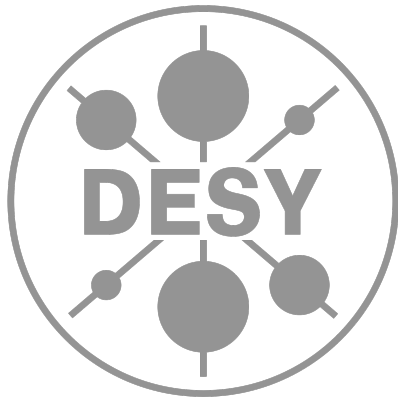


# Flavour Physics meets Heavy Higgs Searches

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**this is how it all began...**



# not just a fairytale

- ✓ The flavour paradigm of models with an extra Higgs doublet is often limited to escape flavour bounds. But there there are the recent results for  $h \rightarrow \tau\mu$  and  $t \rightarrow ch$ .
- ✓ Stringent bounds on the masses of the expanded Higgs sector can be avoided by proposing certain flavour textures for the Yukawa interactions.
- ✓ We show that we can go beyond the flavour diagonal regime for the couplings of the SM fermions to the neutral Higgs states, yet respect bounds from flavour physics.
- ✓ Once we allow for one or more of the expanded Higgs family to have lower masses, interesting and yet unexplored collider signatures can arise.
- ✓ We show this with a axion variant model with the right handed top quark charged -1, two Higgs doublets charged 0 and -1 under a Peccei-Quinn symmetry.
- ✓ We also introduce a top-charm mixing between right handed up-quark sector. We implement a similar structure in the lepton sector too.

$$U_R \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \frac{\rho_u}{2} & \sin \frac{\rho_u}{2} \\ 0 & -\sin \frac{\rho_u}{2} & \cos \frac{\rho_u}{2} \end{pmatrix}, \quad L_R \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \frac{\rho_\ell}{2} & \sin \frac{\rho_\ell}{2} \\ 0 & -\sin \frac{\rho_\ell}{2} & \cos \frac{\rho_\ell}{2} \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathcal{L}_Y^u = -\Phi_1 \bar{u}_{Ra} [Y_{u1}]_{ai} Q_i - \Phi_2 \bar{u}_{R3} [Y_{u2}]_i Q_i + \text{h.c.}$$

$$= -\Phi^{\text{SM}} \bar{u}_{Ri} [Y_u^{\text{SM}}]_{ij} Q_j - \Phi' \bar{u}_{Ri} [Y'_u]_{ij} Q_j + \text{h.c.}$$

$$Y_{u1} = \begin{pmatrix} * & * & * \\ * & * & * \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}, \quad Y_{u2} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ * & * & * \end{pmatrix}$$

**neutral Higgs couplings** ( $H_k^0 = H, h, A$ )

$$\Gamma_{u_L^f u_R^i}^{H_k^0} = x_u^k \left( \frac{m_{u_i}}{v_u} \delta_{fi} - \epsilon_{fi}^u \cot \beta \right) + x_d^{k*} \epsilon_{fi}^u$$

$$\Gamma_{d_L^f d_R^i}^{H_k^0} = x_d^k \left( \frac{m_{d_i}}{v_d} \delta_{fi} - \epsilon_{fi}^d \tan \beta \right) + x_u^{k*} \epsilon_{fi}^d$$

$$x_u^k = \left( -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \alpha, -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \alpha, \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \beta \right)$$

$$x_d^k = \left( -\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \cos \alpha, \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \alpha, \frac{i}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \beta \right)$$

**charged Higgs couplings**

$$\Gamma_{u_L^f d_R^i}^{H^\pm} = \sin \beta \sum_{j=1}^3 V_{fj} \left( \frac{m_{d_i}}{v_d} \delta_{ji} - \epsilon_{ji}^d (\tan \beta + \cot \beta) \right)$$

$$\Gamma_{d_L^f u_R^i}^{H^\pm} = \cos \beta \sum_{j=1}^3 V_{jf}^* \left( \frac{m_{u_i}}{v_u} \delta_{ji} - \epsilon_{ji}^u (\tan \beta + \cot \beta) \right)$$

## Some details

$$\epsilon^d = 0_{3 \times 3} \longleftarrow \text{THDM type II structure}$$

$$\epsilon^u = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{m_u}{v \cos \beta} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{m_c}{v \cos \beta} \frac{1 + \cos \rho_u}{2} & -\frac{m_c \sin \rho_u}{2v \cos \beta} \\ 0 & -\frac{m_t \sin \rho_u}{2v \cos \beta} & \frac{m_t}{v \cos \beta} \frac{1 - \cos \rho_u}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\epsilon^\ell = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{m_\mu}{v \sin \beta} \frac{1 - \cos \rho_\ell}{2} & \frac{m_\mu \sin \rho_\ell}{2v \sin \beta} \\ 0 & \frac{m_\tau \sin \rho_\ell}{2v \sin \beta} & \frac{m_\tau}{v \sin \beta} \frac{1 + \cos \rho_\ell}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

**Goes beyond the THDM type II structure**

$\rho_u = \rho_\ell \equiv \rho$

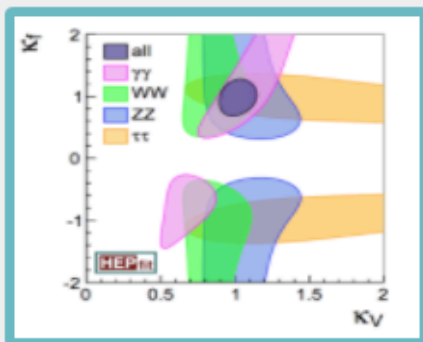
**model parameter**

**lepton - Higgs couplings (charged and neutral)**

$$\Gamma_{\ell_L^f \ell_R^i}^{H_k^0} = x_d^k \left( \frac{m_{\ell_i}}{v_d} \delta_{fi} - \epsilon_{fi}^\ell \tan \beta \right) + x_u^{k*} \epsilon_{fi}^\ell,$$

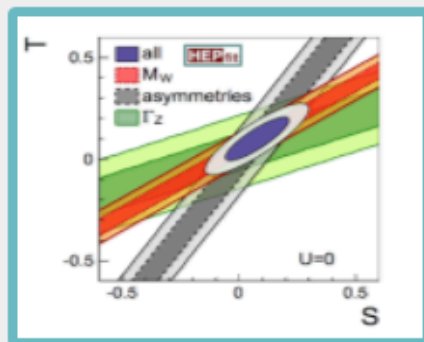
$$\Gamma_{\nu_L \ell_R^i}^{H^\pm} = \sin \beta \sum_{j=1}^3 \left( \frac{m_{\ell_i}}{v_d} \delta_{ji} - \epsilon_{ji}^\ell (\tan \beta + \cot \beta) \right)$$

# HEPfit: a Code for the Combination of Indirect and Direct Constraints on High Energy Physics Models.



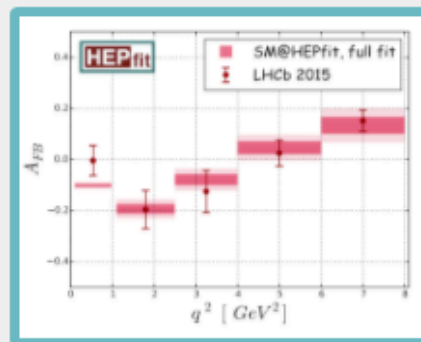
## Higgs Physics

HEPfit can be used to study Higgs couplings and analyze data on signal strengths.



