



# Collider probes of SUSY

Where do we go now with SUSY searches?

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- Introductory remarks.
- The particle spectrum and the final states
- Current LHC results on SUSY searches. How to read the simplified models results?
- What is the future for 13/13.5 TeV searches?

SUSY: One of the most attractive BSM idea.

Lot of theoretical and experimental effort has gone in!

Stubbornly refuses to show up!

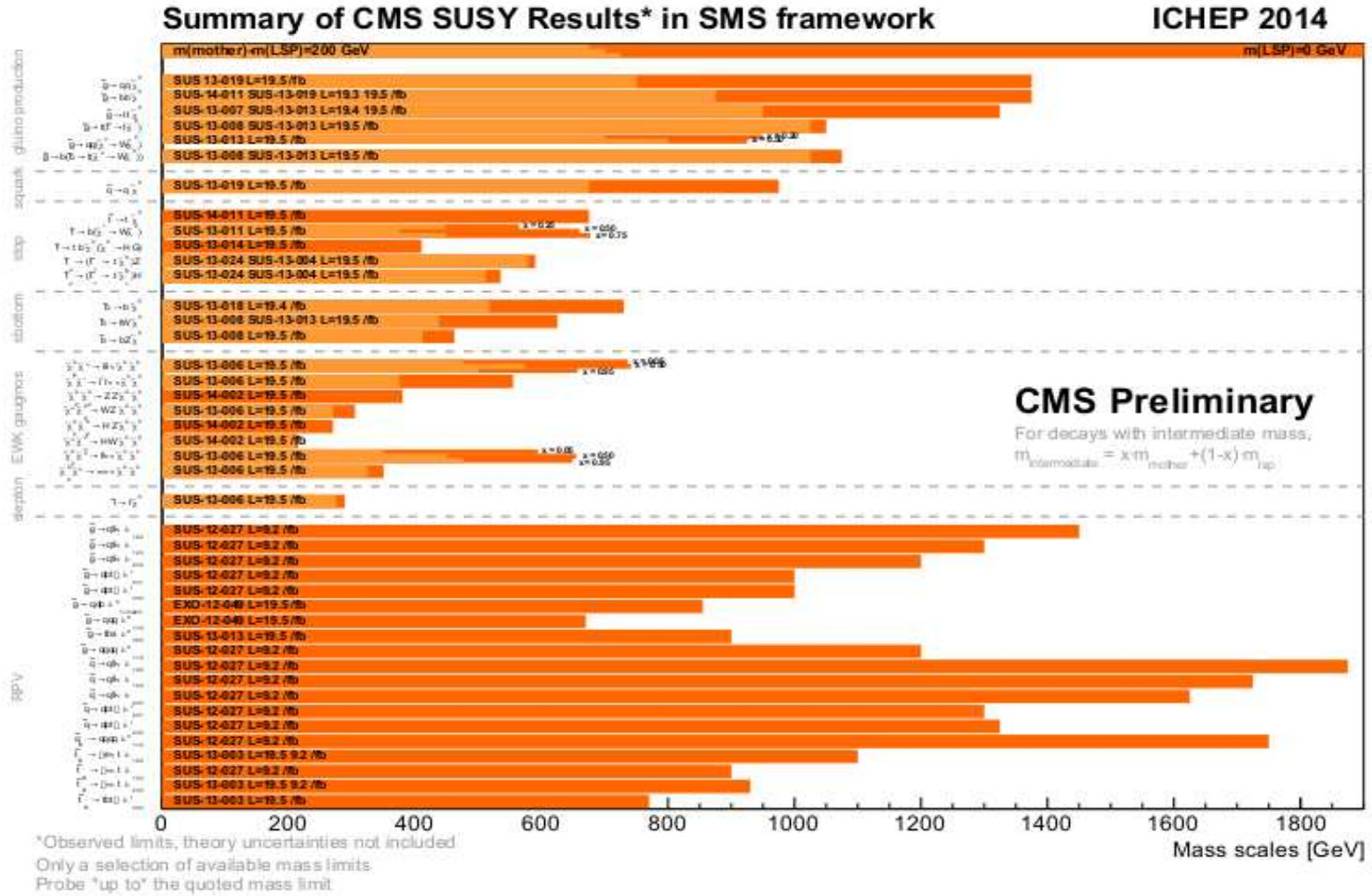
Is it in danger of extinction?

At least a very major part of the **natural** parameter space is excluded!

How do we look into cracks?

(for experimental slides I have freely borrowed from presentations from G. Polesello, without always giving credit)

Sfermions		Gauginos and higgsinos	
Name	Symbol	Name	Symbol
(left, right) selectron	$\tilde{e}_{L,R}$	gluinos	$\tilde{g}^a$
(left, right) smuon	$\tilde{\mu}_{L,R}$	lighter charginos	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$
(left, right) stau	$\tilde{\tau}_{L,R}$	heavier charginos	$\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm$
$e$ -sneutrino	$\tilde{\nu}_e$	lightest neutralino	$\tilde{\chi}_1^0$
$\mu$ -sneutrino	$\tilde{\nu}_\mu$	next-to-lightest neutralino	$\tilde{\chi}_2^0$
$\tau$ -sneutrino	$\tilde{\nu}_\tau$	next-to-heaviest neutralino	$\tilde{\chi}_3^0$
(left, right) $u$ -squark	$\tilde{u}_{L,R}$	heaviest neutralino	$\tilde{\chi}_4^0$
(left, right) $d$ -squark	$\tilde{d}_{L,R}$		
(left, right) $c$ -squark	$\tilde{c}_{L,R}$		
(left, right) $s$ -squark	$\tilde{s}_{L,R}$		
(left, right) stop	$\tilde{t}_{L,R}$		
(left, right) sbottom	$\tilde{b}_{L,R}$		



**ATLAS SUSY Searches\* - 95% CL Lower Limits**

**ATLAS Preliminary**

Status: ICHEP 2014

$\sqrt{s} = 7, 8 \text{ TeV}$

Model	$e, \mu, \tau, \gamma$	Jets	$E_T^{\text{miss}}$	$\int \mathcal{L} dt [\text{fb}^{-1}]$	Mass limit	Reference		
Inclusive Searches	MSUGRA/CMSSM	0	2-6 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{q}, \tilde{g}$ 1.7 TeV	$m(\tilde{g})=m(\tilde{q})$	1405.7875
	MSUGRA/CMSSM	$1 e, \mu$	3-6 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.2 TeV	any $m(\tilde{g})$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-062
	MSUGRA/CMSSM	0	7-10 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.1 TeV	any $m(\tilde{g})$	1308.1841
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{q}, \tilde{q}\tilde{q} \rightarrow q\tilde{q}\tilde{q}_1^0$	0	2-6 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{q}$ 850 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}, m(1^{\text{st}} \text{ gen. } \tilde{q})=m(2^{\text{nd}} \text{ gen. } \tilde{q})$	1405.7875
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow q\tilde{q}\tilde{q}_1^0$	$1 e, \mu$	3-6 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.33 TeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-062
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow q\tilde{q}\tilde{q}_1^0 \rightarrow q\tilde{q}W^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	$1 e, \mu$	3-6 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.18 TeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)<200 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\chi}^\pm)=0.5(m(\tilde{q}_1^0)+m(\tilde{g}))$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-089
	$\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \rightarrow q\tilde{q}(\ell\ell/\ell\nu/\nu\nu)\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	$2 e, \mu$	0-3 jets	-	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.12 TeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$	1208.4688
	GMSB ( $\tilde{L}$ NLSP)	$2 e, \mu$	2-4 jets	Yes	4.7	$\tilde{g}$ 1.24 TeV	$\tan\beta < 15$	1407.0603
	GMSB ( $\tilde{L}$ NLSP)	$1-2 \tau + 0-1 \ell$	0-2 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.6 TeV	$\tan\beta > 20$	ATLAS-CONF-2014-001
	GGM (bino NLSP)	$2 \gamma$	-	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.28 TeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) > 50 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2012-144
	GGM (wino NLSP)	$1 e, \mu + \gamma$	$1 b$	Yes	4.8	$\tilde{g}$ 619 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) > 50 \text{ GeV}$	1211.1167
GGM (higgsino-bino NLSP)	$\gamma$	$1 b$	Yes	4.8	$\tilde{g}$ 900 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) > 220 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2012-152	
GGM (higgsino NLSP)	$2 e, \mu (Z)$	0-3 jets	Yes	5.8	$\tilde{g}$ 690 GeV	$m(\text{NLSP}) > 200 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2012-147	
Gravitino LSP	0	mono-jet	Yes	10.5	$F^{1/2}$ scale 645 GeV	$m(G) > 10^{-4} \text{ eV}$	1407.0600	
3 <sup>rd</sup> gen. $\tilde{g}$ med.	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow b\tilde{b}$	0	3 b	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{g}$ 1.25 TeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) < 400 \text{ GeV}$	1308.1841
	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow t\tilde{t}$	0	7-10 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 1.1 TeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) < 350 \text{ GeV}$	1407.0600
	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow t\tilde{t}$	0-1 $e, \mu$	3 b	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{g}$ 1.34 TeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) < 400 \text{ GeV}$	1407.0600
	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow b\tilde{b}$	0-1 $e, \mu$	3 b	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{g}$ 1.3 TeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) < 300 \text{ GeV}$	1407.0600
3 <sup>rd</sup> gen. squarks direct production	$\tilde{b}_1\tilde{b}_1, \tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow b\tilde{X}_1^0$	0	2 b	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{b}_1$ 100-620 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) < 90 \text{ GeV}$	1308.2631
	$\tilde{b}_1\tilde{b}_1, \tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow t\tilde{X}_1^0$	$2 e, \mu$ (SS)	0-3 b	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{b}_1$ 275-440 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=2 m(\tilde{t}_1^+)$	1404.2500
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (light), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow b\tilde{X}_1^0$	1-2 $e, \mu$	1-2 b	Yes	4.7	$\tilde{t}_1$ 110-167 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=55 \text{ GeV}$	1208.4305, 1209.2102
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (light), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow Wb\tilde{X}_1^0$	$2 e, \mu$	0-2 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{t}_1$ 130-210 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=m(\tilde{t}_1)-m(W)=50 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{t}_1) < m(\tilde{X}_1^0)$	1403.4853
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (medium), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow t\tilde{X}_1^0$	$2 e, \mu$	2 jets	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{t}_1$ 215-530 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=1 \text{ GeV}$	1403.4853
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (medium), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow b\tilde{X}_1^0$	0	2 b	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{t}_1$ 150-580 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) < 200 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{X}_1^0)-m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=5 \text{ GeV}$	1308.2631
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (heavy), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow t\tilde{X}_1^0$	$1 e, \mu$	$1 b$	Yes	20	$\tilde{t}_1$ 210-640 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$	1407.0583
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (heavy), $\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow t\tilde{X}_1^0$	0	2 b	Yes	20.1	$\tilde{t}_1$ 260-640 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$	1406.1122
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (natural GMSB)	0	mono-jet/c-tag	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{t}_1$ 90-240 GeV	$m(\tilde{t}_1)-m(\tilde{X}_1^0) < 85 \text{ GeV}$	1407.0608
	$\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_2 \rightarrow t\tilde{X}_1^0$	$2 e, \mu (Z)$	$1 b$	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{t}_1$ 150-580 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) > 150 \text{ GeV}$	1403.5222
$\tilde{t}_2\tilde{t}_2, \tilde{t}_2 \rightarrow t\tilde{X}_1^0 + Z$	$3 e, \mu (Z)$	$1 b$	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{t}_2$ 290-600 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) < 200 \text{ GeV}$	1403.5222	
EW direct	$\tilde{\ell}_{L,R} \tilde{\ell}_{L,R}, \tilde{\ell} \rightarrow \ell\tilde{X}_1^0$	$2 e, \mu$	0	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\ell}$ 90-325 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$	1403.5294
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\ell}\nu(\tilde{\nu})$	$2 e, \mu$	0	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 140-465 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\ell}, \tilde{\nu})=0.5(m(\tilde{t}_1^+)+m(\tilde{q}_1^0))$	1403.5294
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}\nu(\tilde{\nu})$	$2 \tau$	-	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 100-350 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\tau}, \tilde{\nu})=0.5(m(\tilde{t}_1^+)+m(\tilde{q}_1^0))$	1407.0350
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{X}_1^0 \ell(\tilde{\nu}\nu), \tilde{\ell}\tilde{\nu}\tilde{t}_1 \ell(\tilde{\nu}\nu)$	$3 e, \mu$	0	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 700 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=m(\tilde{t}_2^+), m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0, m(\tilde{\ell}, \tilde{\nu})=0.5(m(\tilde{t}_1^+)+m(\tilde{q}_1^0))$	1402.7029
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow W\tilde{X}_1^0 Z\tilde{X}_1^0$	$2-3 e, \mu$	0	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 420 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=m(\tilde{t}_2^+), m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0, \text{ sleptons decoupled}$	1403.5294, 1402.7029
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow W\tilde{X}_1^0 h\tilde{X}_1^0$	$1 e, \mu$	2 b	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 285 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=m(\tilde{t}_2^+), m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0, \text{ sleptons decoupled}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-093
	$\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0, \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\ell}_R \ell$	$4 e, \mu$	0	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_2^0$ 620 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=m(\tilde{t}_2^+), m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=0, m(\tilde{\ell}, \tilde{\nu})=0.5(m(\tilde{t}_2^+)+m(\tilde{q}_1^0))$	1405.5086
Long-lived particles	Direct $\tilde{\chi}_1^+ \tilde{\chi}_1^-$ prod., long-lived $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$	Disapp. trk	1 jet	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 270 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)-m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=160 \text{ MeV}, \tau(\tilde{q}_1^\pm)=0.2 \text{ ns}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-069
	Stable, stopped $\tilde{g}$ R-hadron	0	1-5 jets	Yes	27.9	$\tilde{g}$ 832 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0)=100 \text{ GeV}, 10 \mu\text{s} < \tau(\tilde{g}) < 1000 \text{ s}$	1310.6584
	GMSB, stable $\tilde{t}, \tilde{X}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}(\tilde{e}, \tilde{\mu}) + \tau(e, \mu)$	1-2 $\mu$	-	-	15.9	$\tilde{X}_1^0$ 475 GeV	$10 < \tan\beta < 50$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-058
	GMSB, $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \gamma G$ , long-lived $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$	$2 \gamma$	-	Yes	4.7	$\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ 230 GeV	$0.4 < \tau(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) < 2 \text{ ns}$	1304.6310
RPV	$\tilde{q}\tilde{q}, \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow q\tilde{q}\mu$ (RPV)	$1 \mu$ , displ. vtx	-	-	20.3	$\tilde{q}$ 1.0 TeV	$1.5 < \tau < 156 \text{ mm}, \text{BR}(\mu)=1, m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=108 \text{ GeV}$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-092
	LFV $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\nu}_e + X, \tilde{\nu}_e \rightarrow e + \mu$	$2 e, \mu$	-	-	4.6	$\tilde{\nu}_e$ 1.61 TeV	$\lambda_{311}^e=0.10, \lambda_{132}=0.05$	1212.1272
	LFV $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\nu}_e + X, \tilde{\nu}_e \rightarrow e(\mu) + \tau$	$1 e, \mu + \tau$	-	-	4.6	$\tilde{\nu}_e$ 1.1 TeV	$\lambda_{311}^e=0.10, \lambda_{1233}=0.05$	1212.1272
	Bilinear RPV CMSSM	$2 e, \mu$ (SS)	0-3 b	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{q}, \tilde{g}$ 1.35 TeV	$m(\tilde{g})=m(\tilde{q}), c\tau_{LS P} < 1 \text{ mm}$	1404.2500
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow W\tilde{X}_1^0 Z\tilde{X}_1^0$	$4 e, \mu$	-	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 750 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) > 0.2 \times m(\tilde{t}_1^+), \lambda_{121}=0$	1405.5086
	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow W\tilde{X}_1^0 Z\tilde{X}_1^0$	$3 e, \mu + \tau$	-	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 450 GeV	$m(\tilde{q}_1^0) > 0.2 \times m(\tilde{t}_1^+), \lambda_{133}=0$	1405.5086
	$\tilde{g} \rightarrow q\tilde{q}\tilde{q}$	0	6-7 jets	-	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 916 GeV	$\text{BR}(\tilde{g})=\text{BR}(b)=\text{BR}(c)=0\%$	ATLAS-CONF-2013-091
$\tilde{g} \rightarrow t\tilde{t}, \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow b\tilde{s}$	$2 e, \mu$ (SS)	0-3 b	Yes	20.3	$\tilde{g}$ 850 GeV		1404.250	
Other	Scalar gluon pair, $sgluon \rightarrow q\tilde{q}$	0	4 jets	-	4.6	sgluon 100-287 GeV	incl. limit from 1110.2693	1210.4826
	Scalar gluon pair, $sgluon \rightarrow t\tilde{t}$	$2 e, \mu$ (SS)	2 b	Yes	14.3	sgluon 350-800 GeV		ATLAS-CONF-2013-051
	WIMP interaction (D5, Dirac $\chi$ )	0	mono-jet	Yes	10.5	$M^*$ scale 704 GeV	$m(\chi) < 80 \text{ GeV}, \text{ limit of } < 687 \text{ GeV for D8}$	ATLAS-CONF-2012-147

