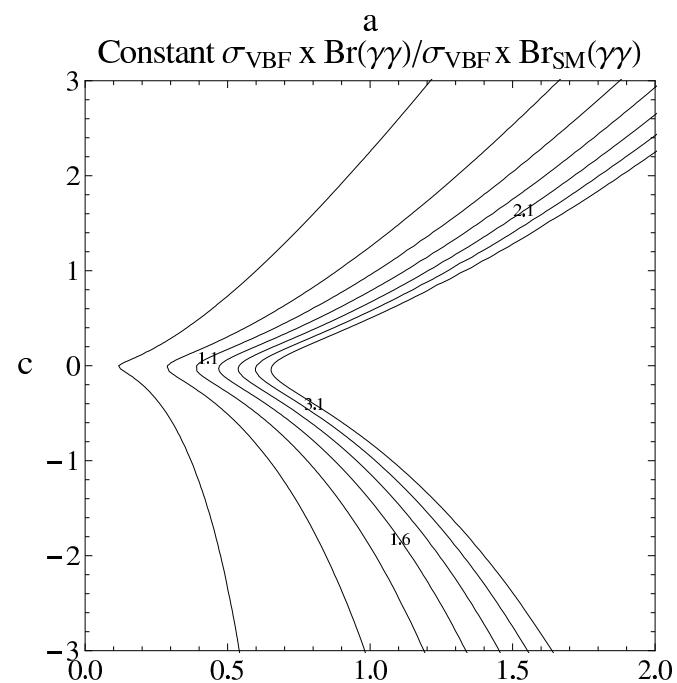
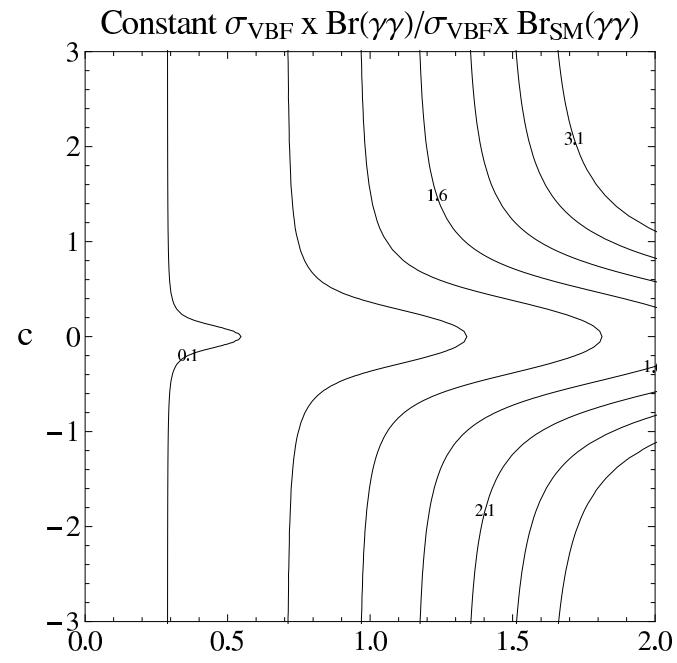


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# Contours of constant signal production at 8 TeV

Espinosa, Grojean, MMM, Trott '12



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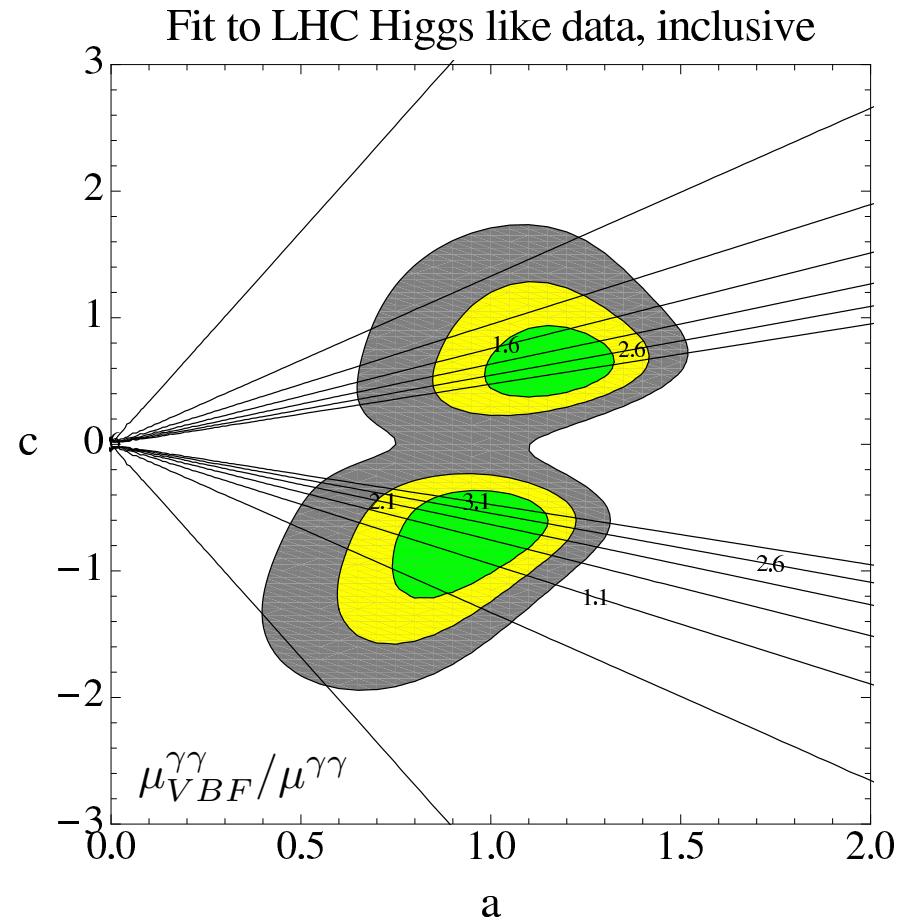
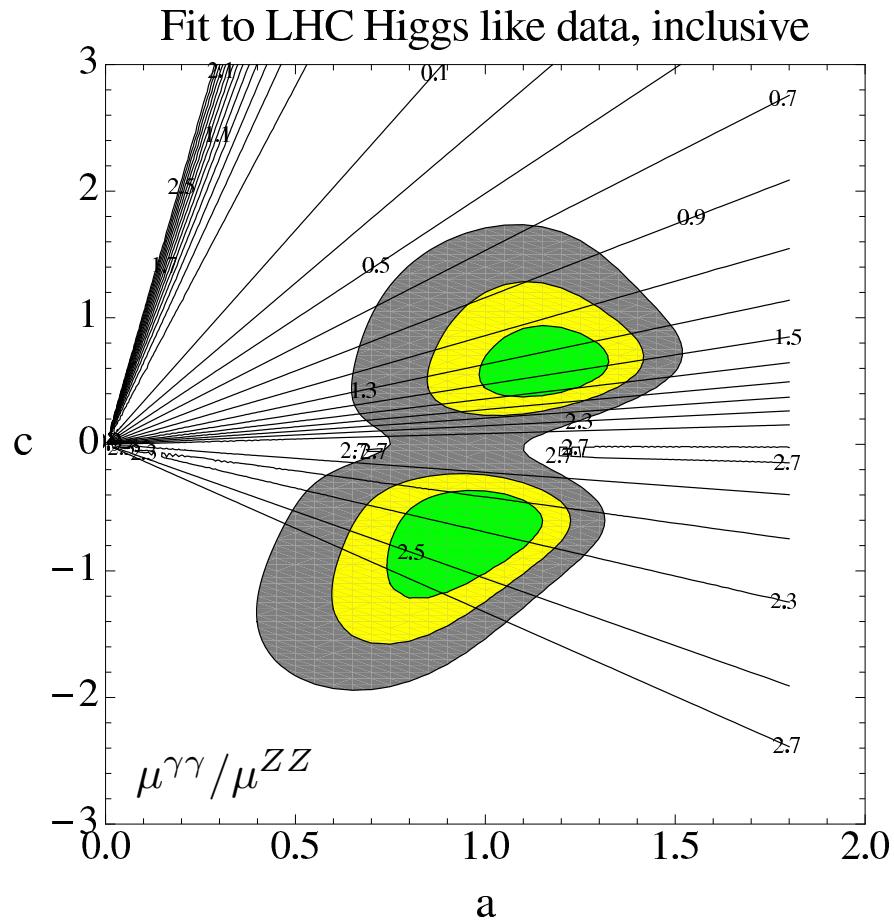
## Moriond 2012 Update