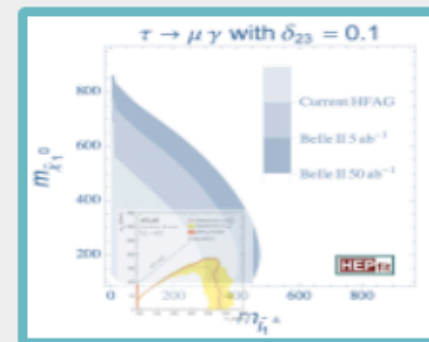
## Precision Electroweak

Electroweak precision observables are included in HEPfit



## Flavour Physics

The Flavour Physics menu in HEPfit includes both quark and lepton flavour dynamics.



## BSM Physics

Dynamics beyond the Standard Model can be studied by adding models in HEPfit.

# fits to the Higgs couplings

$$\kappa_{gZ} = \frac{\kappa_g \kappa_Z}{\kappa_h} \quad \text{and} \quad \lambda_{ij} = \frac{\kappa_i}{\kappa_j}, \quad (i, j) = (Z, g), (t, g), (W, Z), (\gamma, Z), (\tau, Z), (b, Z)$$

Higgs width modifier:

$$\kappa_h^2 \simeq 0.57\kappa_b^2 + 0.22\kappa_W^2 + 0.09\kappa_g^2 + 0.06\kappa_t^2 + 0.03\kappa_Z^2 + 0.03\kappa_c^2$$

$$+ 2.3 \times 10^{-3} \kappa_\gamma^2 + 1.6 \times 10^{-3} \kappa_{Z\gamma}^2 + 10^{-4} \kappa_s^2 + 2.2 \times 10^{-4} \kappa_\mu^2$$

	Mean	RMS
$\kappa_{gZ}$	1.090	0.110
$\lambda_{Zg}$	1.285	0.215
$\lambda_{tg}$	1.795	0.285
$\lambda_{WZ}$	0.885	0.095
$ \lambda_{\gamma Z} $	0.895	0.105
$ \lambda_{\tau Z} $	0.855	0.125
$ \lambda_{bZ} $	0.565	0.175

	$\kappa_{gZ}$	$\lambda_{Zg}$	$\lambda_{tg}$	$\lambda_{WZ}$	$ \lambda_{\gamma Z} $	$ \lambda_{\tau Z} $	$ \lambda_{bZ} $
$\kappa_{gZ}$	1.00	-0.03	-0.24	-0.62	-0.57	-0.38	-0.34
$\lambda_{Zg}$	-0.03	1.00	0.51	-0.59	-0.51	-0.62	-0.54
$\lambda_{tg}$	-0.24	0.51	1.00	-0.21	-0.23	-0.28	-0.35
$\lambda_{WZ}$	-0.62	-0.59	-0.21	1.00	0.66	0.55	0.55
$ \lambda_{\gamma Z} $	-0.57	-0.51	-0.23	0.66	1.00	0.58	0.51
$ \lambda_{\tau Z} $	-0.38	-0.62	-0.28	0.55	0.58	1.00	0.49
$ \lambda_{bZ} $	-0.34	-0.54	-0.35	0.55	0.51	0.49	1.00

Higgs-gauge field coupling modifier:

$$\kappa_W = \kappa_Z = \sin(\beta - \alpha),$$

$$\kappa_{Z\gamma}^2 = 0.00348\kappa_t^2 + 1.121\kappa_W^2 - 0.1249 \kappa_t \kappa_W,$$

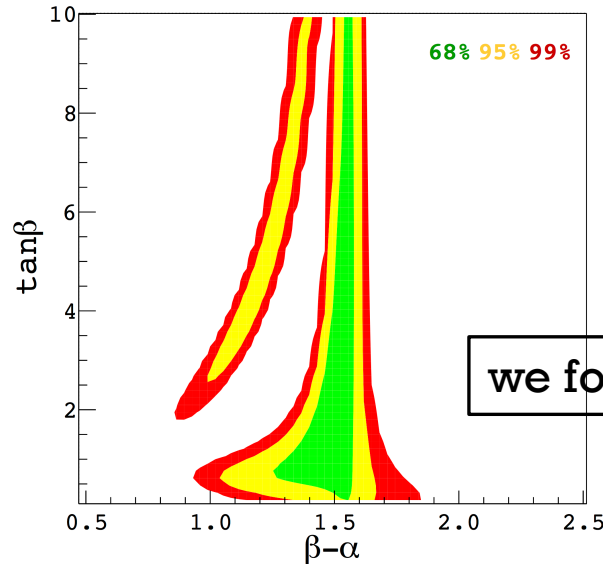
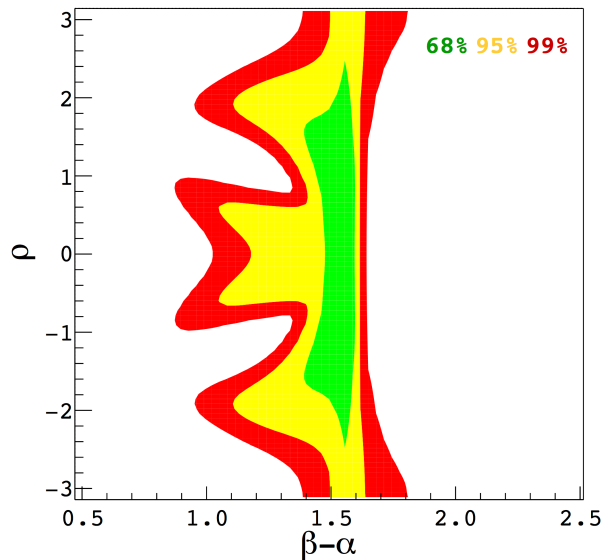
$$\kappa_g^2 = 1.06\kappa_t^2 + 0.01\kappa_b^2 - 0.07 \kappa_b \kappa_t,$$

$$\kappa_\gamma^2 = 1.59\kappa_W^2 + 0.07\kappa_t^2 - 0.66 \kappa_W \kappa_t,$$

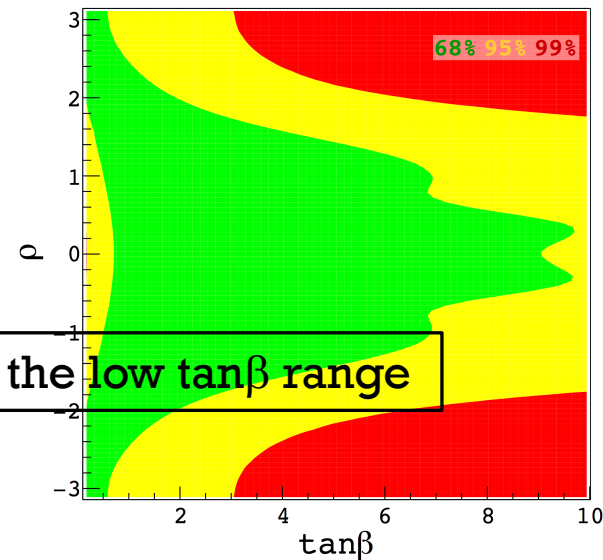
Higgs-fermion coupling modifier:

$$\kappa_f = \frac{\sqrt{2}v}{m_f} c_f^h$$

Run 1 ATLAS-CMS combination  
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we focus on the low tan beta range



