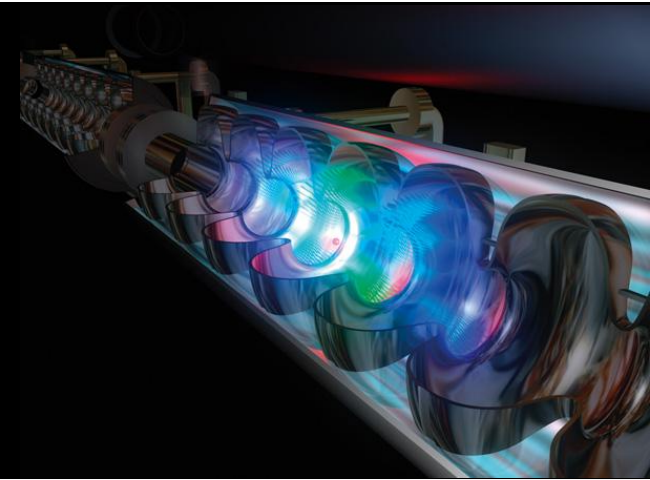


# R-parity violation at LHC & ILC

Ongoing LHC searches and impact on ILC



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# R-parity violation

## MSSM Superpotential

$$W = h_U^{ij} \hat{Q}_i \cdot \hat{H}_u \hat{U}_j + h_D^{ij} \hat{Q}_i \cdot \hat{H}_d \hat{D}_j + h_E^{ij} \hat{L}_i \cdot \hat{H}_u \hat{R}_j - \mu \hat{H}_d \cdot \hat{H}_u$$

additional allowed terms:

$$W_{\Delta L=1} = \lambda^{ijk} \hat{L}_i \cdot \hat{L}_j \hat{R}_k + \lambda'^{ijk} \hat{L}_i \cdot \hat{Q}_j \hat{D}_k + \mu^i \hat{L}_i \cdot \hat{H}_u$$

$$W_{\Delta B=1} = \lambda''^{ijk} U_i \hat{D}_j \hat{D}_k$$

→ most general gauge-invariant and renormalizable superpotential

## What is R-parity?

- $B$  and  $L$  violating terms allowed in superpotential ( $\Leftrightarrow$  SM)
- $B$  and  $L$  violation never observed

→ introduce new symmetry which is a combination of  $B$ ,  $L$  (and  $S$ )

$$\boxed{P_R = (-1)^{3B+L+2S}} \quad \begin{array}{l} \longrightarrow \text{SM particles: } P_R = +1 \\ \longrightarrow \text{SUSY partners: } P_R = -1 \end{array}$$



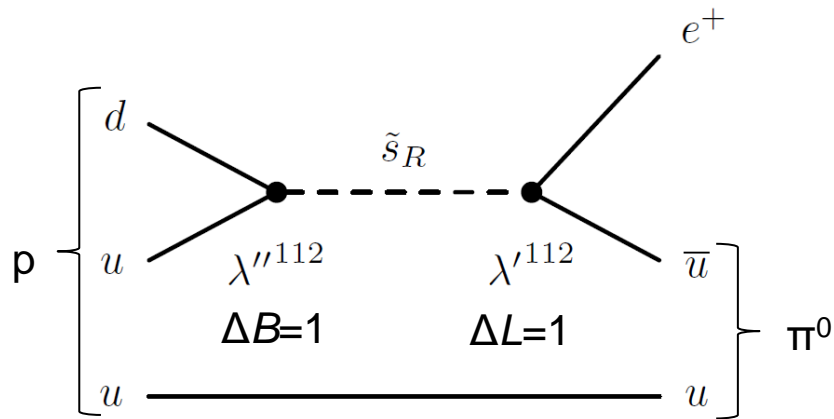
# R-parity violation

## Consequences of conservation

- $\Delta B \neq 0$  and  $\Delta L \neq 0$  prohibited
- sparticles can only be produced in pairs
- SUSY decay products contain odd number of LSPs
- LSP absolutely stable

**BUT** claim for conservation arbitrary from theoretical point of view

## How to break R-parity?



experimental bounds: e.g. proton decay

- strong bounds on  $\lambda'' \cdot \lambda'$
- in good approximation:  
→ only break either *B* or *L*

- **strong** R-parity violation: decay topology of SUSY particles completely changes
- **weak** R-parity violation: only decay of (long-lived) LSP to SM particles



## Some facts of bilinear R-parity violation

- largest neutrino mass at tree level
- 2 mixing angles at tree level
- remaining masses/angles at 1-loop-level
- correct scales of mass differences  $\Delta m_{ij}^2$

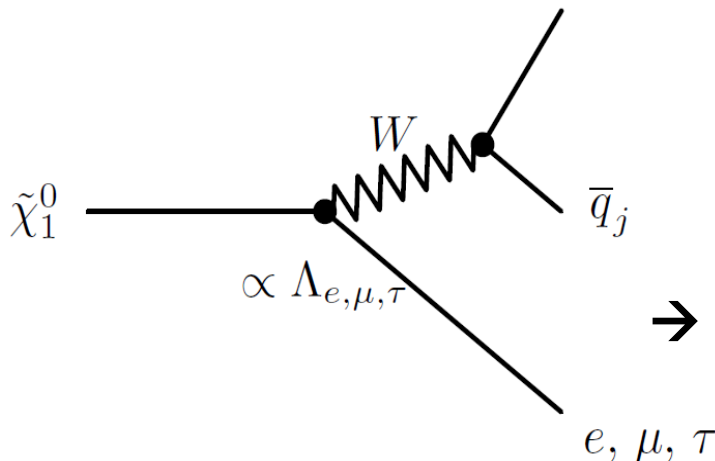
$$m_\nu = \frac{M_1 g^2 + M_2 g'^2}{4 \det M_{\chi^0}} |\vec{\Lambda}|^2$$

$$\tan \theta_{23} = \frac{\Lambda_\mu}{\Lambda_\tau}$$

$$\tan \theta_{13} = -\frac{\Lambda_e}{\sqrt{\Lambda_\mu^2 + \Lambda_\tau^2}}$$

## How is that connected to colliders?

dominant part of  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 - W - l_i$  coupling:  $O_i^L = \Lambda_i \cdot f(M_1, M_2, \mu, \tan \beta, v_d, v_u) \propto \Lambda_i$

