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The Higgs and the Terascale: an Outlook

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The main LHC results so far

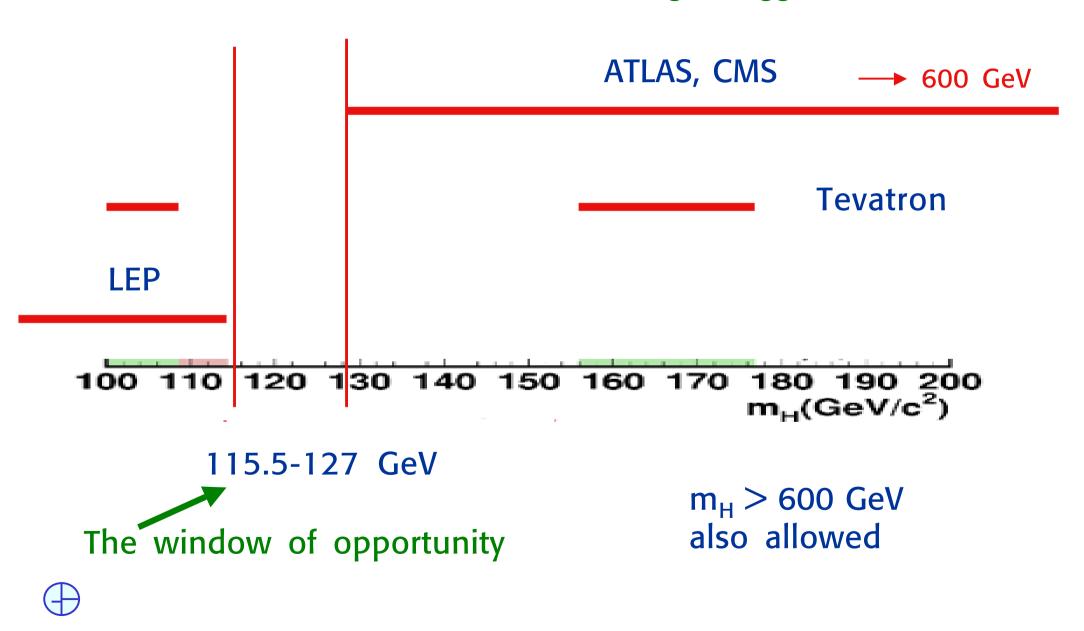
• A robust exclusion interval for the SM Higgs. Only a narrow window below 600 GeV: 115.5-127 GeV. Plus some indication for $m_H \sim 125$ GeV C. Paus

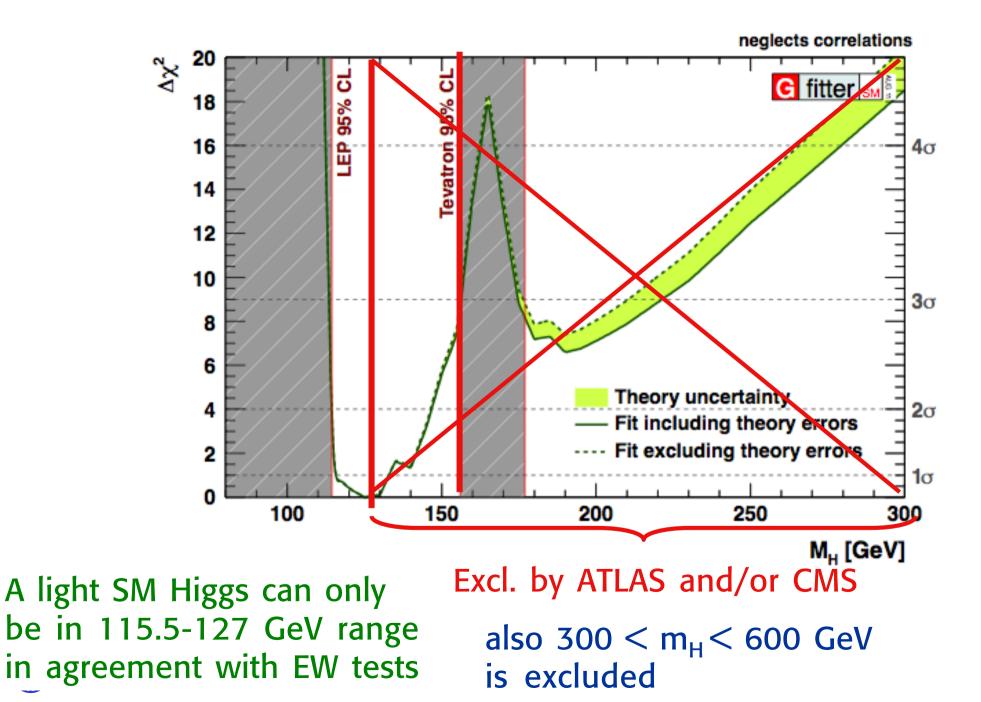
No evidence of new physics, althouh a big chunk of new territory has been explored
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• Important results on B and D decays from LHCb [e.g. B_s ->J/ $\Psi \phi$, B_s -> $\mu \mu$, CP viol in D decay]

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The 95% exclusion intervals for the light Higgs





Some "excess" was reported in the allowed m_H window

Is this the Higgs signal?

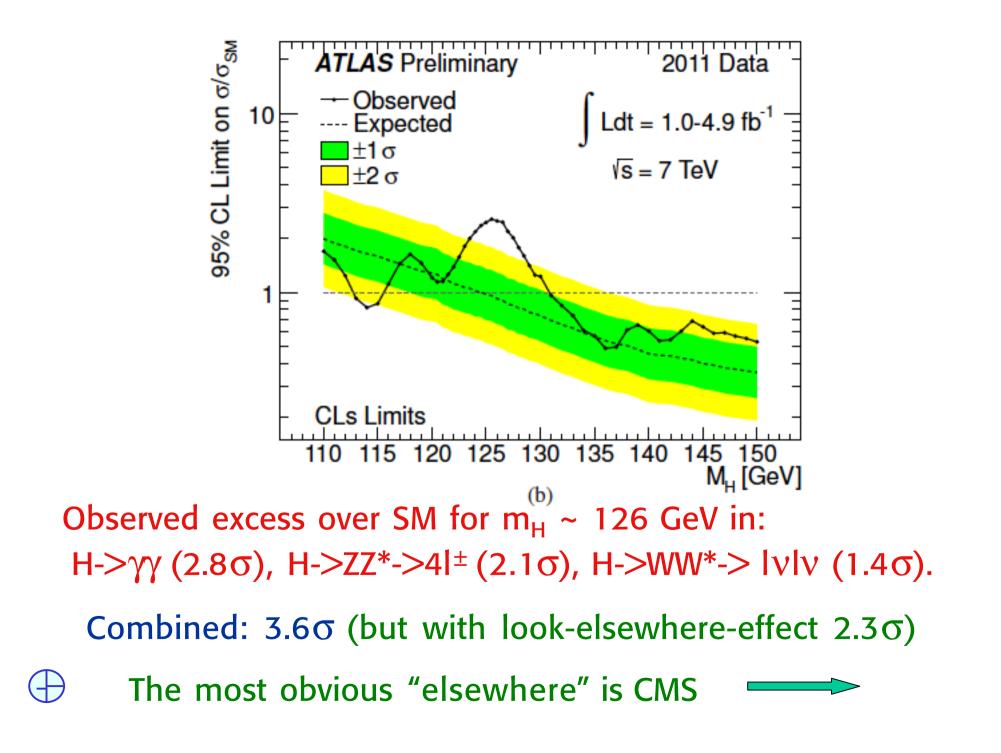
We hope yes, but the present evidence could still evaporate with more statistics

We need to wait for the 2012 run

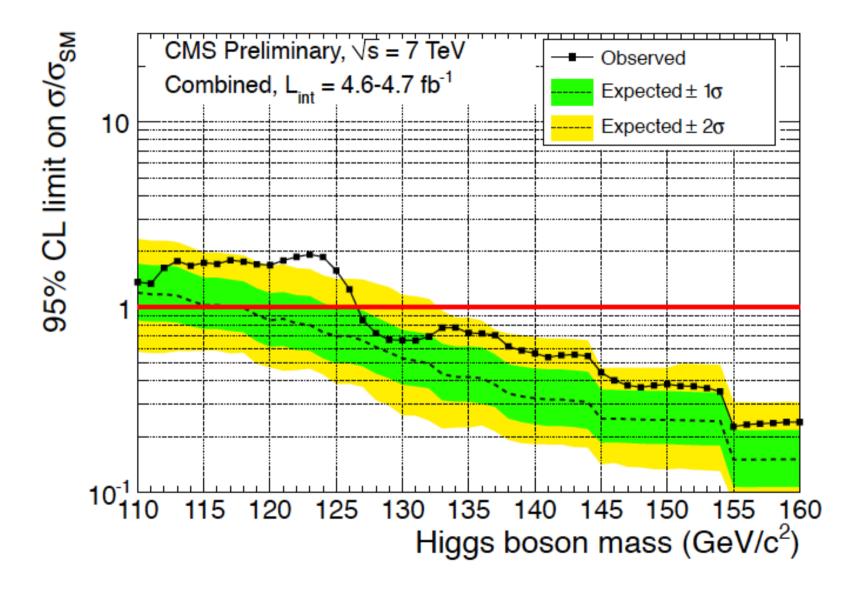
But, assuming that the excess is the first manifestation of a signal, it is important to discuss the implications

Many papers on the ArXiv after Dec. 13th



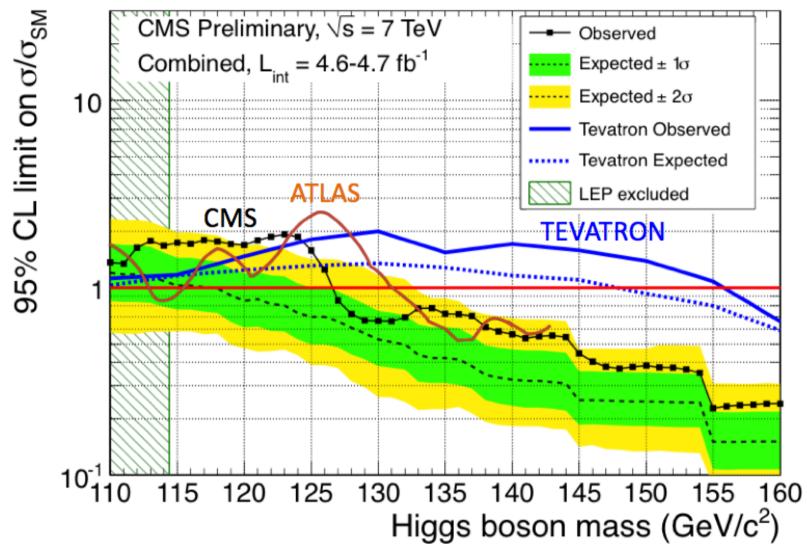


Also in CMS there is an excess, but smaller (2.6 σ)



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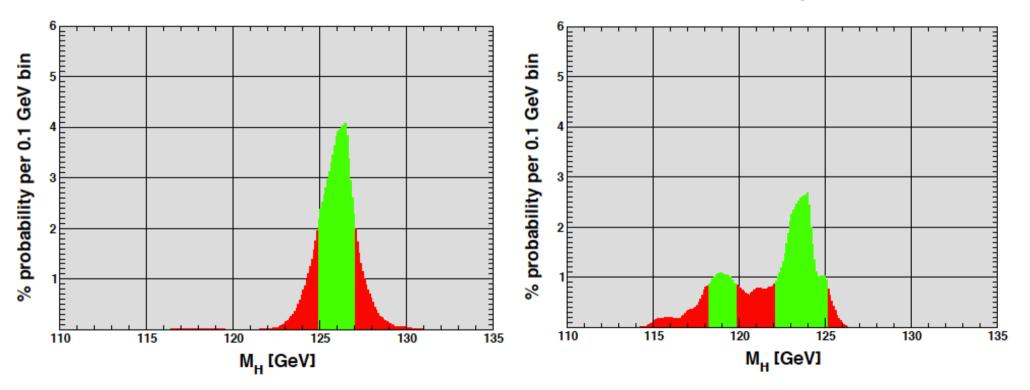


Do the masses really coincide?