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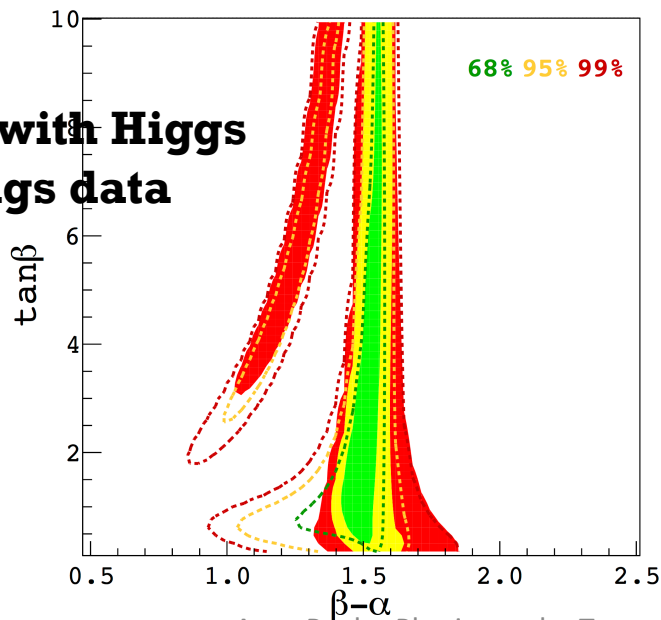
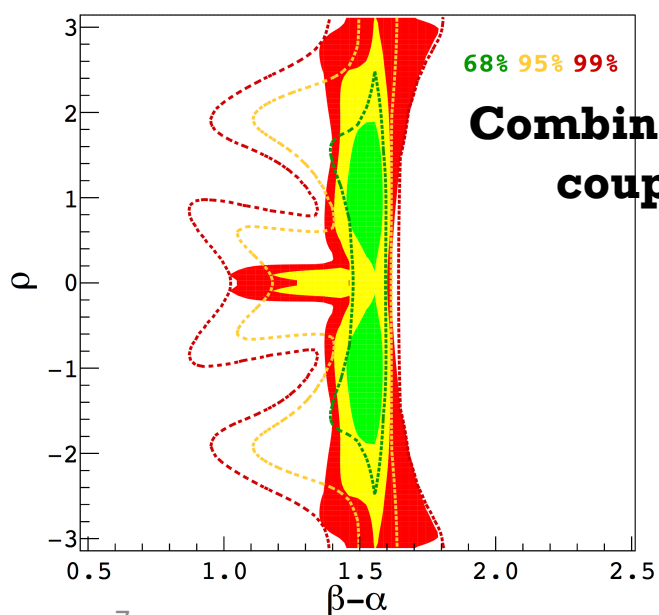
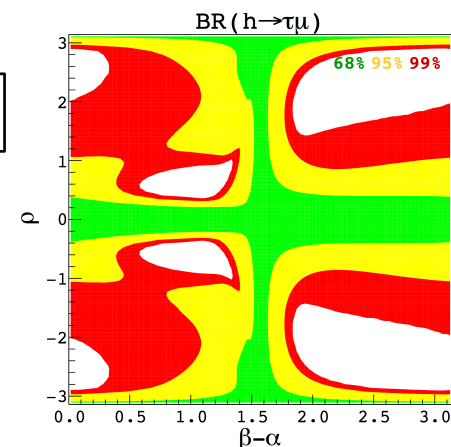
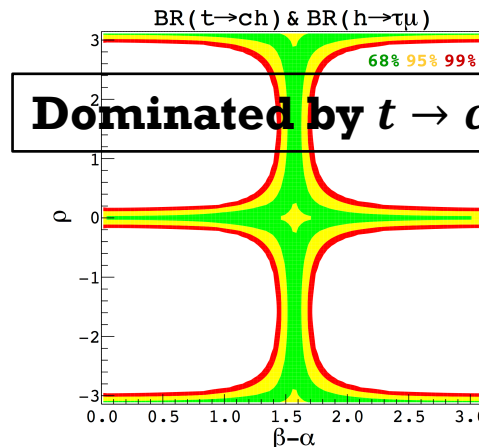
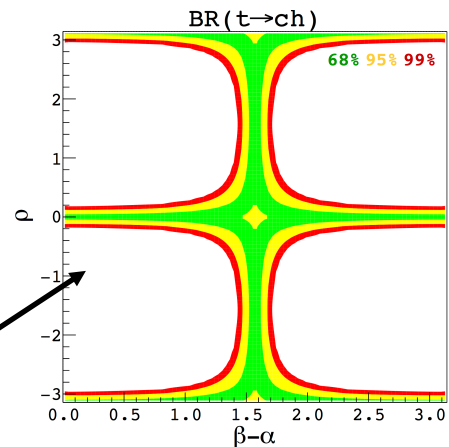
# fits to flavour violating Higgs and top decays

Experiment	BR( $h \rightarrow \tau\mu$ )	BR( $t \rightarrow ch$ )
ATLAS 8 TeV 20.3 fb <sup>-1</sup>	(0.53 ± 0.51)%	(0.22 ± 0.14)%
CMS 8 TeV 19.7 fb <sup>-1</sup>	(0.84 <sup>+0.39</sup> <sub>-0.37</sub> )%	< 0.40% @ 95% CL <sup>†</sup>
ATLAS 13 TeV 36.1 fb <sup>-1</sup>	–	(0.069 <sup>+0.075</sup> <sub>-0.054</sub> )%
CMS 13 TeV 35.9 fb <sup>-1</sup>	(0.00 ± 0.12)%	–
Average	(0.10 ± 0.11)%	(0.109 ± 0.061)%

$$\text{BR}(t \rightarrow ch) \simeq 3.24 \times 10^{-2} a^2 \sin^2 \rho.$$

$$\text{BR}_{\text{exp}}(h \rightarrow \tau\mu) = \frac{\sigma_{pp \rightarrow h}}{\sigma_{\text{SM}}} \text{BR}_{\text{th}}(h \rightarrow \tau\mu) \simeq \frac{(\kappa_g)^2 a^2 \sin^2 \rho}{36.5(\kappa_b)^2 + 14.64 \sin^2(\beta - \alpha) + 5.44(\kappa_g)^2 + 4(\kappa_\tau)^2}$$

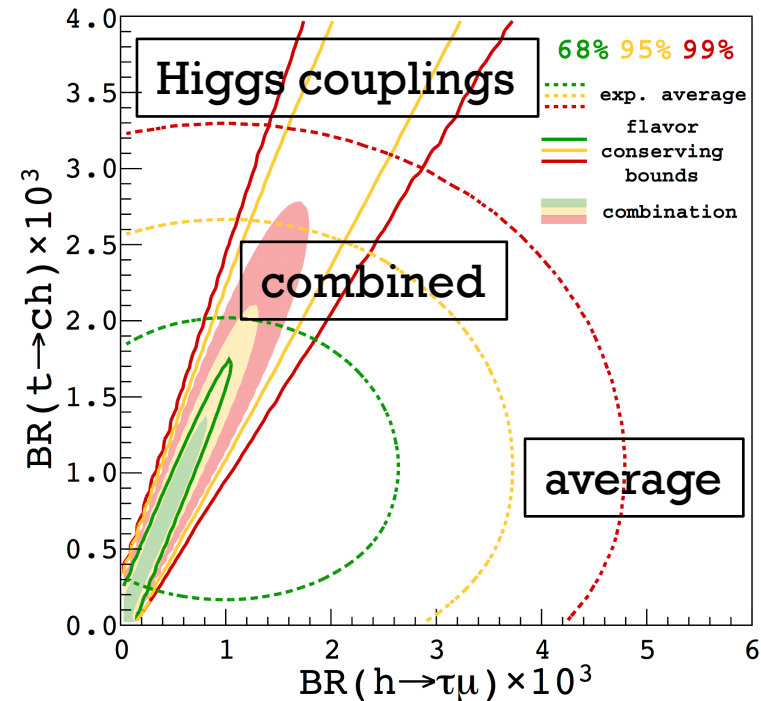
$$a = (\tan \beta + \cot \beta) \cos(\beta - \alpha)$$



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# fits to low energy FCNC and charged current decays