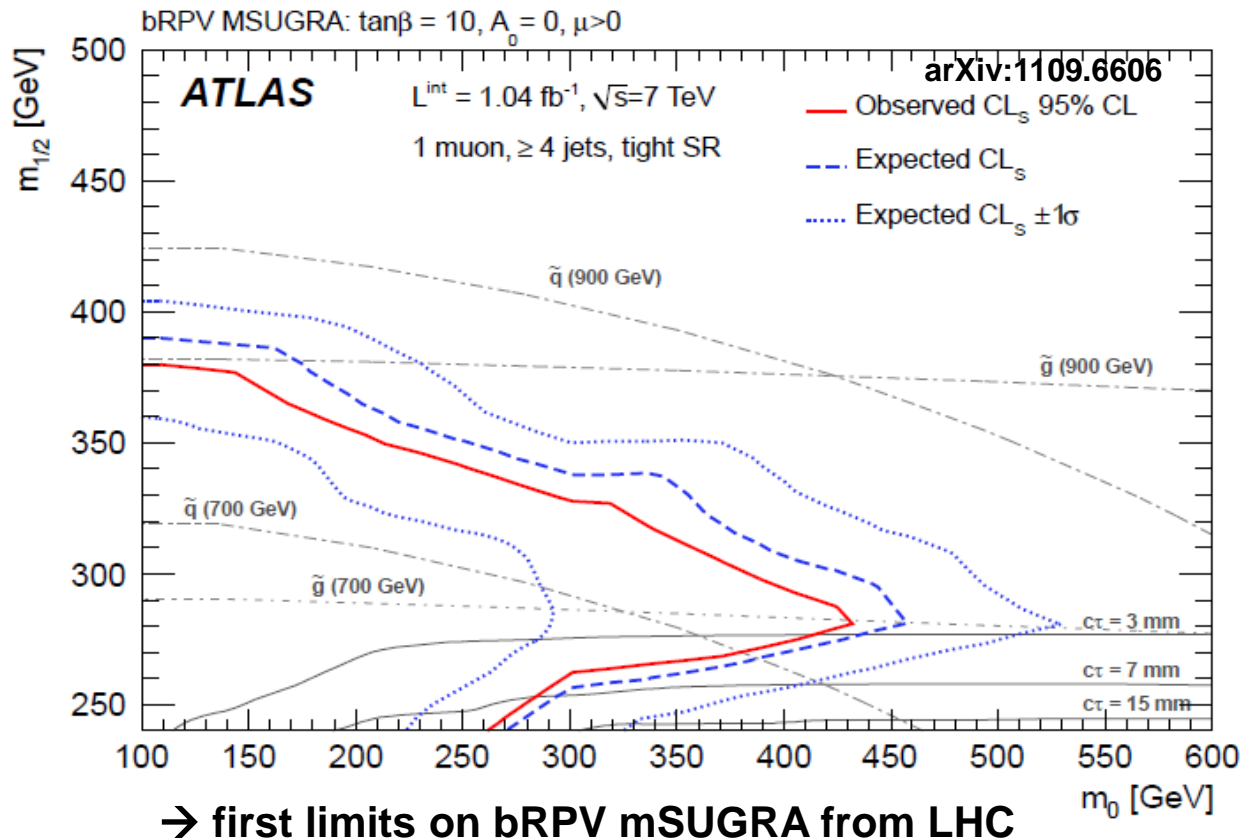


$$\tan^2 \theta_{23} = \left| \frac{\Lambda_\mu}{\Lambda_\tau} \right|^2 \cong \frac{BR(\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \mu W)}{BR(\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \tau W)}$$

→ Neutrino physics at collider experiments

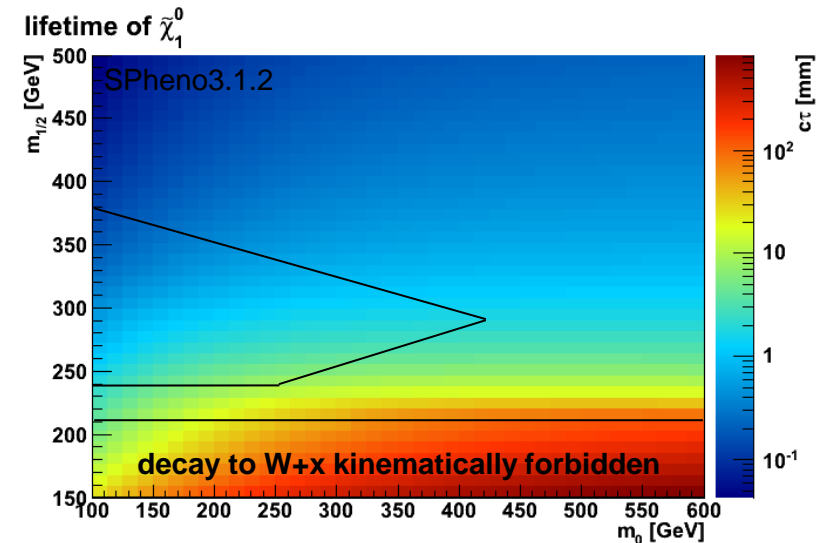
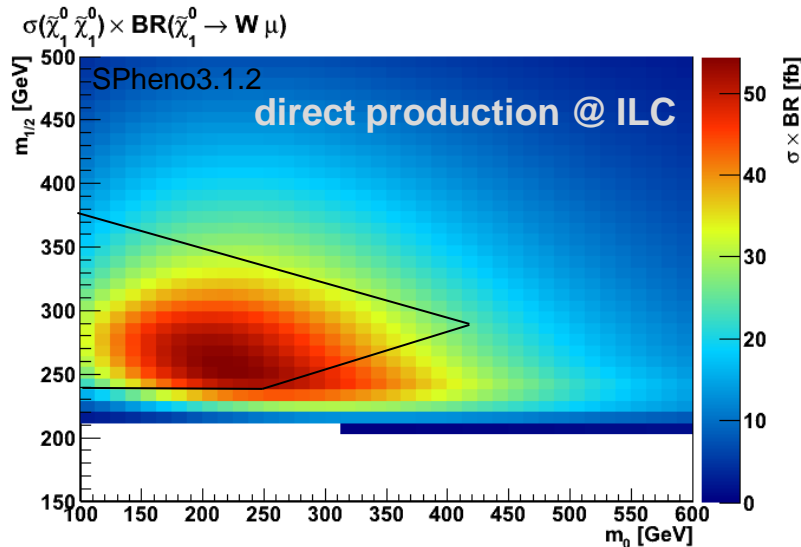
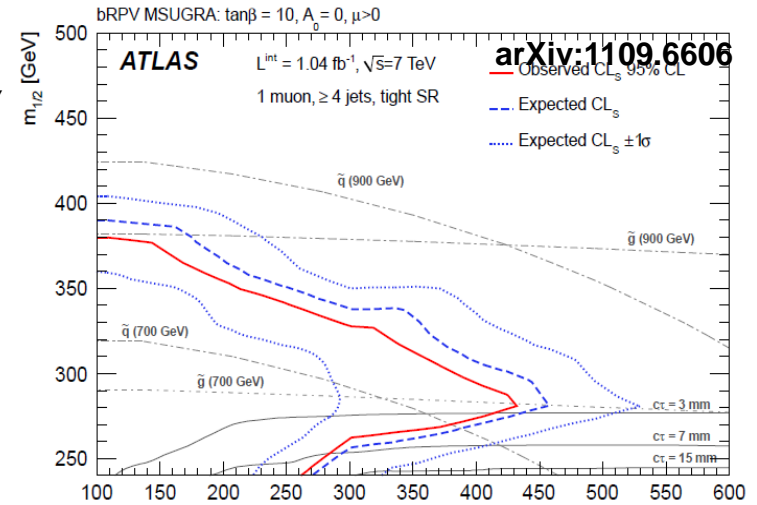
## Searches for supersymmetry with respect to bRPV