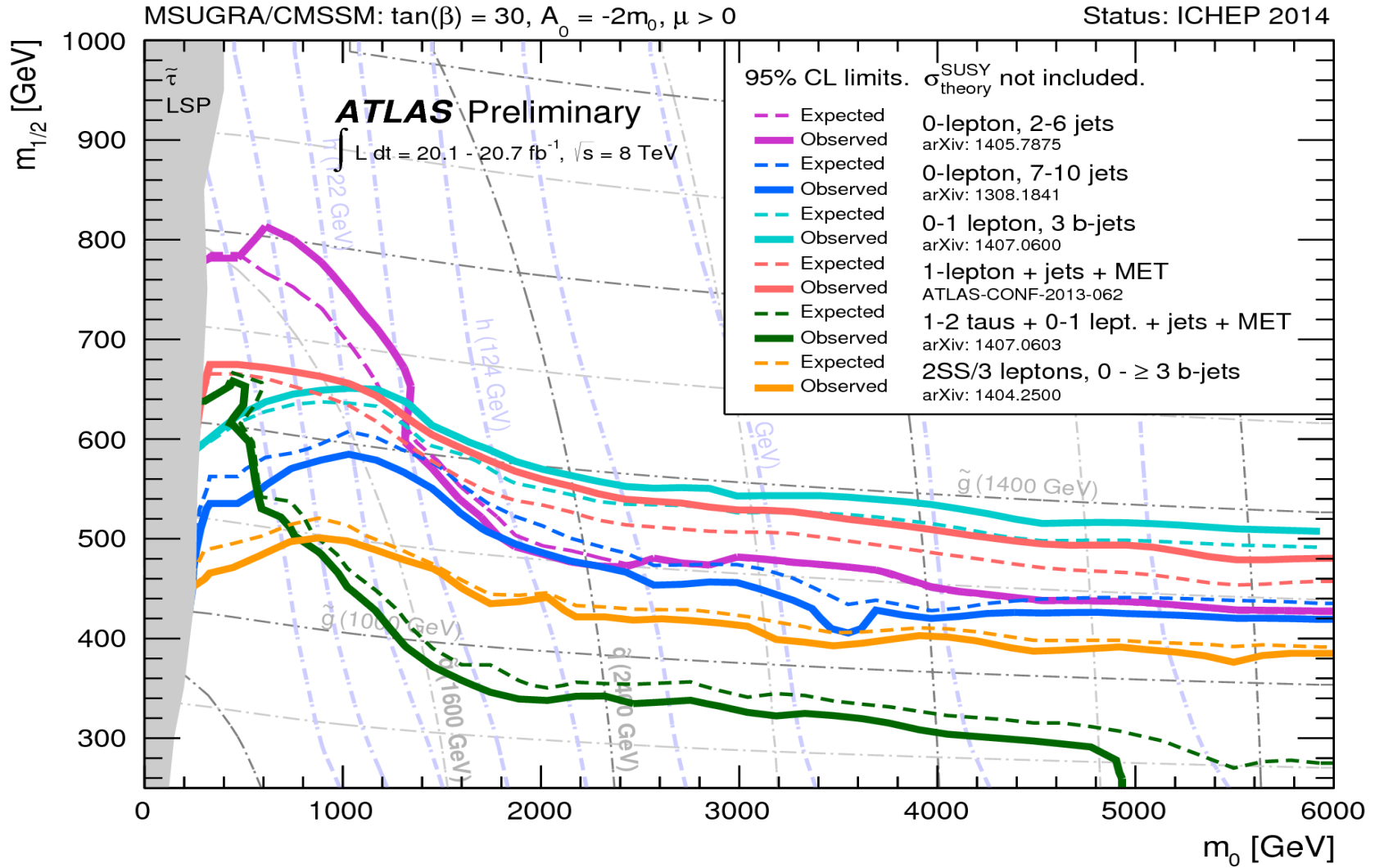
\*Only a selection of the available mass limits on new states or phenomena is shown. All limits quoted are observed minus  $1\sigma$  theoretical signal cross section uncertainty.

Interpretation of these exclusions needs a model framework.

A model is essentially decided by the SUSY breaking mechanism!

CMSSM, PMSSM, NMSSM, GMSB, AMSB.....





A few remarks:

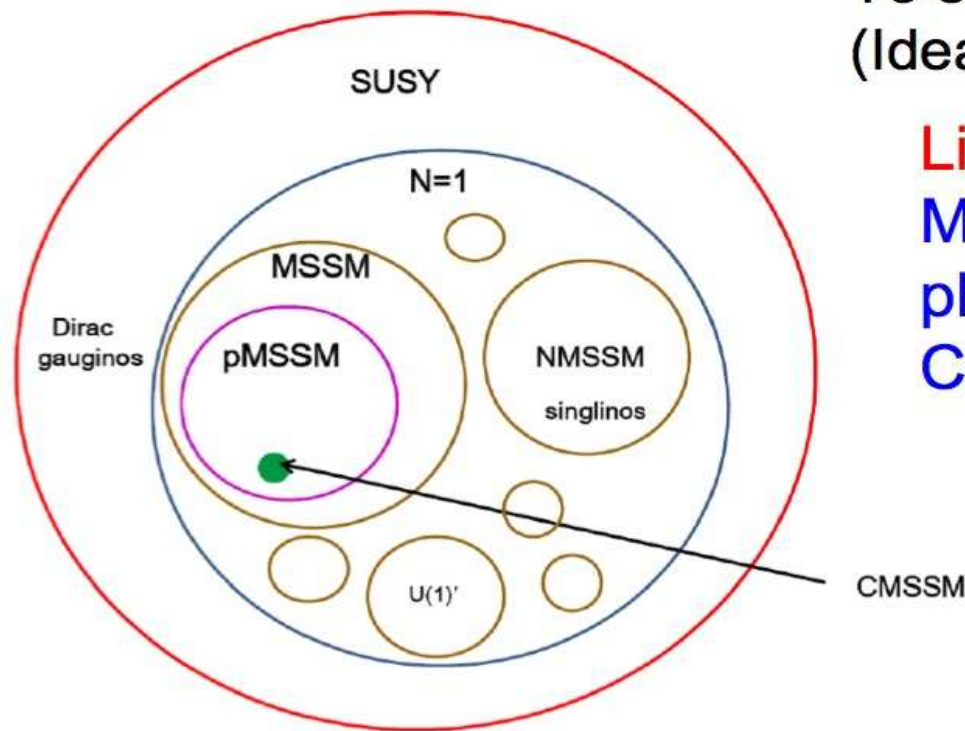
In the framework of the model, a given value of  $m_0, m_{1/2}$  and  $\tan \beta, \mu, A$  the particle spectra and branching ratios are completely determined. As we will see later the missing  $E_T$  searches are reasonably **insensitive** by the last three parameters.

For a given final state various processes contribute.

The reach in large  $m_{1/2}$  at large  $m_0$  comes from the final states containing **leptons** as shown by the cyan line.

So in this framework one can identify which subprocesses give the best reach in a particular search!

# SUSY theory space



For interpretations need to reduce  
To small parameter dimensionality  
(Ideally 2)

**Limiting to MSSM:**

**MSSM: ~109 parameters**

**pMSSM: 19 parameters**

**CMSSM: 4 parameters**

The smaller the number  
Of parameters, the smaller  
The fraction of SUSY space  
explored

(G. Poleseello)

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{MSSM}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SUSY}} + \mathcal{L}_{\text{SOFT}}$$

The particle spectra controlled by  $\mathcal{L}_{\text{SOFT}}$ .

Ignorance of SUSY breaking is encoded in these!

$$\begin{aligned}
 -\mathcal{L}_{\text{SOFT}} = & \tilde{q}_{iL}^* (\mathcal{M}_{\tilde{q}}^2)_{ij} \tilde{q}_{jL} + \tilde{u}_{iR}^* (\mathcal{M}_{\tilde{u}}^2)_{ij} \tilde{u}_{jR} + \tilde{d}_{iR}^* (\mathcal{M}_{\tilde{d}}^2)_{ij} \tilde{d}_{jR} + \tilde{\ell}_{iL}^* (\mathcal{M}_{\tilde{\ell}}^2)_{ij} \tilde{\ell}_{jL} \\
 & + \tilde{e}_{iR}^* (\mathcal{M}_{\tilde{e}}^2)_{ij} \tilde{e}_{jR} + [h_1 \cdot \tilde{\ell}_{iL} (f^e A^e)_{ij} \tilde{e}_{jR}^* + h_1 \cdot \tilde{q}_{iL} (f^d A^d)_{ij} \tilde{d}_{jR}^* \\
 & + \tilde{q}_{iL} \cdot h_2 (f^u A^u)_{ij} \tilde{u}_{jR}^* + \text{h.c.}] + m_1^2 |h_1|^2 + m_2^2 |h_2|^2 + (B\mu h_1 \cdot h_2) \\
 & + \frac{1}{2} (M_1 \bar{\lambda}_0 P_L \tilde{\lambda}_0 + M_1^* \bar{\lambda}_0 P_R \tilde{\lambda}_0) + \frac{1}{2} (M_2 \bar{\vec{\lambda}} P_L \vec{\lambda} + M_2^* \bar{\vec{\lambda}} P_R \vec{\lambda}) \\
 & + \frac{1}{2} (M_3 \bar{g}^a P_L \tilde{g}^a + M_3^* \bar{g}^a P_R \tilde{g}^a) \\
 \equiv & V_{\text{SOFT}} + \text{gaugino mass terms.}
 \end{aligned}$$

$\overline{\tilde{e}_L}$  for the right spositron. The antisfermionic fields denoted by conjugation of the sfermionic fields.

Assumes  $R_p = (-1)^{(3(B-L)+2S)} = (-1)^{(3B-L+2S)}$  is conserved.

The  $\mu$  term from the  $\mathcal{L}_{SUSY}$  plays an important role as well.

Mass eigenstates are not interaction eigenstates.

Just EW breaking, **even without SUSY breaking**, will cause mixing between the charged EW gauginos ( $\tilde{\lambda}_1, \tilde{\lambda}_2$ ) and the charged higgsinos ( $\tilde{h}_1^-, \tilde{h}_2^+$ ), to produce the mass eigenstates  $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_2^\pm$ .

EW and SUSY breaking  $\Rightarrow \tilde{\lambda}_0, \tilde{\lambda}_3, \tilde{h}_1^0, \tilde{h}_2^0$  mix  $\Rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_i^0, i = 1, 4$ .

**The mixing in this sector depends on  $\mu, M_i, i = 1, 2, \tan \beta$ .**

The SUSY breaking terms induce mixing in the sfermion sector too!

$\tilde{f}_R - \tilde{f}_L$  mixing decided by  $A, \mu, \tan \beta$  **and**  $m_f$ .

Sfermion generation mixing: mainly controlled by soft parameters.

These mixings decide the interactions of the mass eigenstates and hence their decay patterns.

They also affect the indirect effects caused in the loops.

The parameters  $\mu, \tan \beta, M_1, M_2$  and  $A$  for the third generations affect the search strategies and determination of the mixing can be used to get information on the Lagrangian parameters as well.