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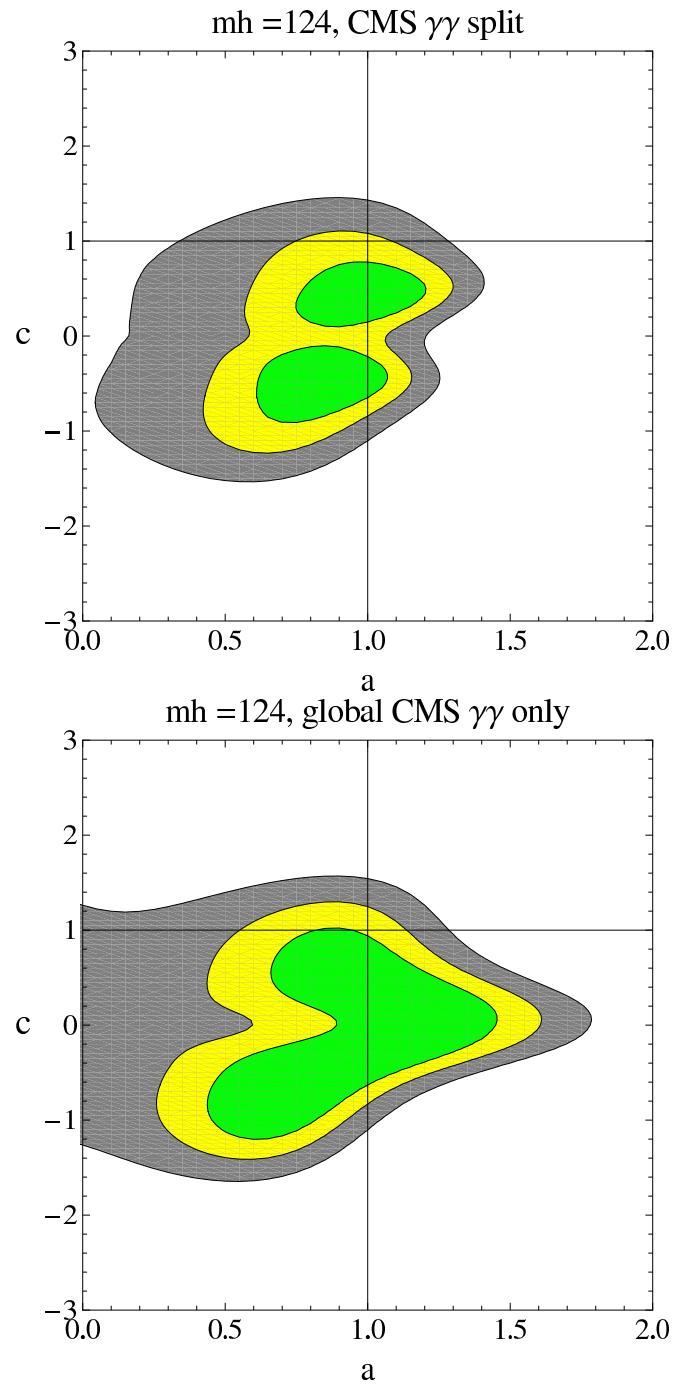
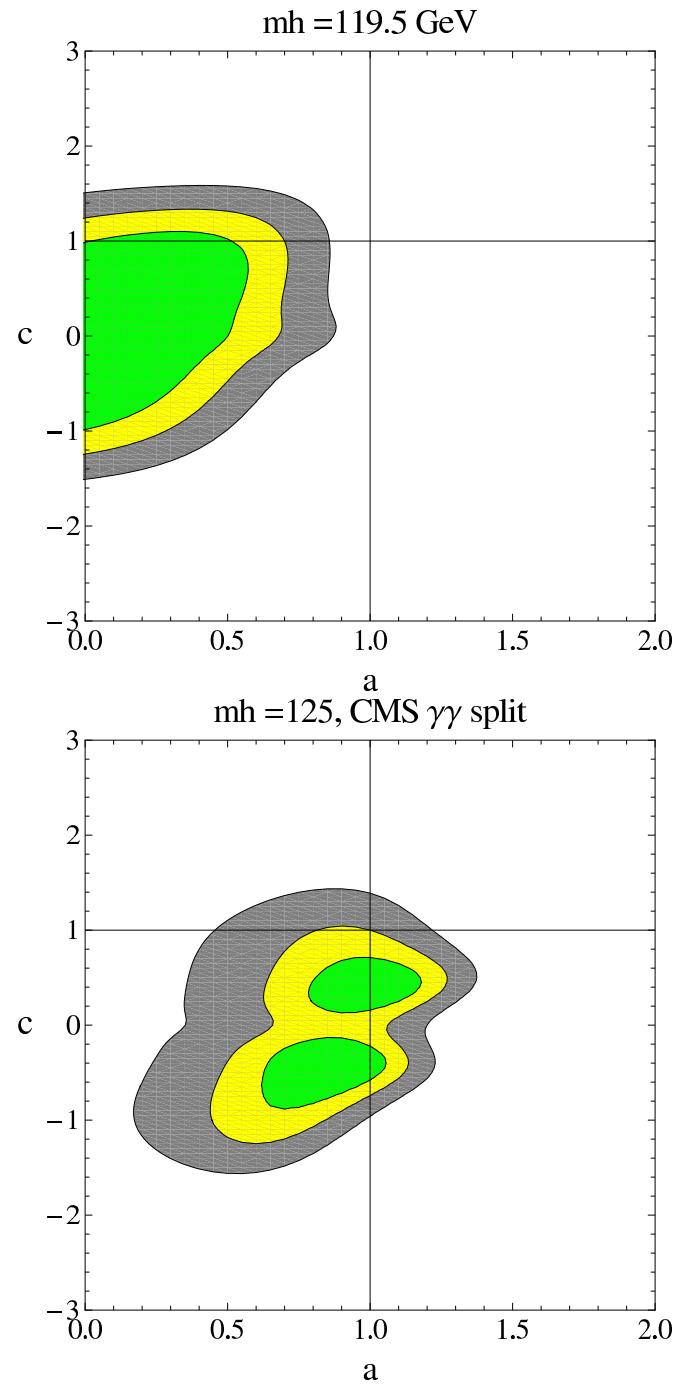
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$pp \rightarrow b \bar{b}$ [ATLAS]	124	$-0.8^{+1.7}_{-1.7} (3.5)$
$pp \rightarrow \tau \bar{\tau}$ [ATLAS]	124	$-0.1^{+1.7}_{-1.7} (3.4)$
$pp \rightarrow b \bar{b}$ [CDF&D0]	125	$2.0^{+0.8}_{-0.7} (3.2)$
$pp \rightarrow W^+ W^-$ [CDF&D0]	125	$0.03^{+1.22}_{-0.03} (2.4)$

