

# Hiding a Heavy Higgs Boson

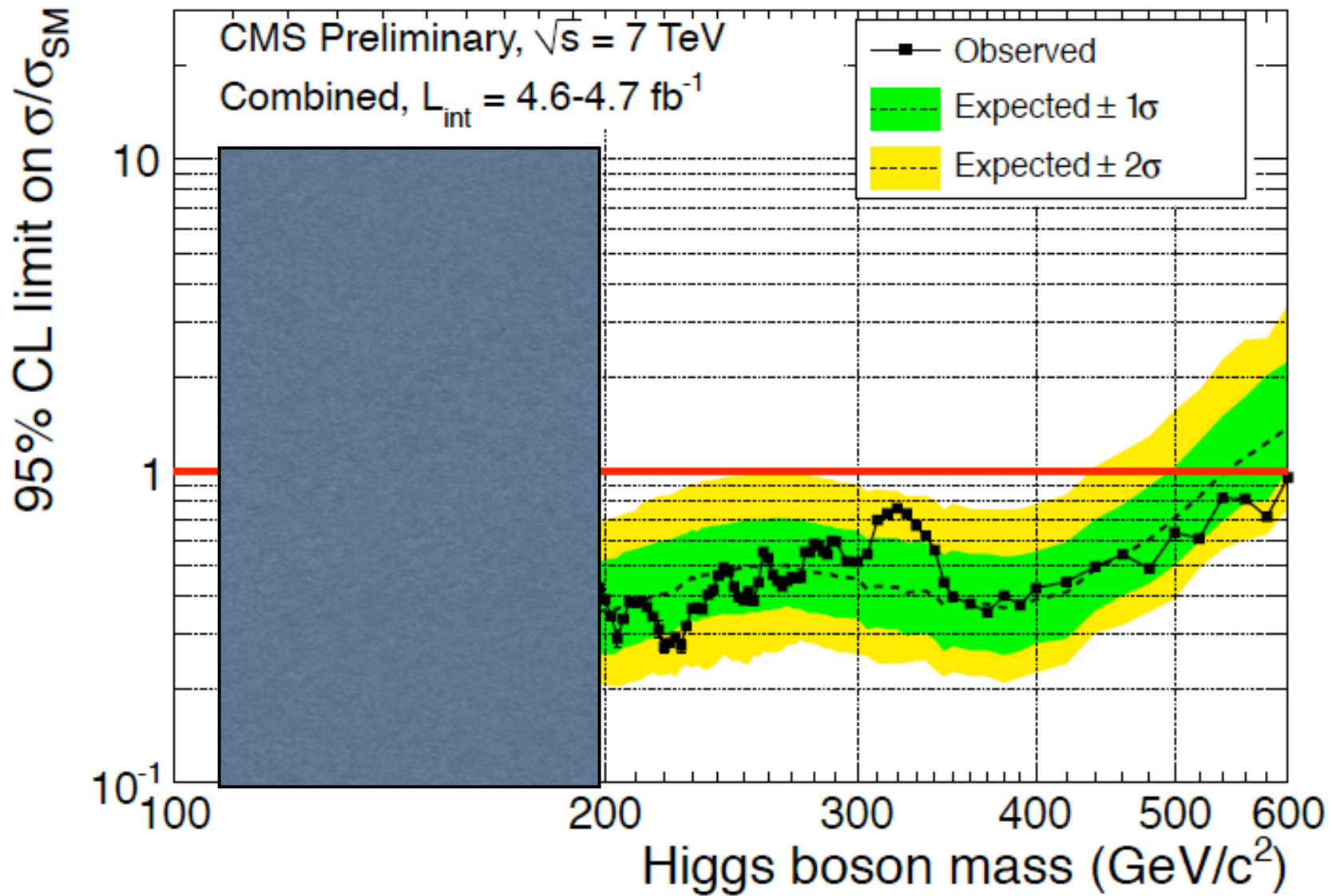
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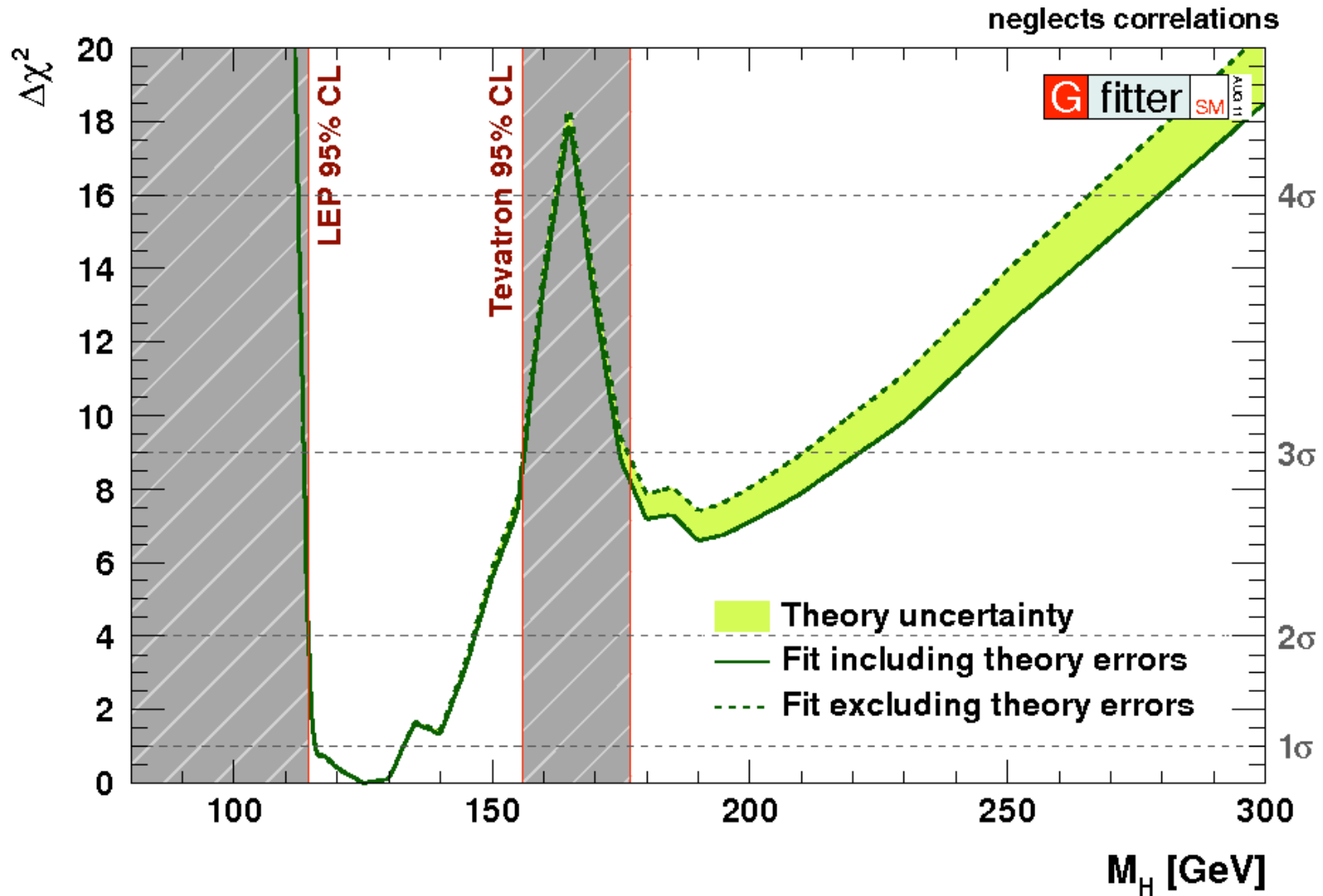
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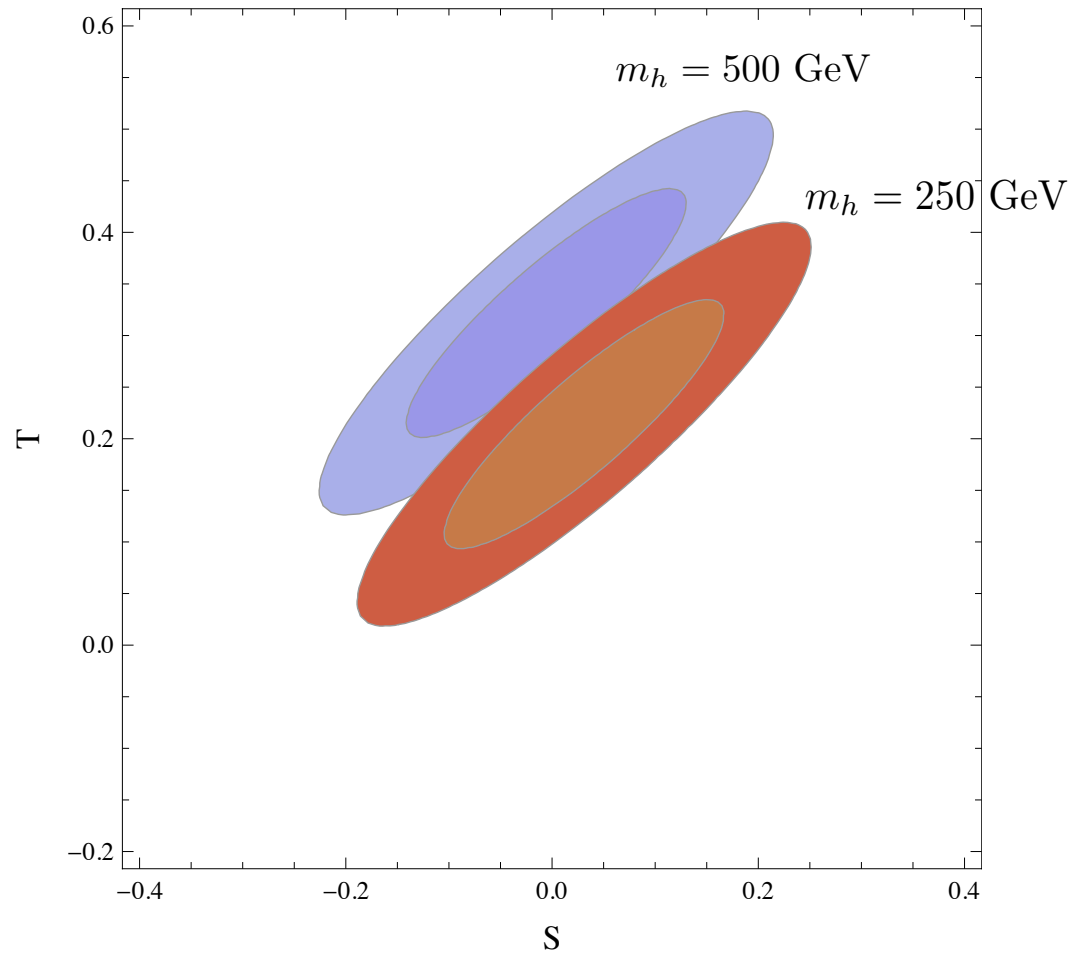


A heavy Higgs boson with a mass above 200 GeV is not consistent with electroweak precision observables

# Motivation

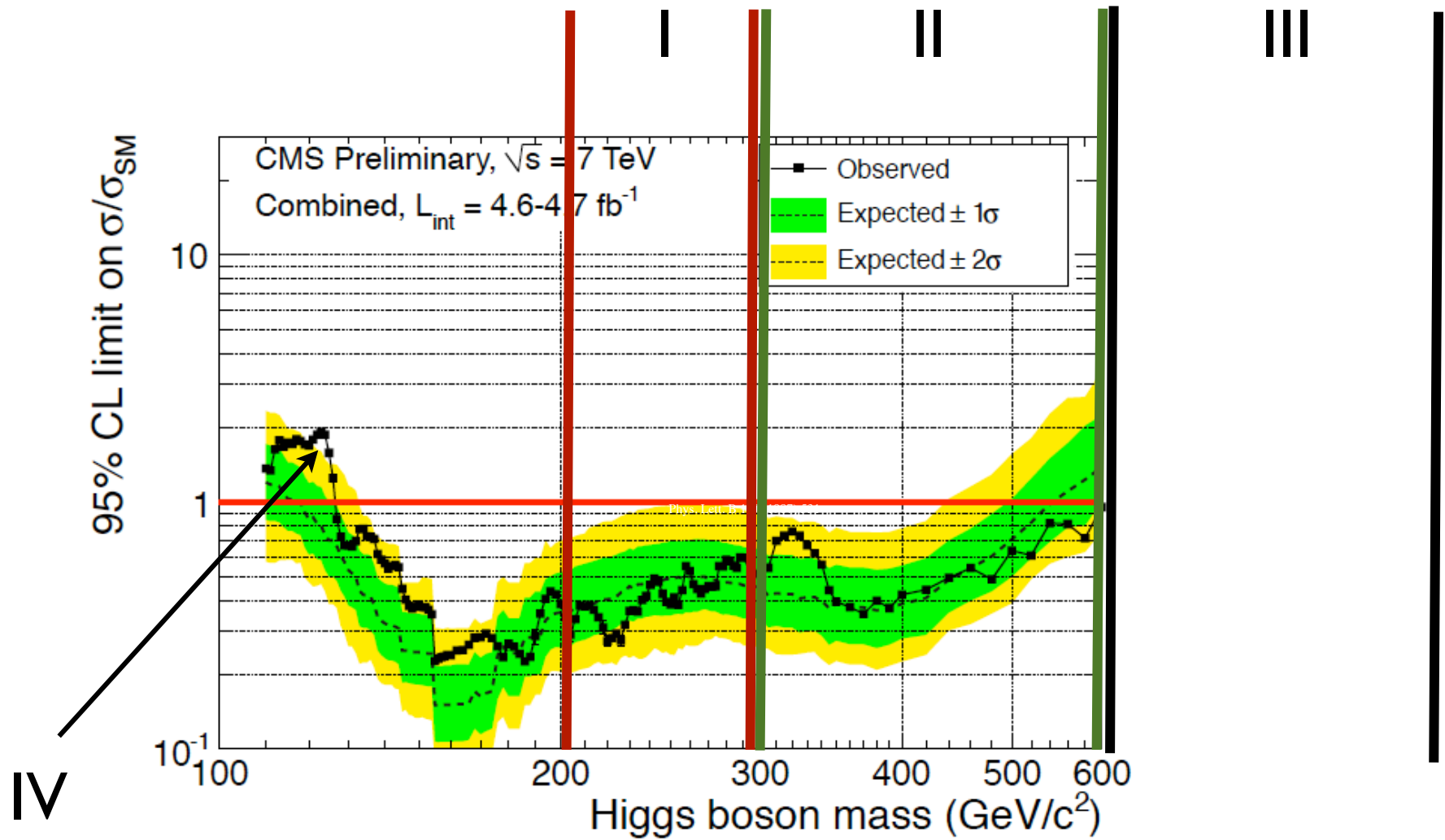
Introduce a new particle to simultaneously make a heavy Higgs boson consistent with both the indirect constraints and the direct null searches