- 124 total parameters and 105 are new :-)! Complex Gaugino masses: 6, sfermion mass matrices: 45, trilinear couplings : 54, bilinears: 4, Higgs sector: 2

$$111 - 6 \text{ (constraints from Higgs sector)} = 105!$$

- Luckily most processes, at tree level, depend only on a few of these 105 parameters.
- But severe phenomenological problems for 'generic' values of these parameters! FCNC, unacceptable CP violation (large electric dipole moments for neutron (for example)). In radiatively driven EW symmetry breaking one gets colour/charge breaking vacua! Impossible to get right values of  $M_Z$ ..!



- Discussions of the SUSY phenomenology tractable only in **Constrained** MSSM (CMSSM) where assumptions are made to reduce the parameters drastically!
- The assumptions guided by SUSY breaking scenarios.
- 44 of these are phases and they can NOT be rotated away by field redefinition. In most discussions these are put to zero by hand, as the constraints from low energy phenomenology are quite severe.  $\emptyset$  MSSM discussions USED to be interesting.

Phenomenologically motivated choices which have been used in the analyses by default:

- All new  $\mathcal{O}P$  phases to be zero. With the newer data on EDM's scope for non zero CP violation is reduced drastically.
- Masses and trilinear coupling diagonal in flavour basis. **NO FCNC.** Flavour models and correlations between SUSY searches with mainly leptonic flavor violation is quite an active area of investigations now!
- Universal first and second generation squarks. I.e no problems with  $K_0-\bar{K}_0$  mixing!

Now number of parameters: Three gaugino masses:  $M_1, M_2$  and  $M_3$  : 3, Higgs mass parameters:  $m_1^2, m_2^2$  : 2, First two generation sfermion masses:  $m_{\tilde{q}}, m_{\tilde{u}_R}, m_{\tilde{d}_R}, m_{\tilde{e}_R}, m_{\tilde{l}}$ : 5 parameters; three trilinear couplings  $A_u, A_d, A_e$ : 3, Third generation masses and Trilinear parameters: 8

Usually collider phenomenology insensitive to  $A_u, A_d, A_e$  (which play an important role in neutron edm,  $(g-2)_\mu$  etc.)

Main ideas discussed here: Gravity mediation (mSUGRA), moduli mediation, GMSB and AMSB.  $10 \text{ TeV} < \Lambda_s \leq M_M \leq M_{Pl}$  and  $M_M \simeq \Lambda_s^2/M_s$

Mediation mechanism	Model	Gravitino mass $m_{3/2}$	Gaugino mass $M_\alpha$	Sfermion mass squared $m_i^2$
Gravity mediated	mSUGRA	$\leq \mathcal{O} \text{ (TeV)}$	$(g_\alpha/g_2)^2 M_2$	$m_0^2 + G_i M_{1/2}^2 + \text{D-terms}$
	$\tilde{\text{C}}\text{MSSM}$	$\leq \mathcal{O} \text{ (TeV)}$	$(g_\alpha/g_2)^2 M_2$	$\tilde{q}_L: m_{\tilde{q}_L}^2 + G_{\tilde{q}_L} M_{1/2}^2 + \text{D-terms}$ $\tilde{l}_L: m_{\tilde{l}_L}^2 + G_{\tilde{l}_L} M_{1/2}^2 + \text{D-terms}$ $\tilde{e}_R: m_{\tilde{e}_R}^2 + G_{\tilde{e}_R} M_{1/2}^2 + \text{D-term}$ $\tilde{u}_R: m_{\tilde{u}_R}^2 + G_{\tilde{u}_R} M_{1/2}^2 + \text{D-term}$ $\tilde{d}_R: m_{\tilde{d}_R}^2 + G_{\tilde{d}_R} M_{1/2}^2 + \text{D-term}$
	AMSB	20–100 TeV	$(g_\alpha b_\alpha/g_2 b_2)^2 M_2$	$m_0^2 + C_i (16\pi^2)^{-2} m_{3/2}^2$
Gauge mediated	mGMSB	$10^{-5} \text{ eV} - 1 \text{ keV}$	$(g_\alpha/g_2)^2 M_2$	$\tilde{q}_L: M_3^2 G'_{\tilde{q}_L} + \text{D-terms}$ $\tilde{l}_L: M_2^2 G'_{\tilde{l}_L} + \text{D-terms}$ $\tilde{e}_R: M_2^2 G'_{\tilde{e}_R} + \text{D-terms}$ $\tilde{u}_R: M_3^2 G'_{\tilde{u}_R} + \text{D-terms}$ $\tilde{d}_R: M_3^2 G'_{\tilde{d}_R} + \text{D-terms}$

mSUGRA  $M_1 : M_2 : M_3 \simeq 1 : 2.8 : 7$ ,  $m_0, M_{1/2}, A, \tan \beta, \text{sgn}(\mu)$

mGMSB : similar, subject to some corrections depending on couplings of the messenger fields.  $M_M, \Lambda_s, \text{sgn}(\mu), \tan \beta, n_q, n_l$  and  $m_{3/2}$ .

AMSB:  $M_1 : M_2 : M_3 \simeq 2.8 : 1 : 8.3$ ,  $m_0, M_{3/2}, \tan \beta, \text{sgn}(\mu)$ .

mSUGRA: LSP is  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ .

mGMSB Gravitino is LSP, NLSP:  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tau_1, \tilde{e}_R$ . NLSP can be long lived and quasi stable! Cosmological constraints on  $m_{3/2}$  and hence on scale of SUSY breaking.

**NUGMSSM,....** Non universal Gaugino masses, with extended Higgs sector.  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  LSP, Singlino LSP, Small mass differences  $\Delta m...$

Dirac Gaugino: recently pursued by a few groups.

mSUGRA, mGMSB: Once LEP constraints are imposed,  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  is an almost pure  $U(1)$  gaugino and  $\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \sim$  pure  $SU(2)$  gaugino. ( $|M_1| < |\mu|$ ).

Note : These things have important implications for viability of the LSP as the DM. Higgsinos annihilate too efficiently and can be a good DM candidate only if heavier than  $\sim$  TeV.

AMSB: Both  $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^0$  are pure  $SU(2)$  gauginos and degenerate. Loop effects need to be included to lift the degeneracy.

Some of these special features of the spectra in GMSB and AMSB pushed developments of strategies which involve detection of **long lived** charged particle (e.g.  $\tilde{\tau}_R$  in GMSB) OR **compressed spectra and hence NO missing energy** , which are today assuming special significance!

Most of the constraints come in the form of inequalities.

The first two generation squarks can not be much lighter than the gluinos.

$$\left(m_{\tilde{q}}/m_{\tilde{l}}\right) |_{GMSB} > \left(m_{\tilde{q}}/m_{\tilde{l}}\right) |_{mSUGRA} ;$$

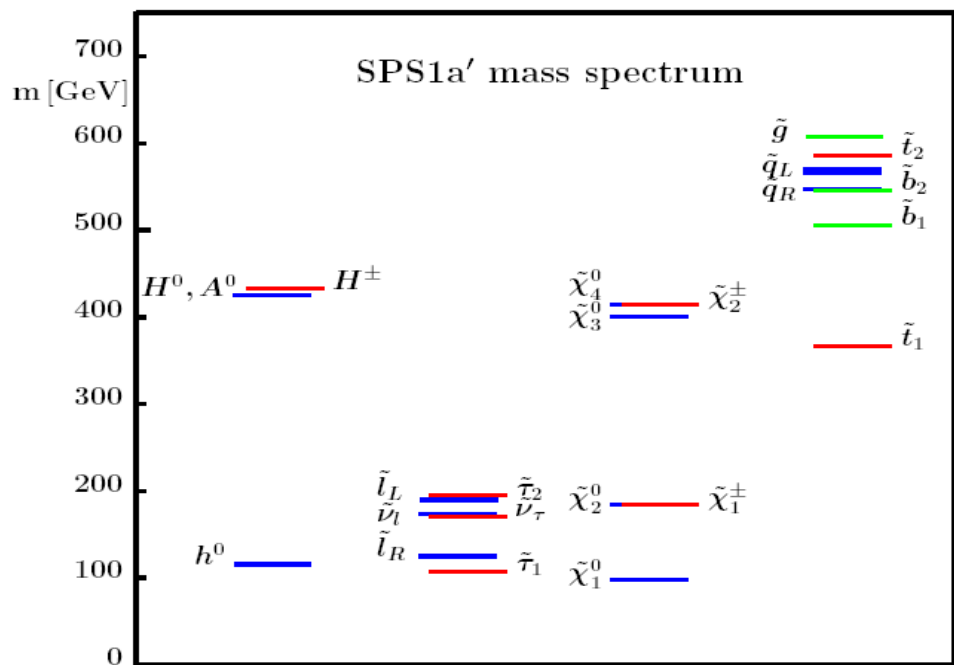
$$m_{\tilde{e}} < m_{\tilde{q}} \text{ for mSUGRA};$$

$$m_{\tilde{e}_L} \simeq m_{\tilde{e}_R} \text{ for GMSB};$$

$$m_{\tilde{e}_R} < m_{\tilde{e}_L} \text{ for mSUGRA.}$$

Third generation sfermions are lighter than the other two due to the larger Yukawa coupling contribution to the running. In that the  $\tilde{f}_R$  will be lightest.! Due to larger hyper charge!

A representative spectrum. One of the benchmark points for LHC analyses. **Used in early SUSY searches!**





What **did** we **expect** colliders to do for SUSY?

- **Discovery of sparticles** and determination of their quantum numbers.
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- **Quantitative verification of coupling equalities implied by supersymmetry.**
- **Measurement of the masses of scalars (including Higgs) as well as gauginos.**
- **Determination of the gaugino-higgsino mixing parameters.**
- **Study of the properties of third generation sfermions including  $L$ - $R$  mixing.**

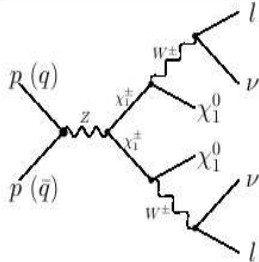
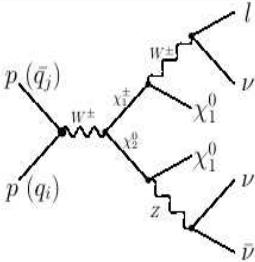
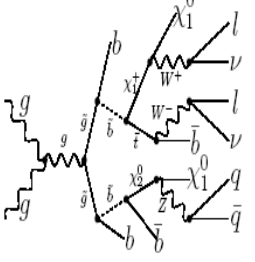
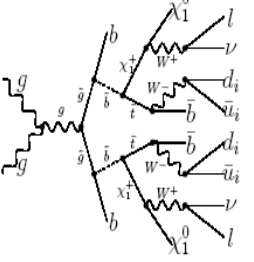
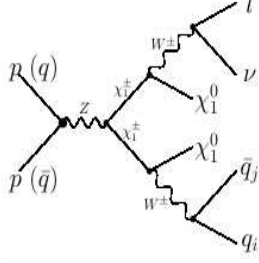
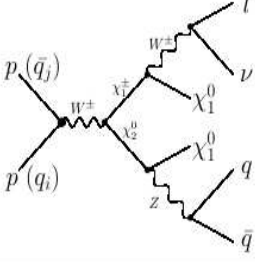
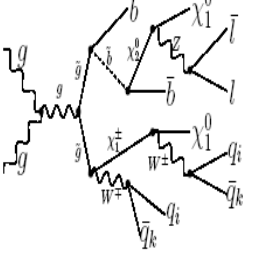
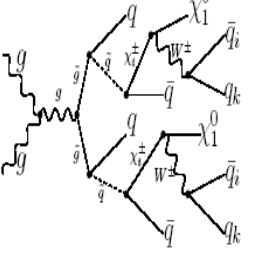
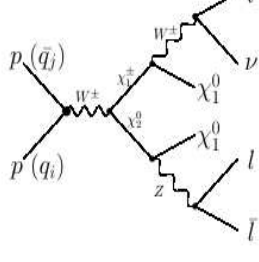
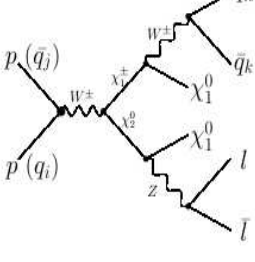
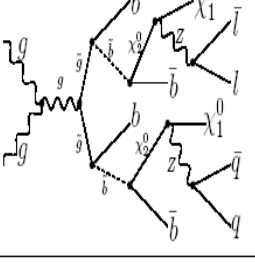
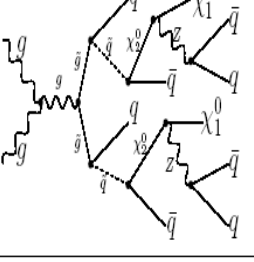
Over the years many variables, methods developed for measurements!

Right now they are playing a very important role in looking into specific regions of parameter space!

General lessons:

Limits depend on  $\Delta m$ : mass difference between the particle and the LSP.

I will come back in the end to the theory ideas which lower the current limits and how to explore those windows!

process	final states	process	final states	process	final states	process	final states
	$2\ell$ $2\nu$ $\cancel{E_T}$		$\ell$ $3\nu$ $\cancel{E_T}$		$2\ell$ $2\nu$ $6j$ $\cancel{E_T}$		$2\ell$ $2\nu$ $8j$ $\cancel{E_T}$
	$1\ell$ $2j$ $\nu$ $\cancel{E_T}$		$\ell$ $\nu$ $2j$ $\cancel{E_T}$		$2\ell$ $6j$ $\cancel{E_T}$		$8j$ $\cancel{E_T}$
	$3\ell$ $\nu$ $\cancel{E_T}$		$2\ell$ $2j$ $\cancel{E_T}$		$2\ell$ $6j$ $\cancel{E_T}$		$8j$ $\cancel{E_T}$

- **Missing transverse energy signature:**  $\cancel{E}_T$  Because of  $R_p$  conservation sparticles are produced in pairs and will contain LSP which is **neutral and stable**.
- Decay patterns of  $\tilde{\chi}_i^0 / \tilde{\chi}_j^\pm$  very important.
- Generically  $m$  jets,  $n$  leptons and  $\cancel{E}_T$ .
- In case of GMSB: hard photons which come from decays of the NLSP  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \gamma \tilde{G}$ . Large life times of the NLSP can give rise to pointing photons. So all the above + photons! If  $\tilde{\tau}_1$  is the NLSP, heavy long lived charged particle tracks is the signature.