- $\int L dt = 1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$
  - 3 or 4 jets
  - 1 muon or electron
- for bRPV:  
model tested for:  $c\tau < 15 \text{ mm}$  ( $\rightarrow m_{1/2} > 240 \text{ GeV}$ )

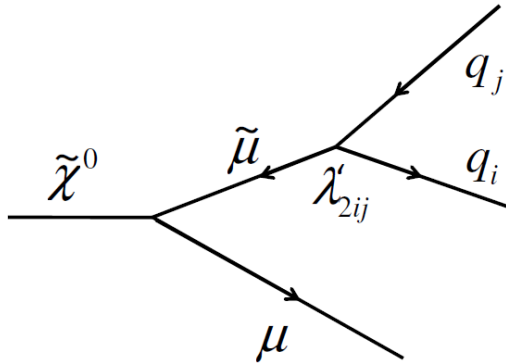


## Searches for supersymmetry with respect to bRPV

- LHC probes colored sector of theory  
*"...squark = gluino masses below 760 GeV are excluded"*
- increasing squark mass  $\rightarrow$  drop of cross section
- exclusions for small  $m_{1/2}$  much harder to achieve than for RPC SUSY model



## Dedicated displaced vertex search

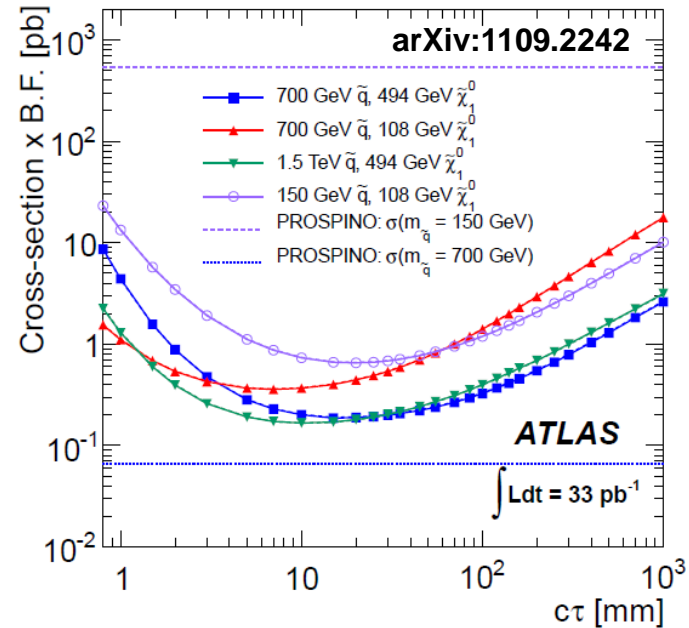
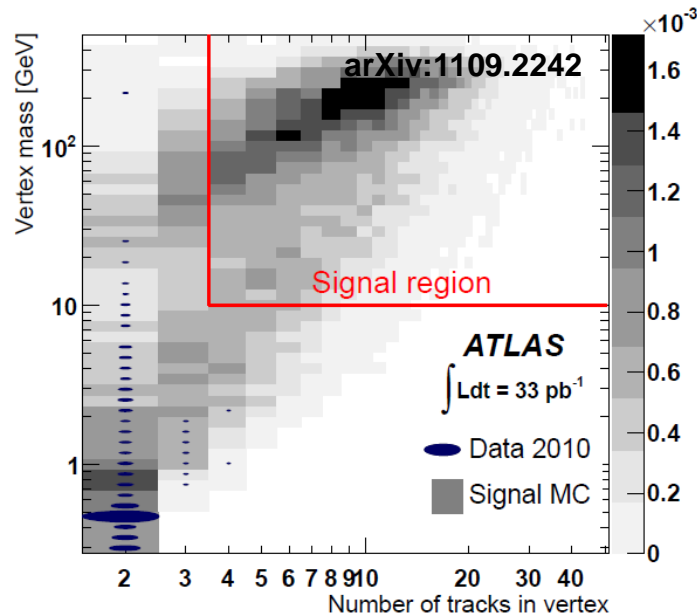


2010 data  $\rightarrow \int Ldt = 33 \text{ pb}^{-1}$

search for:

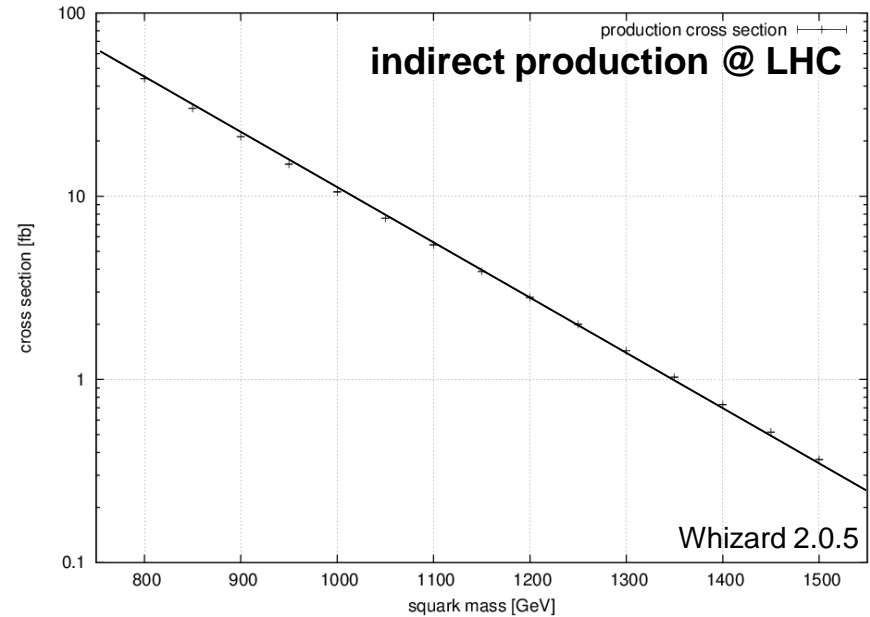
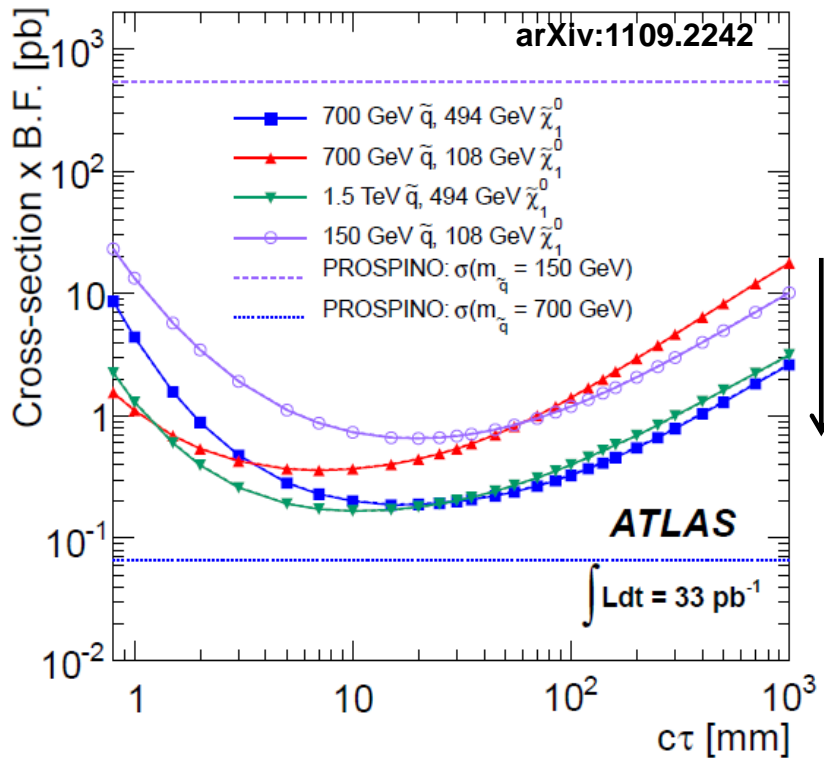
- $|z_{DV}| < 300\text{mm}$ ,  $4\text{mm} < r_{DV} < 180\text{mm}$
- 1 high- $p_t$  muon

background free analysis ( $N_{BG} < 0.03$ )





## Dedicated displaced vertex search



extrapolation:  $33\text{pb}^{-1} \rightarrow 5\text{fb}^{-1}$   
 $\rightarrow$  limits drop by a factor of  $\sim\sqrt{200}$  (=14)

- consider ILC-friendly case  $\rightarrow$  light neutralino (red curve)
- even with higher statistics LHC sensitive to  $c\tau=[1\text{mm};12\text{mm}]$  for  $m_{\text{squark}}=700\text{GeV}$
- not sensitive in case of high squark masses and large  $c\tau$



# Status of ILC RPV analysis

## Direct production @ ILC

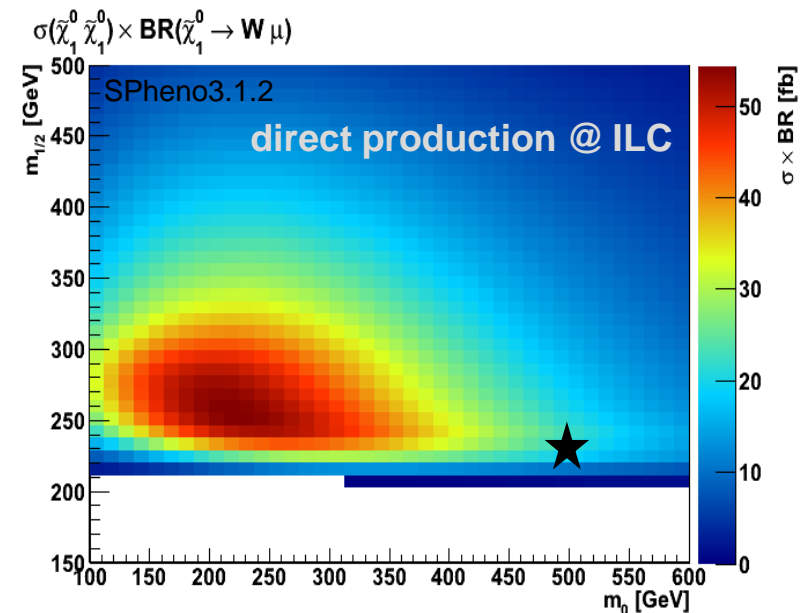
direct production cross section @ILC two orders of magnitudes higher than @LHC

**example point:**  $m_0 = 500$  GeV,  $m_{1/2} = 230$  GeV,  $\tan(\beta) = 10$ ,  $\text{sign}(\mu) = +$ ,  $A_0 = 0$  GeV

- $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 90$  GeV
- $ct = 19.07$ mm
- $\text{BR}(\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow W \mu) = 0.42$
- $\text{BR}(\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow W \tau) = 0.38$

beam polarization  $\sqrt{s} = 500$ GeV:

$P(e^+)$	$P(e^-)$	$\sigma(ee \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0)$ [fb]
+0.3	-0.8	9
-0.3	-0.8	13
<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>44</b>
+0.3	+0.8	55
<b>-0.3</b>	<b>+0.8</b>	<b>101</b>