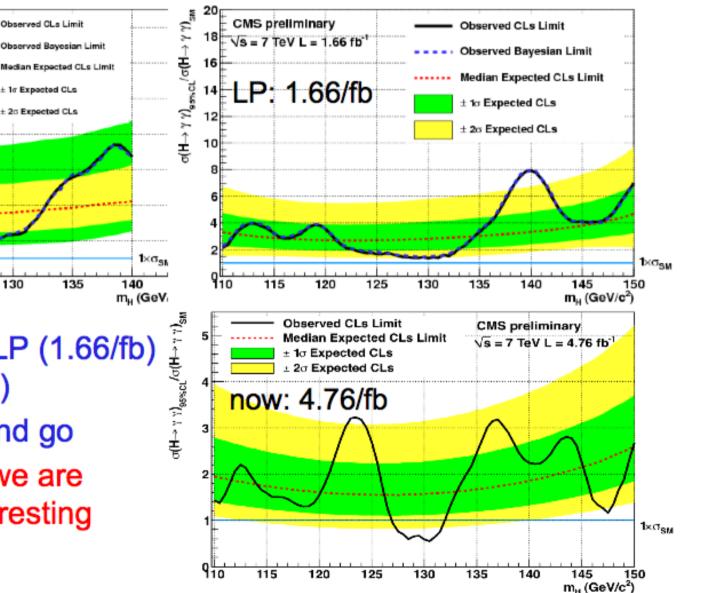


all data except CMS

all data except ATLAS



Peaks come and go! CMS History: $H \rightarrow \gamma \gamma$



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• EPS (1.09/fb) LP (1.66/fb) Dec 19 (4.76/fb)

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'peaks' come and go

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CMS preliminary

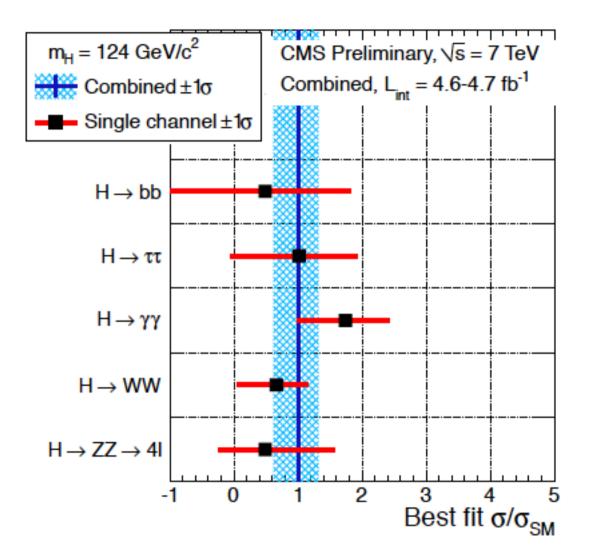
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 $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV L} = 1.09 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

EPS: 1.09/fb

 of course now we are getting into interesting territory

A moderate enhancement of the $\gamma\gamma$ rate may be indicated





The SM Higgs is close to be observed or excluded!

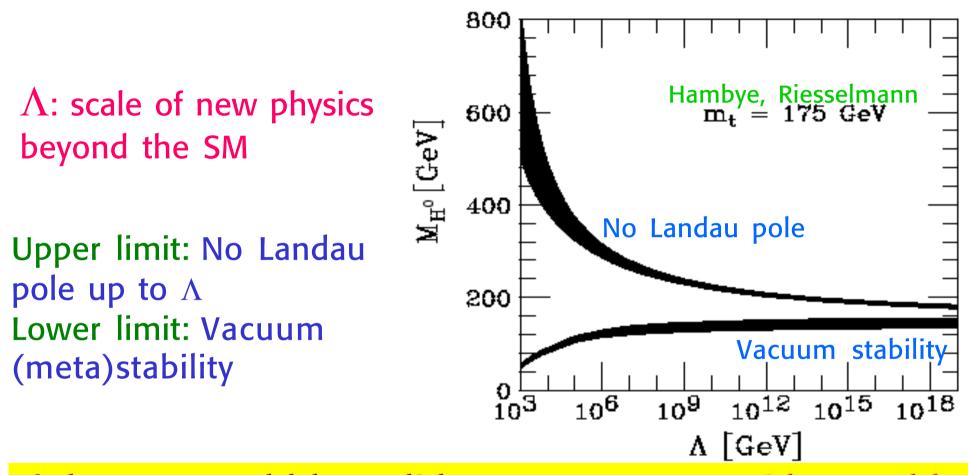
Either the SM Higgs is very light (115.5 - 127 GeV) or rather heavy (i.e. > 600 GeV)

The range $m_H = 115.5 - 127$ GeV is in agreement with precision tests, compatible with the SM and also with the SUSY extensions of the SM

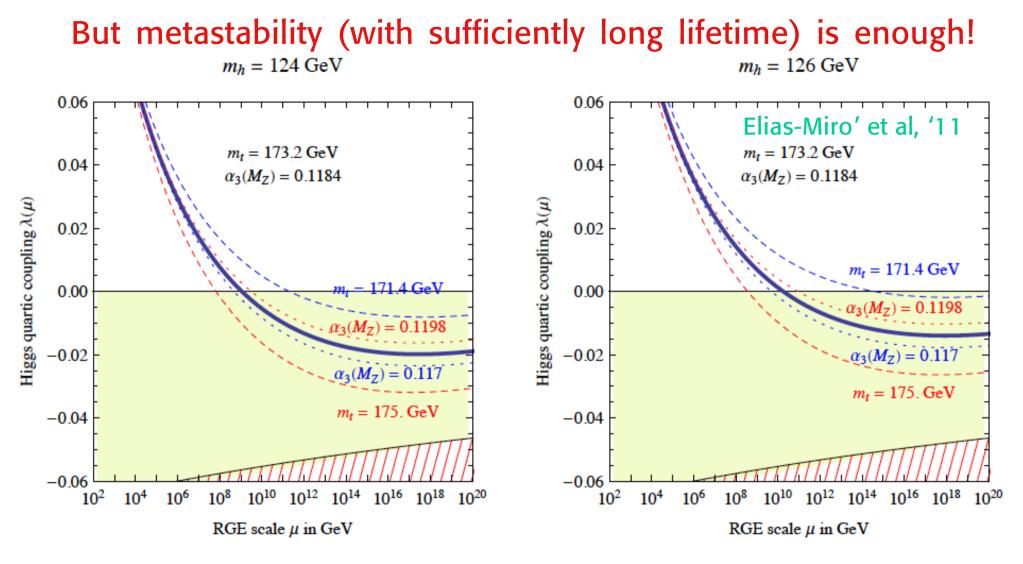
 $m_{\rm H} \sim 125$ GeV is what you expect from a direct interpretation of EW precision tests: no fancy conspiracy with new physics to fake a light Higgs while the real one is heavy

 $m_H > 600$ GeV would point to the conspiracy alternative

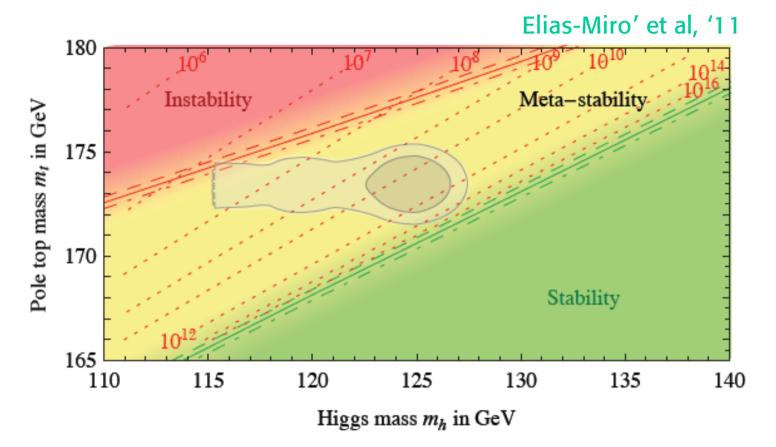
Theoretical bounds on the SM Higgs mass



If the SM would be valid up to M_{GUT} , M_{Pl} with a stable vacuum then m_{H} would be limited in a small range depends on m_t and $\alpha_s \longrightarrow 130$ GeV $< m_H < 180$ GeV



In the absence of new physics, for $m_H \sim 125$ GeV, the Universe becomes metastable at a scale $\Lambda \sim 10^{10}$ GeV And the SM remains viable up to M_{Pl} (early universe implications)



Note that λ =0 at the Planck scale (and no physics in between) implies m_H ~ 130 GeV depending on m_t and α_s

$$m_h > 130 \,\text{GeV} + 1.8 \,\text{GeV} \left(\frac{m_t - 173.2 \,\text{GeV}}{0.9 \,\text{GeV}}\right) - 0.5 \,\text{GeV} \left(\frac{\alpha_s(M_Z) - 0.1184}{0.0007}\right) \ \pm 3 \ \text{GeV}$$

not far from 125 GeV Elias-Miro' et al, Holthausen et al, Wetterich '11

The Standard Model works very well

So, why not find the Higgs and declare particle physics solved?