Process	Measurement	SM Prediction
$\text{BR}(b \rightarrow s\gamma)$	$(3.32 \pm 0.15) \times 10^{-4}$	$(3.36 \pm 0.23) \times 10^{-4}$
$\text{BR}(B \rightarrow \tau\nu)$	$(1.06 \pm 0.19) \times 10^{-4}$	$(0.807 \pm 0.061) \times 10^{-4}$
$R_D$	$0.403 \pm 0.47$	$0.299 \pm 0.003$
$R_{D^*}$	$0.310 \pm 0.17$	$0.257 \pm 0.003$

$$\text{BR}(B \rightarrow \tau\nu) = \frac{G_F^2 |V_{ub}|^2}{8\pi} m_\tau^2 f_B^2 m_B \left(1 - \frac{m_\tau^2}{m_B^2}\right)^2 \tau_B \left|1 + \frac{m_B^2}{m_b m_\tau} \frac{C_R^{ub} - C_L^{ub}}{C_{\text{SM}}^{ub}}\right|^2$$

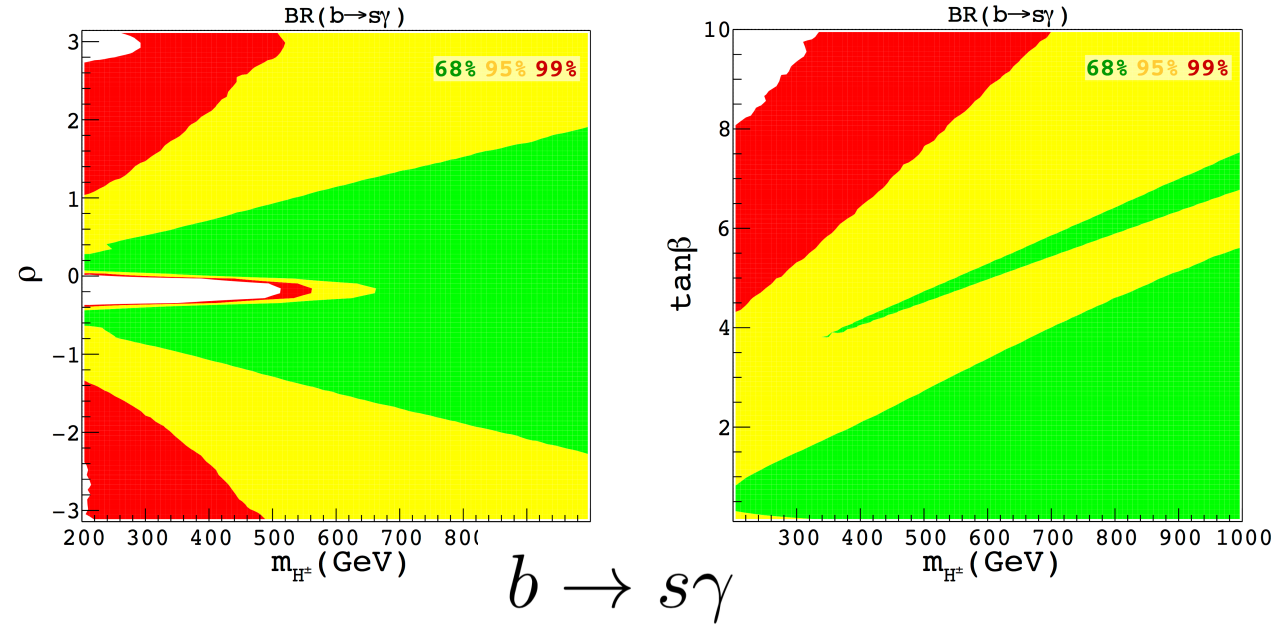
$$C_R^{ub} = -\frac{1}{m_{H^\pm}^2} \Gamma_{b_R u_L}^{H^\pm} \Gamma_{\nu_L \tau_R}^{H^\pm} \quad \text{and} \quad C_L^{ub} = -\frac{1}{m_{H^\pm}^2} \Gamma_{b_L u_R}^{H^\pm} \Gamma_{\nu_L \tau_R}^{H^\pm}$$

Large contributions to  $B \rightarrow \tau\nu$  are not generated by this model

$$R_D = R_D^{\text{SM}} \left(1 + 1.5 \Re \left(\frac{C_R^{cb} + C_L^{cb}}{C_{\text{SM}}^{cb}}\right) + 1.0 \left|\frac{C_R^{cb} + C_L^{cb}}{C_{\text{SM}}^{cb}}\right|^2\right),$$

$$R_{D^*} = R_{D^*}^{\text{SM}} \left(1 + 0.12 \Re \left(\frac{C_R^{cb} - C_L^{cb}}{C_{\text{SM}}^{cb}}\right) + 0.05 \left|\frac{C_R^{cb} - C_L^{cb}}{C_{\text{SM}}^{cb}}\right|^2\right),$$

$R_D$  and  $R_{D^*}$  are not explained by this model but the fit to the parameter space is affected by these measurements



$$\delta C_7^0 = \frac{v^2}{\lambda_t m_b} \sum_{j=1}^3 \Gamma_{u_R^j s_L}^{H^{\pm*}} \Gamma_{u_L^j b_R}^{H^\pm} \frac{C_{7,XY}^0(y_j)}{m_{u_j}} + \frac{v^2}{\lambda_t} \sum_{j=1}^3 \Gamma_{u_R^j s_L}^{H^{\pm*}} \Gamma_{u_R^j b_L}^{H^\pm} \frac{C_{7,YY}^0(y_j)}{m_{u_j}^2},$$

$$\delta C_8^0 = \frac{v^2}{\lambda_t m_b} \sum_{j=1}^3 \Gamma_{u_R^j s_L}^{H^{\pm*}} \Gamma_{u_L^j b_R}^{H^\pm} \frac{C_{8,XY}^0(y_j)}{m_{u_j}} + \frac{v^2}{\lambda_t} \sum_{j=1}^3 \Gamma_{u_R^j s_L}^{H^{\pm*}} \Gamma_{u_R^j b_L}^{H^\pm} \frac{C_{8,YY}^0(y_j)}{m_{u_j}^2}$$

strong bound on charged Higgs mass (typical of THDM type II) is alleviated because of cancellations with the SM contributions at low  $\tan\beta$

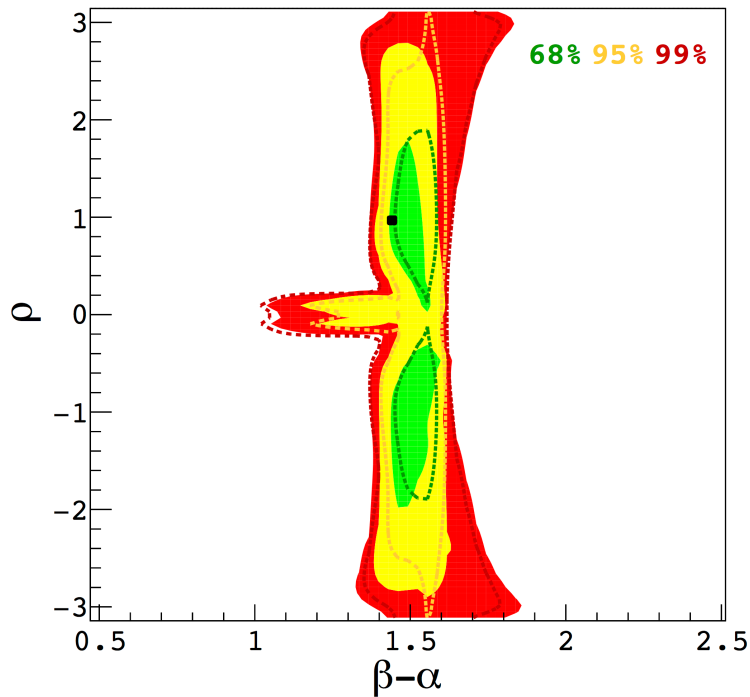
$$m_{H^\pm} \gtrsim 580 \text{ GeV @ 95\% CL in THDM type II}$$