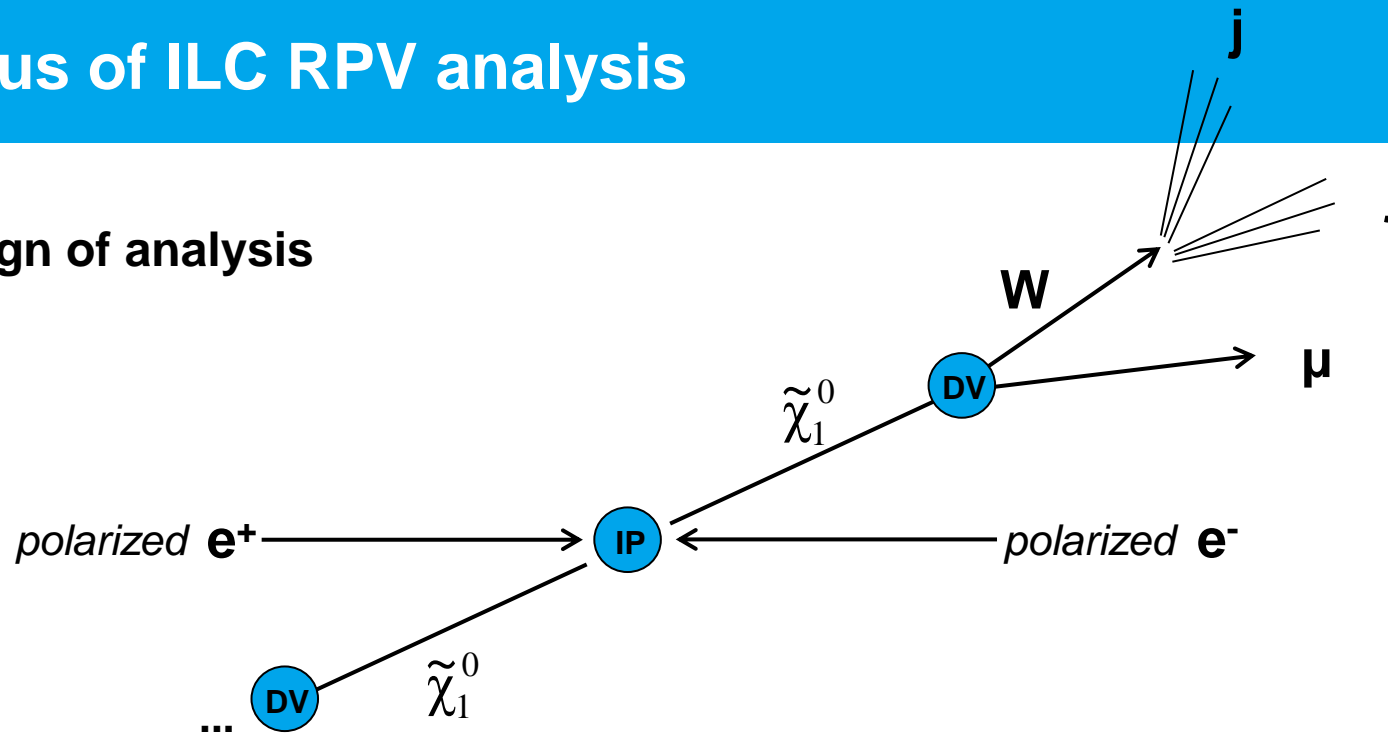
expectations for  $\int L dt = 500 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ :

up to 12726 displaced ( $\mu jj$ ) - vertices

up to 11514 displaced ( $\tau jj$ ) - vertices

# Status of ILC RPV analysis

## Design of analysis



- event selection:
- 2 displaced vertices
  - reconstructed  $\mu$  or  $\tau$  from displaced vertex
  - equal mass constraint of displaced vertices
  - $W$  mass constraint

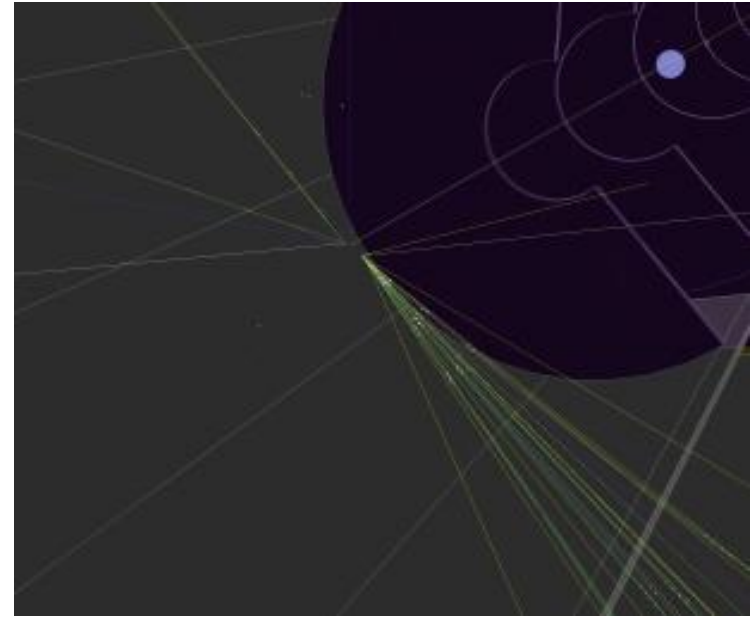
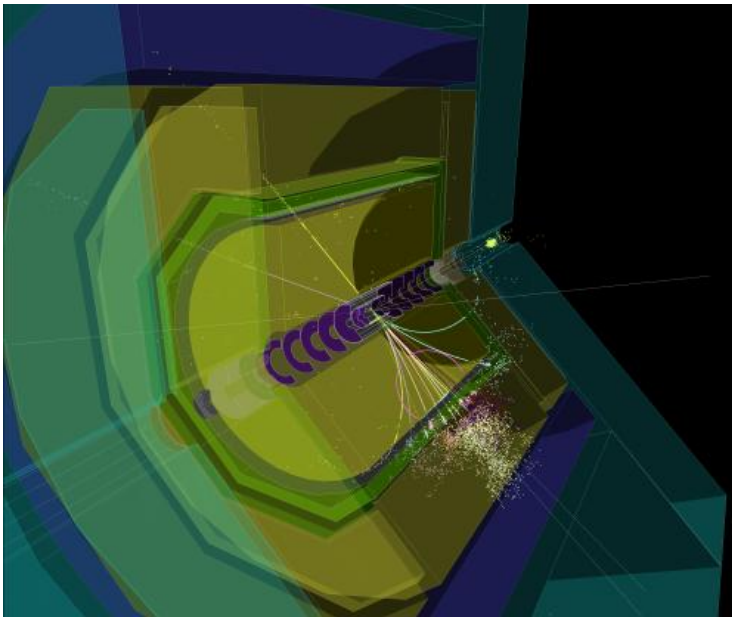
→ **background free analysis**

- use hadronic decay channel of  $W$ : **full reconstruction of event possible!**
- clean environment: good performance of tracking **and** vertex finding expected



## Status of bRPV displaced vertex search for ILC

- framework set up to generate events for almost any SUSY model (incl. bRPV)
  - Whizard & Sarah (see talk LC Forum Munich)
- found some problems in treatment of long-lived exotic particles in detector simulation
  - developed a new scheme for MOKKA to treat lifetime correctly