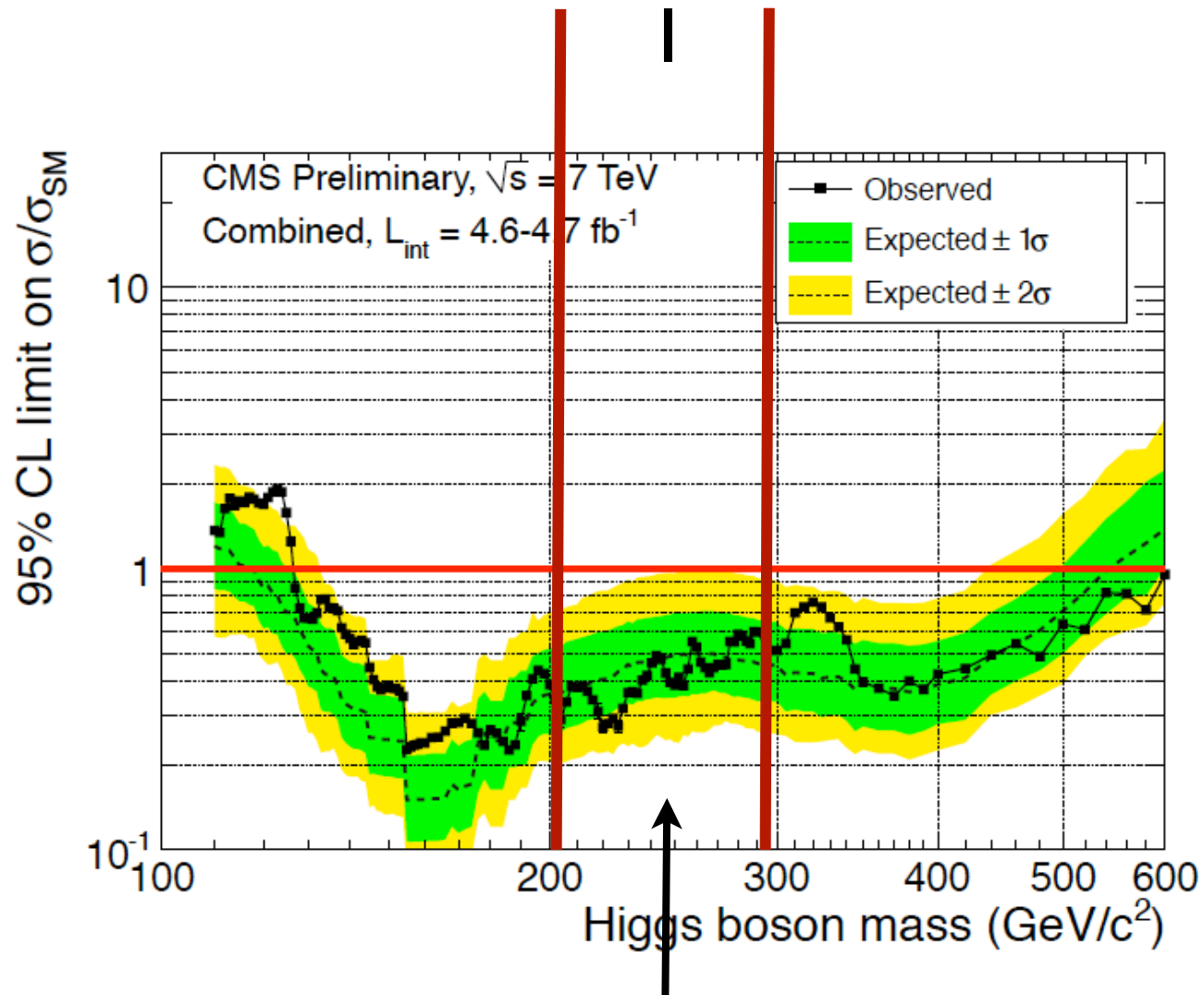
See what the implications are at the LHC and how to look for these new particles



New physics should have a positive contribution to T and a negative contribution to S

# Outline





Color singlet; weak double or triplet scalar  
 Higgs decays into the new particle

# Color Singlet and weak doublet

$$V = -\mu_1^2 |H|^2 + \mu_2^2 |\Phi|^2 + \lambda_1 |H|^4 + \lambda_2 |\Phi|^4 + \lambda_3 |H|^2 |\Phi|^2 + \lambda_4 |H^\dagger \Phi|^2 + \frac{\lambda_5}{2} [(H^\dagger \Phi)^2 + h.c.] .$$

$$\Phi = (\phi^+, \phi^0)^T \quad (1, 2)_{1/2} \quad \lambda_{1,2} > 0; \quad \lambda_3, \lambda_3 + \lambda_4 - |\lambda_5| > -2\sqrt{\lambda_1 \lambda_2}$$

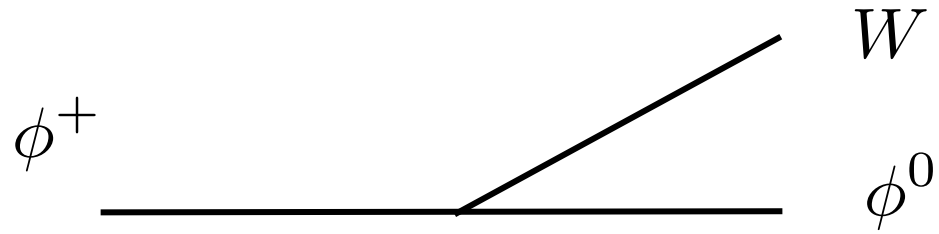
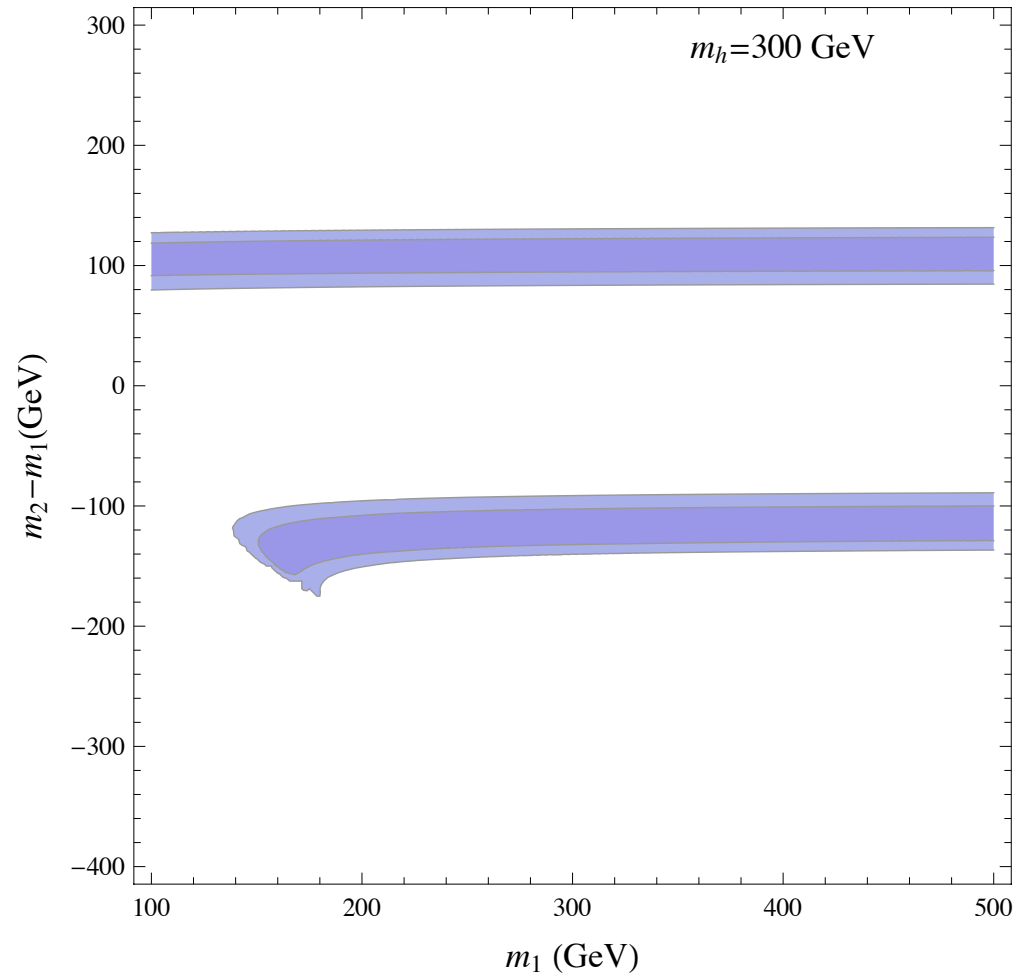
$$\delta \equiv m_1 - m_2 = \sqrt{m_2^2 + \lambda_4 v_{EW}^2} - m_2$$

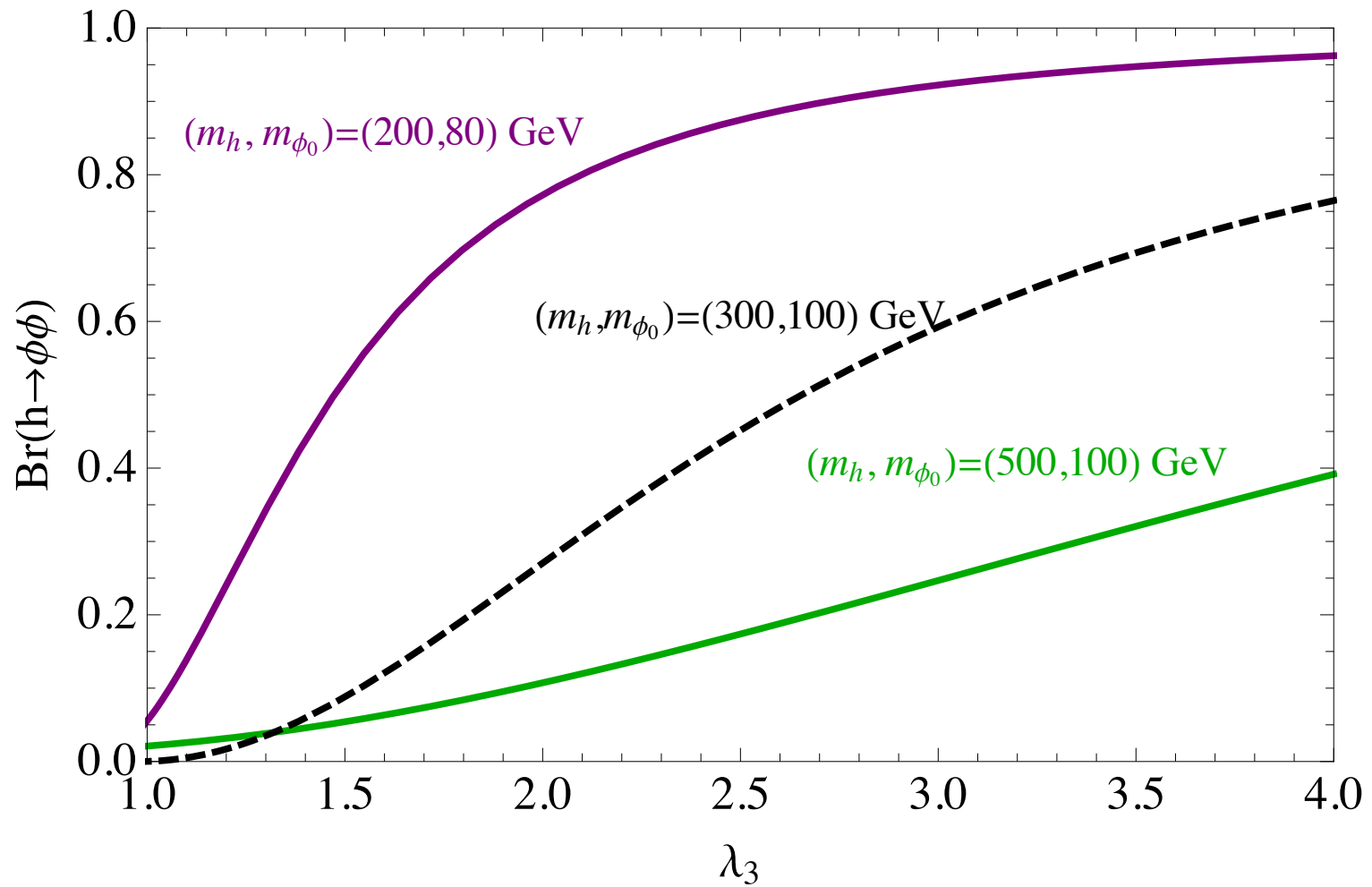
$$\Delta T = \frac{1}{8\pi s_W^2 M_W^2} \left[ \frac{m_1^2 + m_2^2}{2} - \frac{m_1^2 m_2^2}{m_1^2 - m_2^2} \ln \left( \frac{m_1^2}{m_2^2} \right) \right]$$