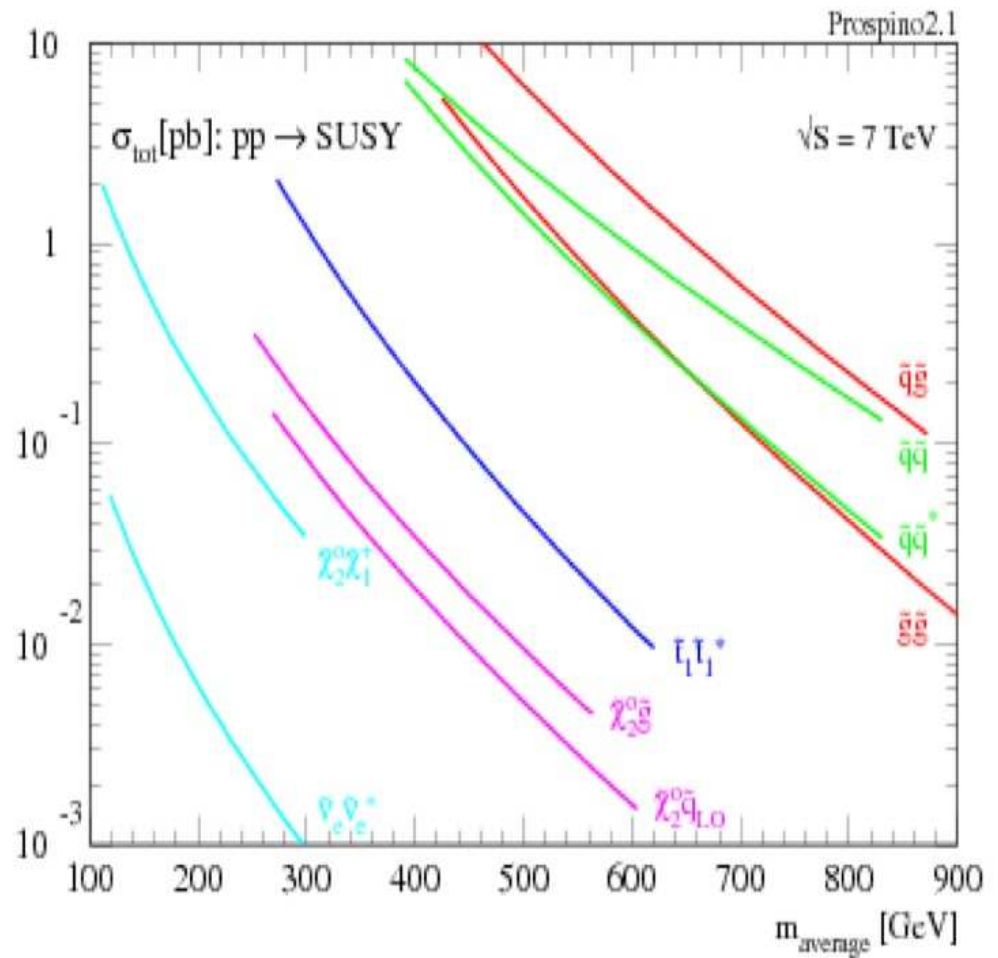
- AMSB : difficult.  $165\text{MeV} < \Delta M(m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm} - m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}) < 1\text{ GeV}$  and  $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 + \pi$ . Stopping track in the vertex detector or the soft pion is to be detected. **Associated production techniques with ISR/FSR: now the flavor of the day!**
- $\mathcal{R}_p$  : Even then due to very energetic neutrinos missing ET signal is not gone + large number of jets and leptons. Of course specific signals containing **jets** using **Boosted jet substructure** techniques now are the new tools for exploring these.

Squarks and gluinos highest cross-section

Cross section only depends on squark-gluino masses ? highly model-independent

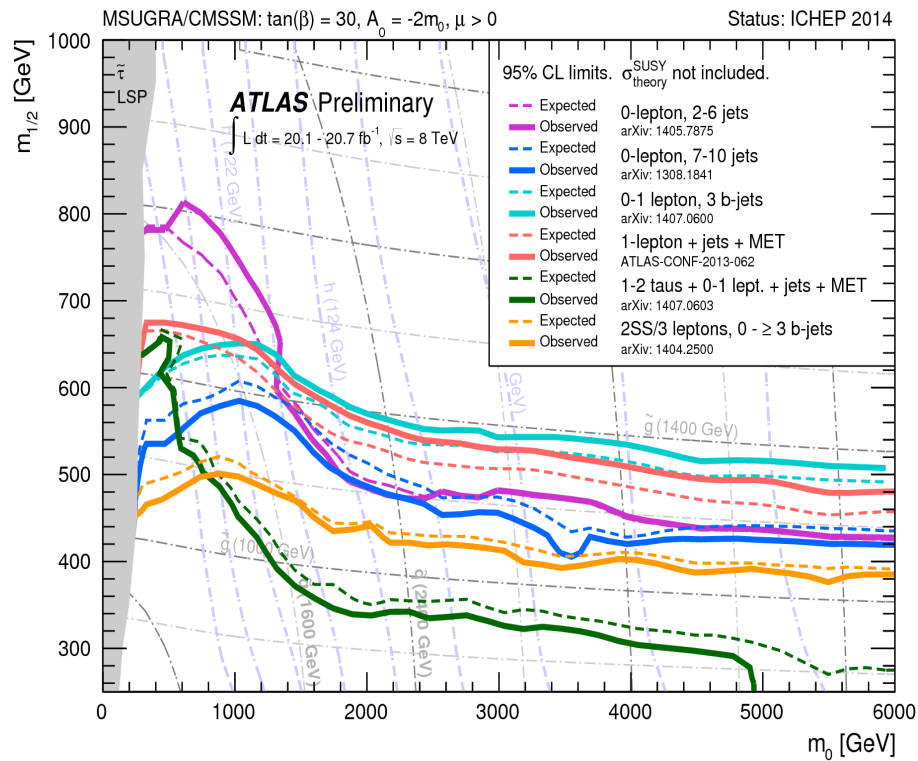
Highest priority in early searches for the production of gluinos and squarks of the first two generations

Looking under the lamppost

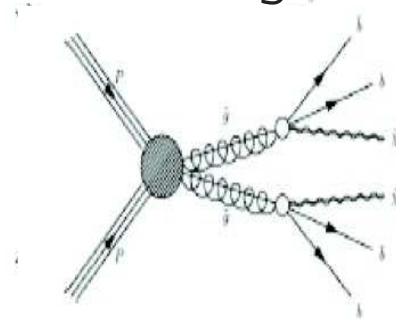


1) Strong limits. How to interpret in your favorite model? One road towards this is the '[Simplified Model Spectra: SMS](#)'.

Fine print in ATLAS plots are the assumptions about the spectra!



One can identify the final state that gives the best reach in a particular region of choices of parameters. Dominant reach in high mass region for gluino comes from the configuration:





Which searches best?

Higgs mass + exclusions implies different things for different people

Naturalness a'la L. Hall: 'light' third generation sparticles...

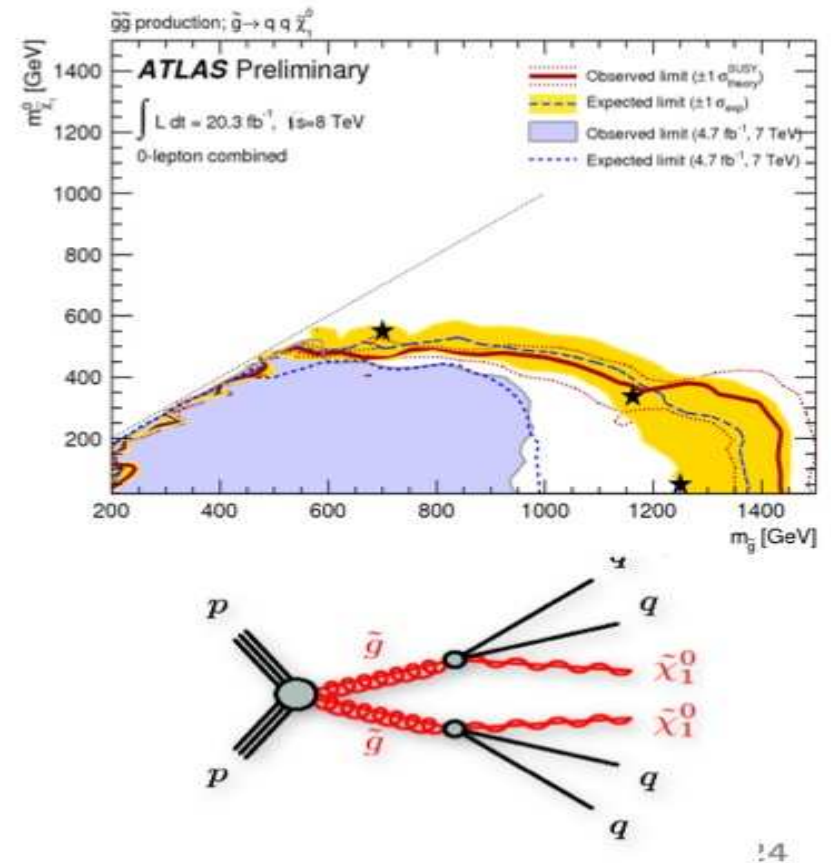
Naturalness  $\Rightarrow$  : [Non universal gaugino masses, Additional Higgs singlets...](#) (Lectures G. Ross)

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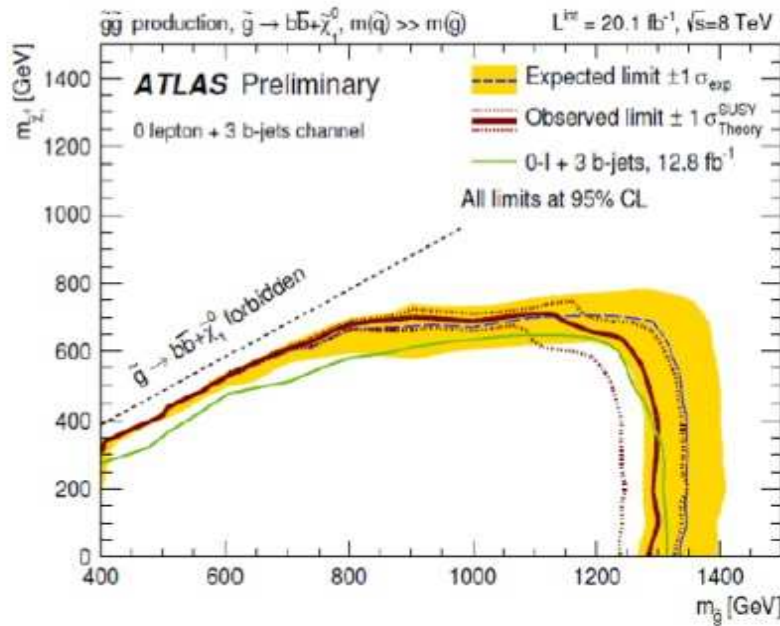
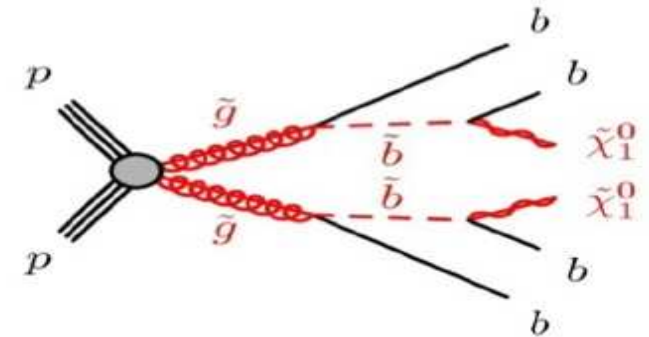
Squarks heavy, stops and bottoms light, gluino light.

Look for  $\tilde{g} \rightarrow t\bar{t}\tilde{\chi}_1^0$

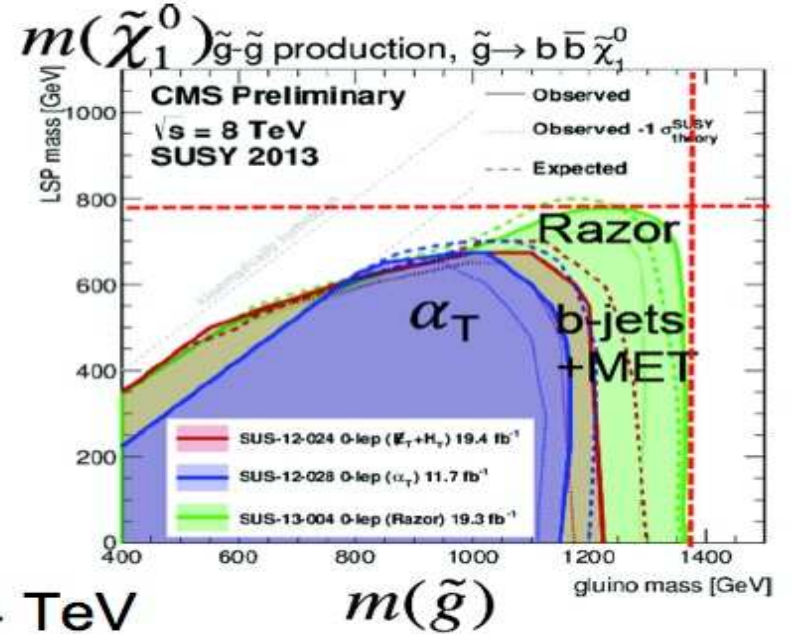
Simplified models as a tool for analysis optimisation and display:  
 Generate events with given decay chain on both legs  
 Assume 100% BR in both legs and the SUSY production cross-section Express reach in the plane determined by the involved masses  
 No statement on theory but very clear Representation of the potential of experiments for a specific kinematics. Also one uses the observables most efficient for that particular kinematics!