Because of both:

Conceptual problems

- Quantum gravity
- The hierarchy problem
- The flavour puzzle

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and experimental clues:

- Neutrino masses
- Coupling unification
- Dark matter
- Baryogenesis
- Vacuum energy
- some experimental anomalies: (g-2), hints

Some of these problems point at new physics at the weak scale: eg Hierarchy Dark matter (perhaps)

> insert here your /preferred hints



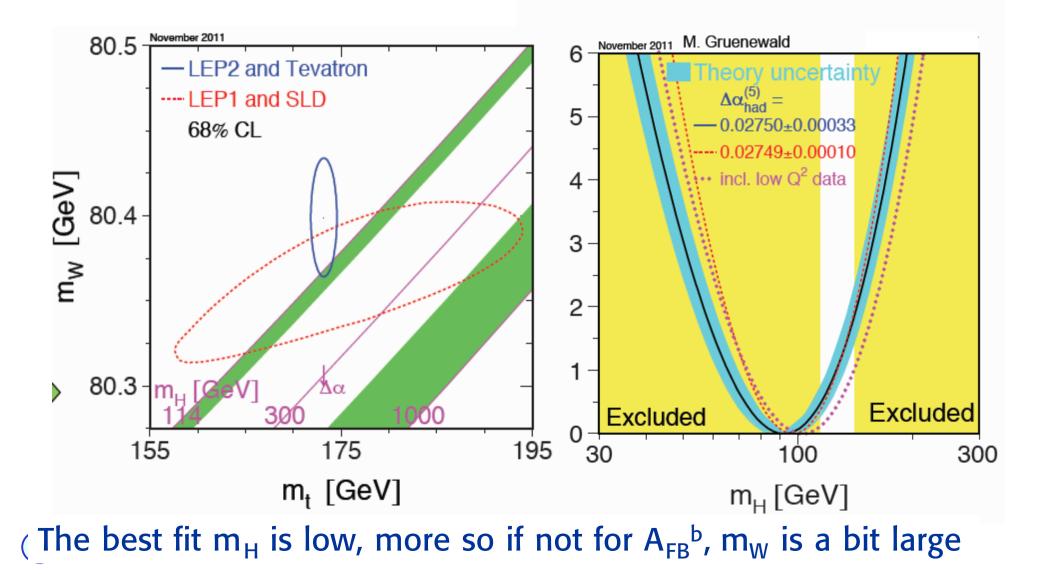
An enlarged SM (to include RH $\nu 's$ and no new physics) remains an (enormously fine tuned) option

- A light Higgs
- SO(10) non SUSY GUT
- SO(10) breaking down to $SU(4)xSU(2)_LxSU(2)_R$ at an intermediate scale (10¹¹⁻¹²)
- Majorana neutrinos and see-saw (-> $0\nu\beta\beta$)
- Axions as dark matter
- Baryogenesis thru leptogenesis

(but: (g-2) $_{\mu}$ and other present deviations from SM should be disposed of)



Some amount of new physics could bring EW precision tests better into focus



Muon g-2

 a_{μ} is a plausible location for a new physics signal!!

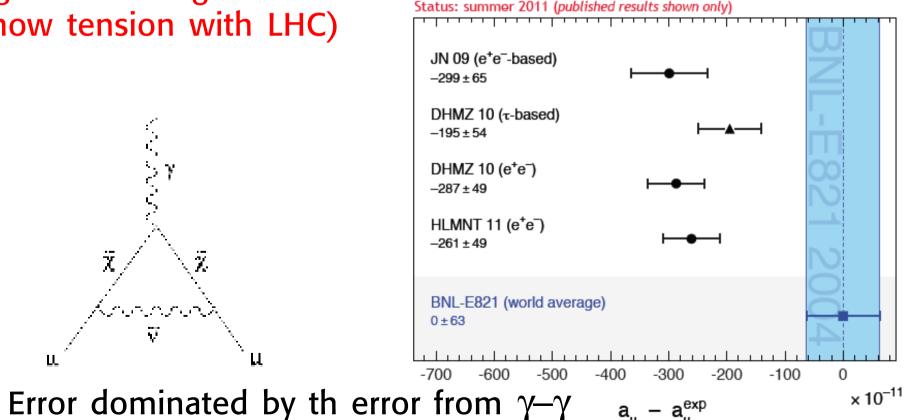
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eg could be light SUSY (now tension with LHC)

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a_{\mu}^{exp} - a_{\mu}^{SM} = (28.7 \pm 8.0) \times 10^{-10}
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- 3.6 "standard deviations" (e^+e^-)
- 2.4 "standard deviations" (τ)

$$\delta a_{\mu} = 13 \cdot 10^{-10} \left(\frac{100 GeV}{M_{SUSY}}\right)^2 tg\beta$$



Some NP hints from accelerator experiments

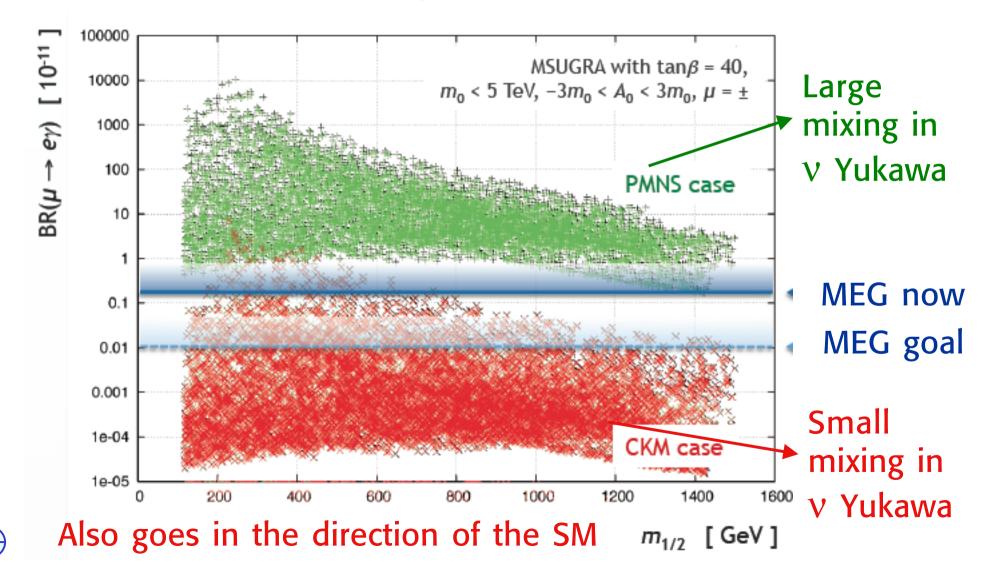
A ^b _{FB}	LEP	~	•3σ
(g-2) _µ	Brookhaven	~	3σ
tt ^{bar} FB asymm	etry Tevatron	(mostly CDF)	~3 σ at large M_{tt}
Dimuon charge	e asymmetry	DO	~ 3.9 σ
Wjj excess at M only candida	_{jj} ~ 144 GeV ite to open prod. of	CDF NP not con	\sim 3.2 σ firmed by D0, LHC
$B_s \rightarrow J/\psi\phi$		Tevatron, LHC	Cb ~went away
B -> τv		BaBar, Belle	~2.5o

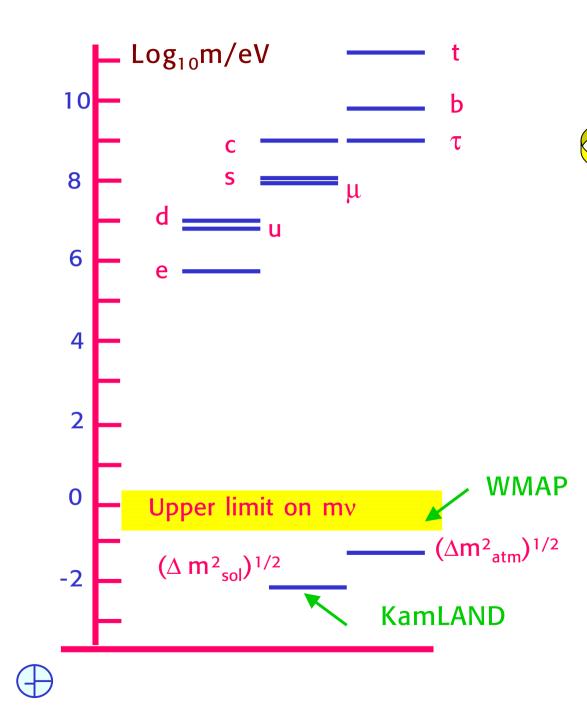
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A non-LHC very important result

MEG new limit on Br($\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$) < 2.4 10⁻¹²





Neutrino masses are really special!

 $h_{\rm t}/(\Delta m_{\rm atm}^2)^{1/2} \sim 10^{12}$

Massless v's?

- no v_R
- L conserved

Small v masses?

- v_R very heavy
- L not conserved

Very likely: v's are special as they are Majorana fermions Are neutrinos Dirac or Majorana fermions?

Under charge conjugation C: particle <--> antiparticle For bosons there are many cases of particles that coincide (up to a phase) with their antiparticle: π^0 , ρ^0 , ω , γ , Z^0

A fermion that coincides with its antiparticle is called a Majorana fermion. Are there Majorana fermions? Neutrinos are probably Majorana fermions

Of all fundamental fermions only v's are neutral If lepton number L conservation is violated then no conserved charge distinguishes neutrinos from antineutrinos

$$\begin{bmatrix} uuuv_e \\ ddde \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} cccv_\mu \\ sss\mu \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} tttv_\tau \\ bbb\tau \end{bmatrix}$$

A very natural and appealing explanation:

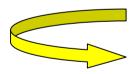
v's are nearly massless because they are Majorana particles and get masses through L non conserving interactions suppressed by a large scale M ~ M_{GUT}

 $m_v \sim \frac{m^2}{M}$ m: ≤ $m_t \sim v \sim 200$ GeV M: scale of L non cons.

Note:

$$m_v \sim (\Delta m_{atm}^2)^{1/2} \sim 0.05 \text{ eV}$$

m ~ v ~ 200 GeV

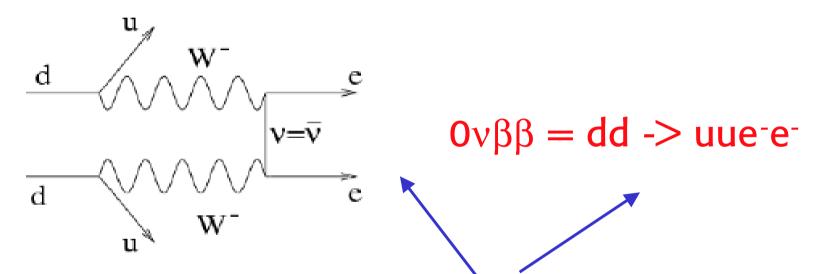


M ~ 10¹⁴ - 10¹⁵ GeV

Neutrino masses are a probe of physics at M_{GUT} !

How to prove that v's are Majorana fermions?

All we know from experiment on ν masses strongly indicates that ν 's are Majorana particles and that L is not conserved (but a direct proof still does not exist).



Detection of $0\nu\beta\beta$ (neutrinoless double beta decay) would be a proof of L non conservation ($\Delta L=2$). Thus a big effort is devoted to improving present limits and possibly to find a signal.