$$\Delta S = -\frac{Y}{6\pi} \ln \left( \frac{m_2^2}{m_1^2} \right)$$

Barbieri, Hall, Rychkov,  
hep-ph/0603188



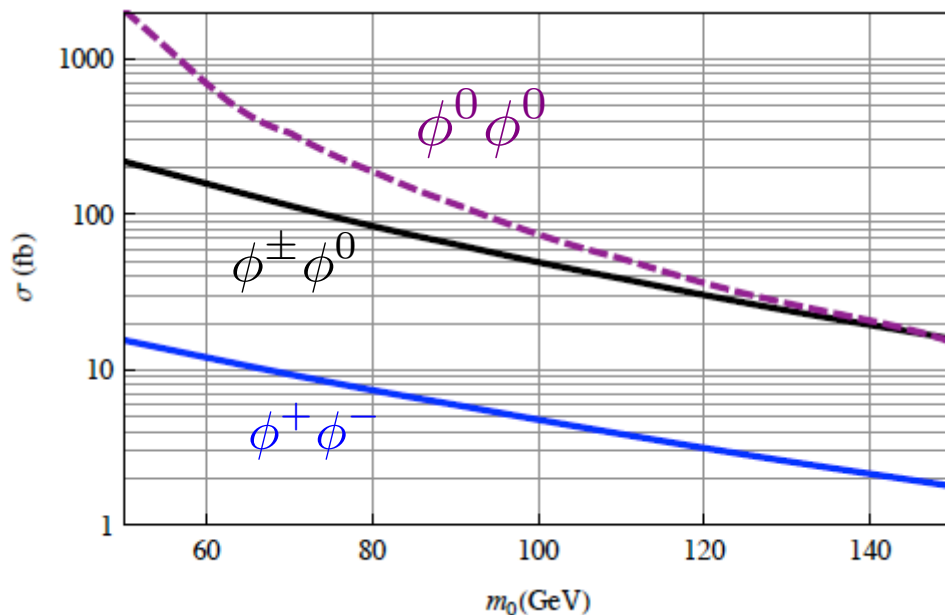




so the Higgs could be hided by the new decay channel

$\phi_0$  is stable at the collider scale

- Dark matter: need to split the real and imaginary parts to forbid elastic scattering by the Z boson exchange
- Z boson decay: the mass should be above  $M_Z/2$
- Mono-photon constraints from LEP:  $M_Z/2$  is allowed



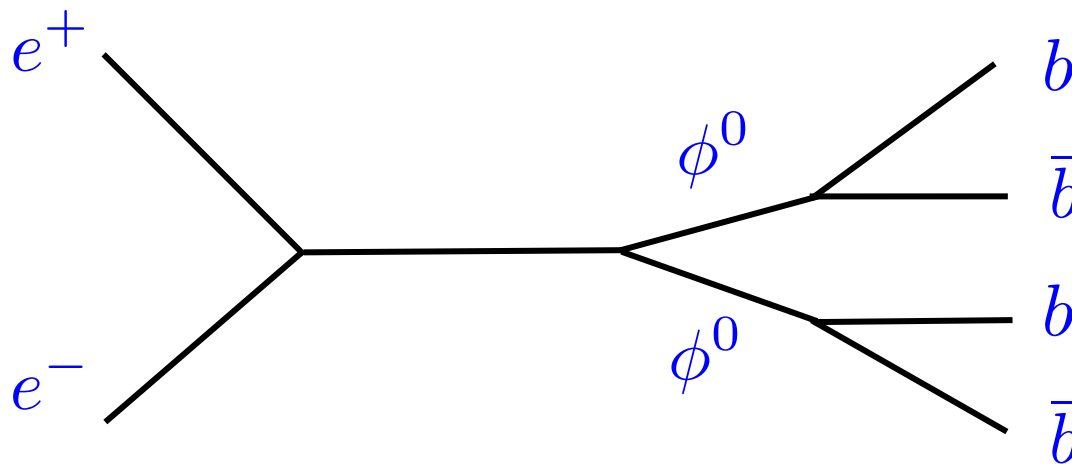
$$m_{\phi^+} - m_{\phi^0} = 100 \text{ GeV}$$

OS+MET does not constrain the parameter space

$\phi_0$  decays into two fermions

$$\lambda_d \bar{Q}_L \Phi d_R + \lambda_u \bar{Q}_L \tilde{\Phi} u_R + \lambda_\ell \bar{L}_L \Phi e_R$$

- For the neutral scalar below twice of top quark, the main decay channel is into two bottom quarks

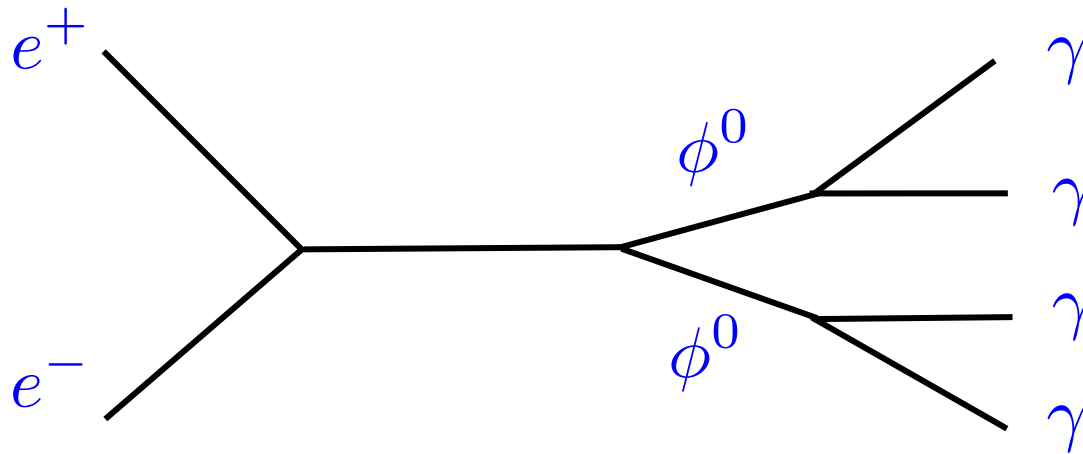


- DELPHI constrains the neutral scalar above 90 GeV

$\phi_0$  decays into two gauge bosons

$$\frac{c_g(\Phi^\dagger H)G_A^{\mu\nu}G_{\mu\nu}^A}{\Lambda^2} + \frac{c_w(\Phi^\dagger H)W_a^{\mu\nu}W_{\mu\nu}^a}{\Lambda^2} + \frac{c_b(\Phi^\dagger H)B^{\mu\nu}B_{\mu\nu}}{\Lambda^2} + \frac{c_{wb}(\Phi^\dagger\sigma^a H)W_{\mu\nu}^a B^{\mu\nu}}{\Lambda^2}$$

- For the case that the neutral scalar decays into two photons



- LEP II constrains the neutral scalar above 90 GeV

## What shall we look for?

	Relevant final states	Possible signals
$\phi_0$ stable	MET, $W + \text{MET}$ , $W^+W^- + \text{MET}$	mono-jet+MET, jets+MET, 1 $l + \text{MET}$
$\phi_0 \rightarrow 2b/g$ 's	4 $j$ , $W + 4j$ , $W^+W^- + 4j$	4 $j$ , $W + j$ 's, OS+MET, 1 $l + b$ jets + MET
$\phi_0 \rightarrow 2\gamma/\gamma + Z$	$nW$ 's + $mZ$ 's + $l\gamma$ 's	SS, multi-leptons, multi-photons, multi-jets

Table 1: A sample of collider signals from producing doublet  $\Phi$  at hadron collider.

## Where is the Higgs hided?

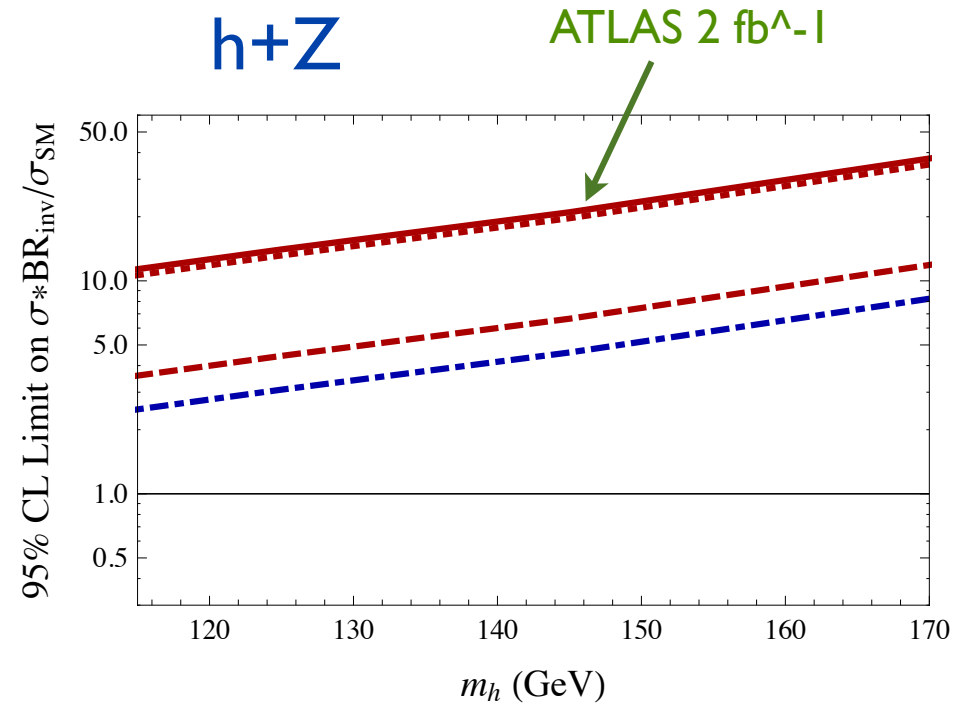
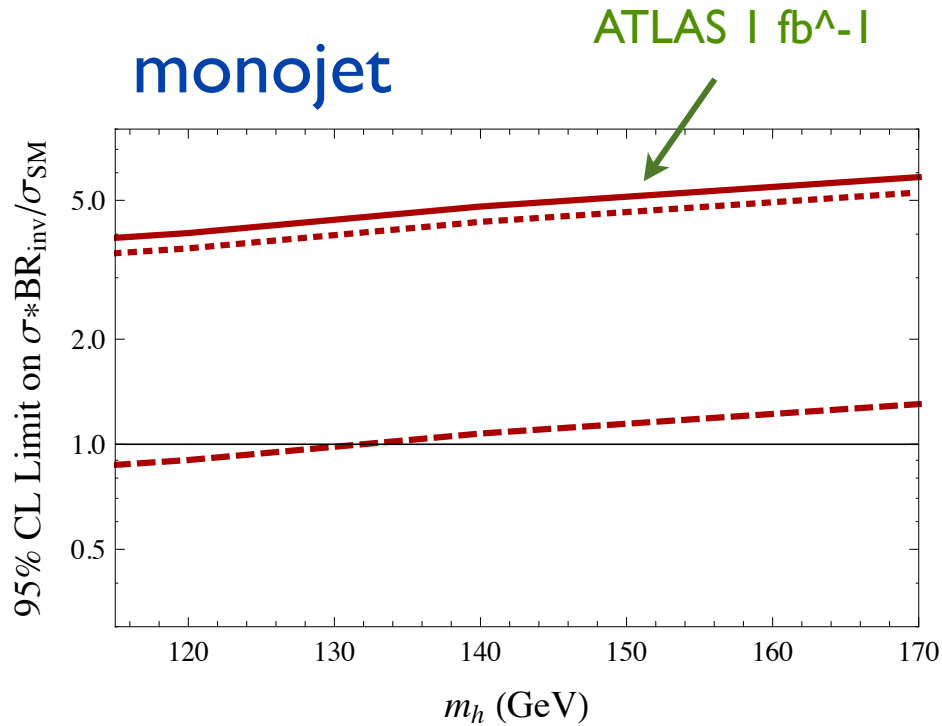
$$h \rightarrow \phi_0\phi_0 \rightarrow \text{missing } E_T$$