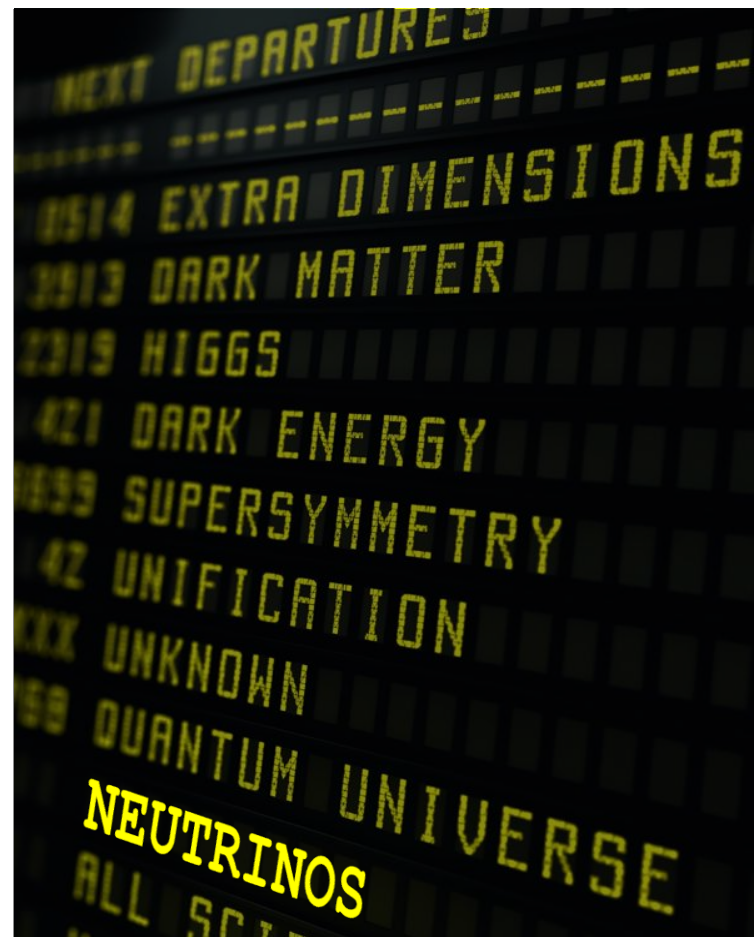


- waiting for fully reconstructed data (v13)

# Conclusion

## Conclusion

- > R-parity violation is an interesting alternative to “normal” SUSY
- > bRPV could explain neutrino parameters
- > some RPV LHC searches ongoing
- > especially for high squark masses: sensitivity of ILC expected to be better
  
- > **ILC is the perfect machine to study new electroweak-coupling, long-lived particles**



**Thank you for your attention.**



# Backup slides



# Status of ILC RPV analysis

## Direct production @ ILC

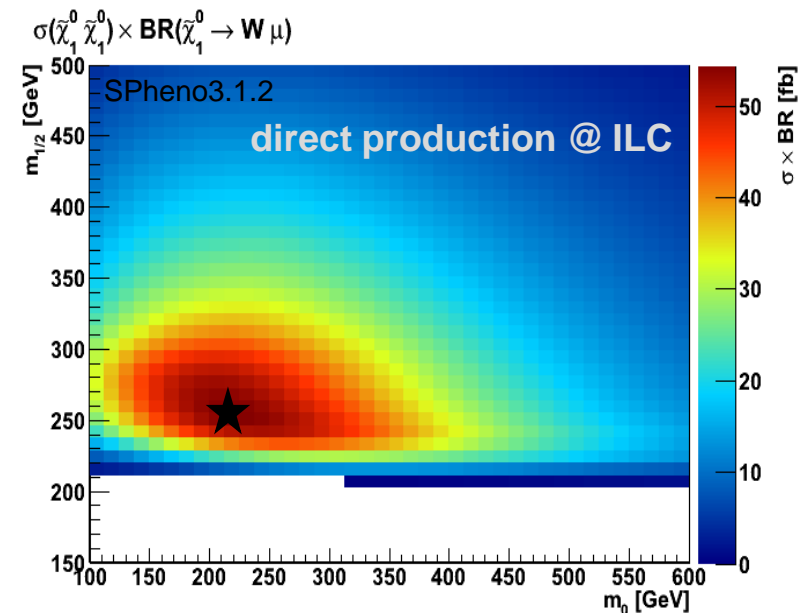
direct production cross section @ILC two orders of magnitudes higher than @LHC

**example point:**  $m_0 = 220$  GeV,  $m_{1/2} = 250$  GeV,  $\tan(\beta) = 10$ ,  $\text{sign}(\mu) = +$ ,  $A_0 = 0$  GeV

- $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0) = 97$  GeV
- $ct = 4.55$ mm
- $\text{BR}(\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow W \mu) = 0.28$
- $\text{BR}(\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow W \tau) = 0.25$

beam polarization  $\sqrt{s} = 500$ GeV:

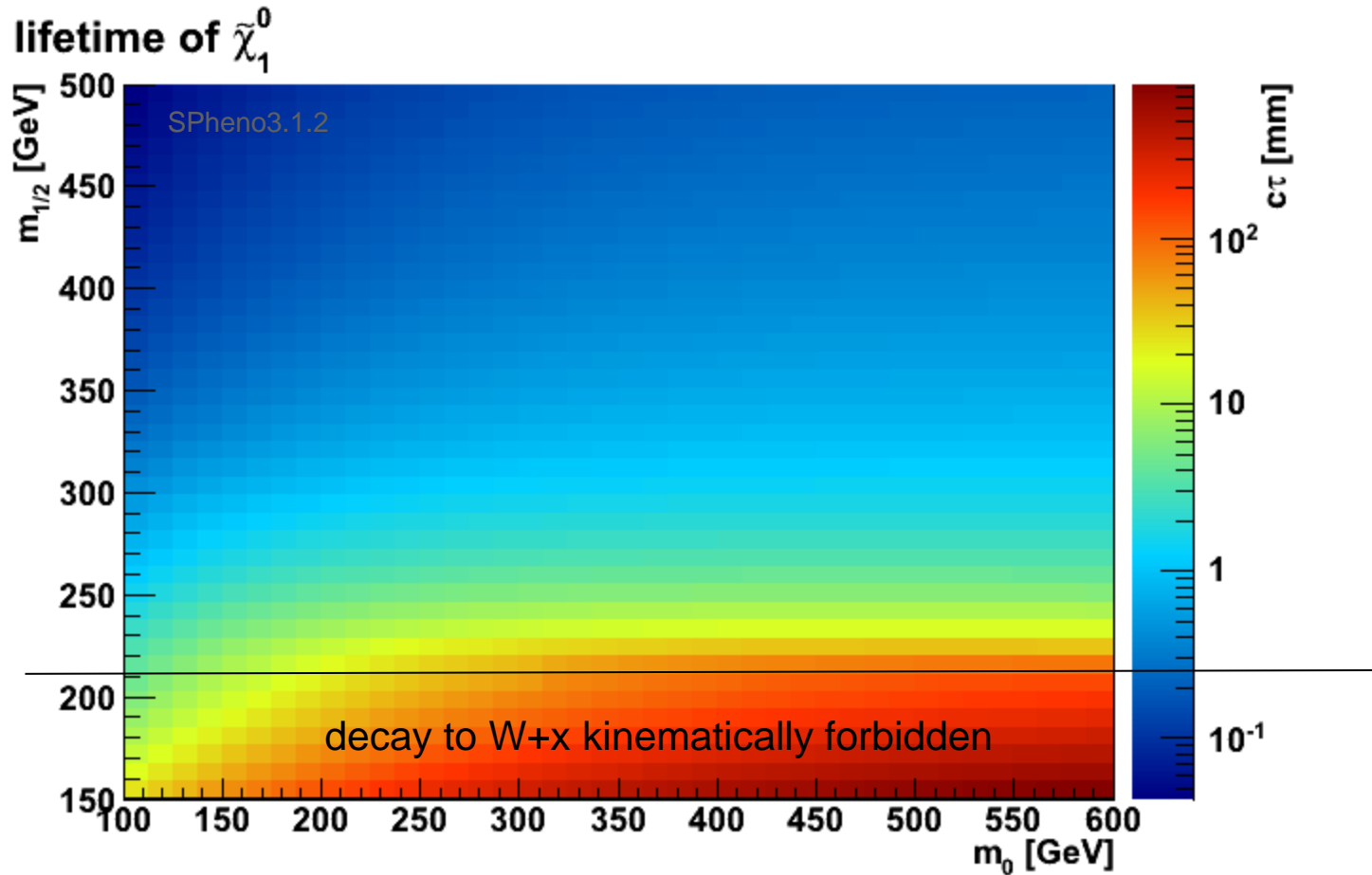
$P(e^+)$	$P(e^-)$	$\sigma(ee \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0)$ [fb]
+0.3	-0.8	35
-0.3	-0.8	49
0	0	170
+0.3	+0.8	209
+0.3	-0.8	387