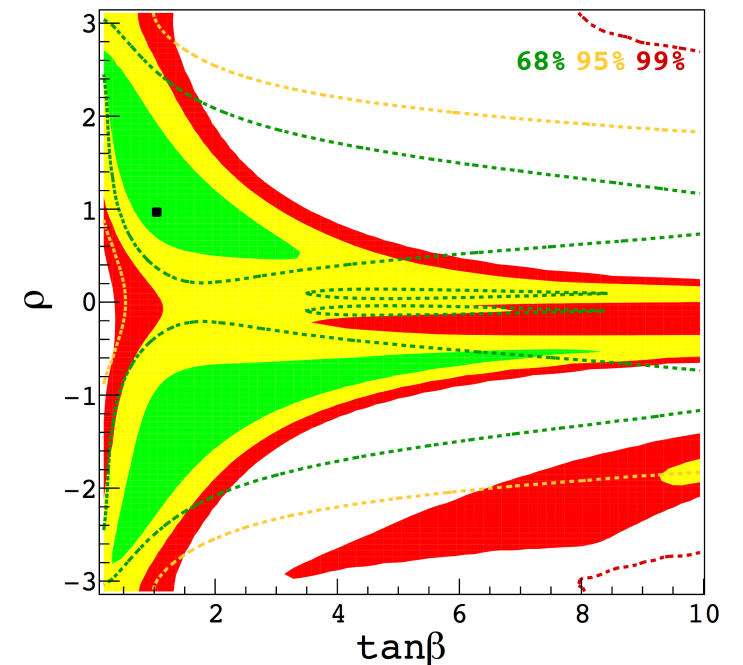
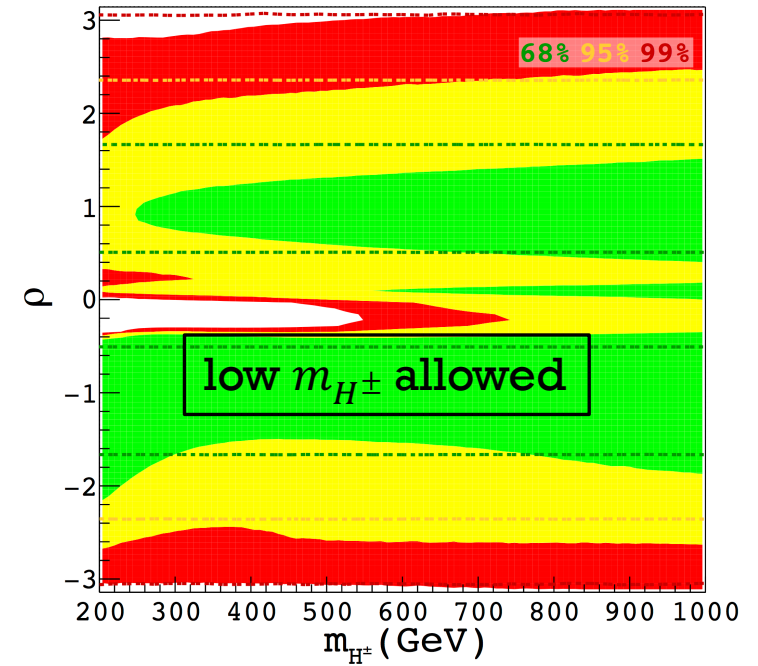
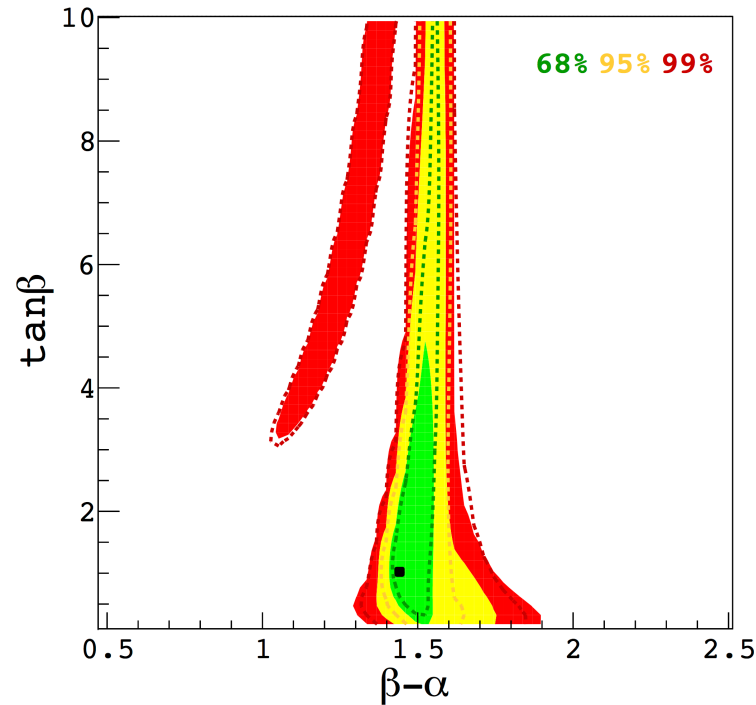
# combining all constraints

The picture is not only hopeful but quite promising!!

a preference for  $\rho \neq 0$

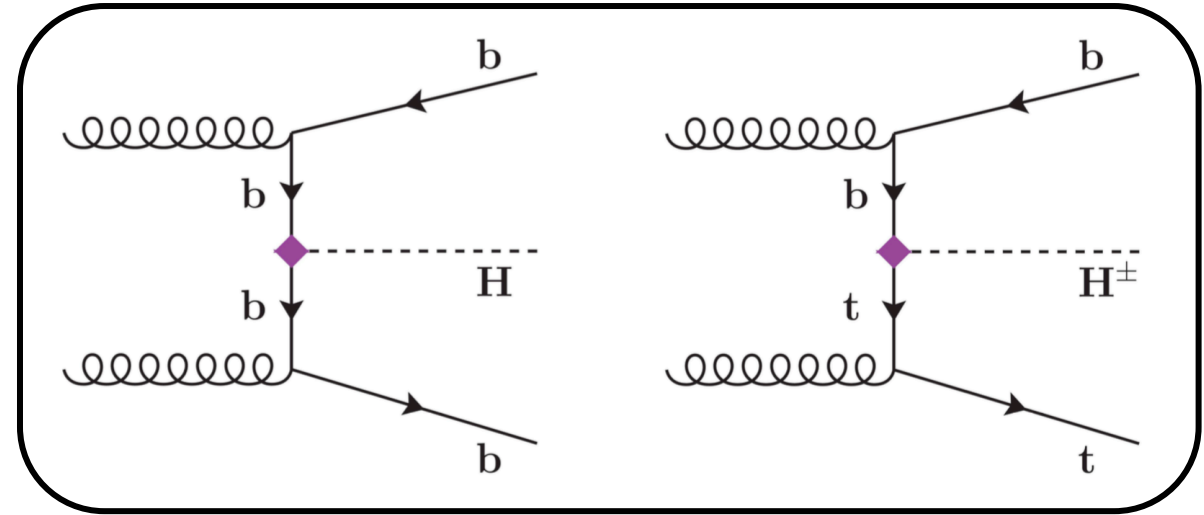
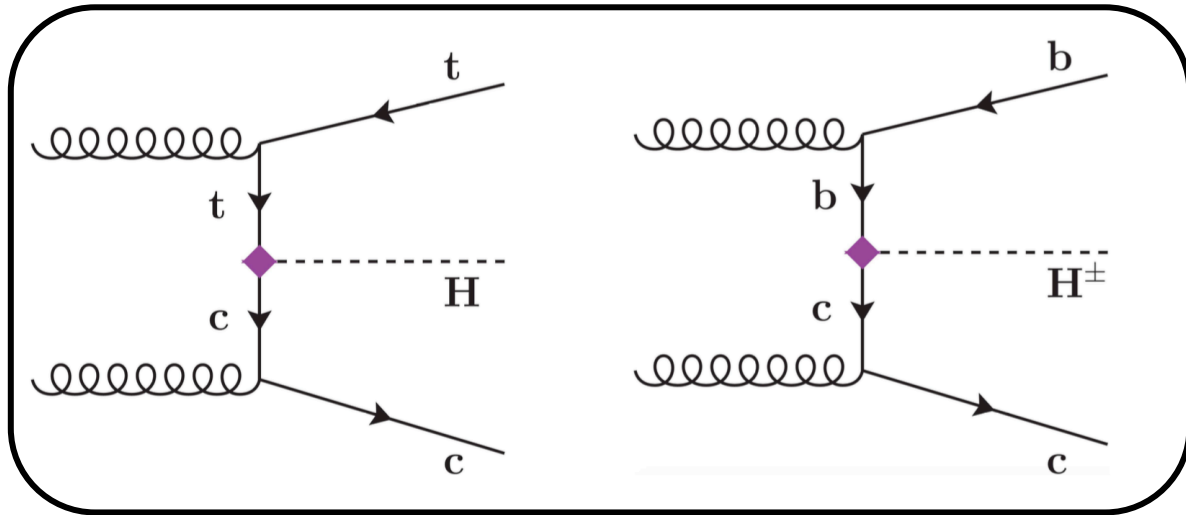