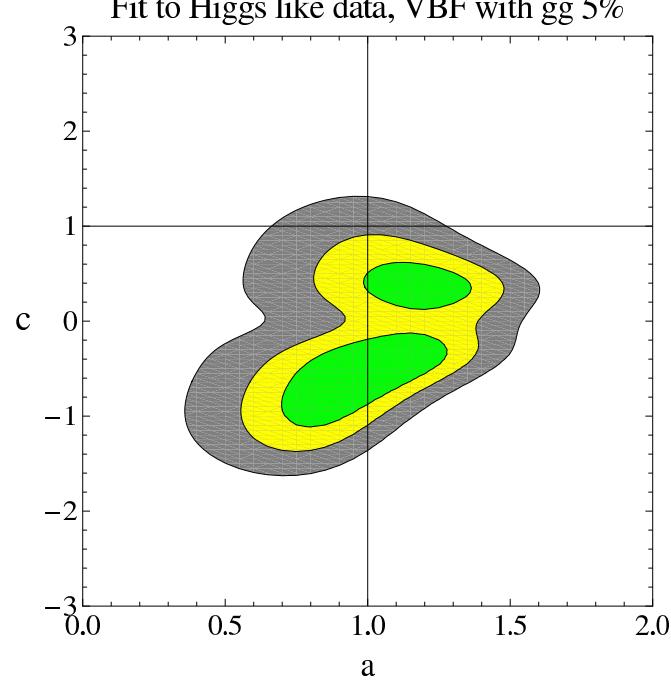
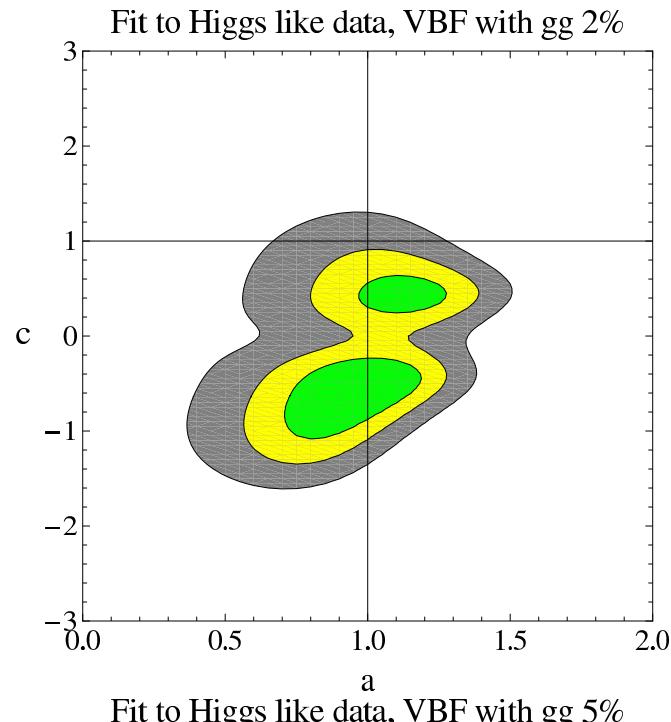
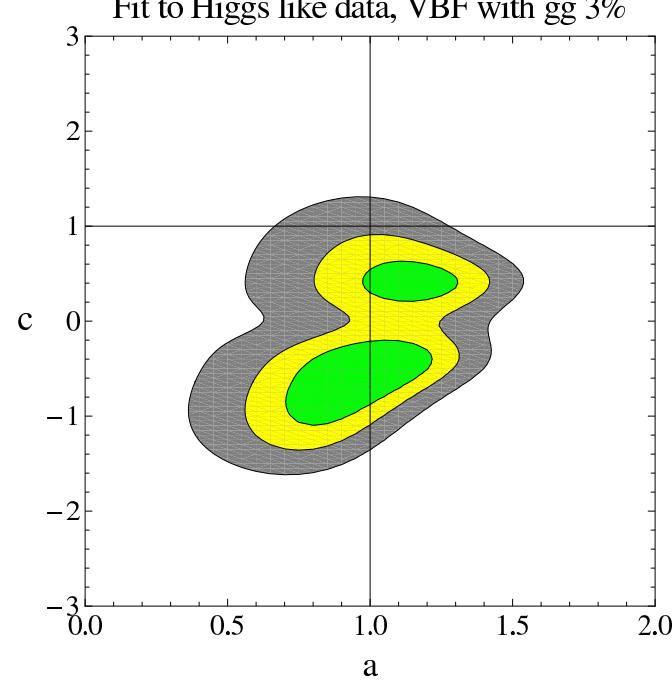
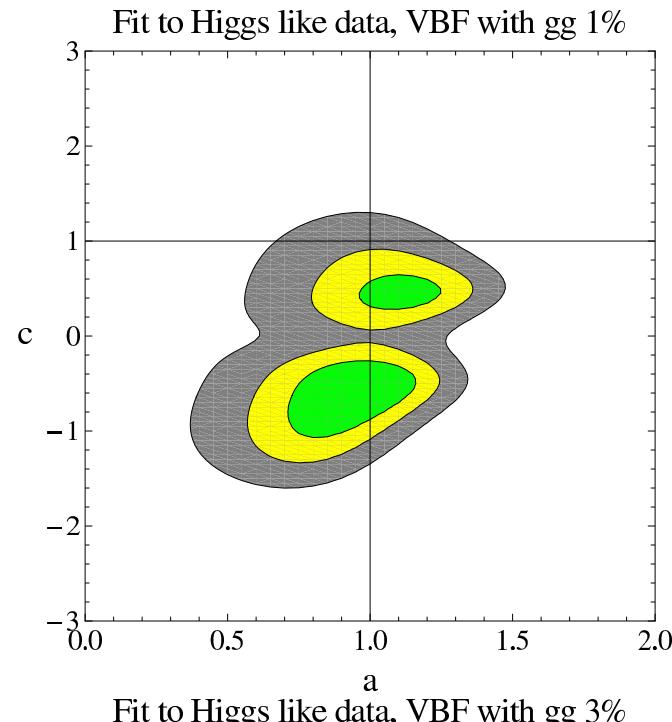
## How to distinguish the two Minima