Heidelberg-Moscow, Cuoricino-Cuore, GERDA, •••••

Baryogenesis by decay of heavy Majorana v's BG via Leptogenesis near the GUT scale $T \sim 10^{12\pm3}$ GeV (after inflation) Buchmuller, Yanagida, Plumacher, Ellis, Lola, Only survives if Δ (B-L) is not zero Giudice et al, Fujii et al (otherwise is washed out at T_{ew} by instantons) Main candidate: decay of lightest v_R (M~10¹² GeV) L non conserv. in v_{R} out-of-equilibrium decay: B-L excess survives at T_{ew} and gives the obs. B asymmetry. Quantitative studies confirm that the range of m_i from v oscill's is compatible with BG via (thermal) LG In particular the bound $m_i < 10^{-1} eV$ was derived for hierarchy Buchmuller, Di Bari, Plumacher; Can be relaxed for degenerate neutrinos Giudice et al; Pilaftsis et al; Sp_fully compatible with oscill'n data!! Hambye et al

Dark Matter

WMAP, SDSS, 2dFGRS....

Most of the Universe is not made up of atoms: $\Omega_{tot} \sim 1$, $\Omega_{b} \sim 0.045$, $\Omega_{m} \sim 0.27$ Most is Dark Matter and Dark Energy

LHC

Most Dark Matter is Cold (non relativistic at freeze out) Significant Hot Dark matter is disfavoured Neutrinos are not much cosmo-relevant: $\Omega_v < 0.015$

SUSY has excellent DM candidates: eg Neutralinos (--> LHC) Also Axions are still viable (introduced to solve strong CPV) (in a mass window around m ~10⁻⁴ eV and f_a ~ 10¹¹ GeV but these values are simply a-posteriori)

Identification of Dark Matter is a task of enormous importance for particle physics and cosmology



LHC has good chances because it can reach any kind of WIMP:

WIMP: Weakly Interacting Massive Particle with m ~ 10¹-10³ GeV

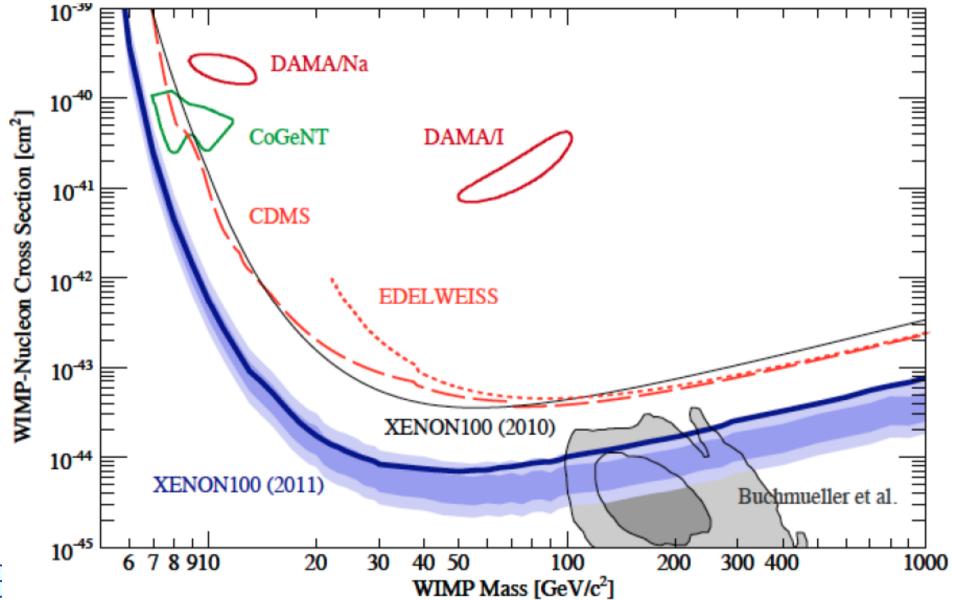
For WIMP's in thermal equilibrium after inflation the density is:

$$\Omega_{\chi} h^2 \simeq const. \cdot \frac{T_0^3}{M_{\rm Pl}^3 \langle \sigma_A v \rangle} \simeq \frac{0.1 \ {\rm pb} \cdot c}{\langle \sigma_A v \rangle}$$

can work for typical weak cross-sections!!!

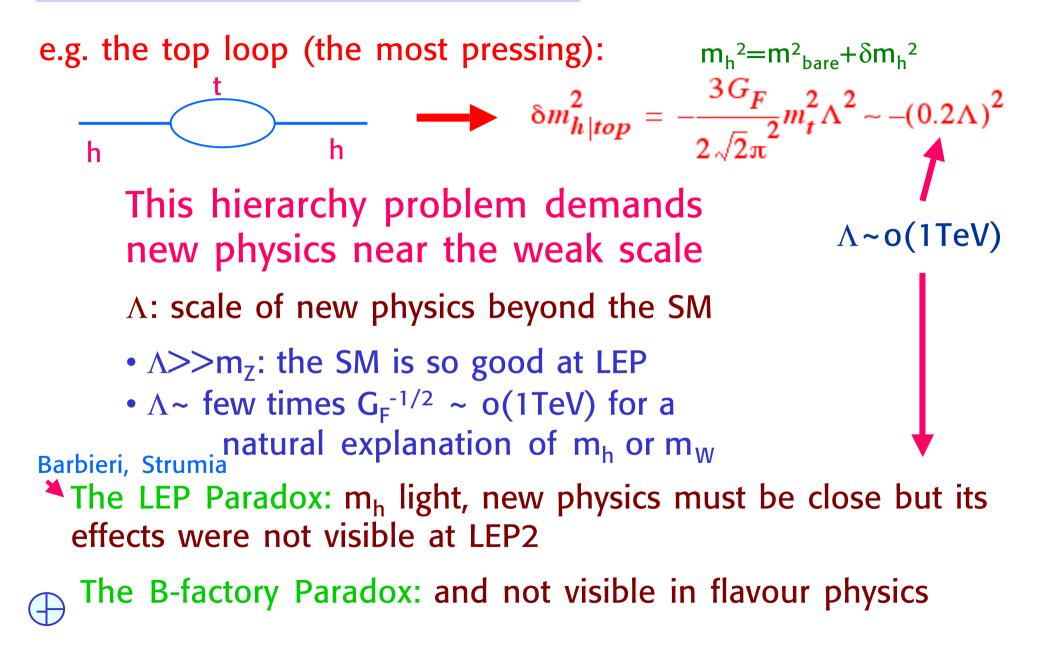
This "coincidence" is a good indication in favour of a WIMP explanation of Dark Matter

Strong competition from underground labs



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The "little hierarchy" problem



Precision Flavour Physics

Another area where the SM is good, too good..... Nakada

With new physics at ~ TeV one would expect the SM suppression of FCNC and the CKM mechanism for CP violation to be sizably modified.

But this is not the case

an intriguing mystery and a major challenge for models of new physics



While it is a theorem that at the EW scale there must be the Higgs (one or more) or some other new physics (e.g. new vector bosons) because otherwise there are unitarity violations at a few TeV

On the other hand the hierarchy problem is an issue based on naturalness (the request of avoiding enormous unjustified, unnecessary fine tuning in the theory).

Given the stubborn refuse of the SM to step aside, and the terrible unexplained naturalness problem of the cosmological constant, many people have turned to the anthropic philosophy

Still, one thing is the cosmological constant and another the SM (where all is very explicit and in front of us and many ways out are known)

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Solutions to the hierarchy problem

Supersymmetry: boson-fermion symm.

The most ambitious and widely accepted Simplest versions now marginal Plenty of viable alternatives

 Strong EWSB: Technicolor Strongly disfavoured by LEP. Coming back in new forms

> **Composite Higgs** Higgs as PG Boson, Little Higgs models.....

• Extra spacetime dim's that somehow "bring" M_{Pl} down to o(1TeV) [large ED, warped ED,]. Holographic composite H Exciting. Many facets. Rich potentiality. No baseline model emerged so far

Ignore the problem: invoke the anthropic principle
Extreme, but not excluded by the data

A striking result of the 2011 LHC run (> 1 fb⁻¹) is that the new physics is pushed further away

Examples:

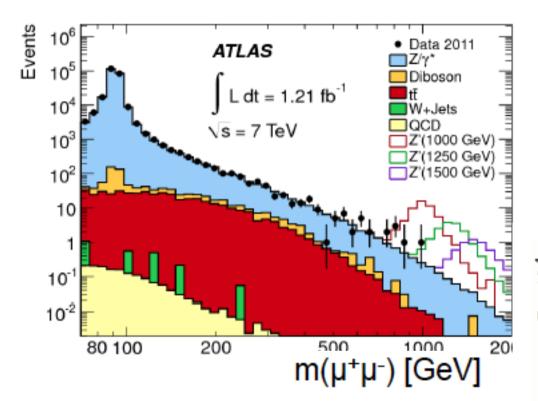
sequential W': $m_{W'} > 2.3$ TeV sequential Z': $m_{Z'} > 1.9$ TeV axi-gluon: 2.5-3.2 TeV gluino: $m_g > \sim 0.5 - 1$ TeV

Many generic signatures searched. Not a single significant hint of new physics found

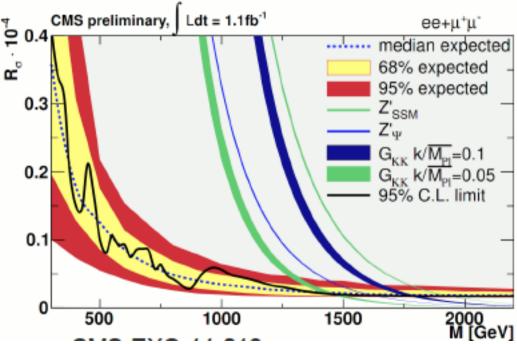
But only ~ 20-25% of the 2011 statistics has been analysed



Di-lepton Channel



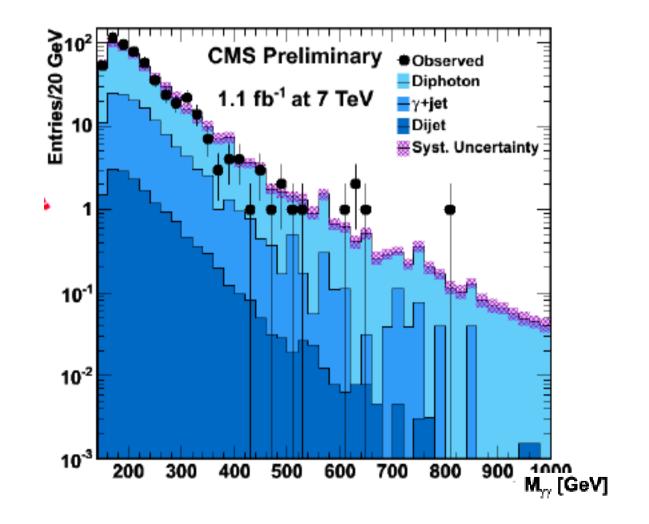
Sequential SM: m(Z') > 1.9 TeV at 95% C.L. RS graviton ($k/M_{Pl} = 0.1$): m(G) > 1.8 TeV at 95% C.L.