a preference for low  $\tan\beta$



The black dots mark the benchmark point with discuss in our study of collider phenomenology

# collider phenomenology of the heavy Higgs



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THDM type III  
that we use

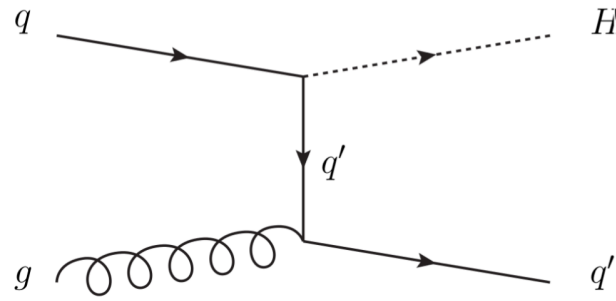
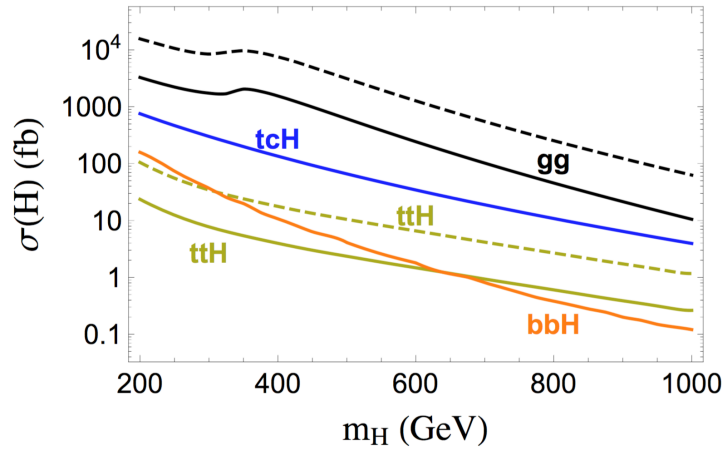
↑  
THDM type II

$pp \rightarrow H \rightarrow tc$	$pp \rightarrow tcH(\rightarrow tc)$	$pp \rightarrow bcH^\pm(\rightarrow bc)$	$pp \rightarrow bcH^\pm(\rightarrow Wh)$
1 charged lepton	2 same-sign leptons	dijet resonance	$Wh$ resonance
$E_T^{\text{miss}}$	2 $b$ -jets	$\geq 1$ $b$ -jet	$\geq 1$ $b/c$ -jet
1 $b$ -jet	$\geq 1$ $c$ -jet	$\geq 1$ $c$ -jet	
1 $c$ -jet			

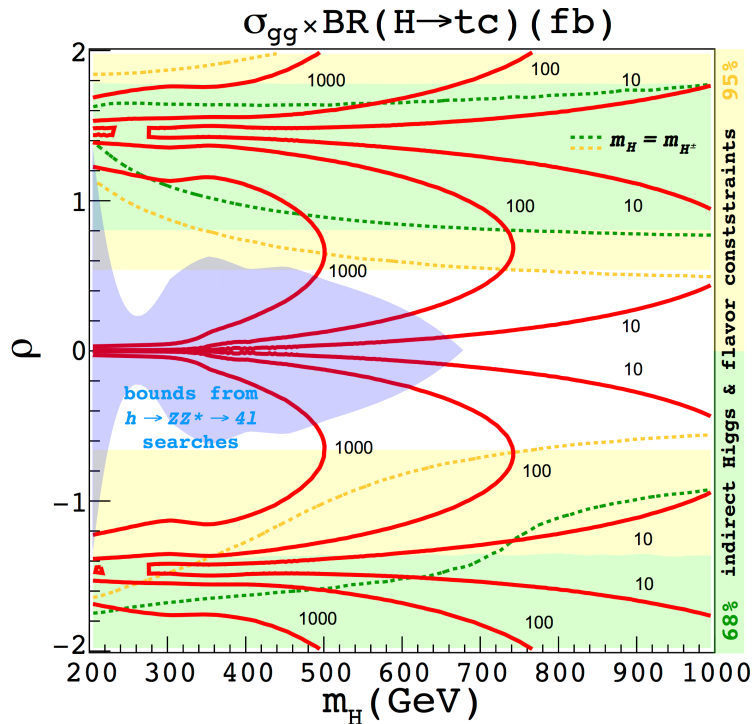
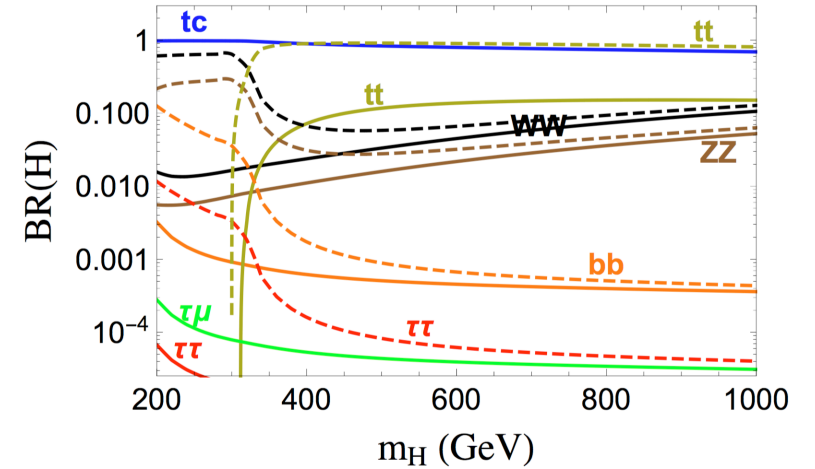
a list of interesting signatures