# Results



Exclude gluinos up to 1.3-1.4 TeV



**Exclusion limits : a new standard ATLAS/CMS procedure (>June 2012)**

- Ease the life of theorist by separating the signal theoretical and experimental systematics

**Expected limit:**

- Central value:** all uncertainties included in the fit as nuisance parameters, except theoretical signal uncertainties (PDF, scales)
- $\pm 1\sigma$  band :**  $\pm 1\sigma$  results of the fit

**Observed limit:**

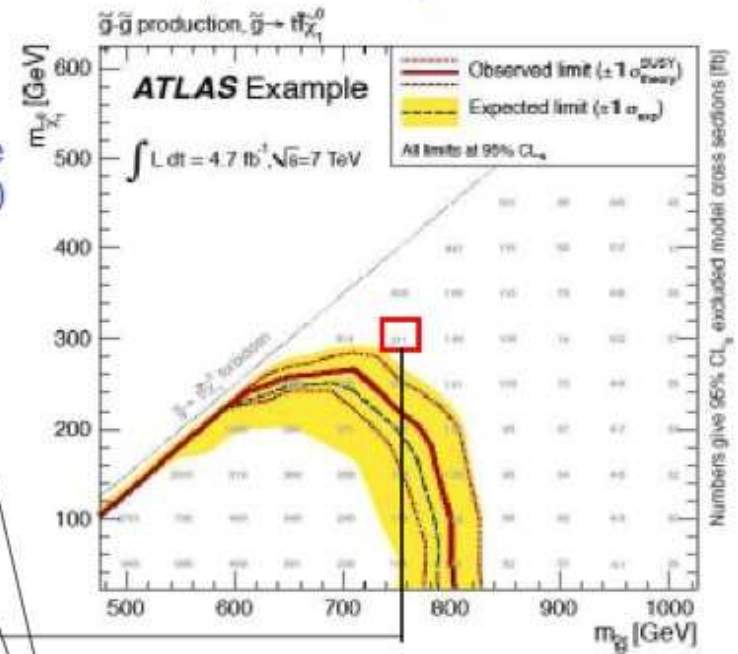
- Central value:** Idem as for expected limit
- $\pm 1\sigma$  band :** re-run and increase/decrease the signal cross section by the theoretical signal uncertainties (PDF, scales)

**Excluded Model Cross section (SMS)**

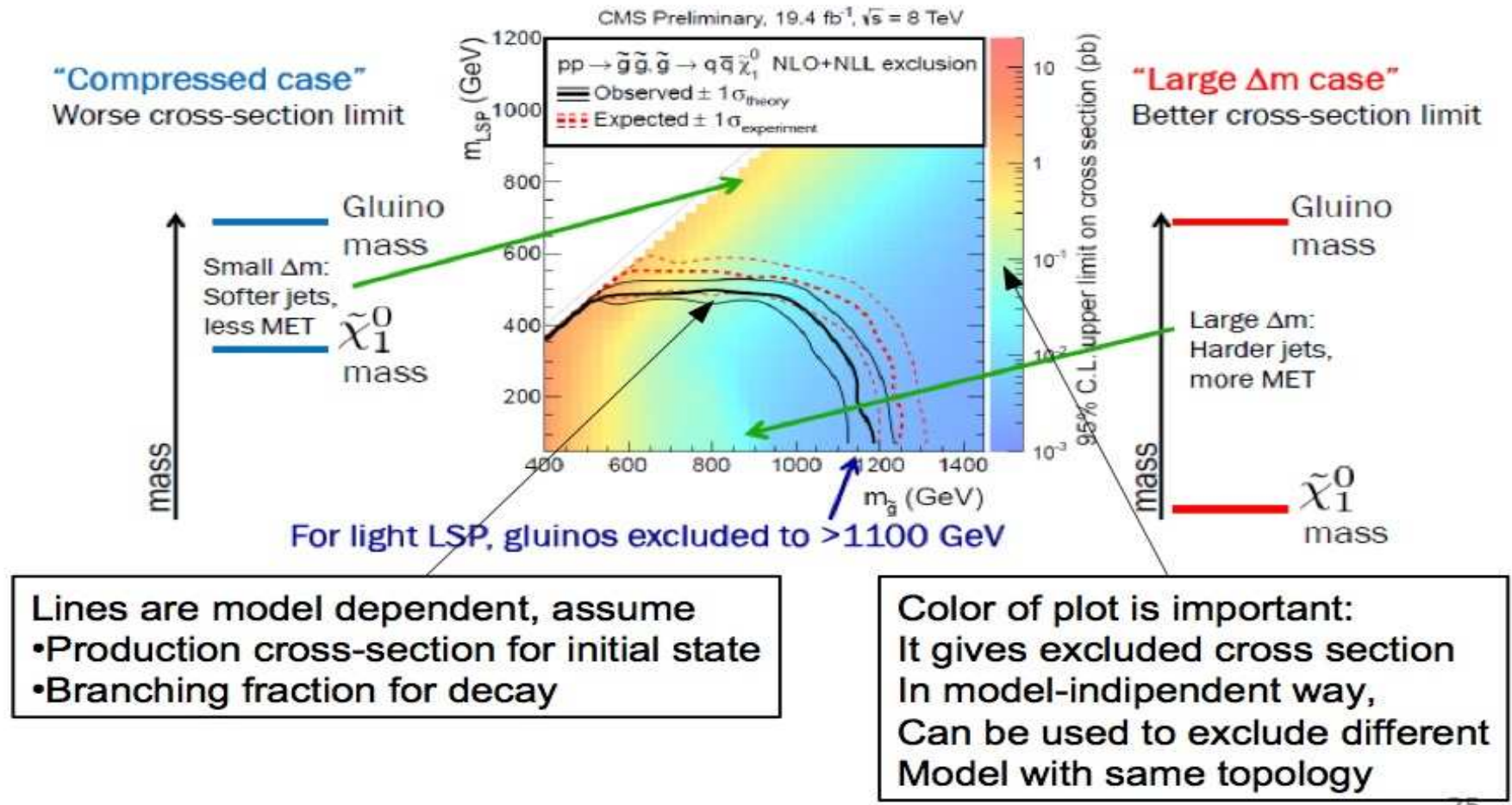
→ Number quoted in paper correspond to observed -1  $\sigma$  observed (conservative)

ATLAS

CMS



# How to read a simplified model plot



2) Tools to interpret in your favorite model now available.

a) SModelS: takes the spectrum of your model, decomposes the signal into the SMS topologies, simulates the signal and compares with the upper limits provided by both ATLAS and CMS for 50 analyses.

b) FASTLIM: Reconstructs the visible cross-section using precalculated efficiencies for simplified event topologies, for 11 ATLAS analyses, mainly involving stop and sbottom.

c) CheckMate: Uses results from few ATLAS and CMS analyses and confronts any BSM with these using a fast simulation. In particular also SUSY

d) ATOM: Automated Testing of Models.

These different tools are all in different stages of development! Follow it on their web pages.

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e) MadAnaylsis 5: Public Data Base for LHC searches (1407.3278)

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1) Third generations squarks and stau: stop:

a) Regions where  $m_{\tilde{t}} \simeq m_t + m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$ .

b)  $m_{\tilde{t}} \simeq m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} + m_c$

a,b : cases of small  $\delta m$

c)  $m_t \simeq m_{\tilde{t}}$ :

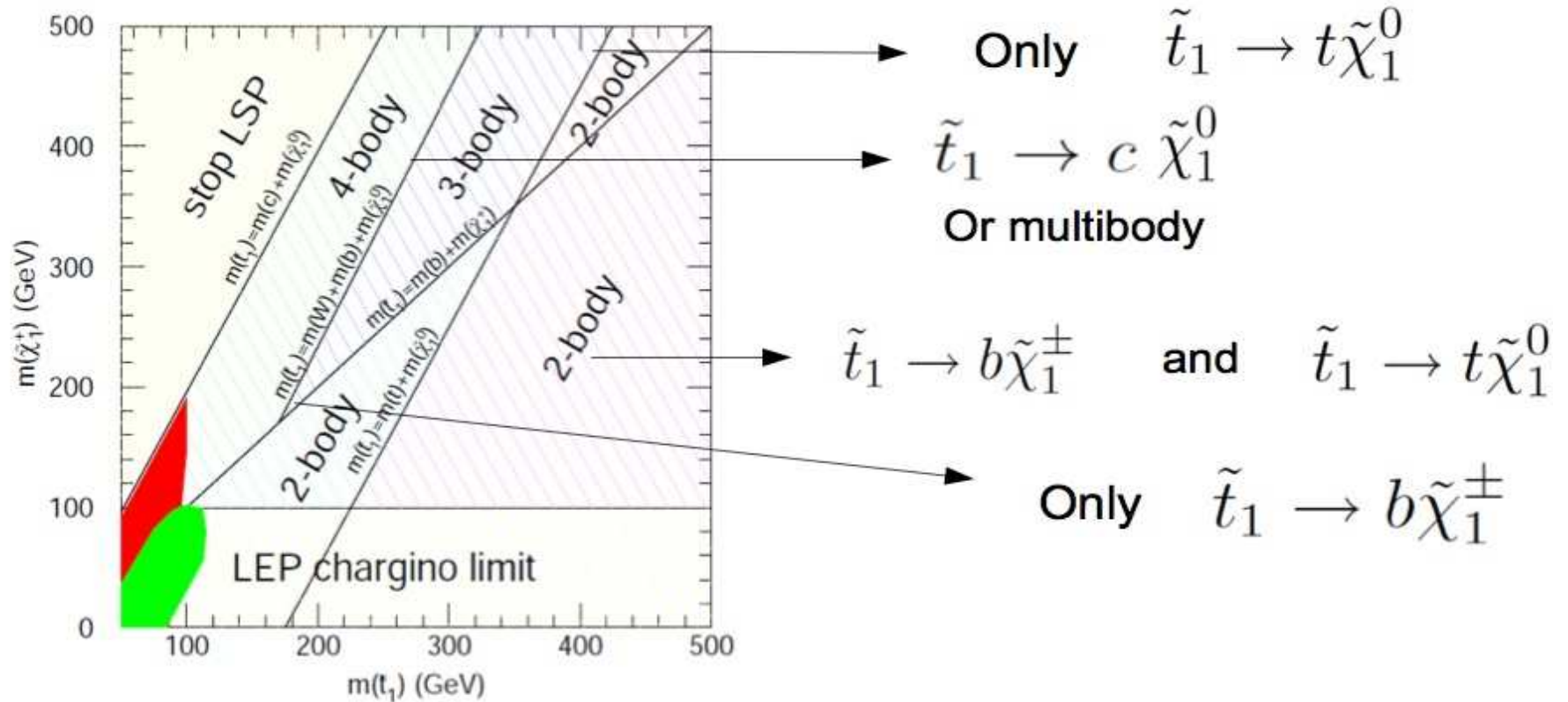
The  $t\bar{t}$  background can not be discriminated against. Cross-section for scalars of the same mass smaller than the fermions.

2) Compressed spectra in general due to non universal gaugino masses (nice paper : Martin + Compte)

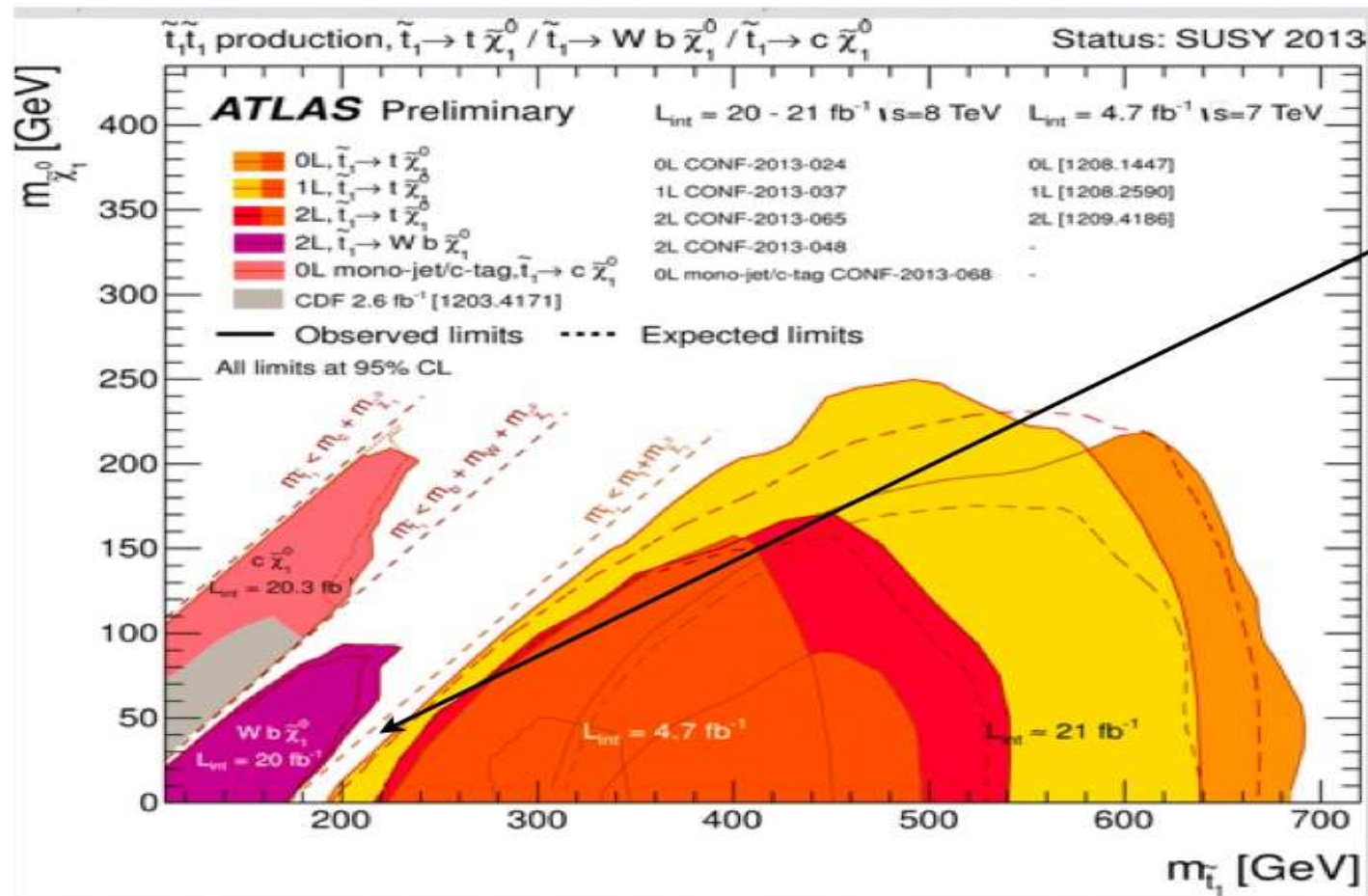
- Strong constraints on the masses of the first two generation of squarks.
- Those do not apply directly to the third generation squarks due to differences in processes contributing to the production and different final states..
- For stops the final states containing top quarks accessible only for heavy stops and *further* need not always have the largest branching ratio.