Di-photon Channel

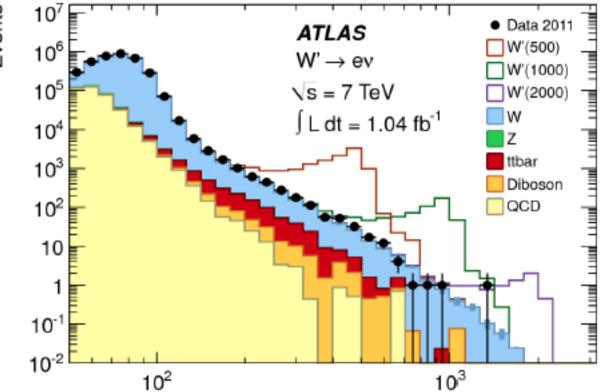
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RS graviton (k/MPI = 0.1): m(G) > 1.7 TeV at 95% C.L.



 $W' \rightarrow V$

Sequential SM: m(W') > 2.3 TeV at 95% C.L.

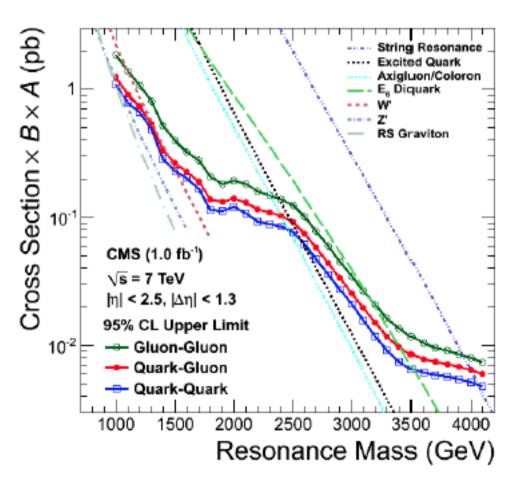


Events

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Model	95% CL Limits (TeV)	
ATL-CONF-2011-095	Expected	Observed
Excited Quark q^*	2.77	2.91
Axigluon	3.02	3.21
Color Octet Scalar	1.71	1.91

Model	Excluded Mass (TeV)	
CMS arXiv.1107.4771	Observed	Expected
String Resonances	4.00	3.90
E ₆ Diquarks	3.52	3.28
Excited Quarks	2.49	2.68
Axigluons/Colorons	2.47	2.66
W' Bosons	1.51	1.40



SUSY: boson fermion symmetry

The hierarchy problem: $\delta m_{h|top}^2 = -\frac{3G_F}{2\sqrt{2}\pi^2}m_t^2\Lambda^2 \sim -(0.2\Lambda)^2$

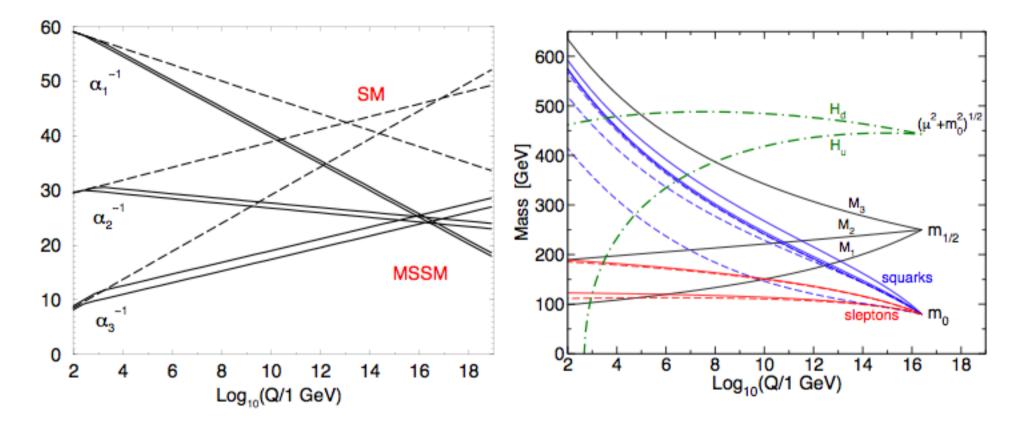
In broken SUSY Λ^2 is replaced by $(m_{stop}{}^2\text{-}m_t{}^2)\text{log}\Lambda$

 m_H >114.4 GeV, $m_{\chi+}$ >100 GeV, EW precision tests, success of CKM, absence of FCNC, all together, impose sizable Fine Tuning (FT) particularly on minimal realizations (MSSM, CMSSM...).

Yet SUSY is a completely specified, consistent, computable model, perturbative up to M_{Pl} quantitatively in agreement with coupling unification (GUT's) (unique among NP models) and has a good DM candidate: the neutralino (actually more than one).

Remains the reference model for NP

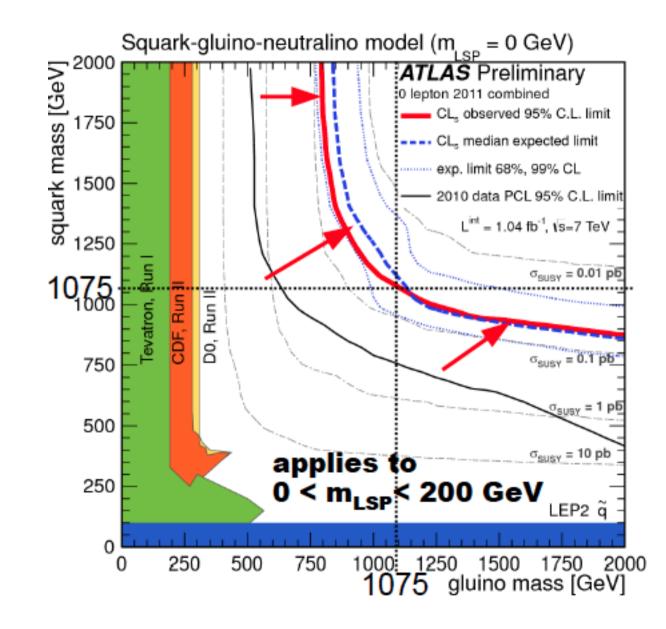
Beyond the SM SUSY is unique in providing a perturbative theory up to the GUT/Planck scale

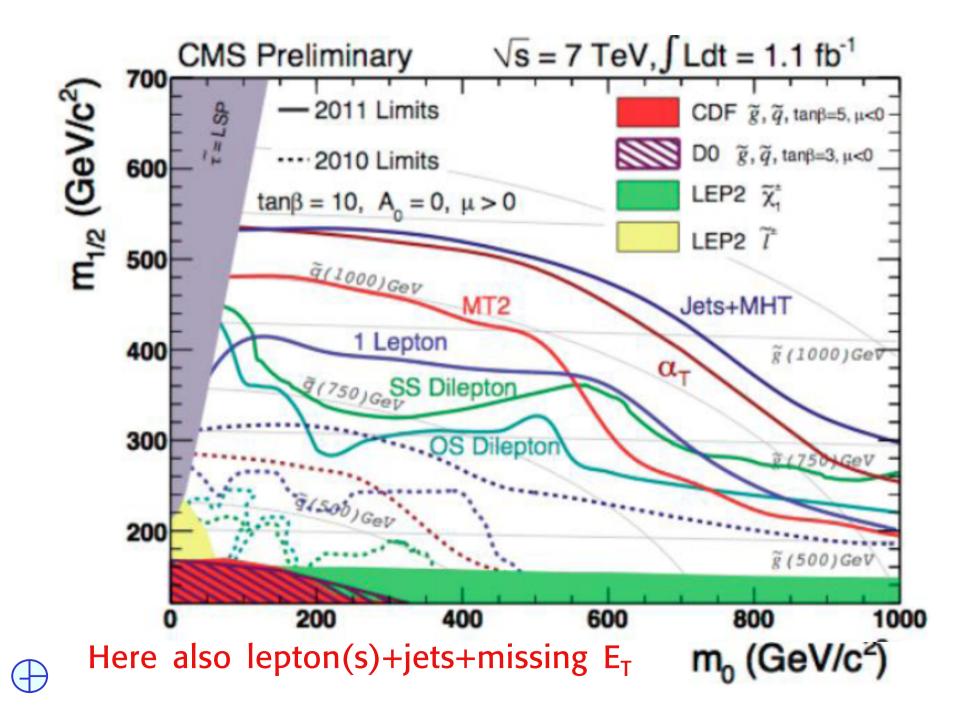


Other BSM models (little Higgs, composite Higgs, Higgsless....) all become strongly interacting and non perturbative at a multi-TeV scale

Jets + missing E_T

CMSSM (degenerate s-quarks)





The general MSSM has > 100 parameters

Simplified versions with a drastic reduction of parameters are used for practical reasons, e.g.

CMSSM, mSUGRA : universal gaugino and scalar soft terms at GUT scale $m_{1/2}$, m_0 , A_0 , $tg\beta$, $sign(\mu)$

NUHM1,2: different than m_0 masses for H_u , H_d (1 or 2 masses)

It is only these oversimplified models that are now cornered



Impact of $m_H \sim 125$ GeV on SUSY models

Simplest models with gauge mediation are disfavoured (predict m_H too light)

Djouadi et al; Draper et al, '11

some versions, eg gauge mediation with extra vector like matter, do work

Endo et al '11

Anomaly mediation is also generically in trouble

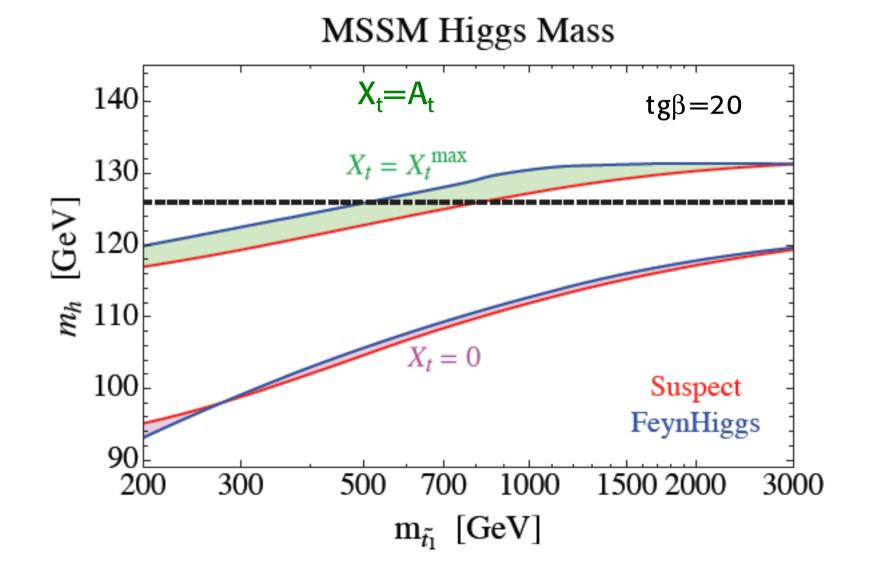
Gravity mediation is better but CMSSM, mSUGRA, NUHM1,2 need squarks heavy, A_t large and lead to tension with g-2 (that wants light SUSY) and b->s γ