# collider phenomenology of the heavy neutral Higgs

$\cos(\beta-\alpha)=0.125, \tan\beta=1$



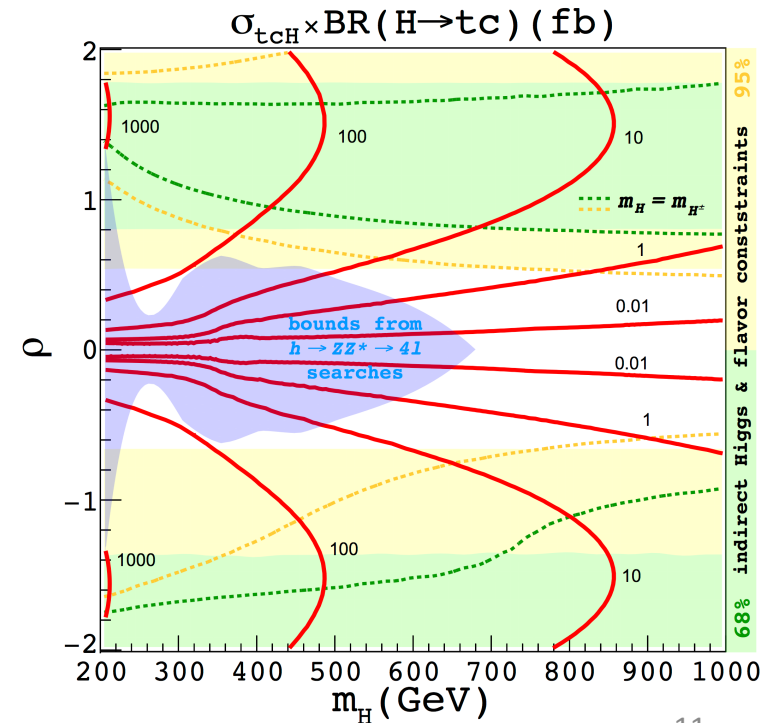
$\cos(\alpha-\beta)=0.15, \tan\beta=1$



excluded by 13 TeV  
 $gg \rightarrow H \rightarrow ZZ^* \rightarrow 4l$

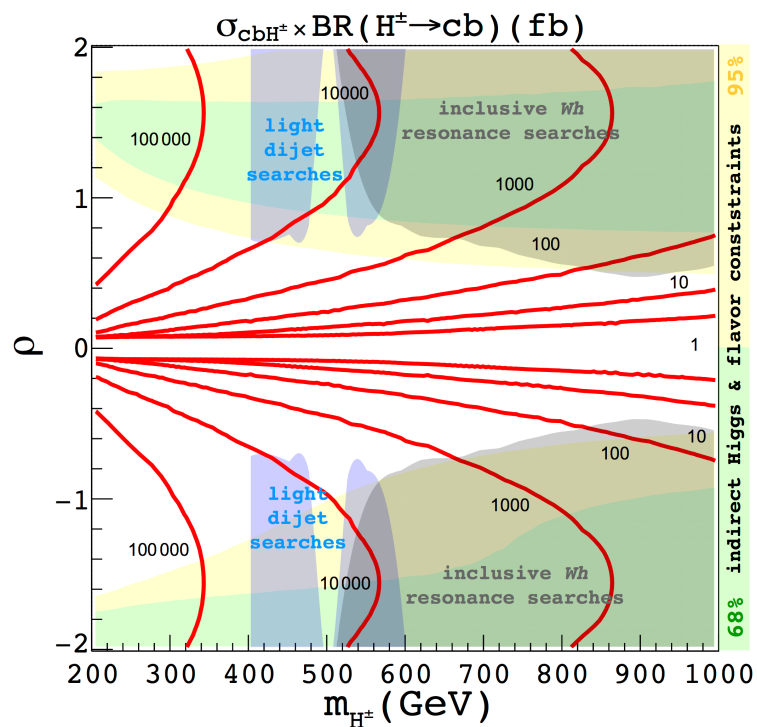
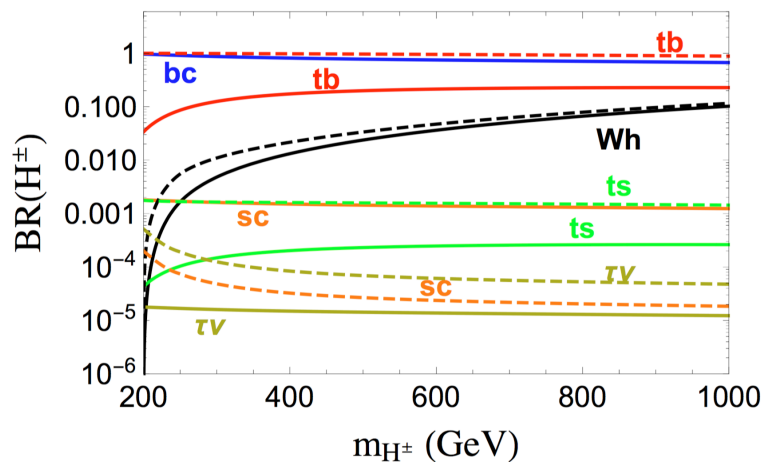
$\cos(\beta - \alpha) = 0.125$  and  $\tan \beta = 1$

$m_{H^\pm} = m_{H^0}$  **68.2 %**  
 marginalized over  $m_{H^\pm}$  **95.4 %**



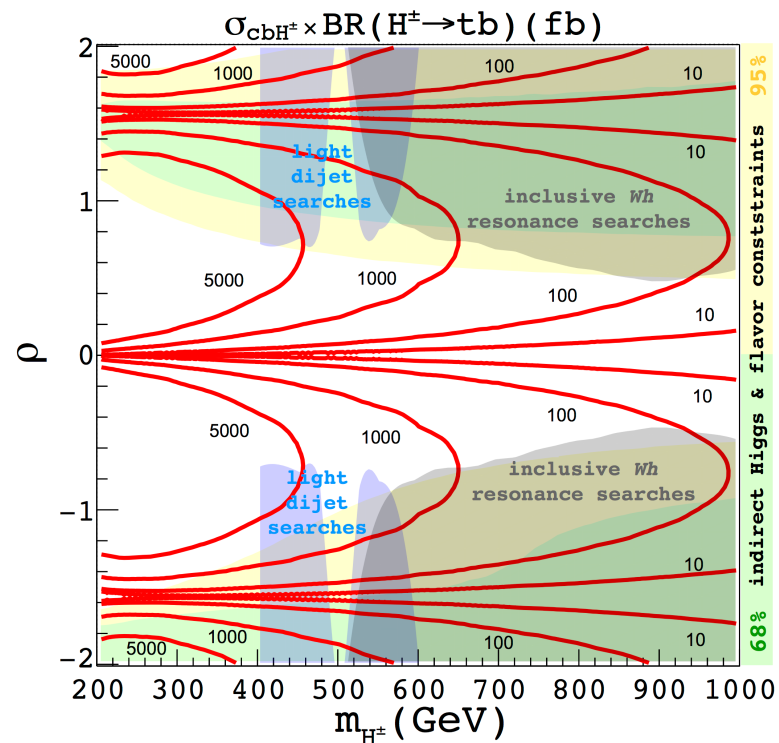
# collider phenomenology of the charged Higgs