$$h \rightarrow \phi_0\phi_0 \rightarrow 4b, 4g$$

$$h \rightarrow \phi_0\phi_0 \rightarrow 4\gamma, 2Z + 2\gamma$$

# Invisible Higgs decay

to appear,  
YB, Draper, Shelton

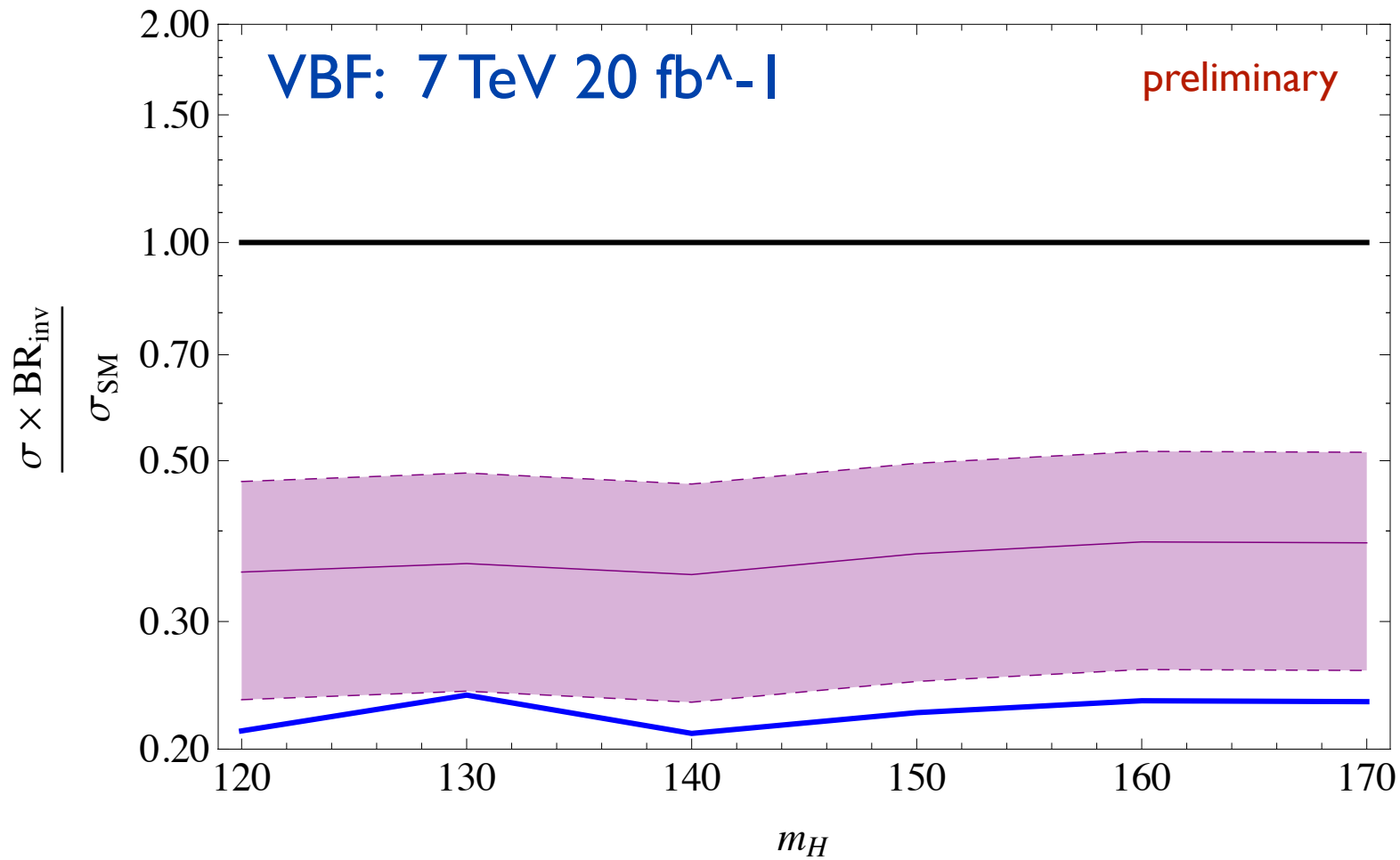


see Roni Harnik's talk for the dark matter interpretation

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see early study at 14 TeV: Davoudiasl, Han, Logan; hep-ph/0412269





# Color Singlet and weak triplet

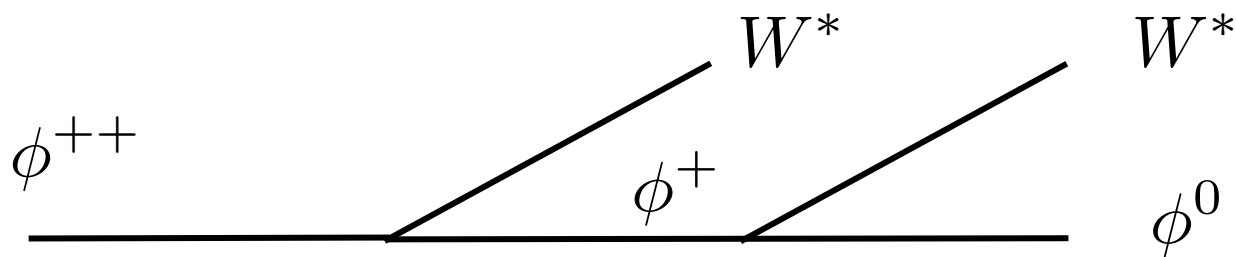
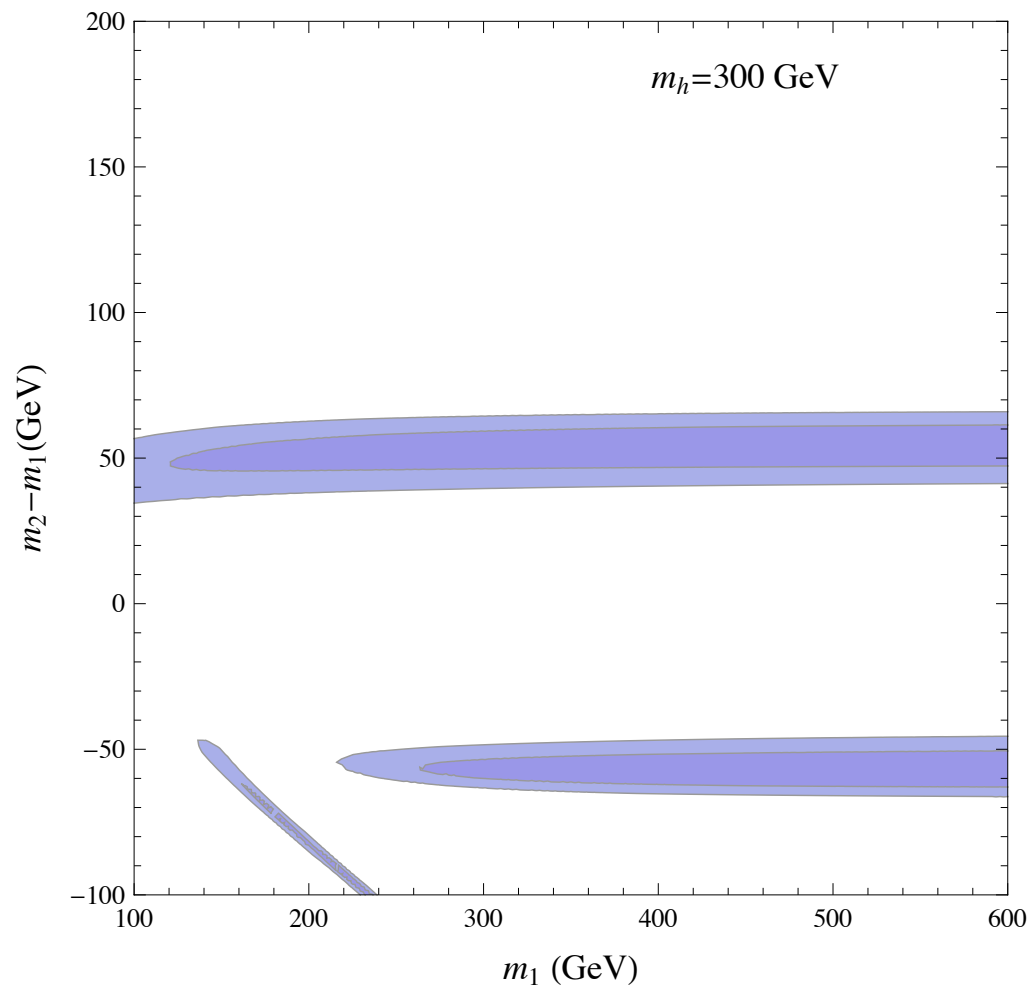
$$V = \mu_1 |H|^2 + \mu_2 |\Phi|^2 + \lambda_1 |H|^4 + \lambda_2 |\Phi|^4 + \lambda_3 |H|^2 |\Phi|^2 + \lambda_4 (\Phi^\dagger t^a \Phi)^2 + \lambda_5 (H^\dagger \tau_a H) (\Phi^\dagger t^a \Phi)$$

$$\Phi = (\phi^{++}, \phi^+, \phi^0)^T \quad (1, 3)_1$$

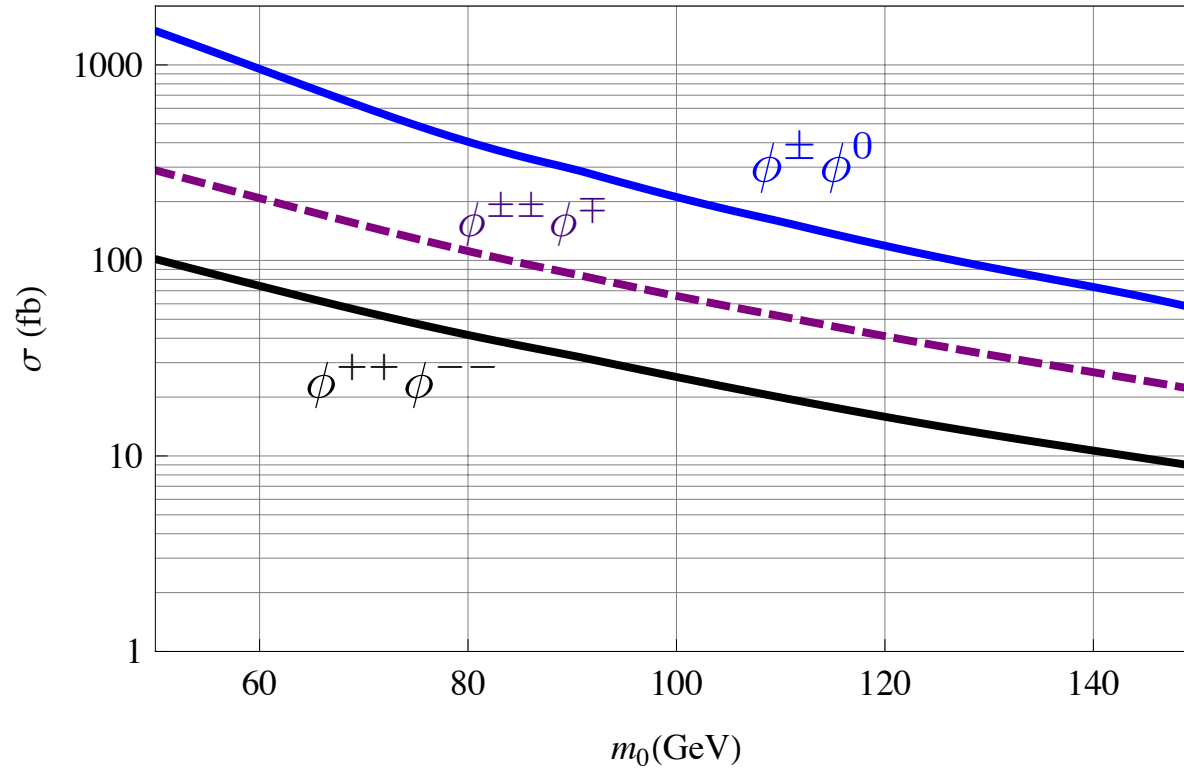
$$m_3^2 = m_1^2 + 2\Delta^2, \quad \text{and} \quad m_2^2 = m_1^2 + \Delta^2$$