- Separate, dedicated search strategies for third generation squarks needed.
- Both  $\tilde{t}/\tilde{b}$  CAN have a top quark in the final state.
- The final states  $\tilde{b}, \tilde{t}$  decays are  $b$ -quark rich, lepton rich!
- Both the features used to look effectively for these.

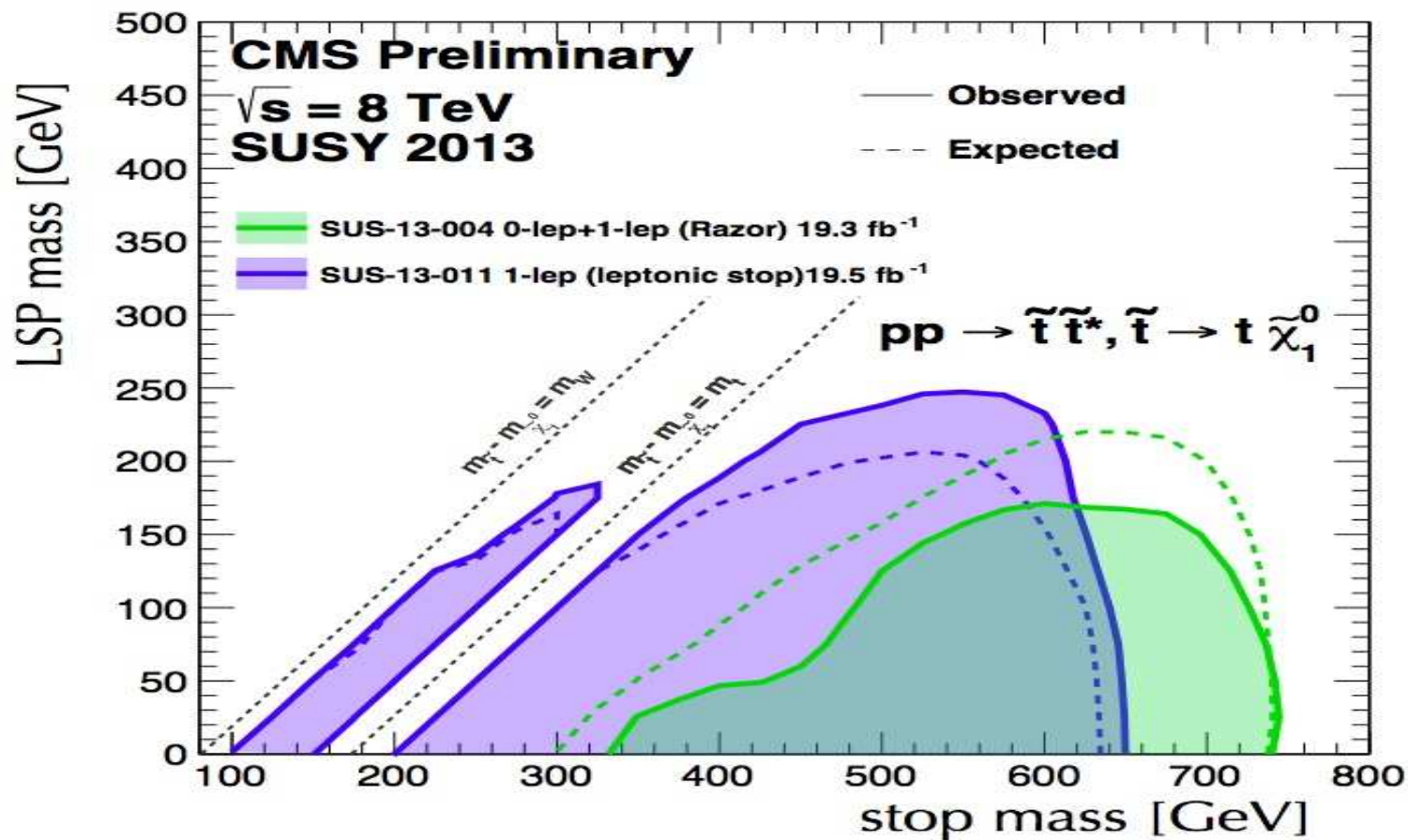
Depends on three parameters:  $m(\text{stop})$ ,  $m(\text{chargino})$ ,  $m(\text{neutralino1})$   
 Show 2d-plane assuming  $m(\text{chargino})=2m(\text{neutralino1})$



Both two and three body decays studied



EPS-result.



Talk by J. Boyd at SUSY 2013.

Region where:  $\tilde{t} \rightarrow c\tilde{\chi}_1^0$

can be probed with  $pp \rightarrow Jet + MET$ : **MONOJET**

The jet is due an ISR radiation. This way of probing very important for compressed spectra

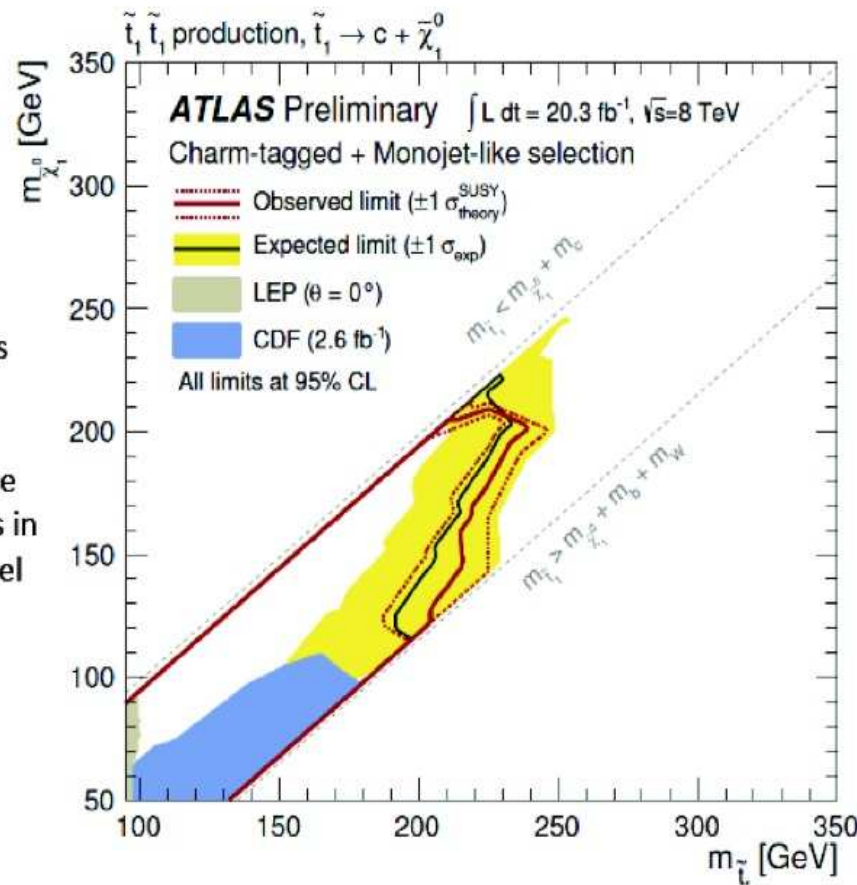
**Mono-jet, mono-Z, mono-photon.**

Dependency of the limits on Monte Carlo parameters: M. Kraemer, H. Dreiner (will show a plot if time remains)

$\tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow c \tilde{\chi}_1^0$ : exclusions



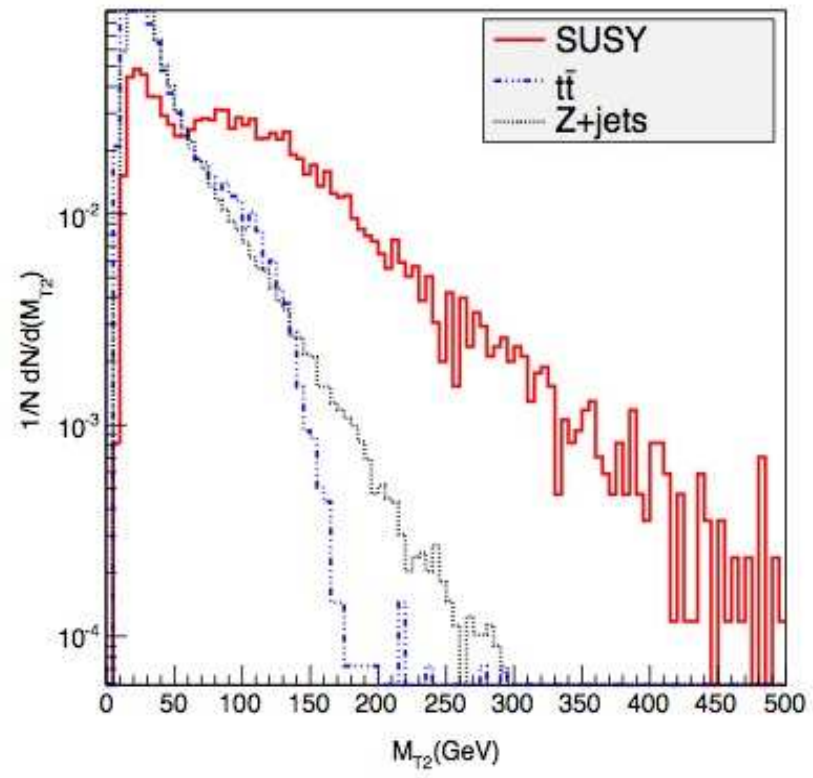
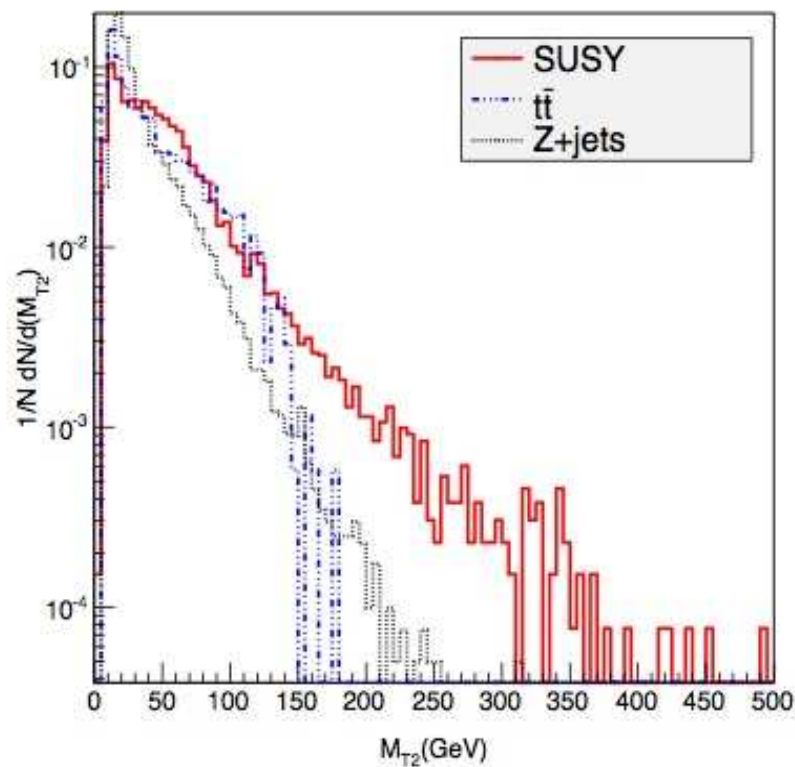
monojet-like selection helps extend reach along the diagonal where the charm-jets in the  $c\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  channel are too soft



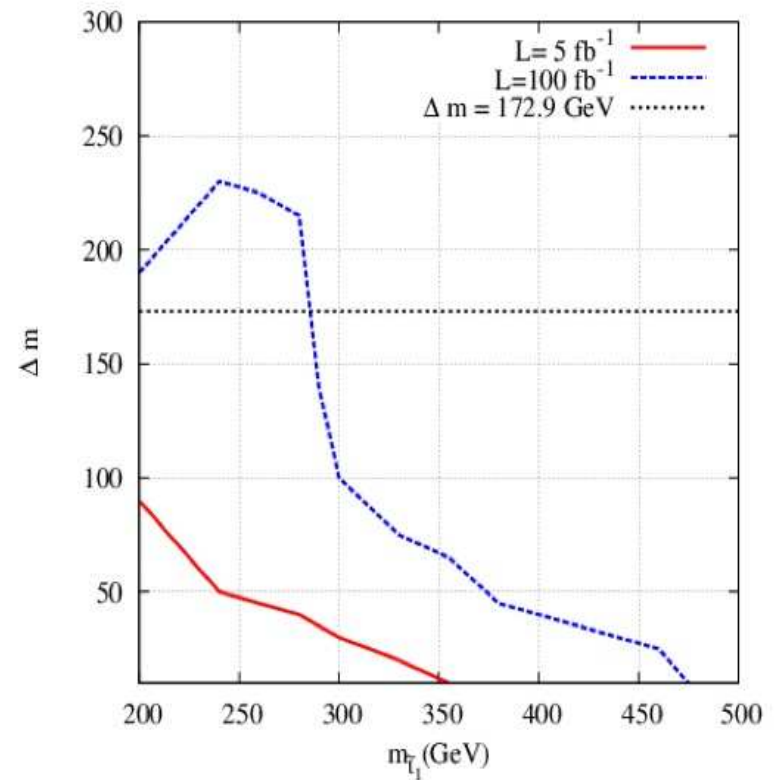
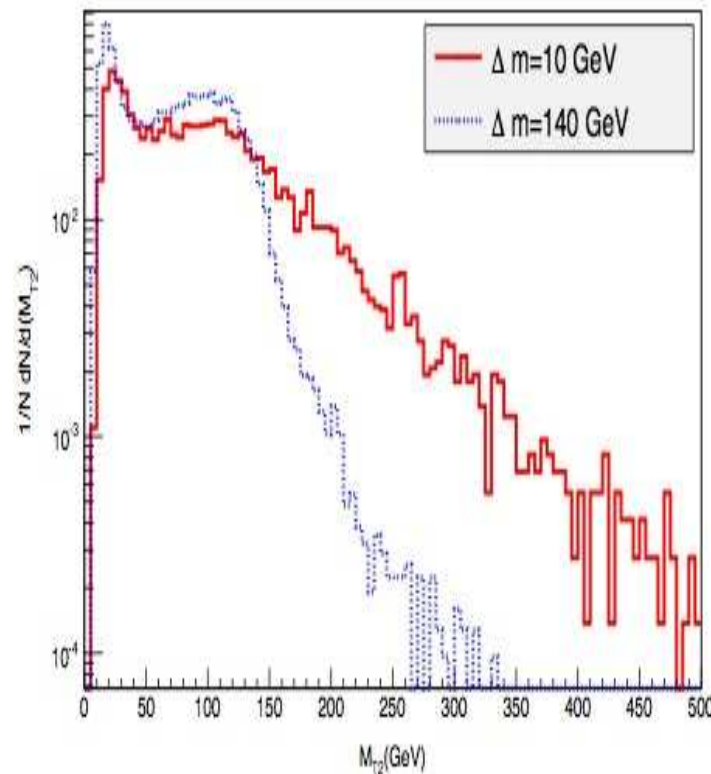
Charm-tagged search extends reach where other decay modes are excluded