Akura et al; Baer et al; Battaglia et al; Buchmuller et al, Kadastik et al; Strege et al; '11

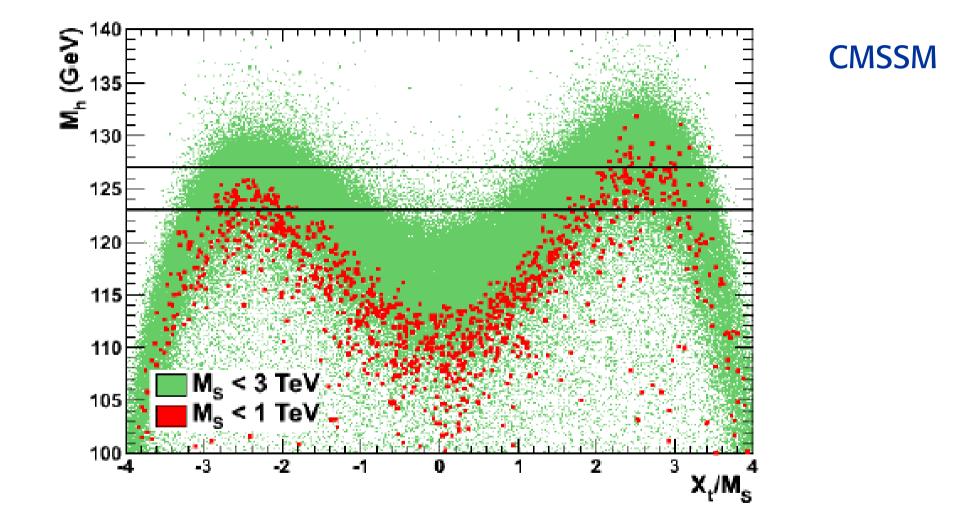


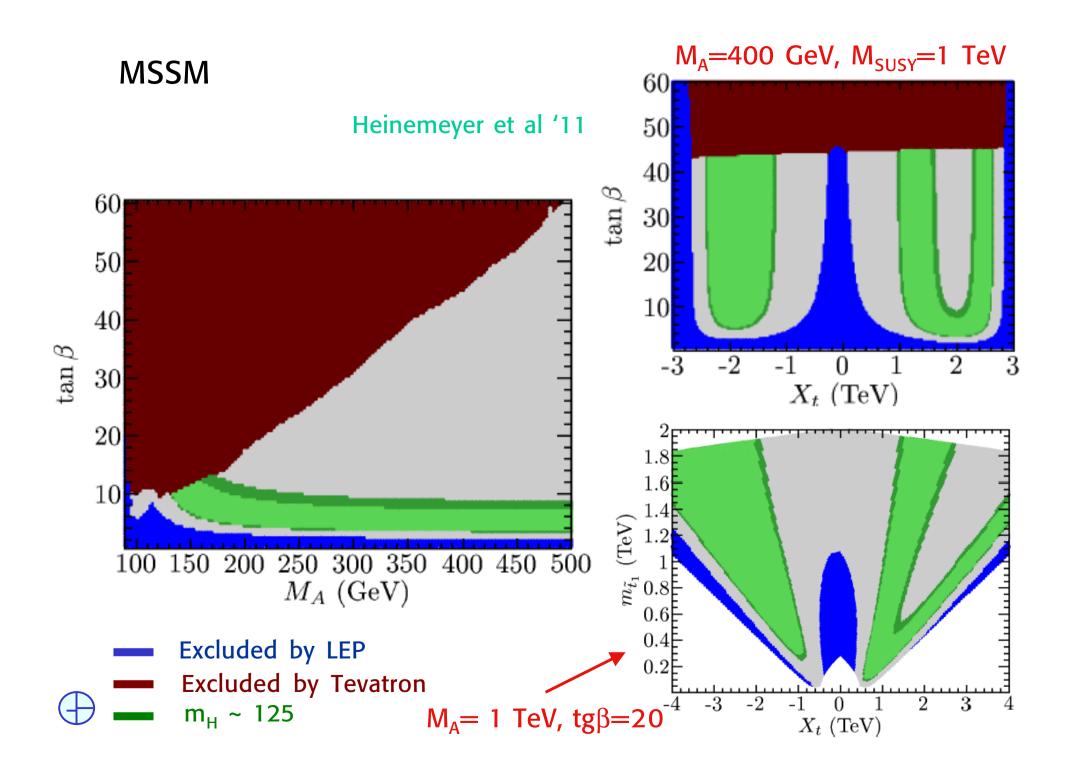
maximal top mixing is required

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Arbey et al '11

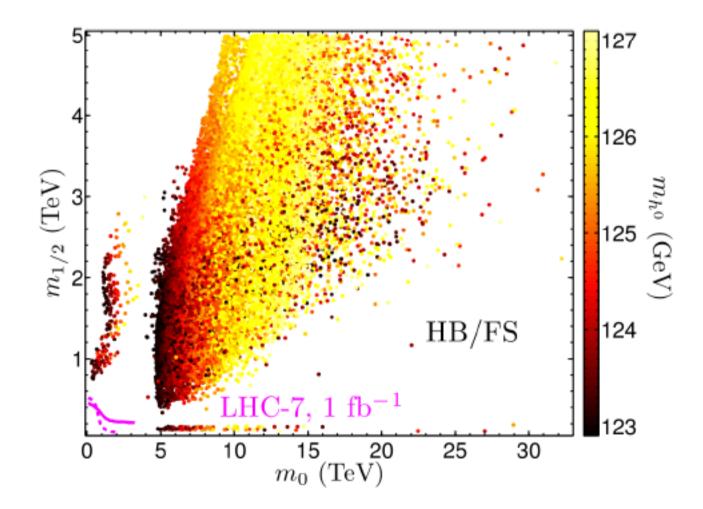




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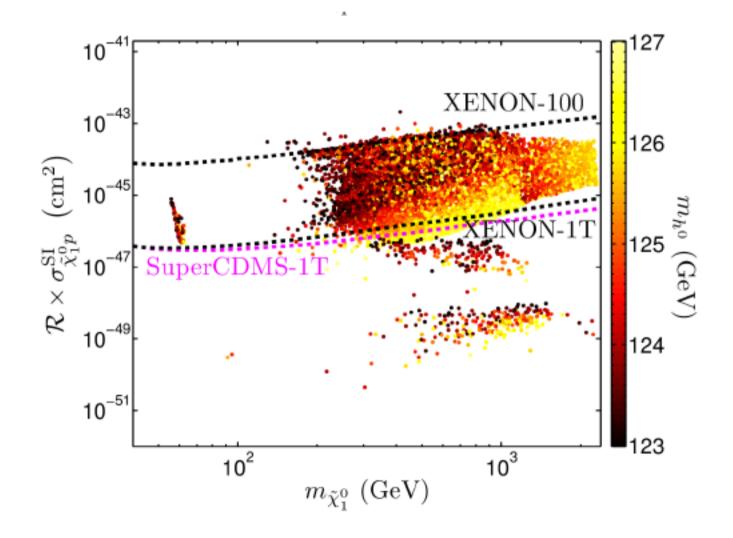
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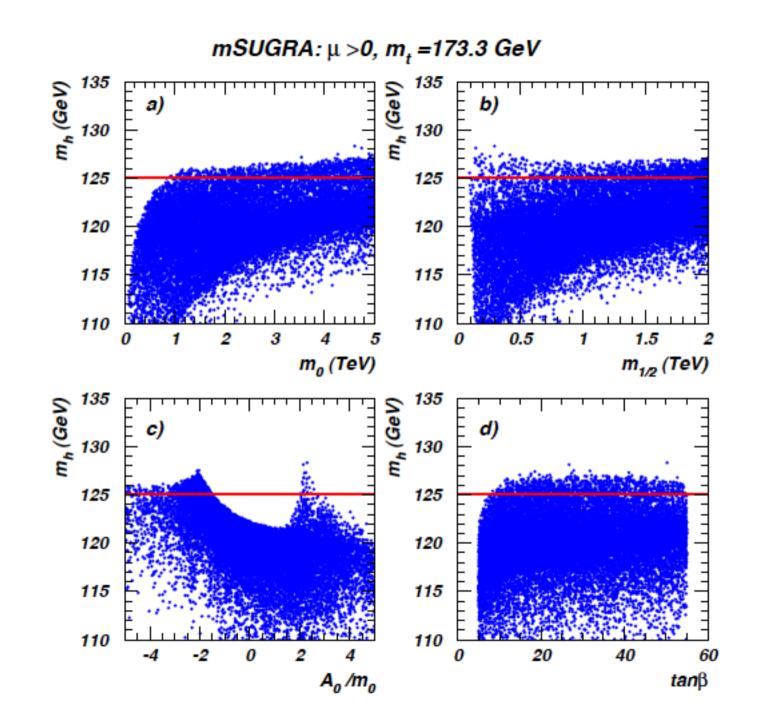
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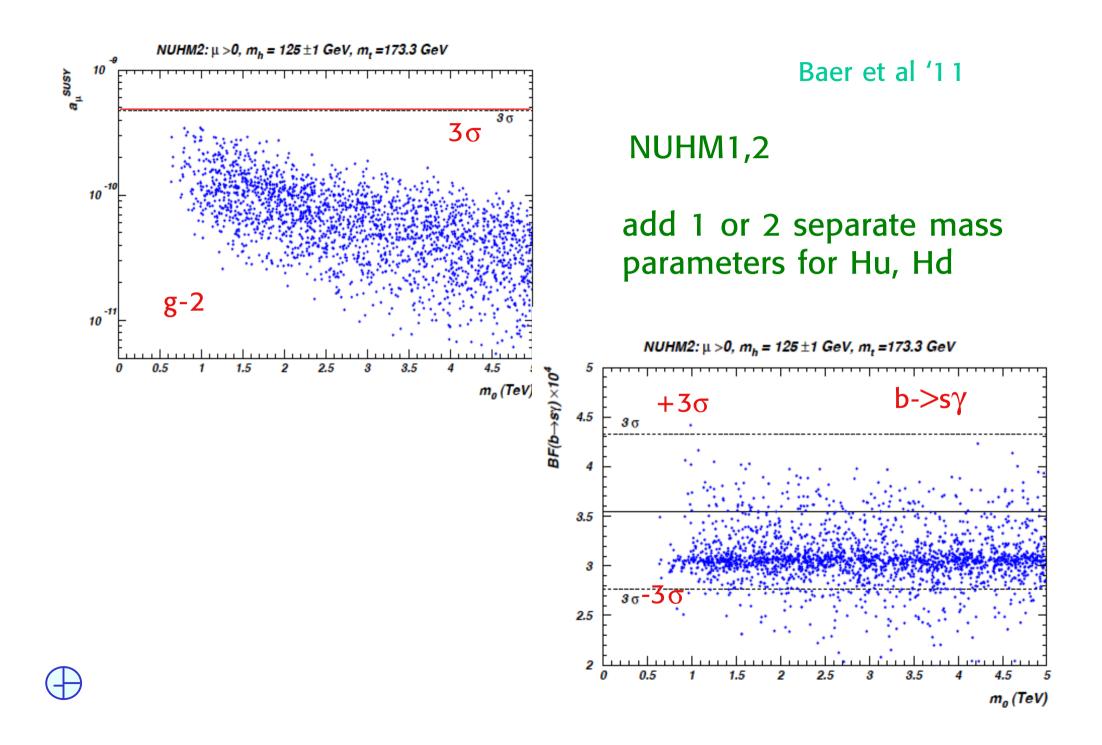
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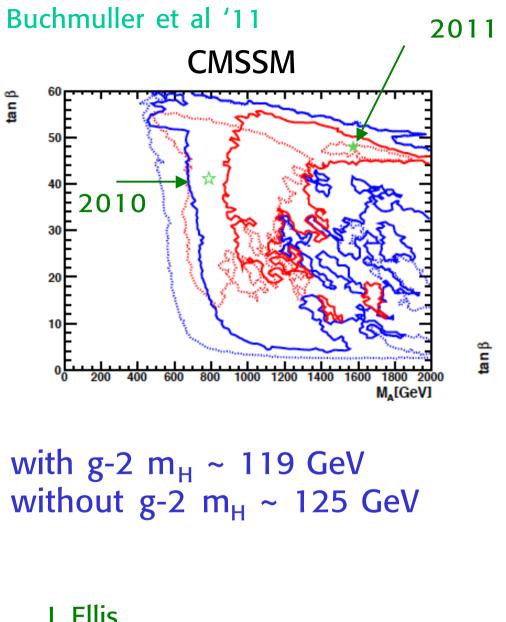
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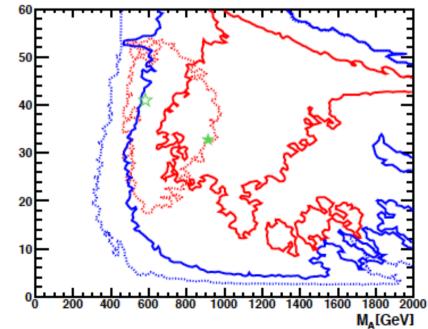