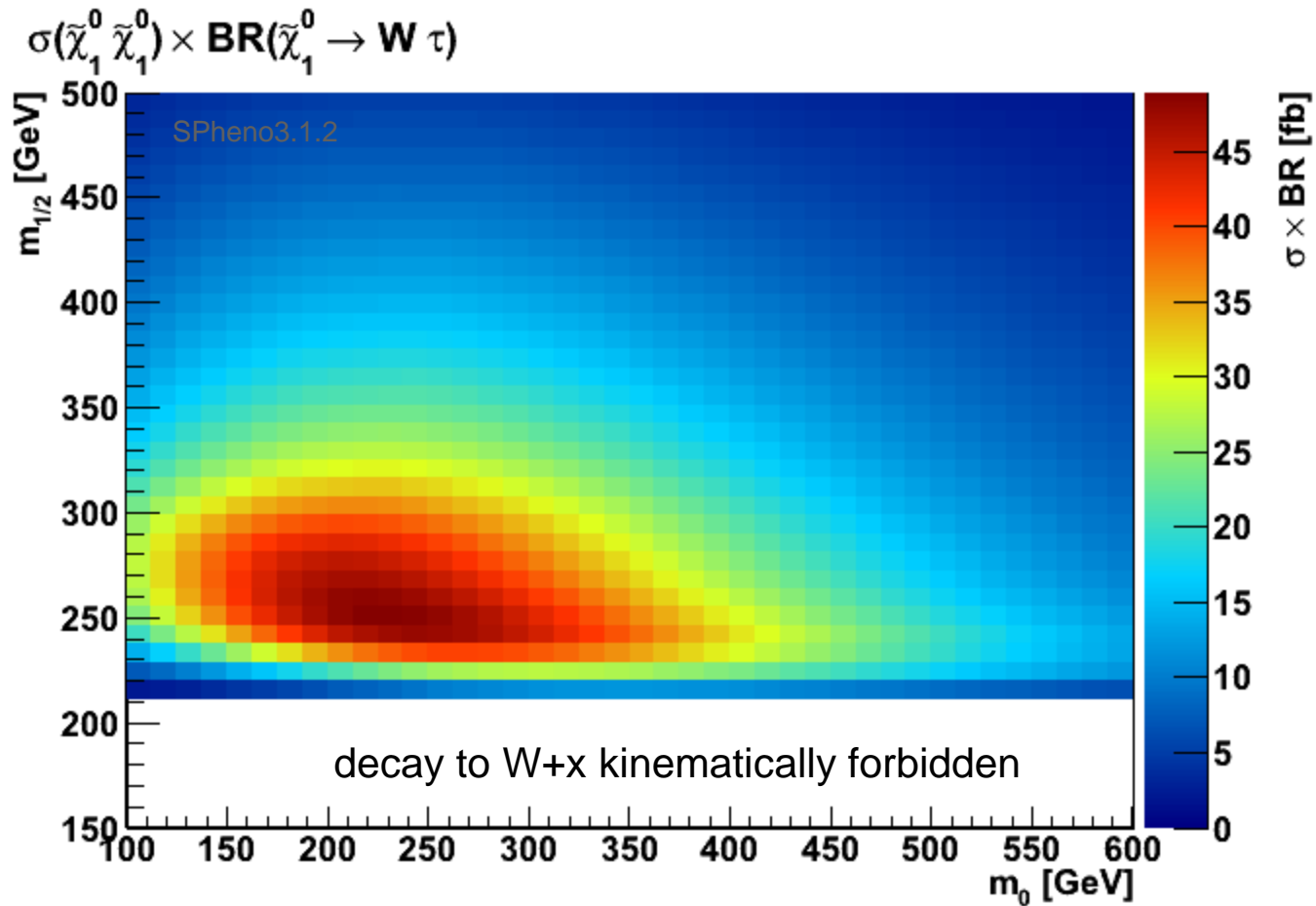
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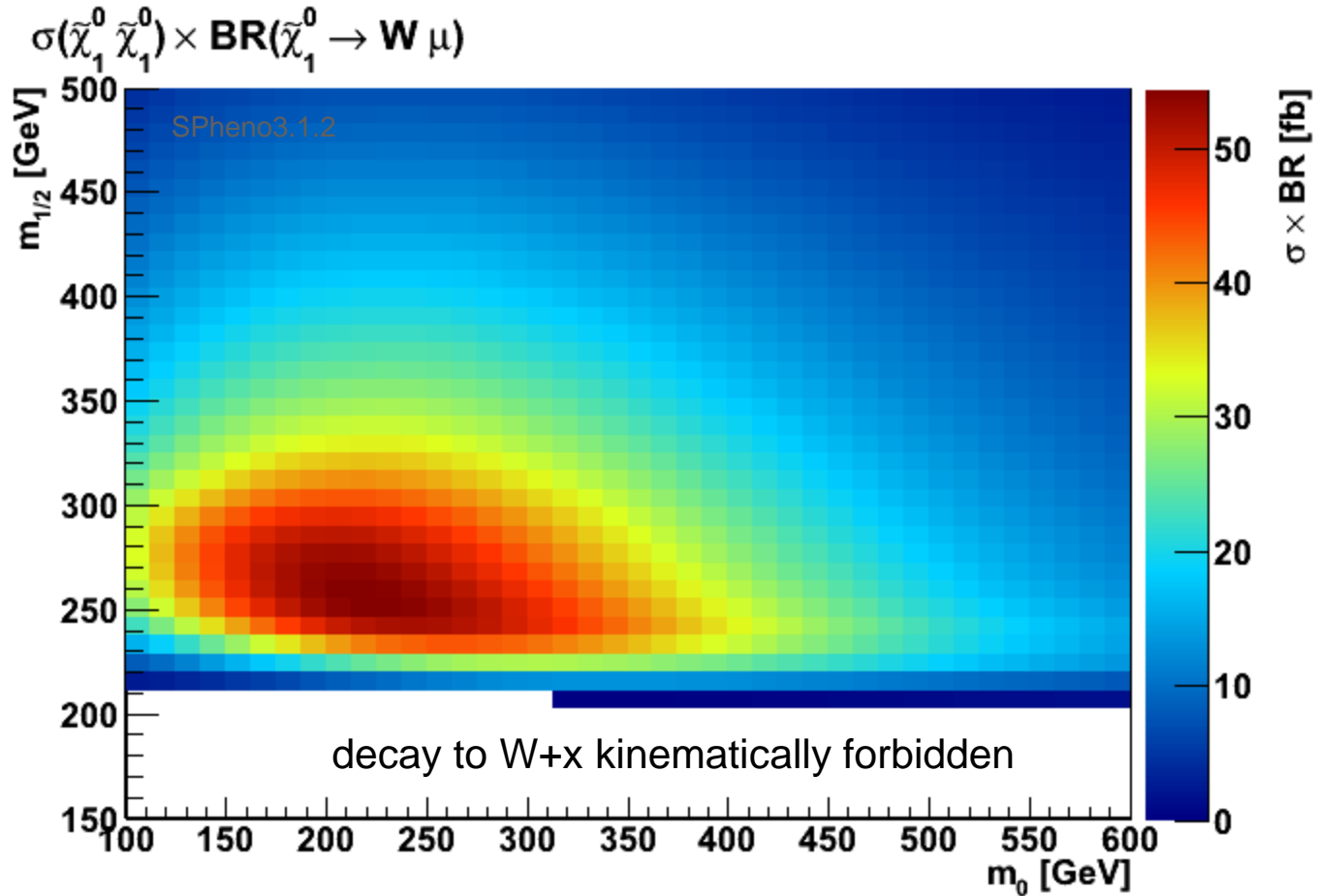
up to 32508 displaced ( $\mu jj$ ) - vertices