Espinosa, Grojean, MMM, Trott '12



the  $(a, c) \leftrightarrow (a, -c)$  symmetry is broken in the  $\gamma\gamma$  channel





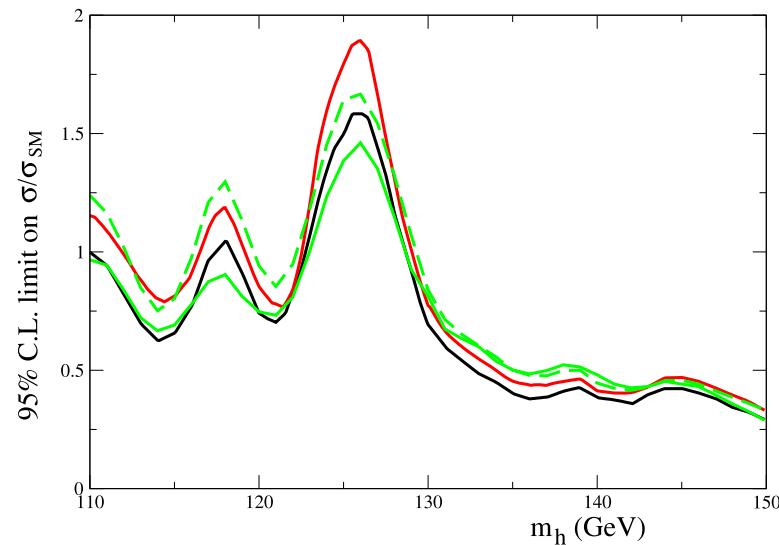
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## 95% CL limits on $\sigma/\sigma_{SM}$

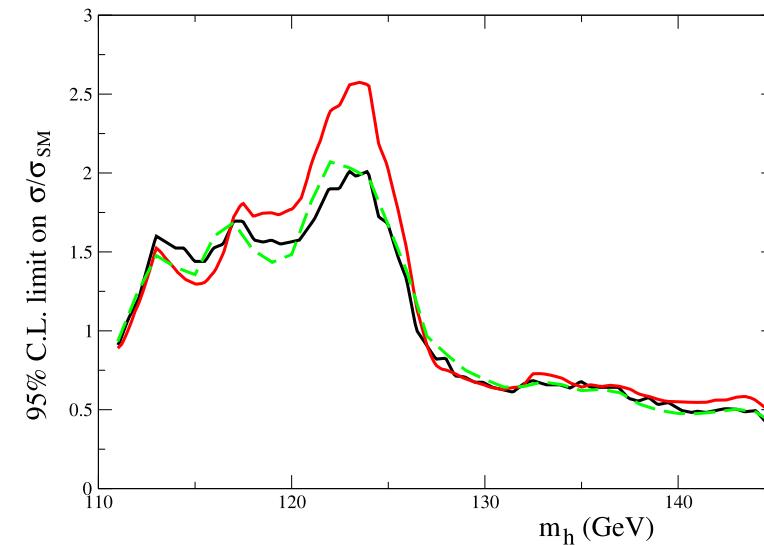
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ATLAS