Use now  $m_{T2}$  variable as discriminator (from 1306.6484) G. Belanger, RG, Guchait, Sengupta, Ghosh



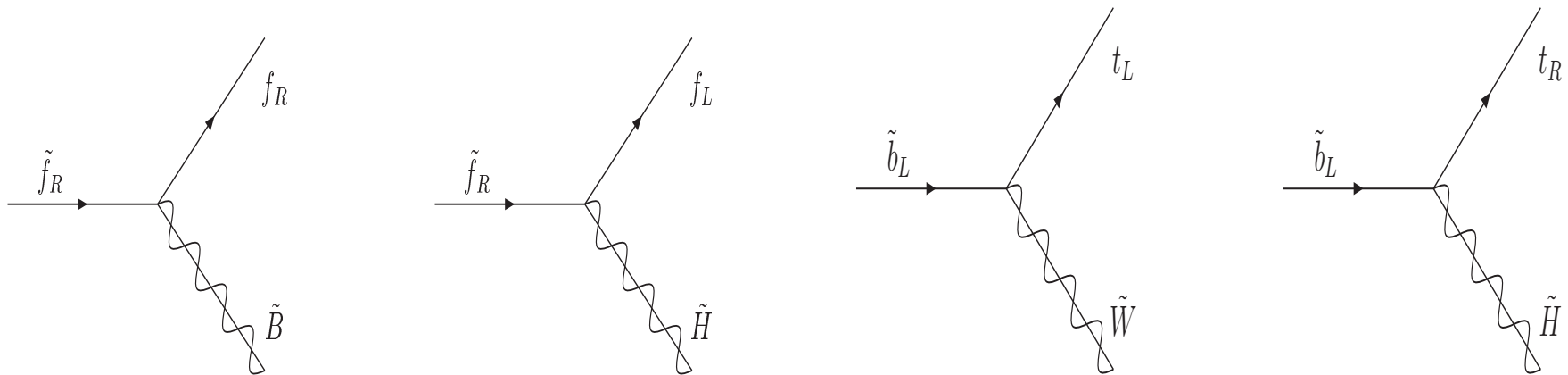
Even better: it becomes better for smaller  $\Delta m$



Works well over a wide values of  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  mass.

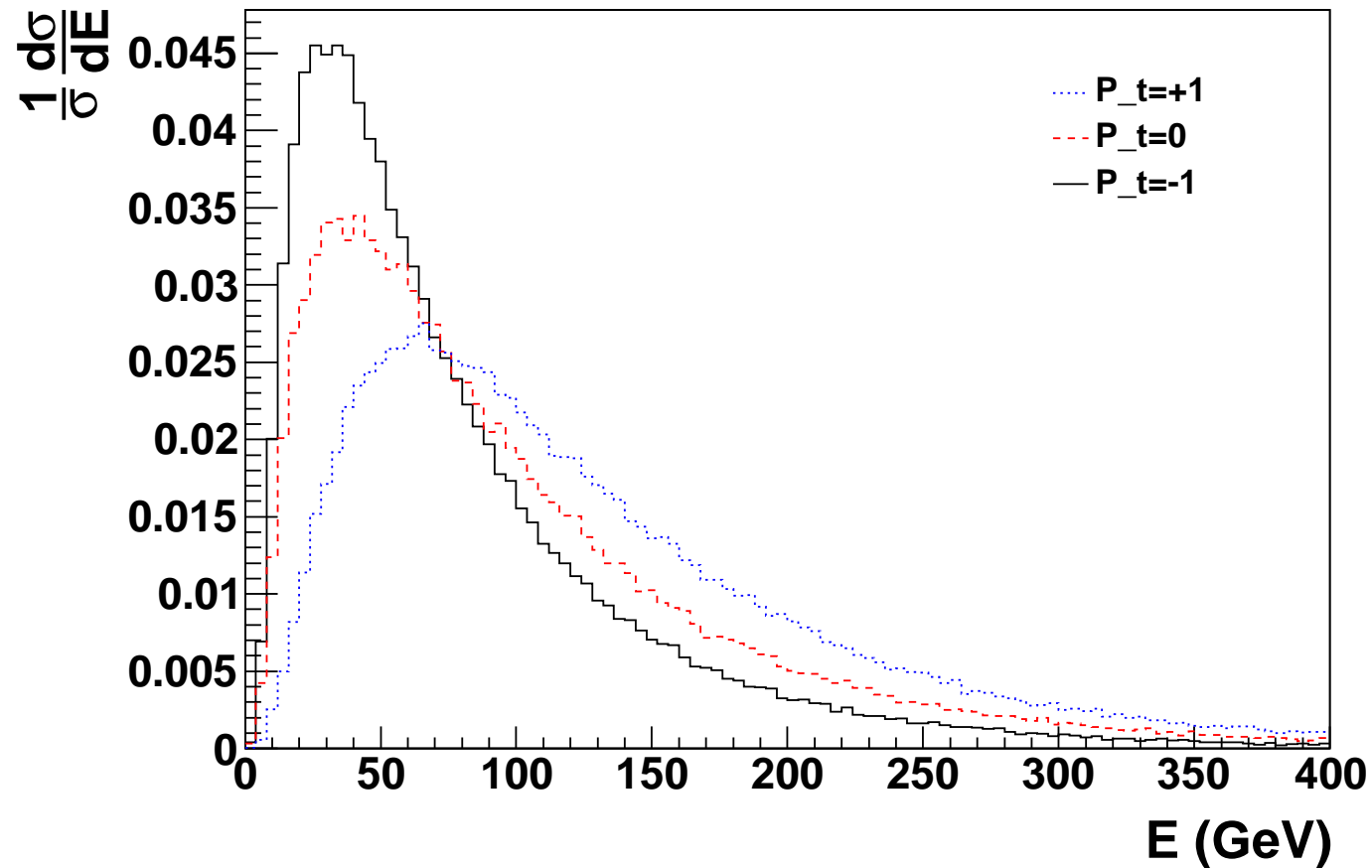
$\tau(t)$  produced in stau/stop decay. [M. Nojiri, PRD 51 \(1995\) 6281 \[hep-ph/9412374\]](#)

$$f = t/\tau$$

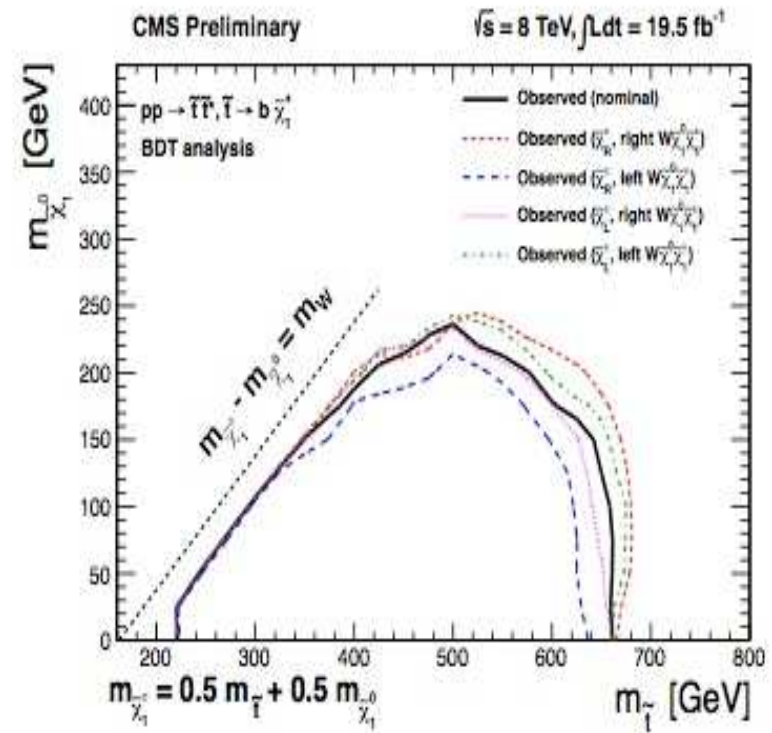
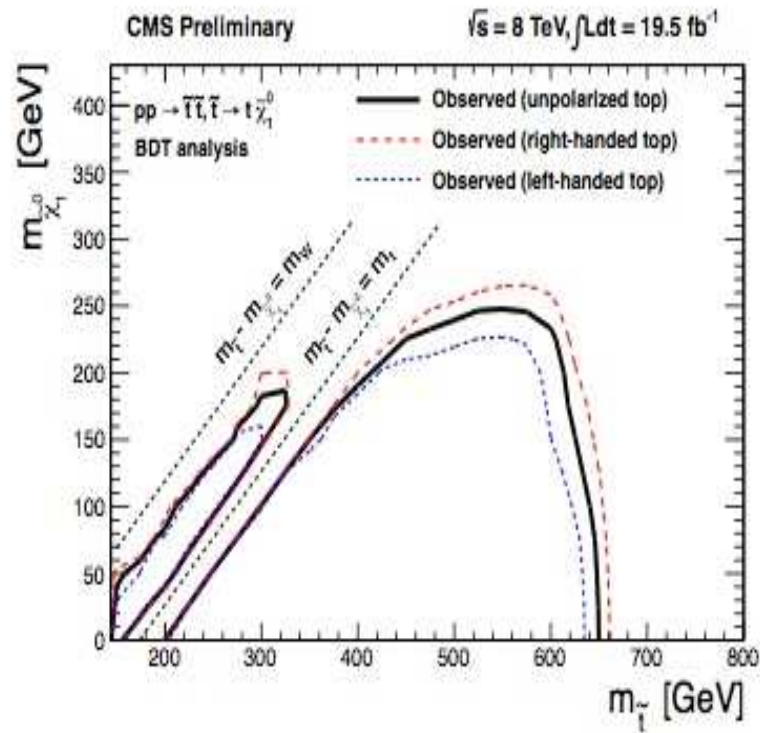


- In MSSM mass eigenstates of  $\tilde{f}$  (sleptons/squarks)  $\tilde{f}_1, \tilde{f}_2$ , are mixtures of  $\tilde{f}_L$  and  $\tilde{f}_R$ ,  $f = t, \tau$ .
- The  $\tilde{\chi}_j^\pm, j = 1, 2, \tilde{\chi}_j^0, j = 1, 4$  are mixtures of higgsinos and gauginos.

- Couplings of sfermions with higgsinos flip chirality whereas those with gauginos do not.
- **The helicity of the fermion produced in the decay of the sfermion decided by the character of the sfermions as well as the neutralino/chargino.**
- Net helicity of produced  $f$  in the decay  $\tilde{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_j^0 f$  AND  $\tilde{f}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_j^\pm f'$  depends on the  $L-R$  mixing in the sfermion sector and on the gaugino-higgsino mixing.



For the negatively polarised top distributions peak at lower values of energy [1212.3526](#), [G. Belanger et al](#)



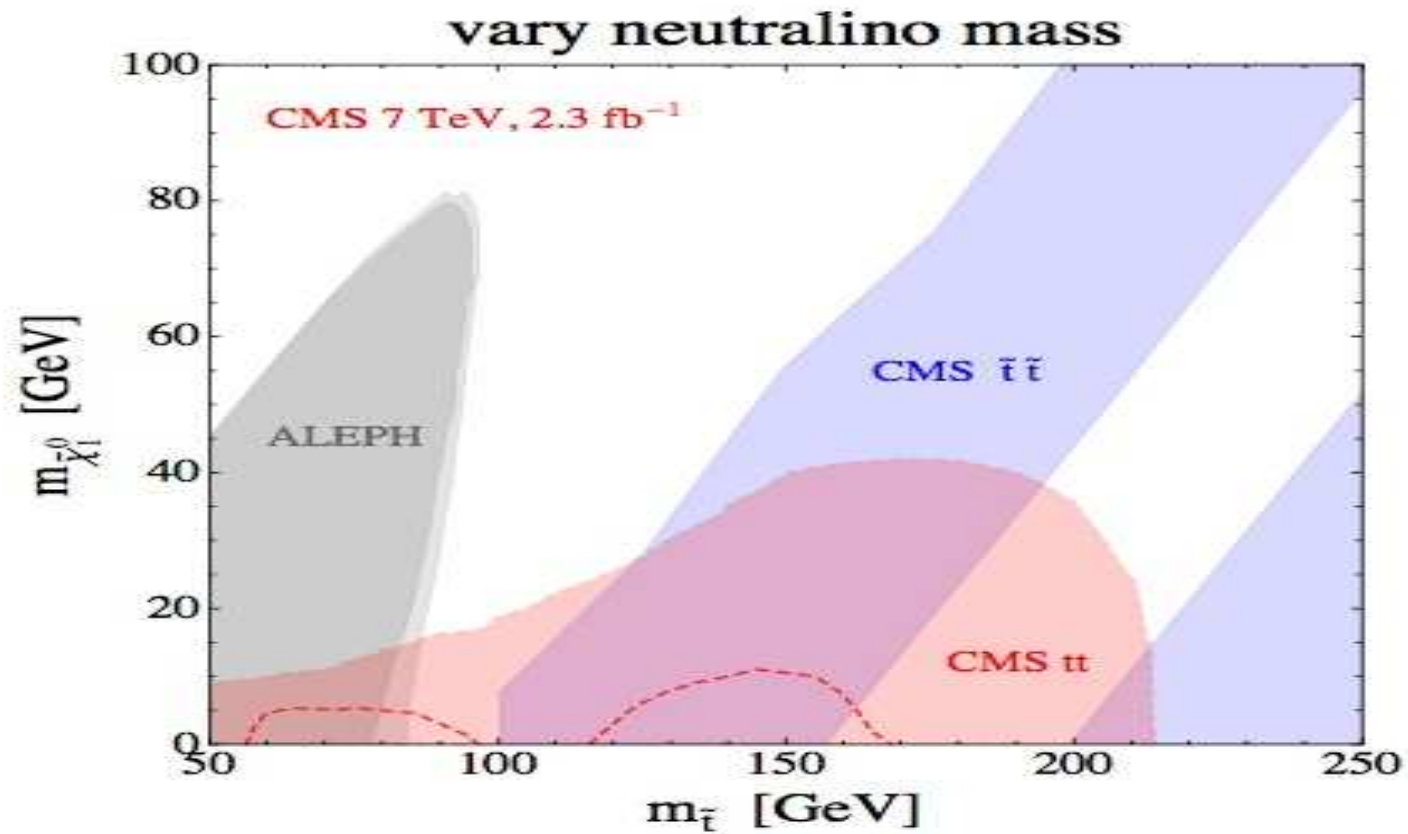
In the leptonic channel the limits could depend on the assumed polarisation of top quark produced in the stop decay. (CMS PAS note: SUSY-13-011-PAS)

One of the possible direction for exploration :

Can one use the fact that top from stop is polarised in handling the background from the top?