$$T = \frac{(m_1^2 + \Delta^2) \left\{ \Delta^2 \left[ 1 - \ln \left( \frac{m_1^2 + 2\Delta^2}{m_1^2 + \Delta^2} \right) \right] - m_1^2 \tanh^{-1} \left( \frac{\Delta^2}{m_1^2 + \Delta^2} \right) \right\}}{2\pi s_W^2 M_W^2 \Delta^2}$$

$$S = -\frac{Y}{3\pi} \ln \left( \frac{m_3^2}{m_1^2} \right)$$



same-sign  
leptons

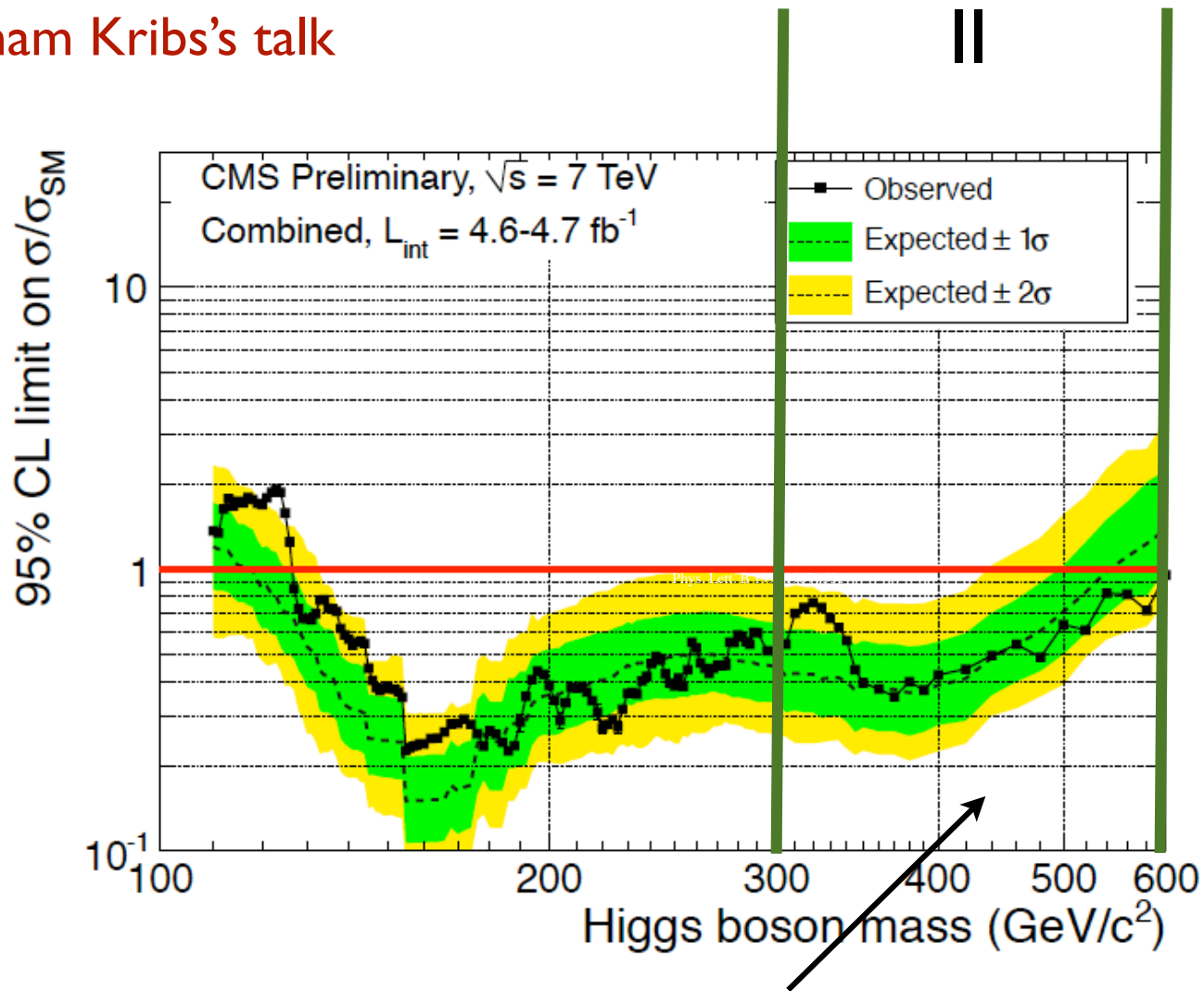


$$m_{\phi^+} - m_{\phi^0} = 50 \text{ GeV}$$

	Relevant final states	Possible signals
$\phi_0$ stable	MET, $nW$ 's + MET,	mono-jet+MET, OS+MET, SS+MET, multi-leptons, multi-jets
$\phi_0 \rightarrow 2b/g$ 's	$4j$ , $W$ 's + $4j$ ,	OS+MET, SS+MET, multi-leptons, multi-jets
$\phi_0 \rightarrow 2\gamma/\gamma + Z$	$nW$ 's + $mZ$ 's + $l\gamma$ 's	multi-photons, OS+MET, SS+MET, multi-leptons, multi-jets

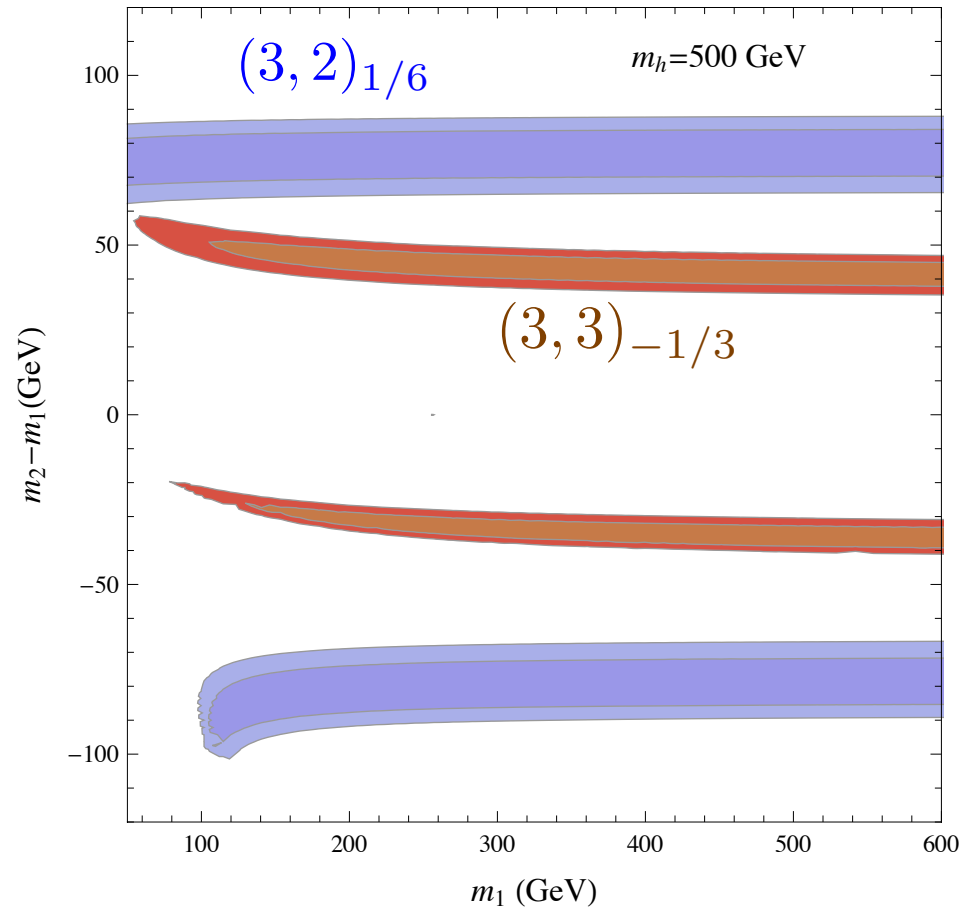
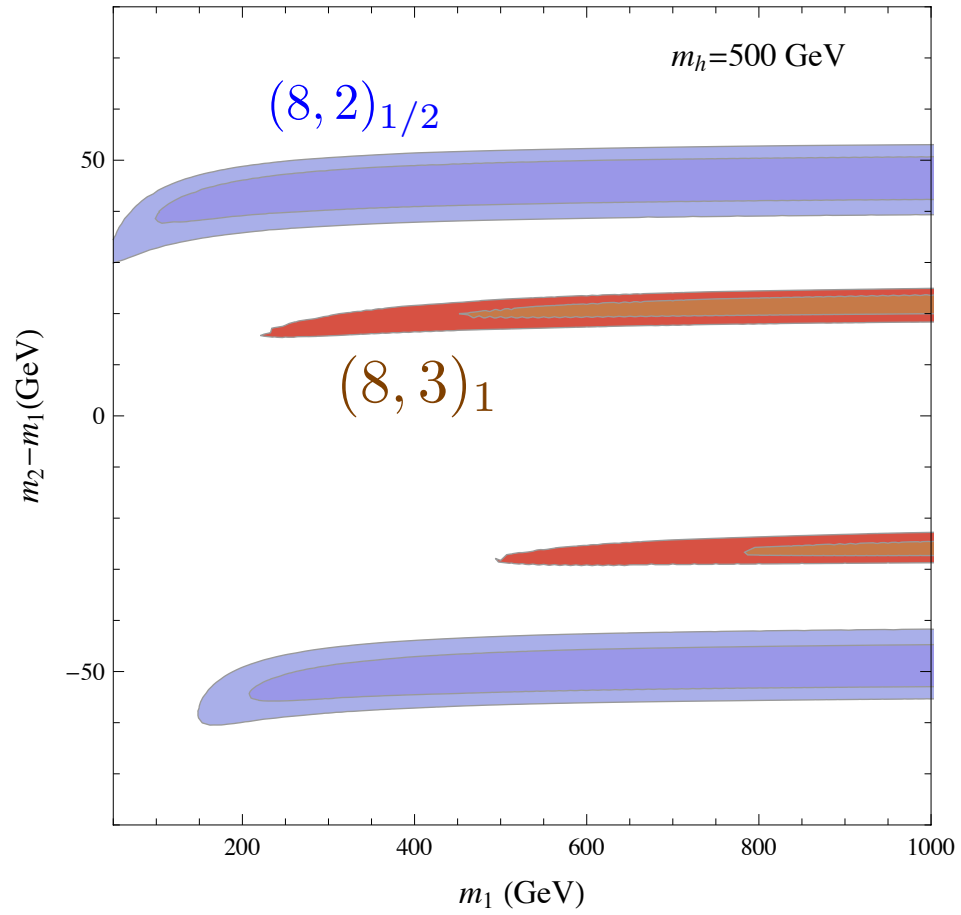
the current SS dilepton searches are not sensitive

See Graham Kribs's talk



Color octet or triplet; weak double or triplet scalar  
reduce the Higgs production from gluon fusion

# Fit to EWPO's



# Modifying the production cross section

$$\mathcal{L}^{eff} = -C_g \frac{h}{v} \frac{1}{4} G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu} - \lambda_2 H^\dagger H \text{Tr}[S^2]$$