heavier scalars with new data

g-2 in trouble





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Input data for fits of CMSSM, NUHM1..... include

- The EW precision tests
- Muon g-2
- Flavour precision observables
- Dark Matter
- Higgs mass constraints and LHC



With new data ever increasing fine tuning

One must go to SUSY beyond the CMSSM, mSUGRA, NUHM1,2

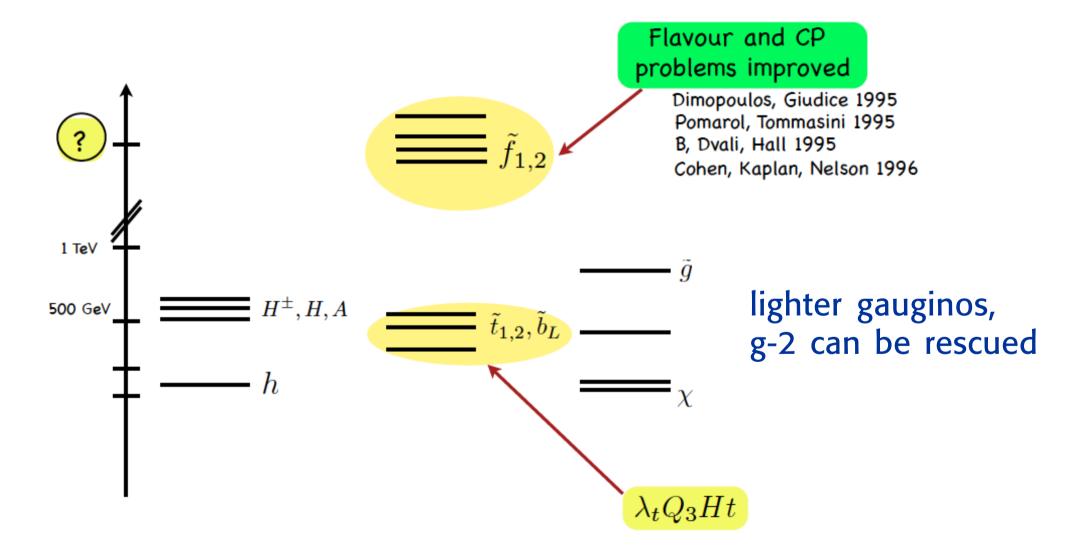
There is still room for more sophisticated versions

- Heavy first 2 generations
- NMSSM
- λ SUSY
- Split SUSY
- Large scale SUSY
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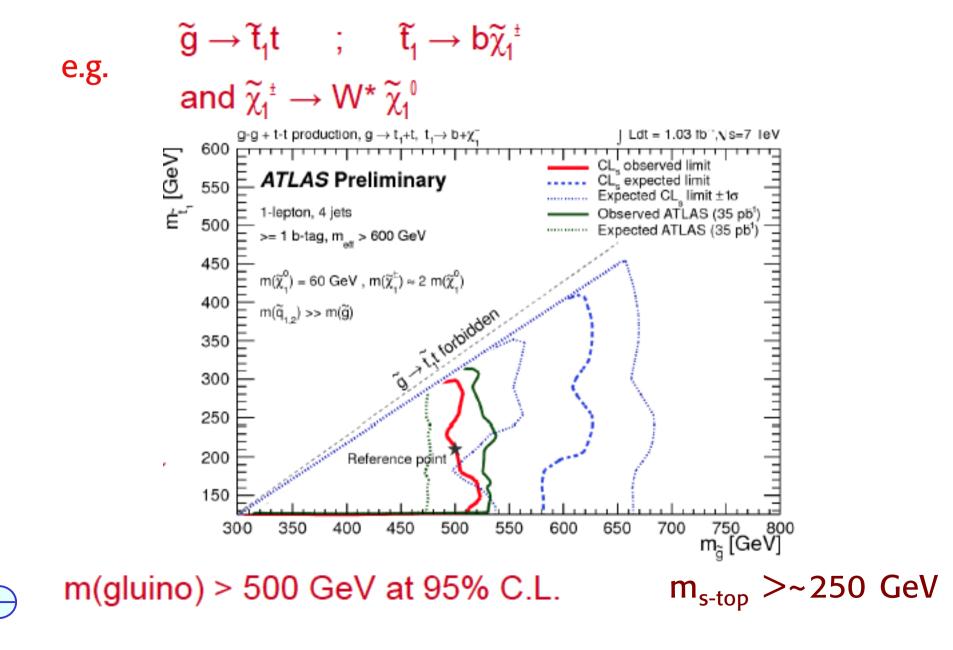
Beyond the CMSSM, mSugra, NUHM1,2

Heavy 1st, 2nd generations





For example, may be gluinos decay into 3-gen squarks



An extra singlet Higgs

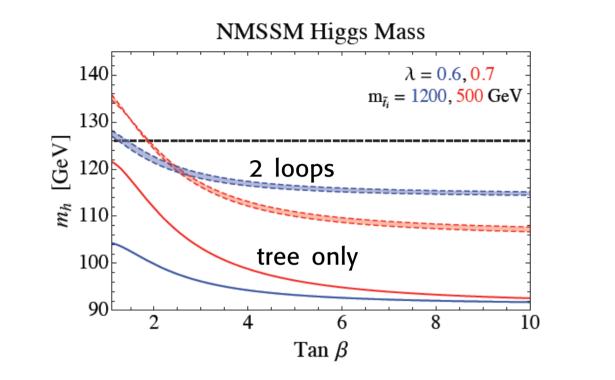
In a promising class of models a singlet Higgs S is added and the μ term arises from the S VEV (the μ problem is soved)

 λSH_uH_d

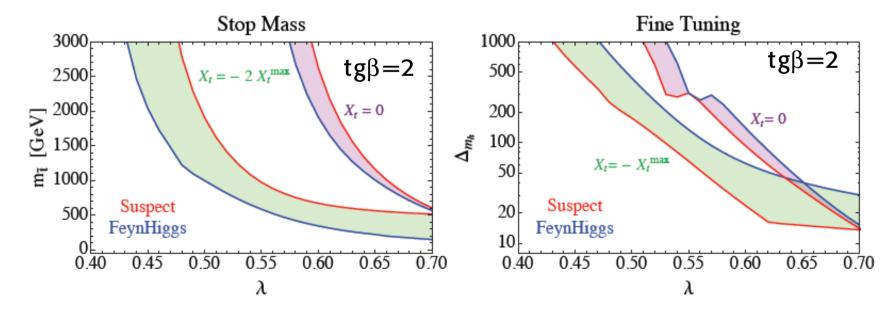
Mixing with S can bring the light Higgs mass down at tree level (no need of large loop corrections)

NMSSM: $\lambda < \sim 0.7$ the theory remains perturbative up to M_{GUT} (no need of large stop mixing, less fine tuning)

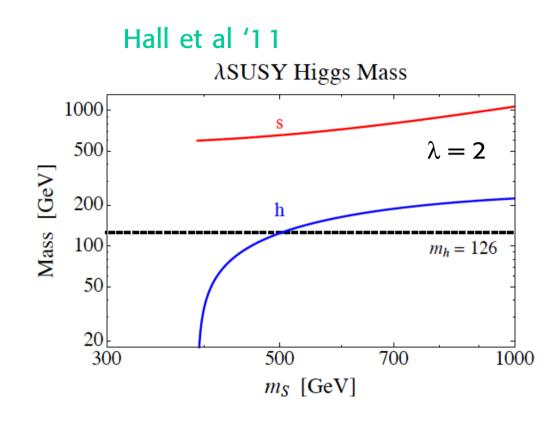
 λ SUSY: $\lambda \sim 1 - 2$ for $\lambda > 2$ theory non pert. at ~ 10 TeV







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It is not excluded that at 125 GeV you see the heaviest of the two and the lightest escaped detection at LEP Ellwanger '11

Mixing with S makes h light already at tree level No need of loops Fine tuning can be very small 3.0 $m_{h}^{2} < 0$ 2.5 (g) 2.0 m_h 1.5 1.0