Either the top polarization or spin-spin correlations?

I have taken a plot from Weiler, Papucci et al: 1407.1043





Use the topology of two forward backward jet in gauge boson fusion digram:

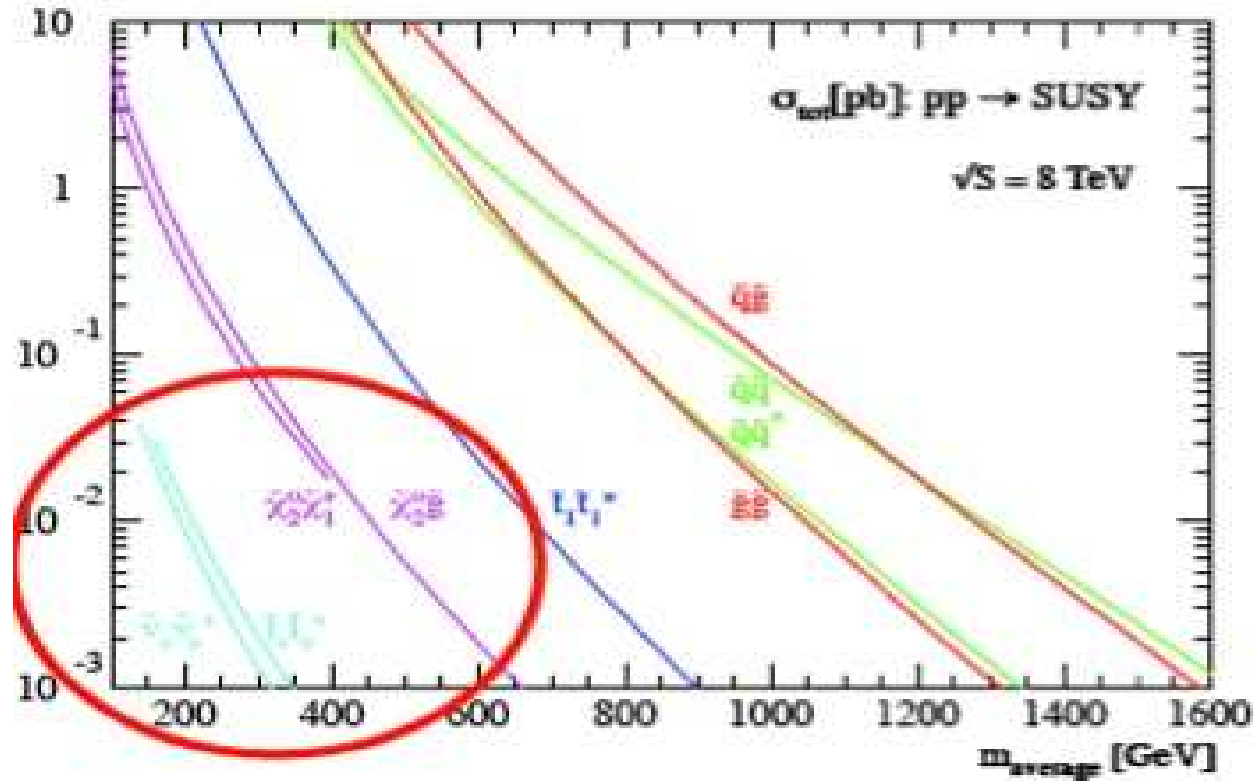
$$1) pp \rightarrow \tilde{t}\tilde{t} + 2\text{jets}$$

(Plehn et al):

Difference between the top and the stop case

2) Use WW fusion production of  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0\tilde{\chi}_2^0$  etc. Use the kinematics (rapidity gaps) to increase  $S/B$ .

(Bhaskar Dutta et al)

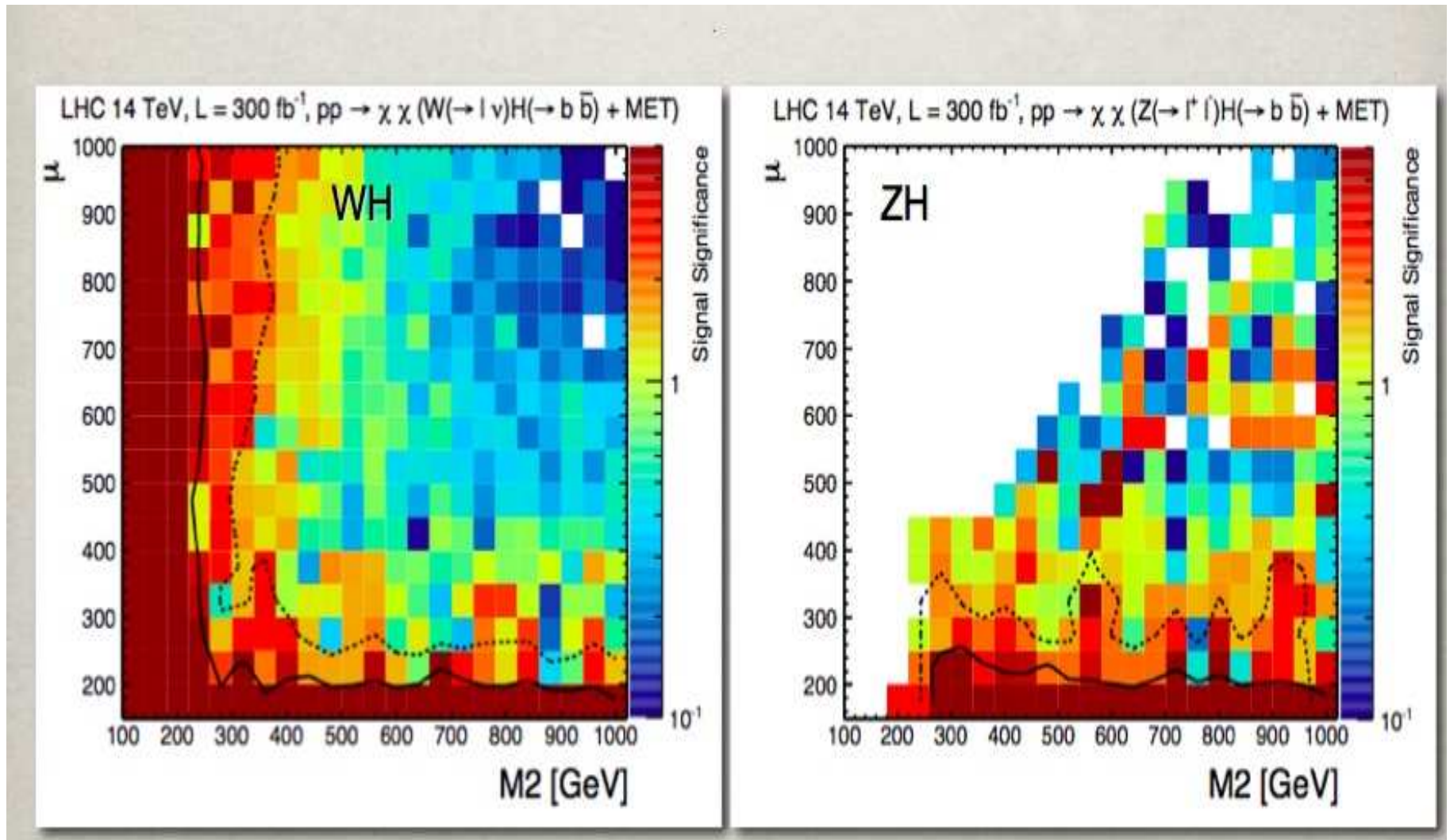


## Decay of heavy neutralino and chargino

**A rich mixture of (W/Z/h)(W/Z/h)+MET final states!**

Gunion et. al., Int. J. Mod. Phys. A2 (1987) 1145  
 Gunion and Haber, PRD 37 (1988) 2515  
 Bartl et. al., PLB 216 (1989) 233  
 Djouadi et. al., hep-ph/0104115  
 Datta et. al., hep-ph/0303095  
 Huitu et. al., arXiv: 0808.3094  
 Gori et. al., arXiv: 1103.4138  
 Stal and Weiglein, arXiv: 1108.0595  
 Baer et. al., arXiv: 1201.2949  
 Ghosh et. al., arXiv:1202.4937  
 Howe and Saraswat, arXiv: 1208.1542  
 Arbey et. al., arXiv: 1212.6865,  
 T. Han, S. Padhi and SS, arXiv:1309.5966

From a talk by Tao Han at Fermilab meeting in November 2013.



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1) Use tags: ISR/FSR (Mono)photon, jet, Z (compressed spectra)

2) use h as a tag (to paint the needle bright and blue)

In both 1,2 use jet substructure techniques

3) Vector boson fusion kinematics

4) Use of effect of  $t$  polarisation

5) Higgs physics!

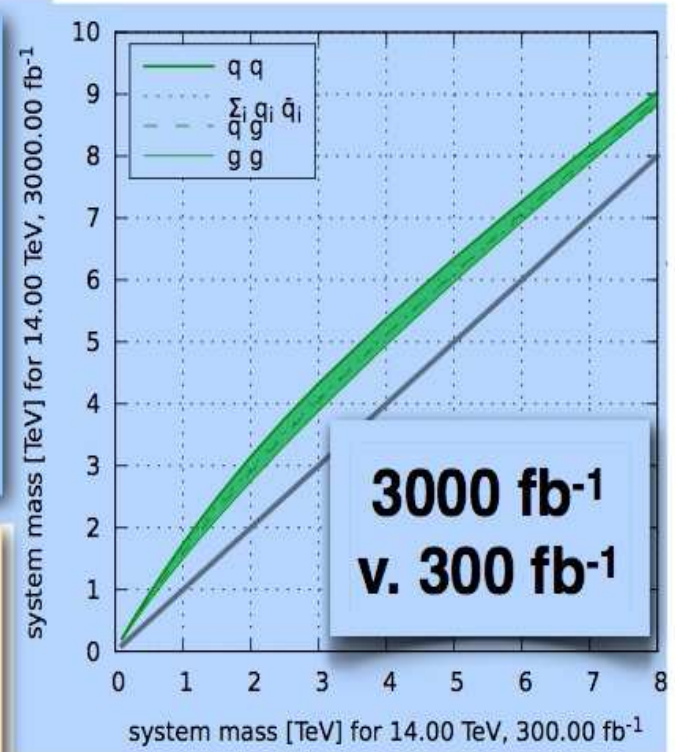
Increase the energy by a factor 2 and luminosity by a factor 4, reach in  $M$  by a factor 2.

How about reach in  $\delta M$  access?

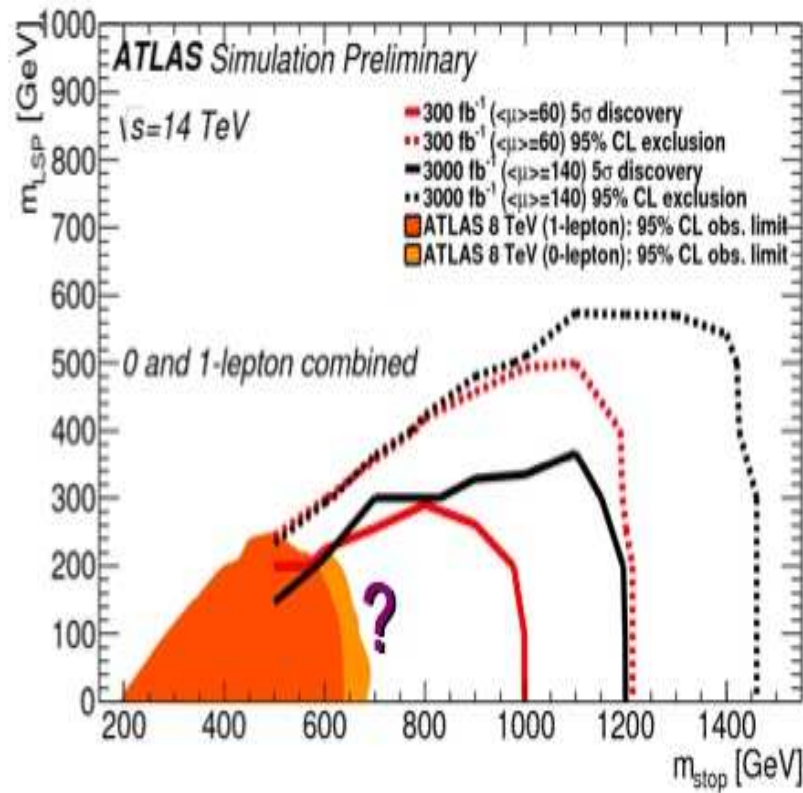
At a given energy increase luminosity by a factor 10, reach seems to go up by  $\Delta m = 0.07\sqrt{s}$

Increase luminosity by factor 10  
 → **reach increases by constant**  
 $\Delta m \approx 0.07\sqrt{s}$   
 i.e. for  $\sqrt{s}=14$  TeV, reach goes by up  
 1 TeV

No deep reason — a somewhat  
 random characteristic of large-x PDFs.  
 Only holds for  $0.15 \lesssim M/\sqrt{s} \lesssim 0.6$



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Wait and watch! May be in two years we will all have forgotten that we were agonizing over this non observation!