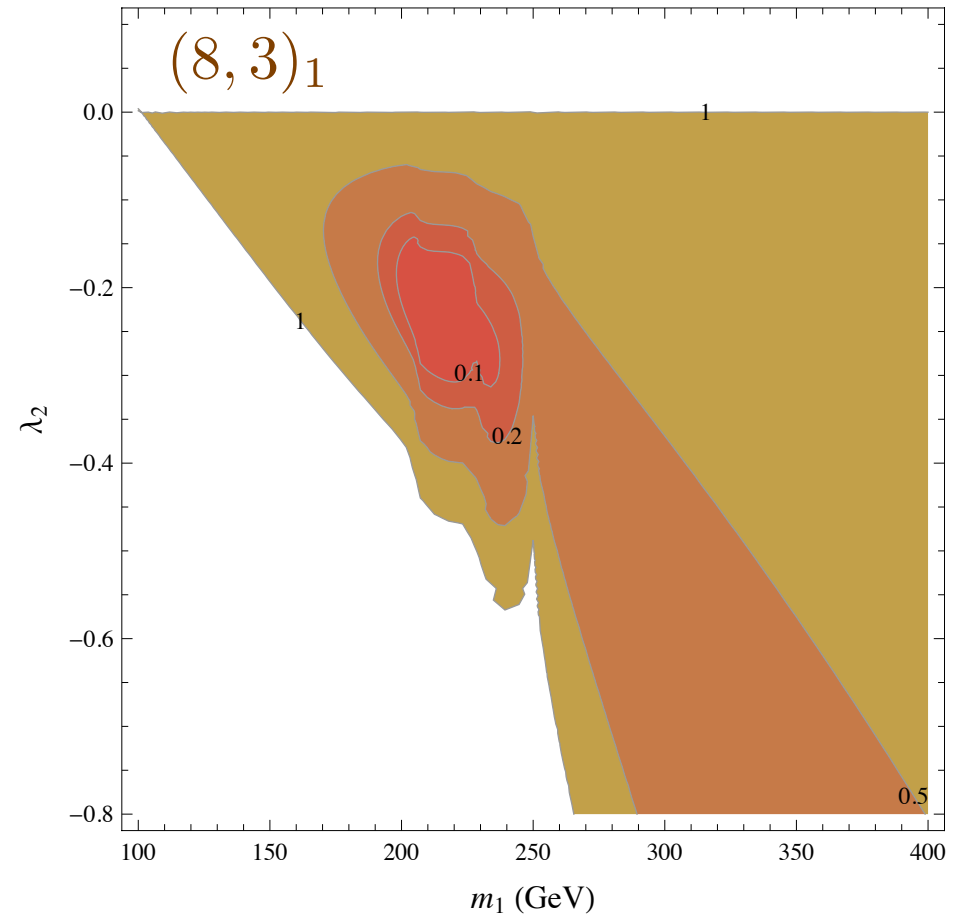
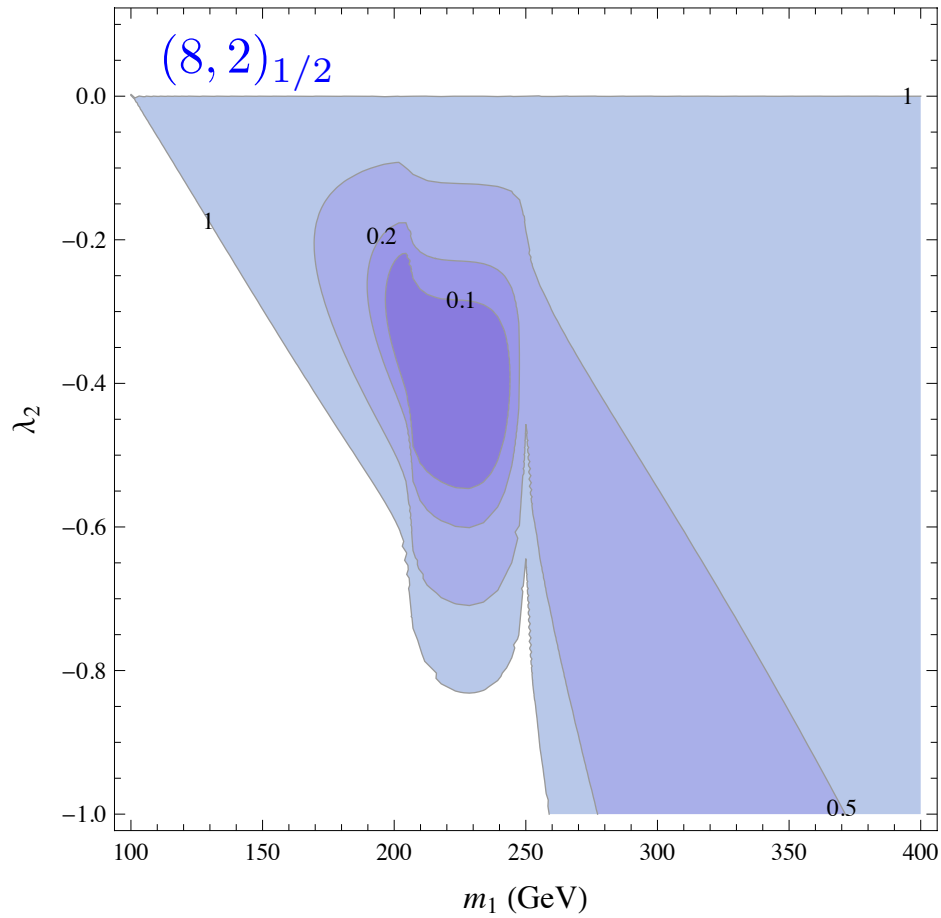
$$C_g = -\frac{\alpha_s}{3\pi} \left[ \frac{3}{4} A_{1/2}^h(\tau_t) \right] - \frac{\lambda_2 \alpha_s v^2}{8\pi m_S^2} [3A_0^h(\tau_S)]$$

In the heavy quark or scalar limit  $-g_s^2 \lambda_\odot \text{Tr}[S^2]^2$

$$C_g = -\frac{\alpha_s}{3\pi} - \frac{11\alpha_s^2}{12\pi^2} - \frac{\lambda_2 \alpha_s v^2}{8\pi m_S^2} - \frac{\lambda_2 \alpha_s^2 v^2}{16\pi^2 m_S^2} \left( \frac{33}{2} + 5\lambda_\odot \right)$$

Boughezal and Petriello: 1003.2046

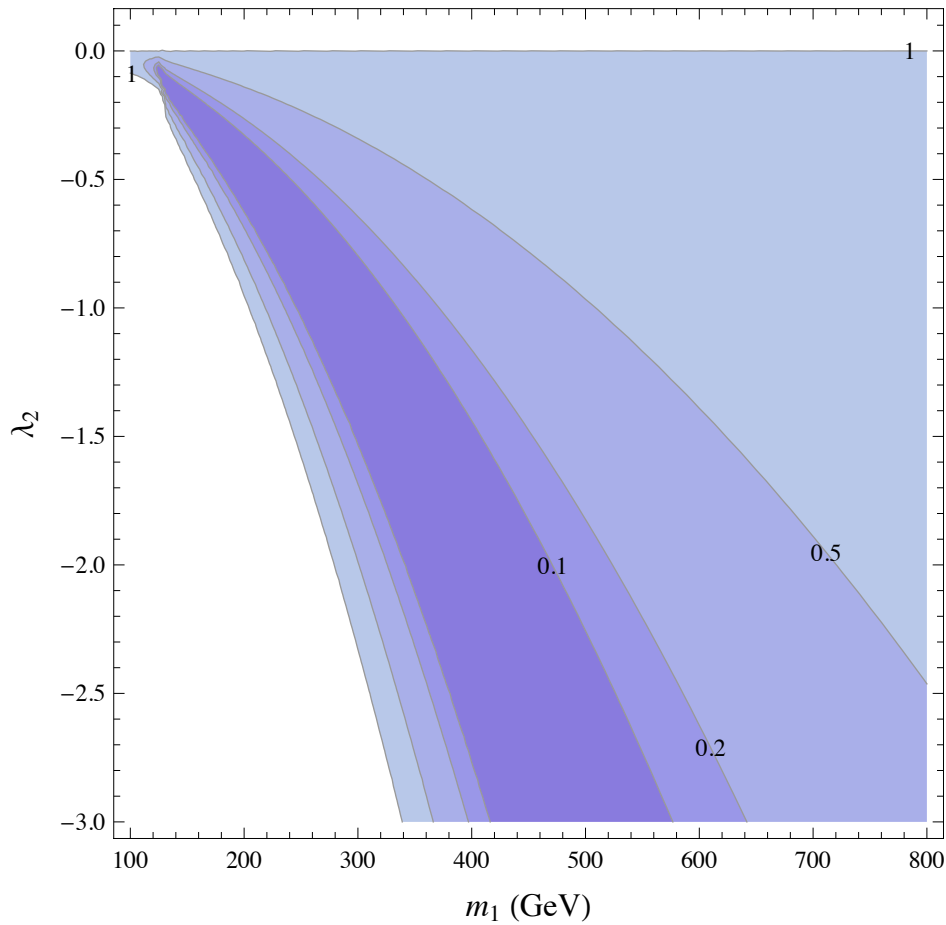
mh=500 GeV



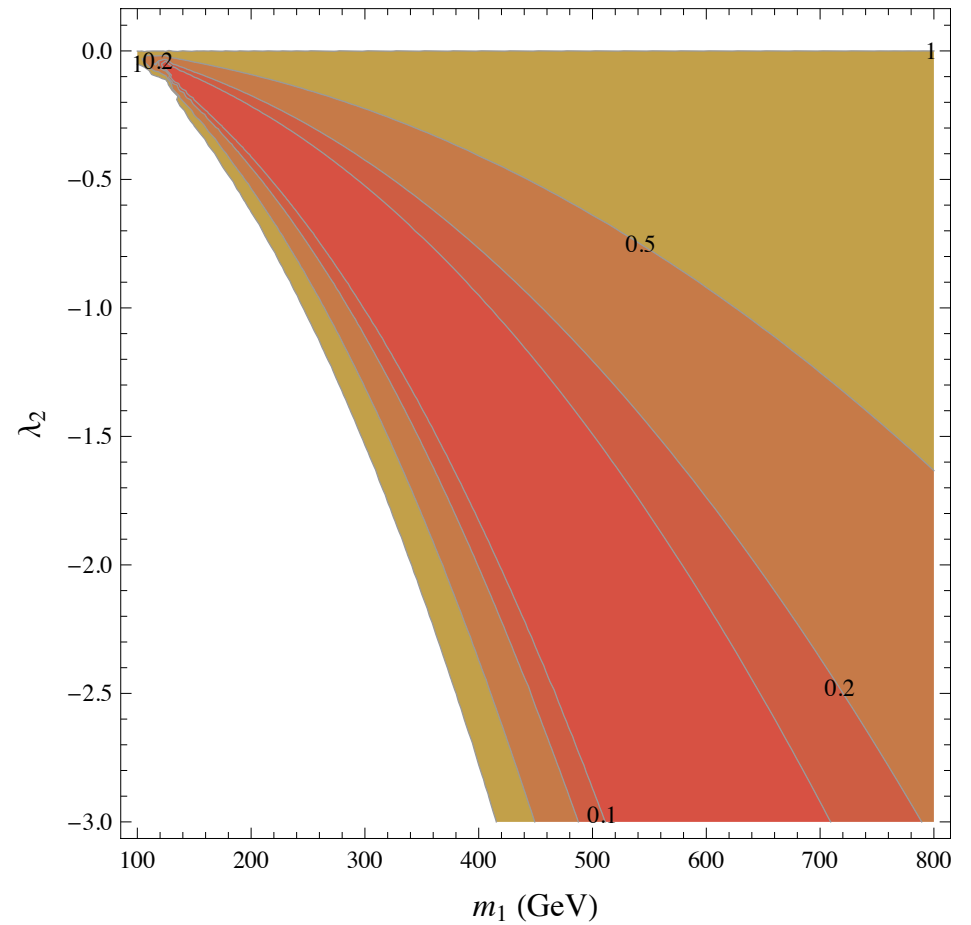
Predict both the new scalar mass and the coupling

$m_h=250$  GeV

$(8, 2)_{1/2}$



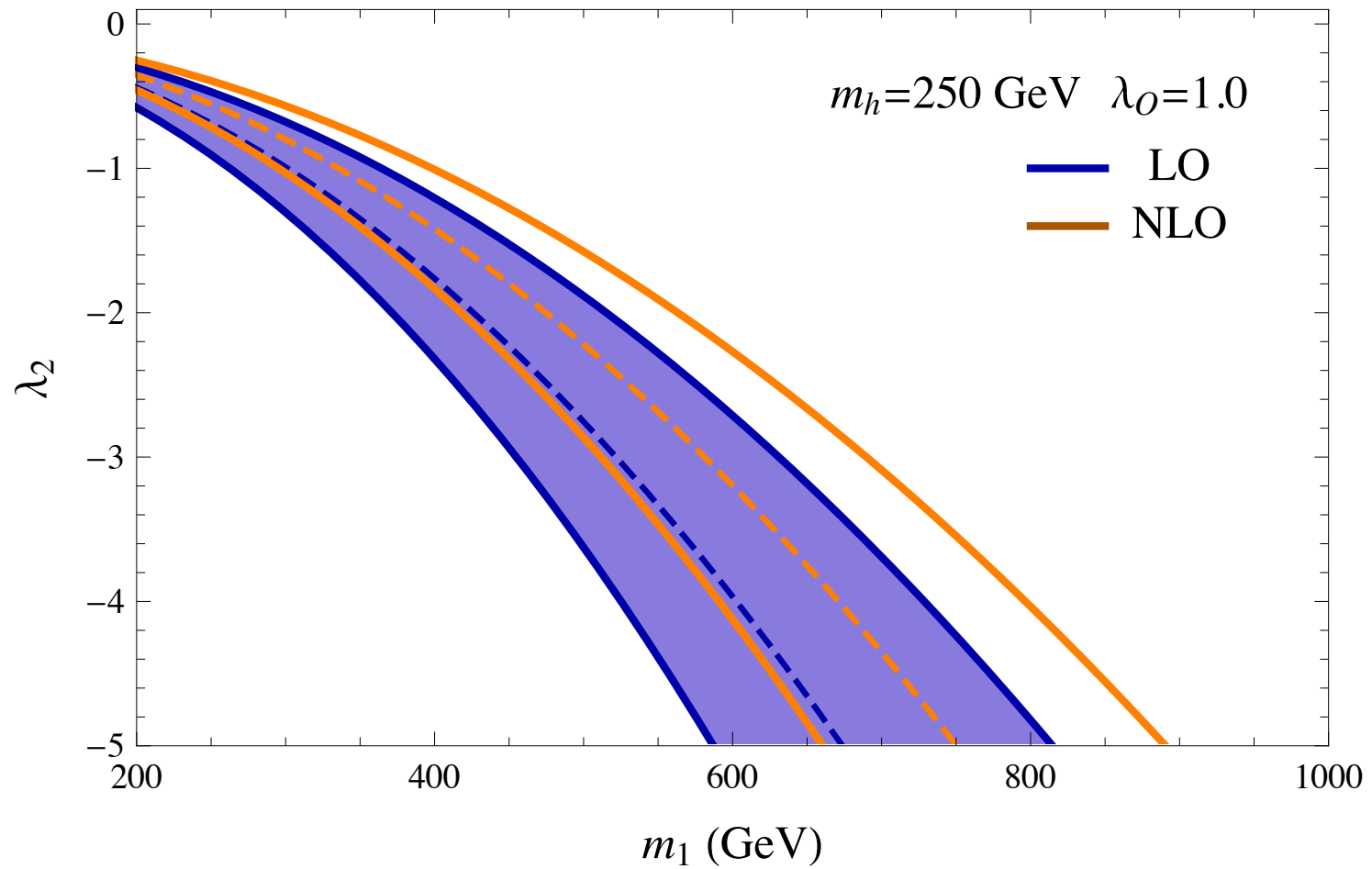
$(8, 3)_1$



only predict a combination of the coupling and the scalar mass



# Uncertainties



# Collider signatures

$$pp \rightarrow \mathbb{O}_2^0 \mathbb{O}_2^0 \rightarrow 4b, 4g, 2g + 2\gamma, 2g + 2Z$$