CMS



black: official curve

red: simple approximation

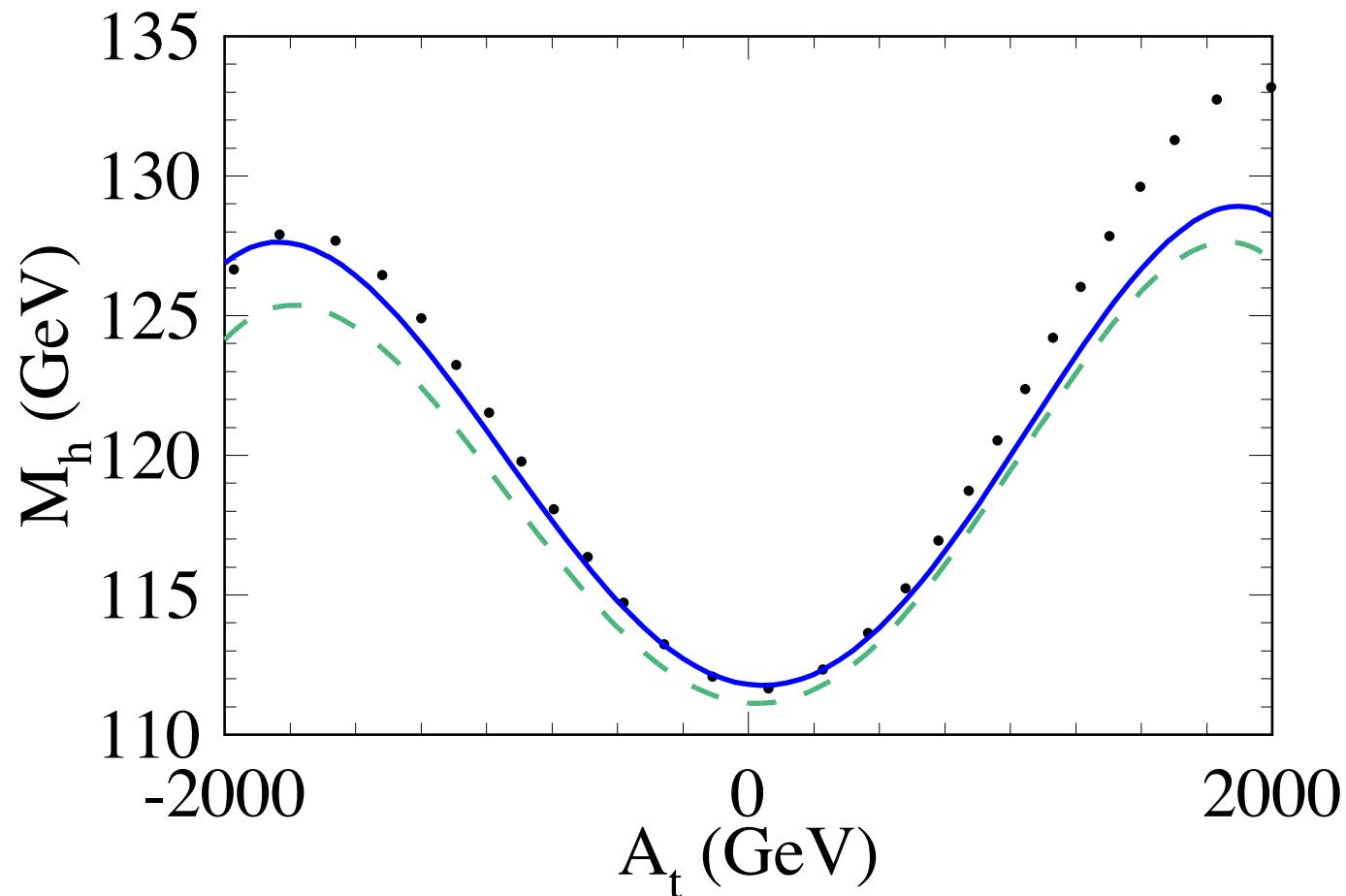
green: more precise determination

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## Light MSSM Higgs mass at three-loop order

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Kant, Harlander, Mihaila, Steinhauser '10



3-loop:  $\Delta^{th}(M_h) \approx 200$  MeV (1 GeV) for  $m_{1/2} = 100$  GeV (1 TeV)

## Associated production with a $b\bar{b}$ pair

- (v) Higgs  $b\bar{b}$  production: dominant MSSM Higgs production mechanism for  $\tan \beta \gtrsim 7$   
measurement of  $\tan \beta$

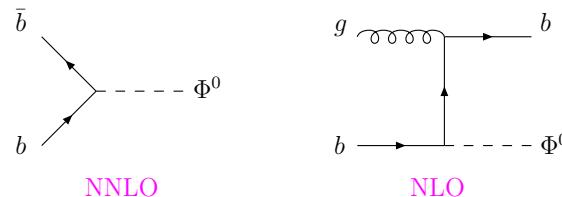
- Four-flavour scheme 4FS: LO cxn  $gg \rightarrow b\bar{b}\Phi^0$



NLO with 0,1,2 high-transverse momentum  $b$  jets  
exact  $g \rightarrow b\bar{b}$  splitting & mass/off-shell effects  
large logs from phase space integration  $\rightsquigarrow$  absorbed in bottom PDF  $\Rightarrow$