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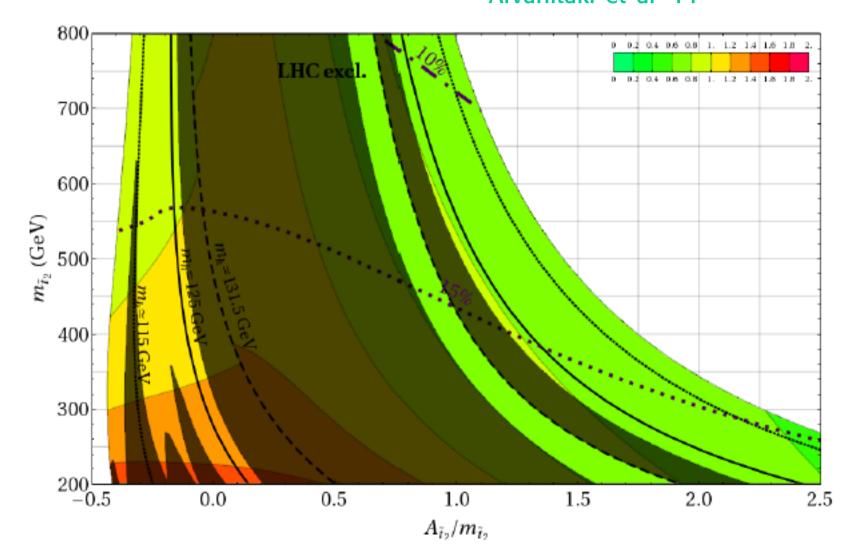
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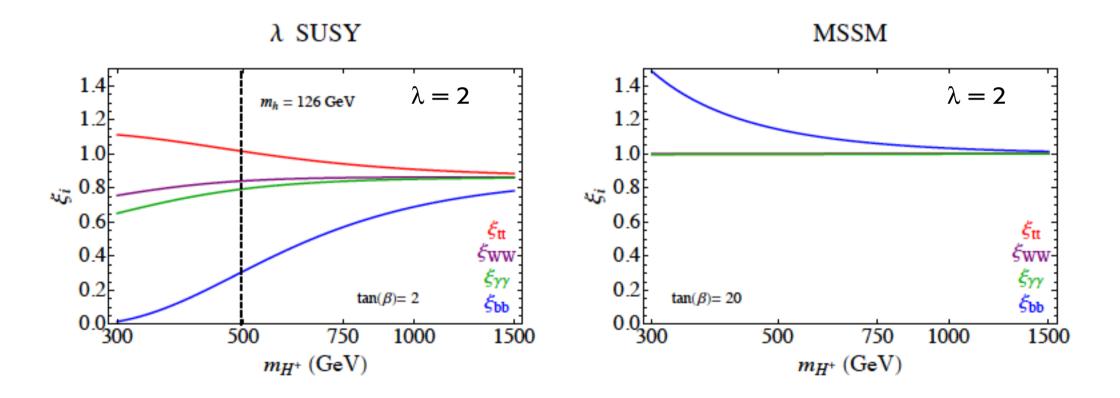
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In MSSM it is not possible to obtain an enhanced $\gamma\gamma$ signal for m_H ~ 125 GeV, while it is possible eg in NMSSM or λ SUSY Arvanitaki et al '11



In λ SUSY the bb mode can be suppressed [so B($\gamma\gamma$) enhanced]

Hall et al '11



 λ SUSY spectrum ($\lambda = 2$) strong dynamics \gtrsim 10-100 TeV g3000 $\tilde{t}_{1,2}, \tilde{b}_L$ 1500 H, H^{\pm} 500 \tilde{H} 126 mass (GeV) (-

Drawbacks: relation with GUT's & coupling unification is generically lost

Hall et al '11

g-2?

If the Fine Tuning problem is ignored (anthropic philosophy) than SUSY particles can drift at large scales

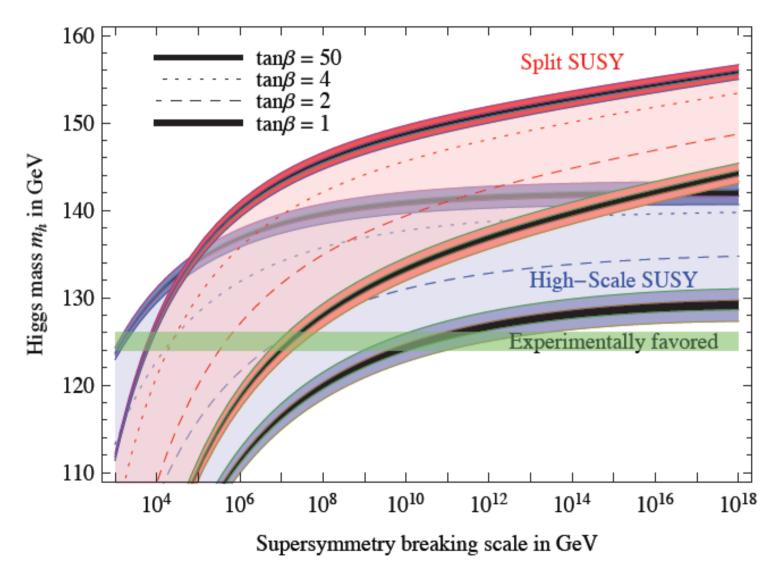
Split SUSY: maintains coupling unification and viable DM candidate but otherwiseallows heavy SUSY particles Giudice et al '11

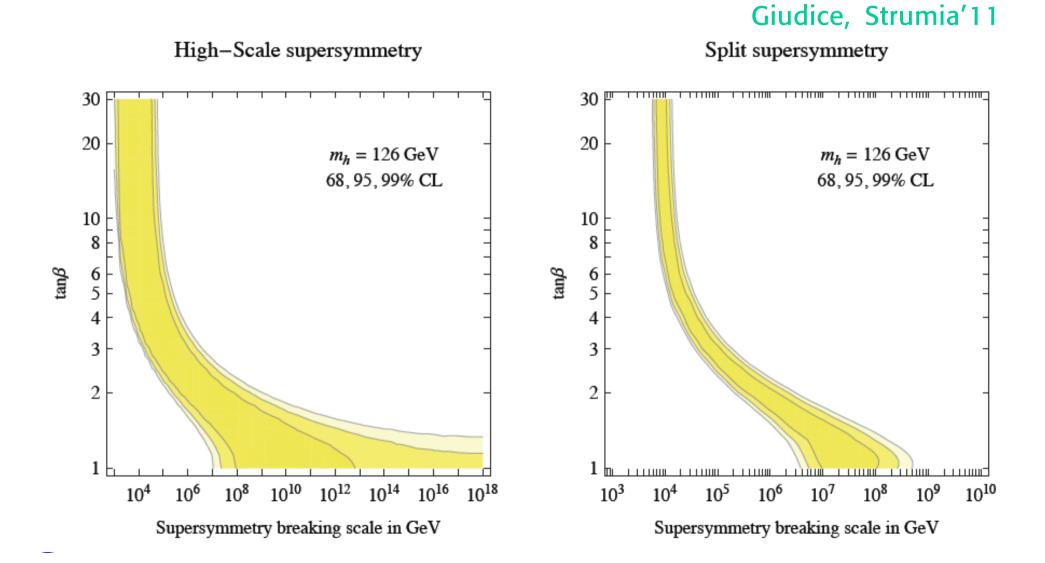
Large scale SUSY: all sparticles heavy. The quartic Higgs coupling is fixed by the gauge coupling at the large scale and fixes m_H at the EW scale

Hall et al '11

These models are strongly constrained by $m_H \sim 125$ GeV Remain valid with the large scale brought down, more so \bigoplus if tg β is large)

Predicted range for the Higgs mass





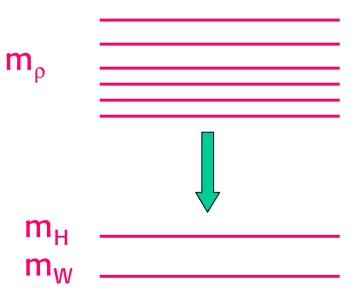
Composite Higgs: an alternative class of models

discussed here by Rattazzi, Wulzer, Santiago Georgi, Kaplan '84

The light Higgs is a bound state of a strongly interacting sector. Pseudo-Goldstone boson of an enlarged symmetry. eg. SO(5)/SO(4)

Agashe/ Contino/Pomarol/Sundrum/ Grojean/Rattazzi....

v ~ EW scale f ~ SI scale ~ $f < m_{\rho} < 4\pi f$ $\xi = (v/f)^2$ ξ interpolates between SM [$\xi ~ 0$] and some degree of compositeness [$\xi ~ o(1)$ limited by precision EW tests, $\xi = 1$ is as bad as technicolor]



The Higgs couplings are deformed by ξ -dependent effects

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_{\mu} h)^2 - V(h) + \frac{v^2}{4} \operatorname{Tr} \left(D_{\mu} \Sigma^{\dagger} D^{\mu} \Sigma \right) \left[1 + 2a \frac{h}{v} + b \frac{h^2}{v^2} + \dots \right]$$
$$- m_i \, \bar{\psi}_{Li} \, \Sigma \left(1 + c \frac{h}{v} + \dots \right) \psi_{Ri} + \text{h.c.} \,,$$

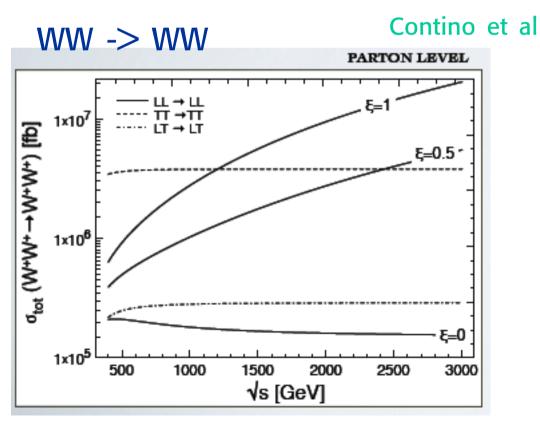
SM:
$$a = b = c = 1$$

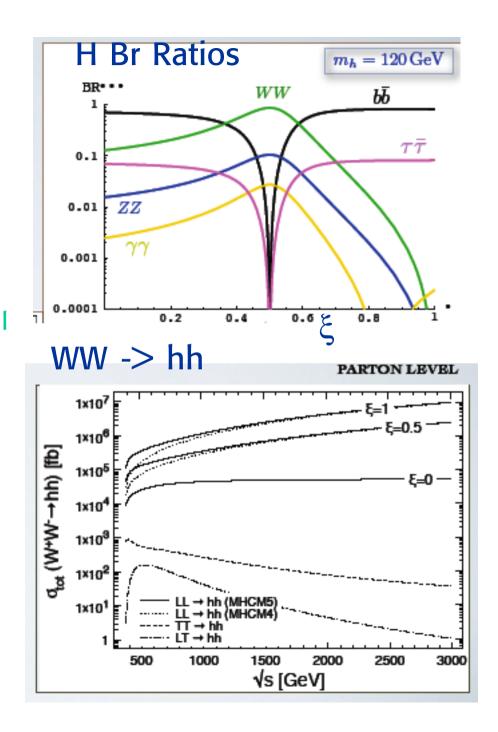
for SO(5)/SO(4)
 $a = \sqrt{1 - \xi}$
 $b = 1 - 2\xi$



Detectable ξ effects at the LHC

- Higgs couplings
- WW scattering
- 2-Higgs Production





Conclusion

The Higgs comes closer

2012 will be the year of the Higgs: yes or no to the SM Higgs

New Physics is pushed further away

But the LHC experiments are just at the start and larger masses can be reached in 2012 and even more in the 14 TeV phase

Supersymmetry? Compositeness? Extra dimensions? Anthropic? We shall see As a last speaker, on behalf of all participants, I most warmly thank the Organisers of this very interesting Workshop that really came at the right time with the right people