$$pp \rightarrow \mathbb{O}_2^+ \mathbb{O}_2^- \rightarrow W^{+*} + W^{-*} + (4b, 4g, 2g + 2\gamma, 2g + 2Z)$$

constrained by OS lepton searches

$$pp \rightarrow \mathbb{O}_3^{++} \mathbb{O}_3^{--} \rightarrow 2W^{+*} + 2W^{-*} + (4b, 4g, 2g + 2\gamma, 2g + 2Z)$$

constrained by SS lepton searches

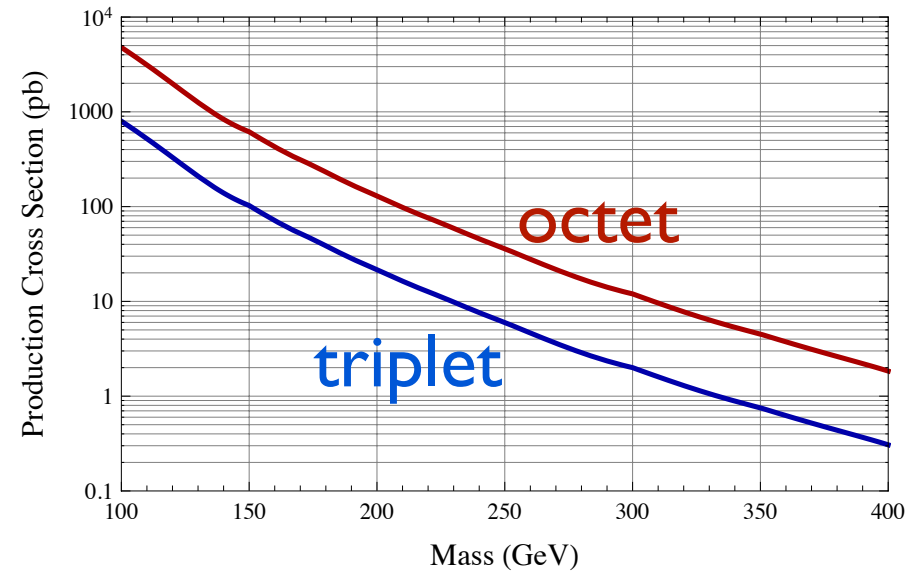
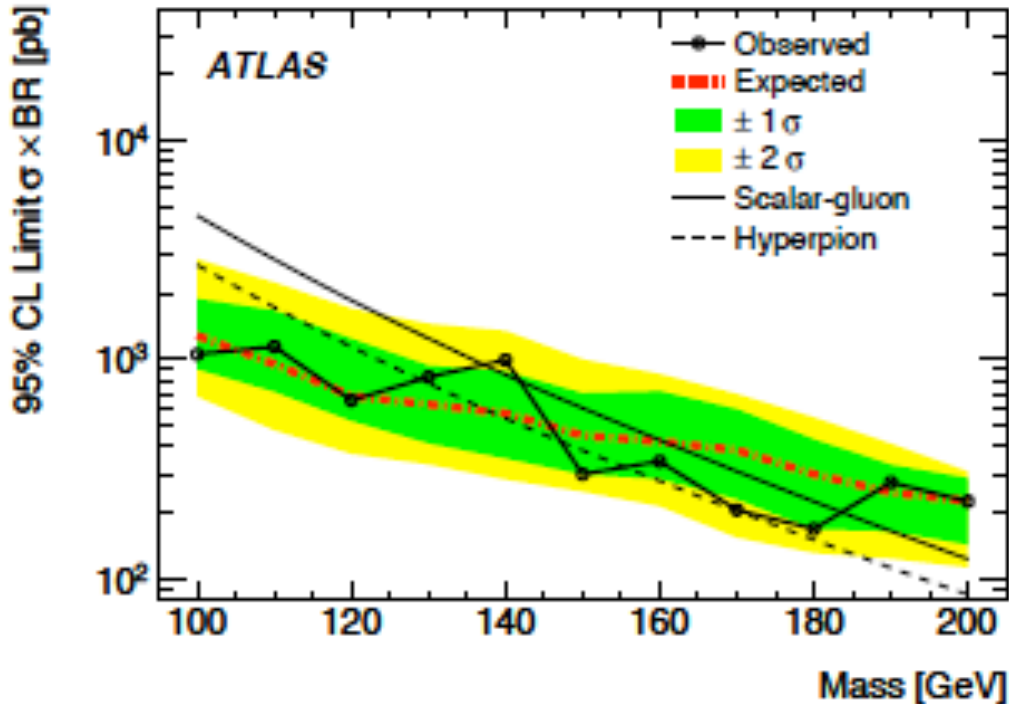
$$pp \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_2^{-1/3} \mathbb{T}_2^{+1/3} \rightarrow 4j$$

$$pp \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_2^{2/3} \mathbb{T}_2^{-2/3} \rightarrow W^{+*} + W^{-*} + 4j$$

$$pp \rightarrow \mathbb{T}_3^{2/3} \mathbb{T}_3^{-2/3} \rightarrow 2W^{+*} + 2W^{-*} + 4j$$

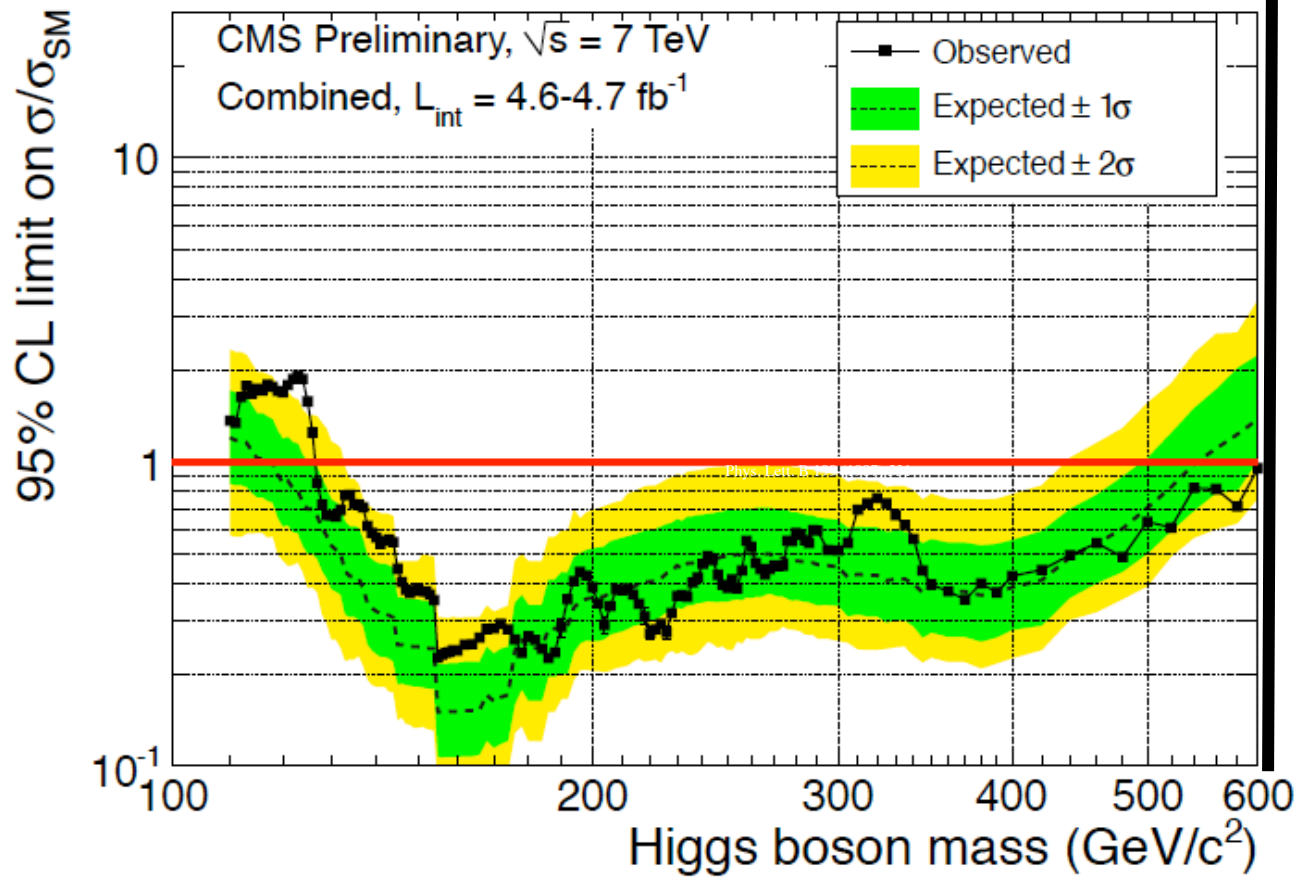
constrained by SS lepton searches

# Four jet final state



color-triplet and weak double is still allowed

Lesson: keep searching for resonances in four-jet final state; don't immediately jump to higher masses; constraining on the production cross section is also important

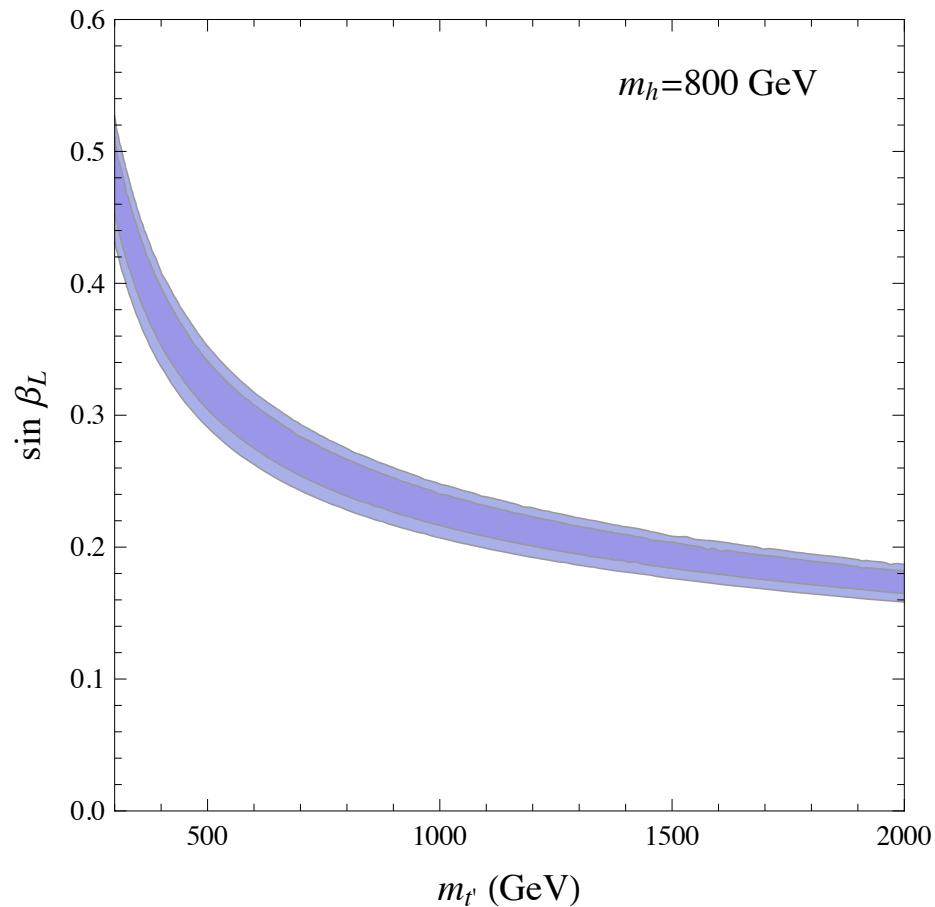


No Higgs boson

# Additional vector-like fermion

Dobrescu and Hill: top seesaw

$$\lambda_1 \tilde{H} \bar{Q}_L t_R + \lambda_2 \tilde{H} \bar{Q}_L \chi_R + \mu \bar{\chi}_L \chi_R + h.c.$$



no real prediction for  
the  $t'$  mass;