Dittmaier,Krämer,Spira;  
Dawson,Jackson,Reina,Wackeroth

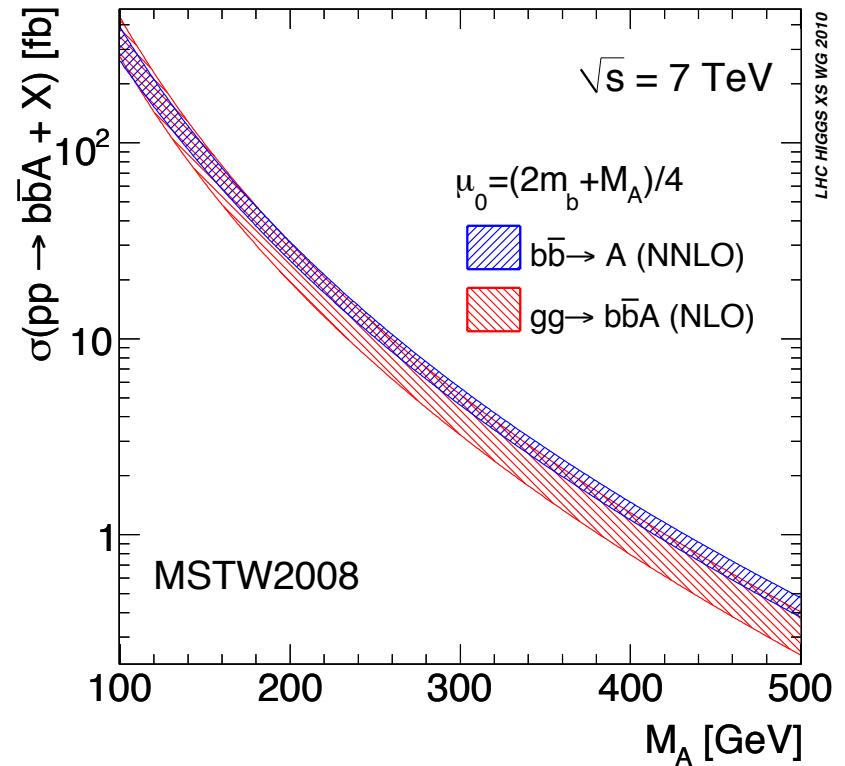
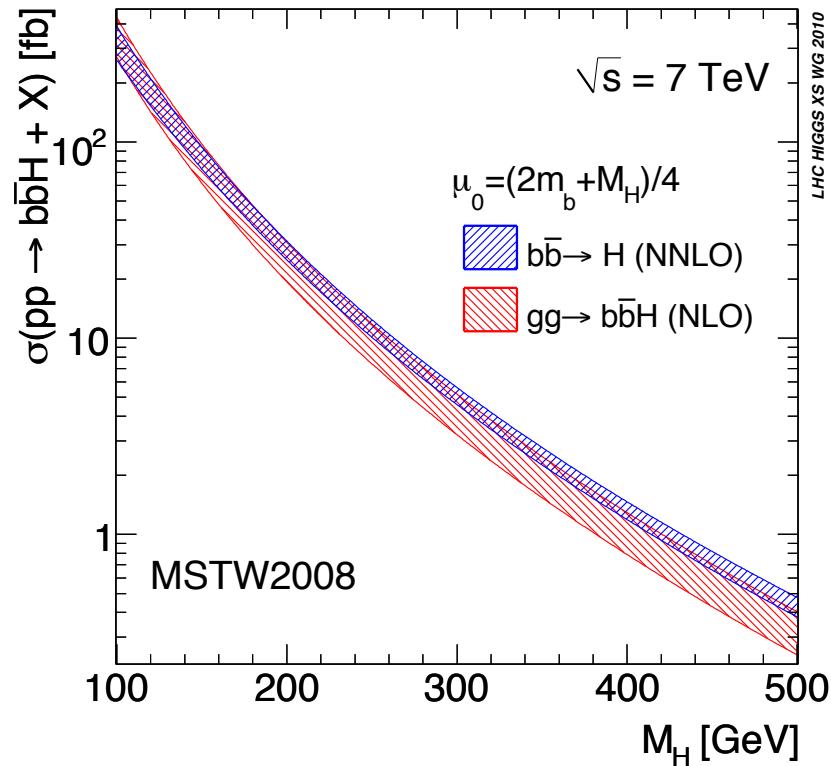
- Five-flavour scheme 5FS: LO cxn  $b\bar{b} \rightarrow \Phi^0$



Dicus,Willenbrock  
Stelzer et al.;Balazs et al.  
Campbell et al.  
Harlander,Kilgore  
Kidonakis

massless/on-shell  $b$ 's, no  $p_{Tb}$ , resummation of  $\log M_H^2/m_b^2$  terms

## Associated production with a $b\bar{b}$ pair



blue bands: combined scale and 68% CL PDF+ $\alpha_s$  uncertainties of the 5FS  
 red bands: scale uncertainties of the 4FS

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## The Santander Matching

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\* **Difference 4FS  $\leftrightarrow$  5FS:** logarithmic

Harlander,Krämer,Schumacher

\* **Weight:** 5FS 100% weight for  $\frac{M_H}{m_b} \rightarrow \infty$   
4FS 100% weight for 'small' logarithms:  $\ln(M_H/m_b) = 2$  (arbitrariness)

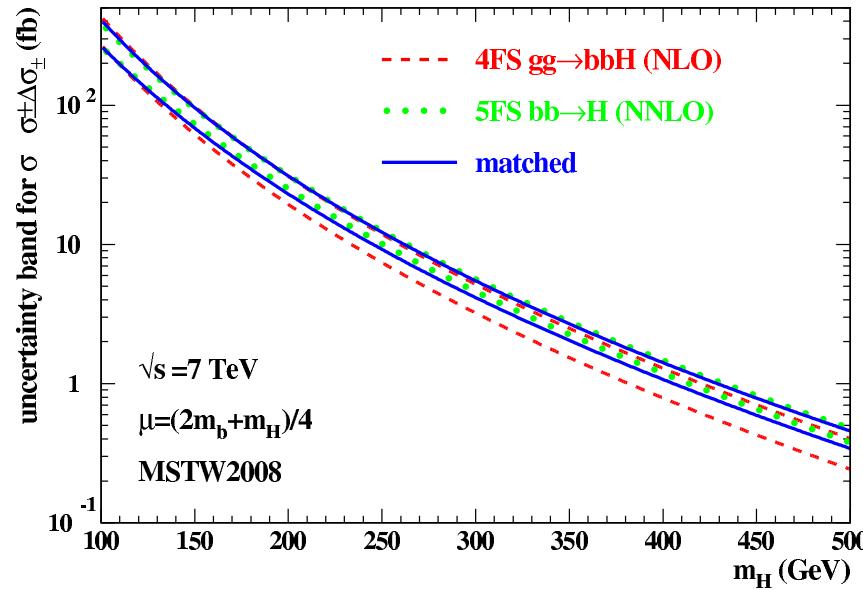
$$\sigma^{\text{matched}} = \frac{\sigma^{\text{4FS}} + w\sigma^{\text{5FS}}}{1+w}$$