$\cos(\beta-\alpha)=0.125, \tan\beta=1$

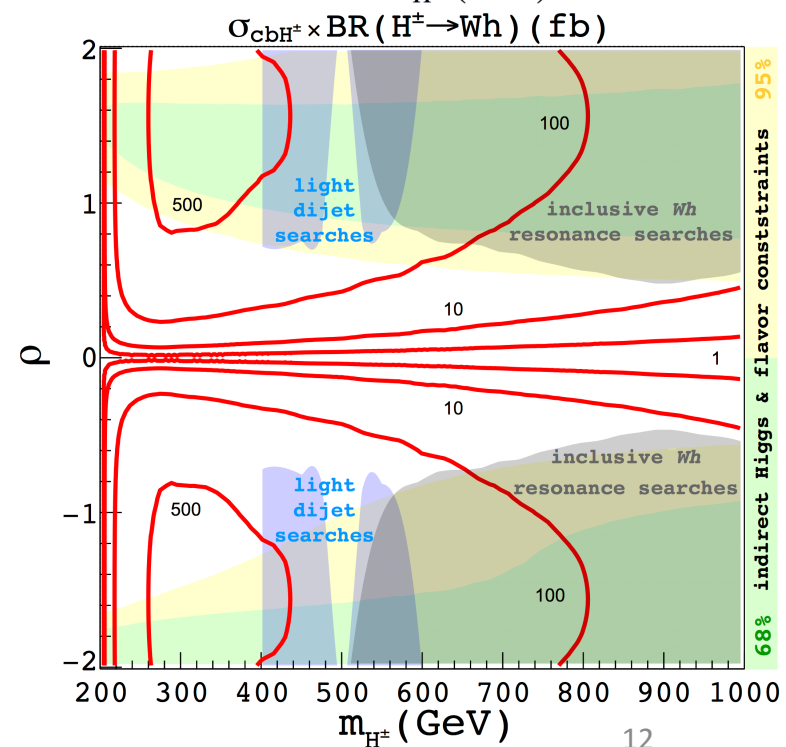
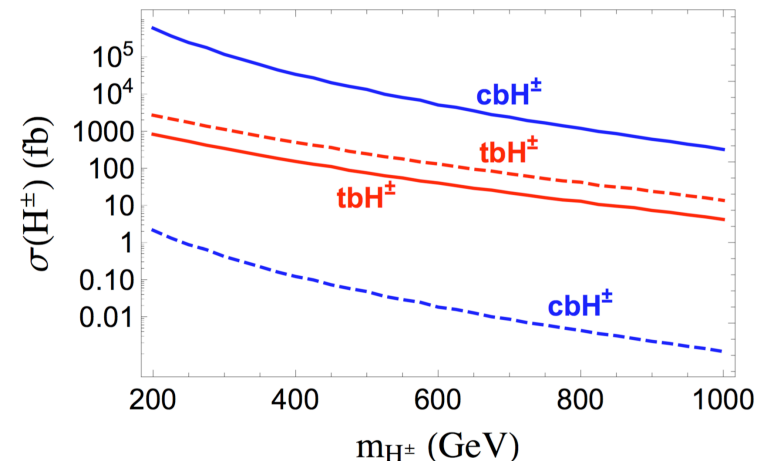


$\cos(\beta - \alpha) = 0.125$  and  $\tan \beta = 1$

Already probed by light dijet searches



$\cos(\beta-\alpha)=0.125, \tan\beta=1$



# summary

- ✓ The intricate alleys of a general THDM are not often navigated leaving interesting phenomenology untouched.
- ✓ The (pseudo)scalar family is awaiting the arrival of other members for which we must search in the right place.
- ✓ We also show that these degrees of freedom leave collider signatures that remain unsearched for.
- ✓ At times, these collider signatures can be quite bold and easily searched for.
- ✓ Stringent lower bounds on the mass of the charged Higgs can be alleviated by a more intricate flavour structure of the Yukawa interactions.

**The lower bounds on new (pseudo)scaler states, both neutral and charged, should be reconsidered and collider searches should be open to the possibility of production and decays of these states.**

Out beyond the ideas of right and  
wrong there is a field. I will meet  
you there. - Rumi

**Thank you...!!**



# the model

$$\epsilon^d = 0_{3 \times 3} \quad U_R \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \frac{\rho_u}{2} & \sin \frac{\rho_u}{2} \\ 0 & -\sin \frac{\rho_u}{2} & \cos \frac{\rho_u}{2} \end{pmatrix}, \quad L_R \equiv \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \cos \frac{\rho_\ell}{2} & \sin \frac{\rho_\ell}{2} \\ 0 & -\sin \frac{\rho_\ell}{2} & \cos \frac{\rho_\ell}{2} \end{pmatrix} \quad \epsilon^\ell = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{m_\mu}{v \sin \beta} \frac{1 - \cos \rho_\ell}{2} & \frac{m_\mu \sin \rho_\ell}{2v \sin \beta} \\ 0 & \frac{m_\tau \sin \rho_\ell}{2v \sin \beta} & \frac{m_\tau}{v \sin \beta} \frac{1 + \cos \rho_\ell}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c_f^h = \frac{m_f}{\sqrt{2}v} \begin{cases} \sin(\beta - \alpha) + \left( \cot \beta - \frac{1 - \cos \rho_u}{2} (\tan \beta + \cot \beta) \right) \cos(\beta - \alpha) & (\text{for } f = t), \\ \sin(\beta - \alpha) - \left( \tan \beta - \frac{1 - \cos \rho_u}{2} (\tan \beta + \cot \beta) \right) \cos(\beta - \alpha) & (\text{for } f = c), \\ \sin(\beta - \alpha) - \tan \beta \cos(\beta - \alpha) & (\text{for the others}) \end{cases}$$

$$\epsilon^u = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{m_u}{v \cos \beta} & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \frac{m_c}{v \cos \beta} \frac{1 + \cos \rho_u}{2} & -\frac{m_c \sin \rho_u}{2v \cos \beta} \\ 0 & -\frac{m_t \sin \rho_u}{2v \cos \beta} & \frac{m_t}{v \cos \beta} \frac{1 - \cos \rho_u}{2} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c_f^H = \frac{m_f}{\sqrt{2}v} \begin{cases} \cos(\beta - \alpha) - \left( \cot \beta - \frac{1 - \cos \rho_u}{2} (\tan \beta + \cot \beta) \right) \sin(\beta - \alpha) & (\text{for } f = t), \\ \cos(\beta - \alpha) + \left( \tan \beta - \frac{1 - \cos \rho_u}{2} (\tan \beta + \cot \beta) \right) \sin(\beta - \alpha) & (\text{for } f = c), \\ \cos(\beta - \alpha) + \tan \beta \sin(\beta - \alpha) & (\text{for the others}) \end{cases}$$

$$c_{23}^h = \frac{m_t}{2\sqrt{2}v} (\cot \beta + \tan \beta) \cos(\beta - \alpha) \sin \rho_u,$$

$$c_{32}^h = \frac{m_c}{2\sqrt{2}v} (\cot \beta + \tan \beta) \cos(\beta - \alpha) \sin \rho_u,$$

$$c_{23}^H = -\frac{m_t}{2\sqrt{2}v} (\cot \beta + \tan \beta) \sin(\beta - \alpha) \sin \rho_u,$$

$$c_{32}^H = -\frac{m_c}{2\sqrt{2}v} (\cot \beta + \tan \beta) \sin(\beta - \alpha) \sin \rho_u,$$

$$c_{23}^A = \frac{m_t}{2\sqrt{2}v} (\cot \beta + \tan \beta) \sin \rho_u,$$

$$c_{32}^A = \frac{m_c}{2\sqrt{2}v} (\cot \beta + \tan \beta) \sin \rho_u.$$

$$c_f^A = \frac{m_f}{\sqrt{2}v} \begin{cases} -\cot \beta + \frac{1 - \cos \rho_u}{2} (\tan \beta + \cot \beta) & (\text{for } f = t), \\ \tan \beta - \frac{1 - \cos \rho_u}{2} (\tan \beta + \cot \beta) & (\text{for } f = c), \\ \tan \beta & (\text{for the others}) \end{cases}$$



To my Mother and Father, who showed me what I could do,  
and to Ikaros, who showed me what I could not.

“To know what no one else does, what a pleasure it can be!”

– adopted from the words of  
Eugene Wigner.