# Additional vector gauge boson $Z'$

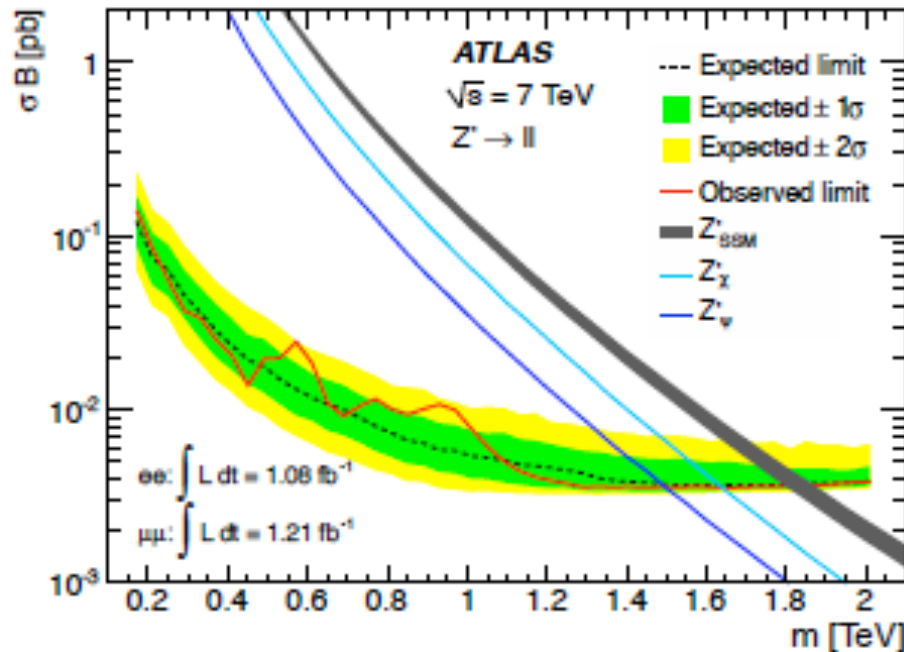
Holdom: 1991  
Peskin and Wells: 2001

$$\mathcal{M}^2 = \begin{pmatrix} m^2 & \gamma M_Z^2 \\ \gamma M_Z^2 & M^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\alpha T = \delta = \gamma^2 \frac{M_Z^2}{M^2}$$

$$\delta = (3.1 \pm 0.3) \times 10^{-3}, \quad \text{or}$$

$$\frac{\gamma M_Z}{M} = 0.055 \pm 0.002$$



$Z'$  explanation is excluded  
unless it is leptophobic

# Non-linearly realized EWSB

Grojean, Skiba, Terning: 2006

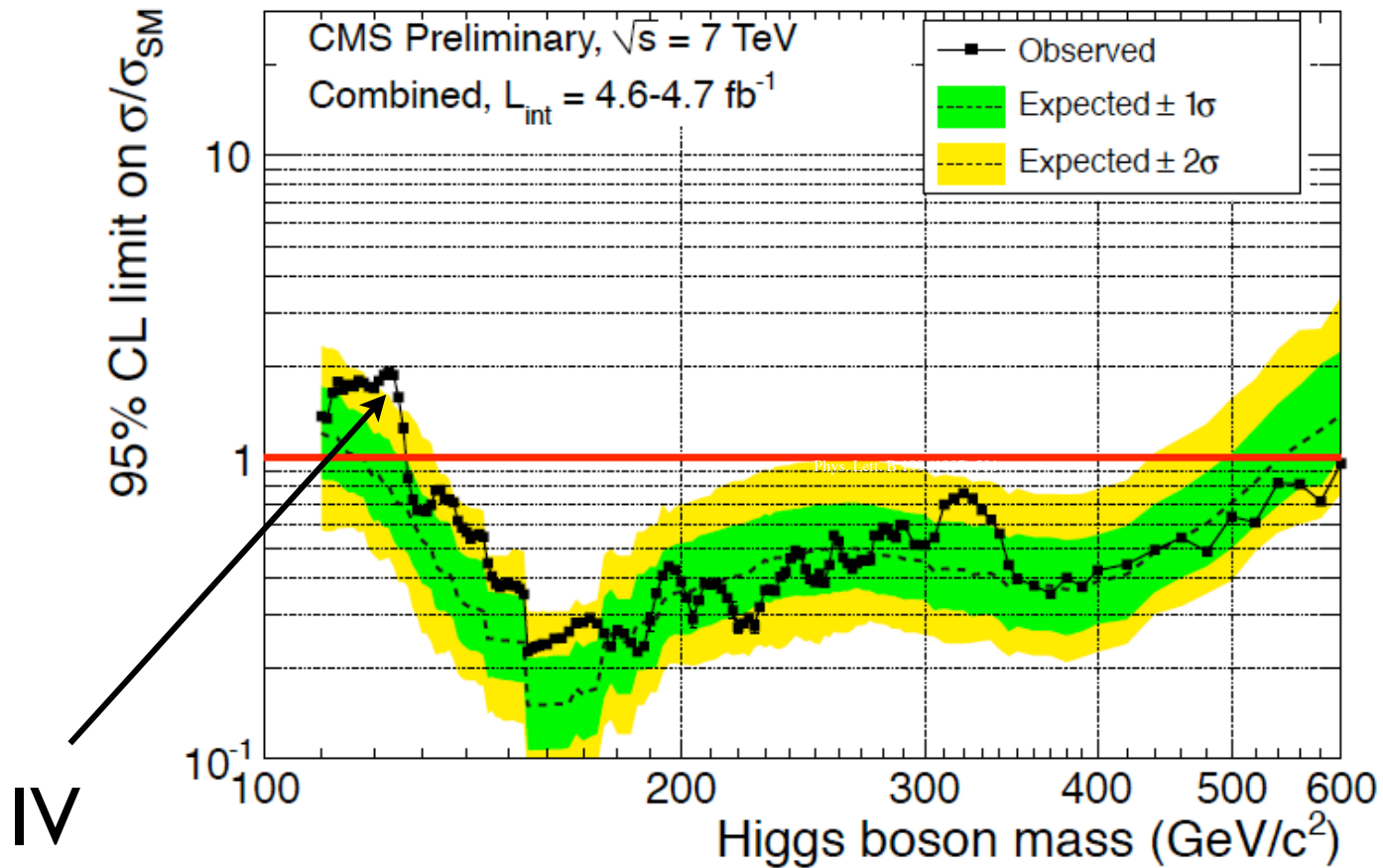
$$-16\pi \mathcal{O}_S + g^2 (\mathcal{O}_q^1 + \mathcal{O}_\ell^1) = \mathcal{O}_{3V}$$

$$\mathcal{O}_S = -\frac{1}{32\pi} gg' B^{\mu\nu} \text{Tr}(W_{\mu\nu} T)$$

$$\mathcal{O}_f^1 = i \bar{f}_L \gamma^\mu V_\mu f_L$$

$$\mathcal{O}_{3V} = ig \text{Tr} (W^{\mu\nu} [V_\mu, V_\nu])$$

Measure the triple gauge boson coupling more precisely



Last complain from a technicolor person:

“It is a discovery of techni-dilaton”

see Barath Coleppa’s talk



The general couplings of dilaton to SM particles are

$$\mathcal{L} \supset \frac{\sigma}{f} \left[ 2 M_W^2 W^{\mu+} W_{\mu-} + M_Z^2 Z^\mu Z_\mu - \sum_\psi m_\psi \bar{\psi} \psi - \frac{\alpha_{em} b_{em}}{8\pi} F_{\mu\nu} F^{\mu\nu} - \frac{\alpha_s b_{QCD}}{8\pi} G_{a\mu\nu} G^{a\mu\nu} \right]$$

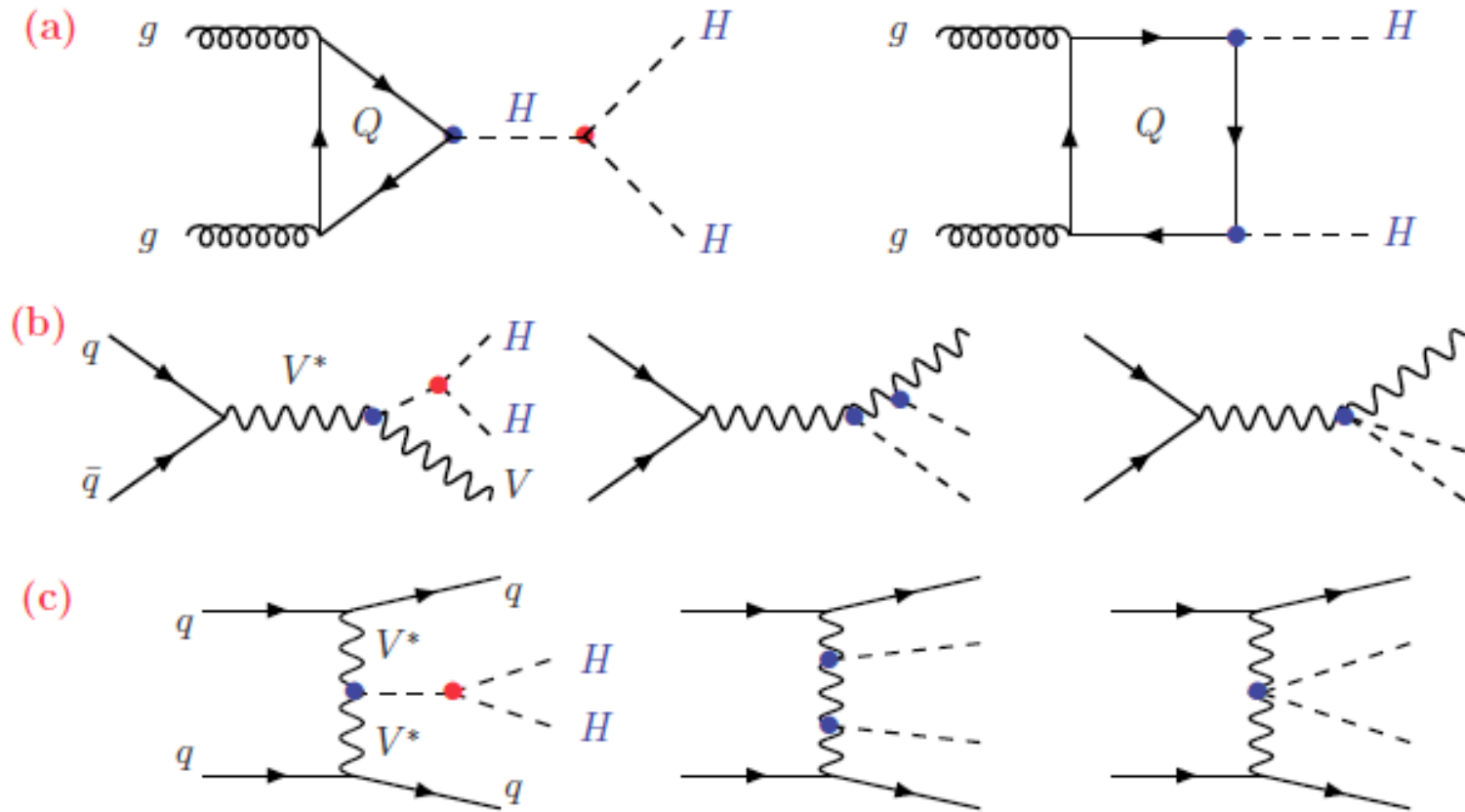
For the SM Higgs:

$$-\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu h \partial^\mu h + \frac{1}{2} M_h^2 h^2 + \frac{M_h^2}{2v} h^3 + \frac{M_h^2}{8v^2} h^4$$

For the dilaton in WTC, with the explicitly breaking of CFT coming from a marginal operator:

$$-\mathcal{L} = -\frac{1}{2} \partial_\mu \sigma \partial^\mu \sigma + \frac{1}{2} M_\sigma^2 \sigma^2 + \frac{5 M_\sigma^2}{6v} \sigma^3 + \dots$$

From Barger, Han, Langacker, McElrath, Zerwas, hep-ph/0301097 at linear collider



14 TeV LHC physics

# Conclusion

- If the SM Higgs is excluded, one needs to check a few scenarios considered here to hide a heavy Higgs
- For  $200 < m_h < 300$  GeV, the Higgs could be hidden from decaying into a pair of a new scalar
- For  $250 < m_h < 600$  GeV, the Higgs production cross section from gluon fusion could be reduced by additional colored scalars in the loop
- For  $600 \text{ GeV} < m_h$  (or no Higgs), wait for surprises like  $t'$ , leptophobic  $Z'$ , deviation of triple gauge boson couplings or new resonances from strong dynamics

**Thanks**