$$w = \ln \frac{M_H}{m_b} - 2$$

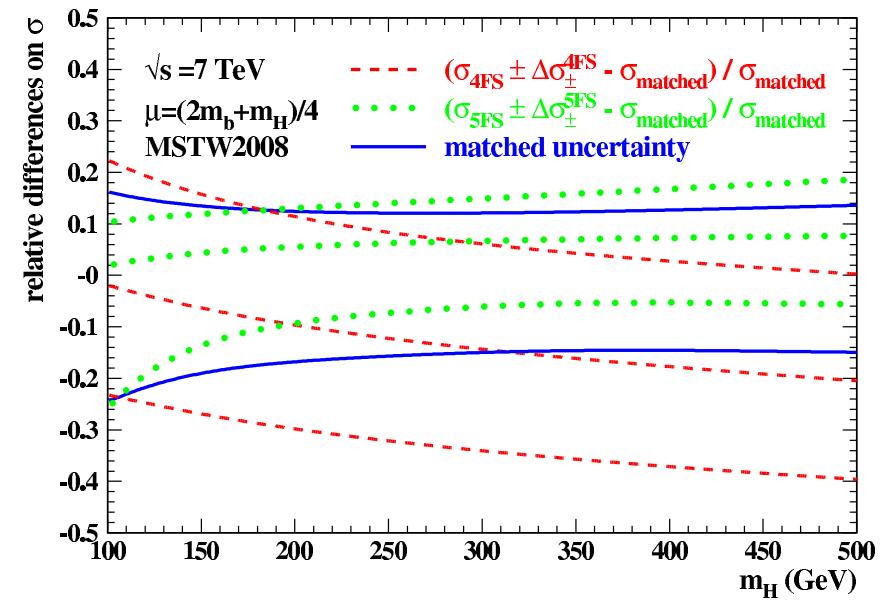
$\Rightarrow$  4FS and 5FS have same weight at  $M_H = 100$  GeV.

# The Santander Matching

Harlander,Krämer,Schumacher



(a)

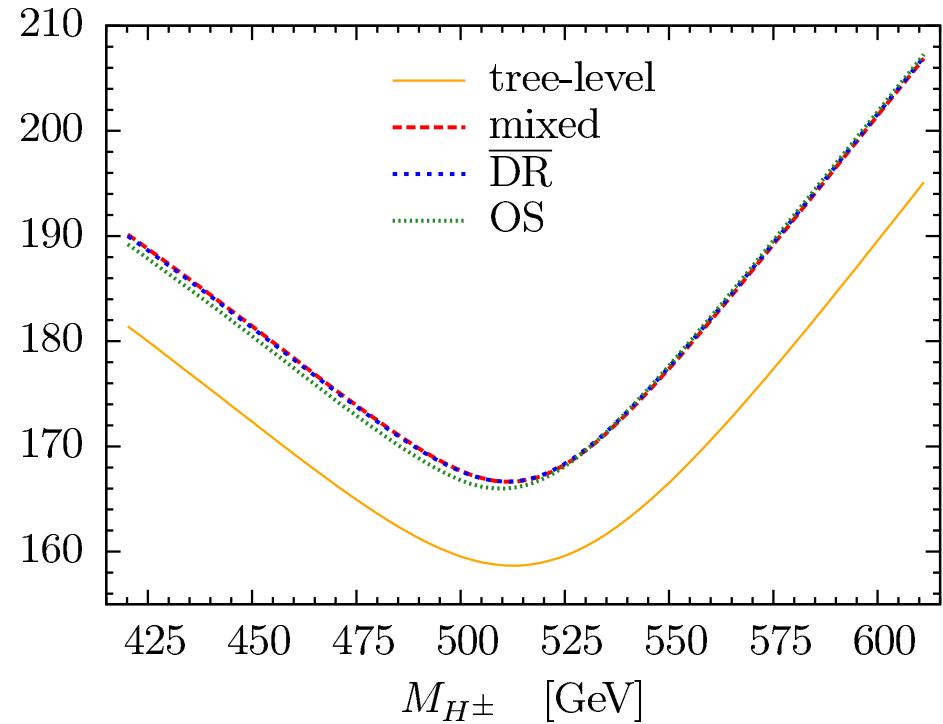
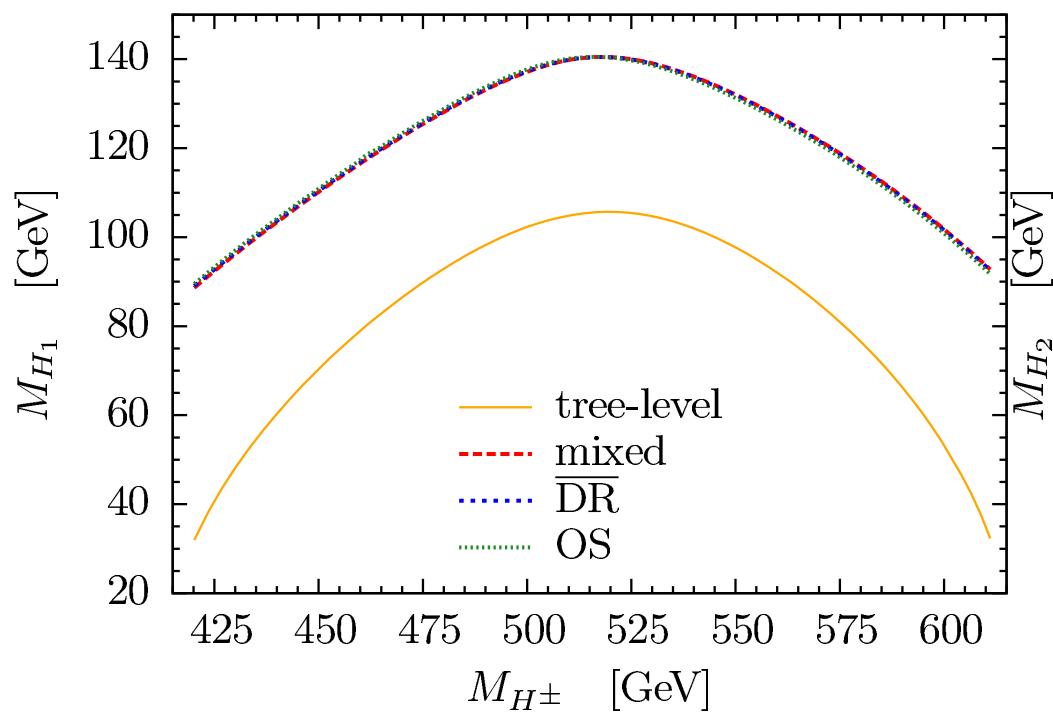


(b)

Figure 2: (a) Theory uncertainty bands for the total inclusive cross section in the 4FS (red, dashed), the 5FS (green, dotted), and for the matched cross section (blue, solid). (b) Uncertainty bands and central values, relative to the central value of the matched result (same line coding as panel (a)).

# NMSSM Higgs Boson Mass

Ender, Graf, MMM, Rzehak



Dependence on different renormalisation schemes

## Finetuning - Natural $SUSY$ Model

- **Benchmark points** 2 examples

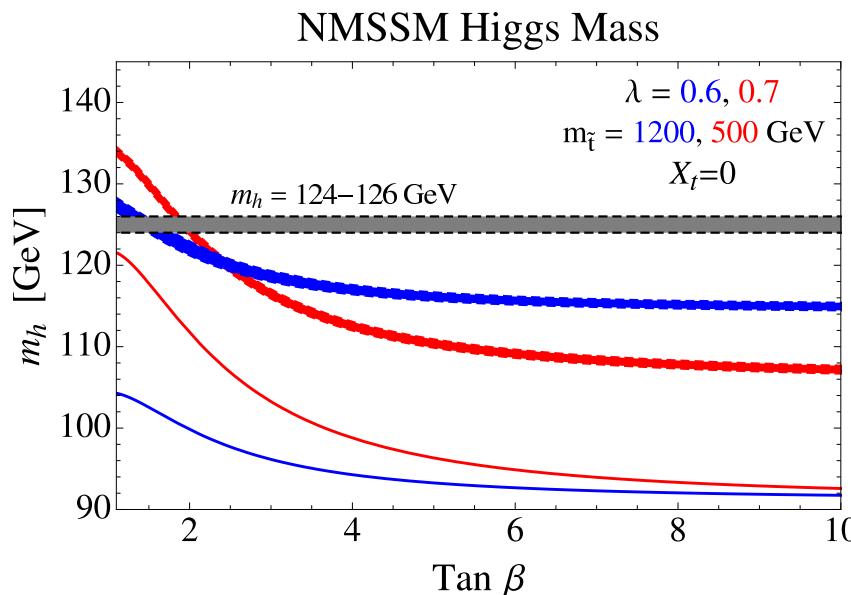
$$X_t = A_t - \mu \cot \beta$$

King, MMM, Nevzorov

SM-like Higgs [GeV]	$\tan \beta$	$\lambda$	$m_{\tilde{t}_1}$ [GeV]	$m_{\tilde{t}_2}$ [GeV]	$X_t/m_{\tilde{t}}$	$R_{\gamma\gamma}$	$R_{incl}R_{\gamma\gamma}$
$M_{H_1} = 124.6$	2	0.56	358	686	2.26	1.42	1.11
$M_{H_2} = 125.8$	3	0.68	391	634	1.77	1.78	1.39

- **NMSSM mass versus  $\tan \beta$**

approximate  
2-loop  $M_H$  mass formula



- **For scans** see Albornoz Vasquez et al; Cao et al

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## Constraints

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- **EW precision observables:**

- \*  $\hat{T} = c_T \frac{v^2}{f^2} \Rightarrow |c_T \frac{v^2}{f^2}| < 2 \times 10^{-3}$

constrain only  $a$

- \*  $\hat{S} = (c_W + c_B) \frac{m_W^2}{m_\rho^2}$

removed by custodial symmetry

$$m_\rho \geq (c_W + c_B)^{1/2} 2.5 \text{ TeV}$$

- \* 1-loop IR effects

Barbieri et al

$$\Delta\epsilon_{1,3} = -c_{1,3}(1 - a^2) \log(m_\rho^2/m_h^2)$$

constrains  $a$

- **Flavor constraints**

- \* no tree-level FCNC

$c$  is flavor universal  $\rightarrow$  MFV built in

- **Direct searches LEP, Tevatron, LHC:** constrain  $a$  and  $c$

[rescale  $\sigma_{\text{prod}}$  and  $\Gamma_{\text{decay}}$ , add channels in quadrature]

$\rightarrow T$

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## $\mathcal{NMSSM}$ Higgs Phenomenology

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- Enlarged Higgs and neutralino sector:

7 Higgs bosons:  $H_1, H_2, H_3, A_1, A_2, H^+, H^-$   
5 neutralinos:  $\tilde{\chi}_i^0$  ( $i = 1, \dots, 5$ )

- Significant changes of Higgs boson phenomenology:

- ★ Existence of light  $H_1, A_1, \tilde{\chi}_1^0$ : invisible decays into these final states  
~~ suppressed Higgs decay into  $\gamma\gamma$  ~~ MSSM/SM search channels could miss it
- ★  $H_2 \rightarrow H_1 H_1$  or  $H_2 \rightarrow A_1 A_1$  with  $H_1, A_1$  further decaying into SM particles:  
discovery mode w/ distinctive signature
- ★ If  $M_{A_1} < 2m_b$  ~~  $H_1 \rightarrow A_1 A_1$  dominates ~~  $BR(H_1 \rightarrow b\bar{b})$  suppressed ~~  $H_1$  avoids 114.4 LEP limit  $H_1 \rightarrow A_1 A_1 \rightarrow l^+ l^- b\bar{b}$  could explain observed LEP excess near  $m_{b\bar{b}} = 100$  GeV  
Dermisek ,Gunion
- ★ Additional neutralino: singlino-like lightest  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ , can be very light: possible DM candidate
- ★ ...