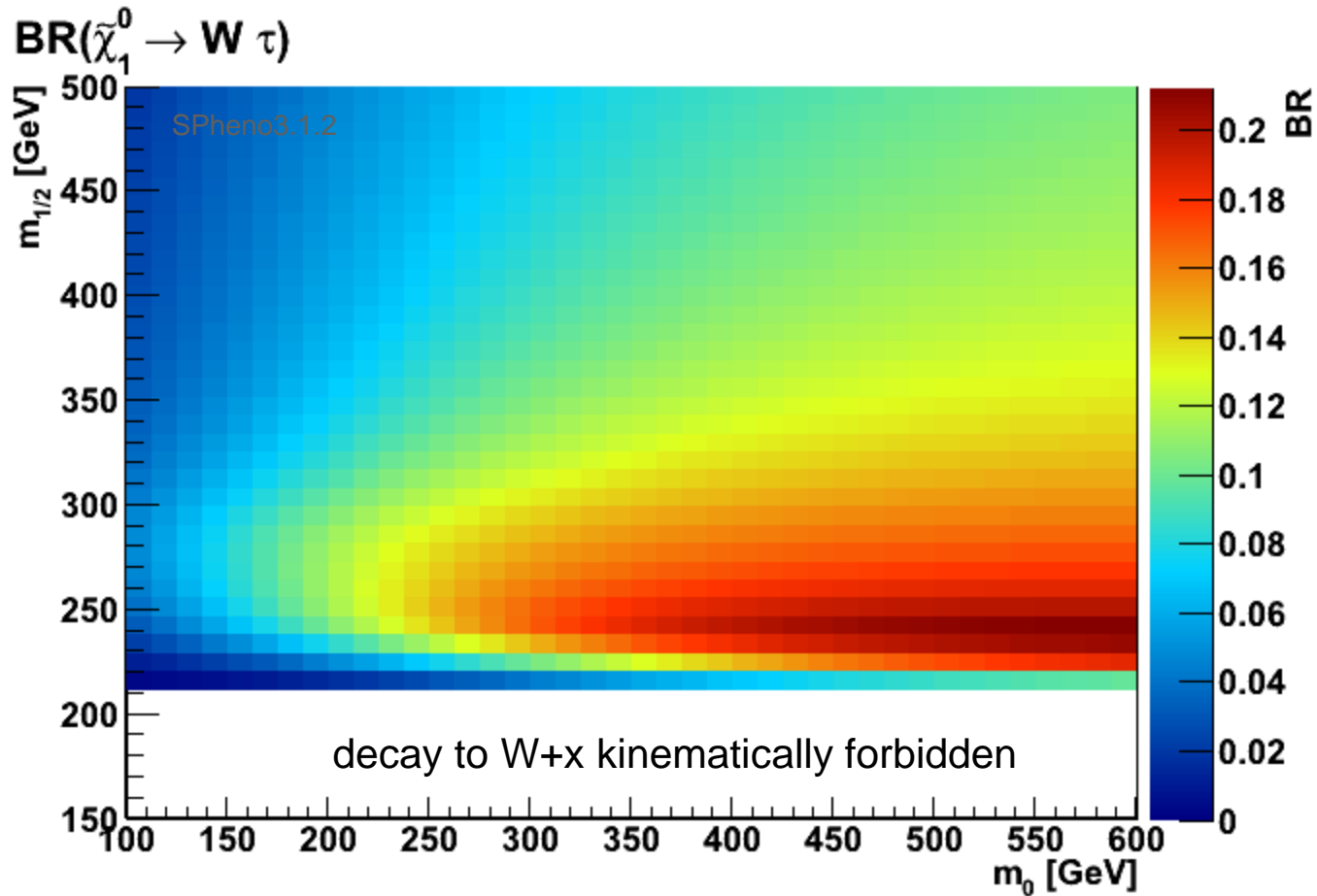
up to 29025 displaced ( $\tau jj$ ) - vertices

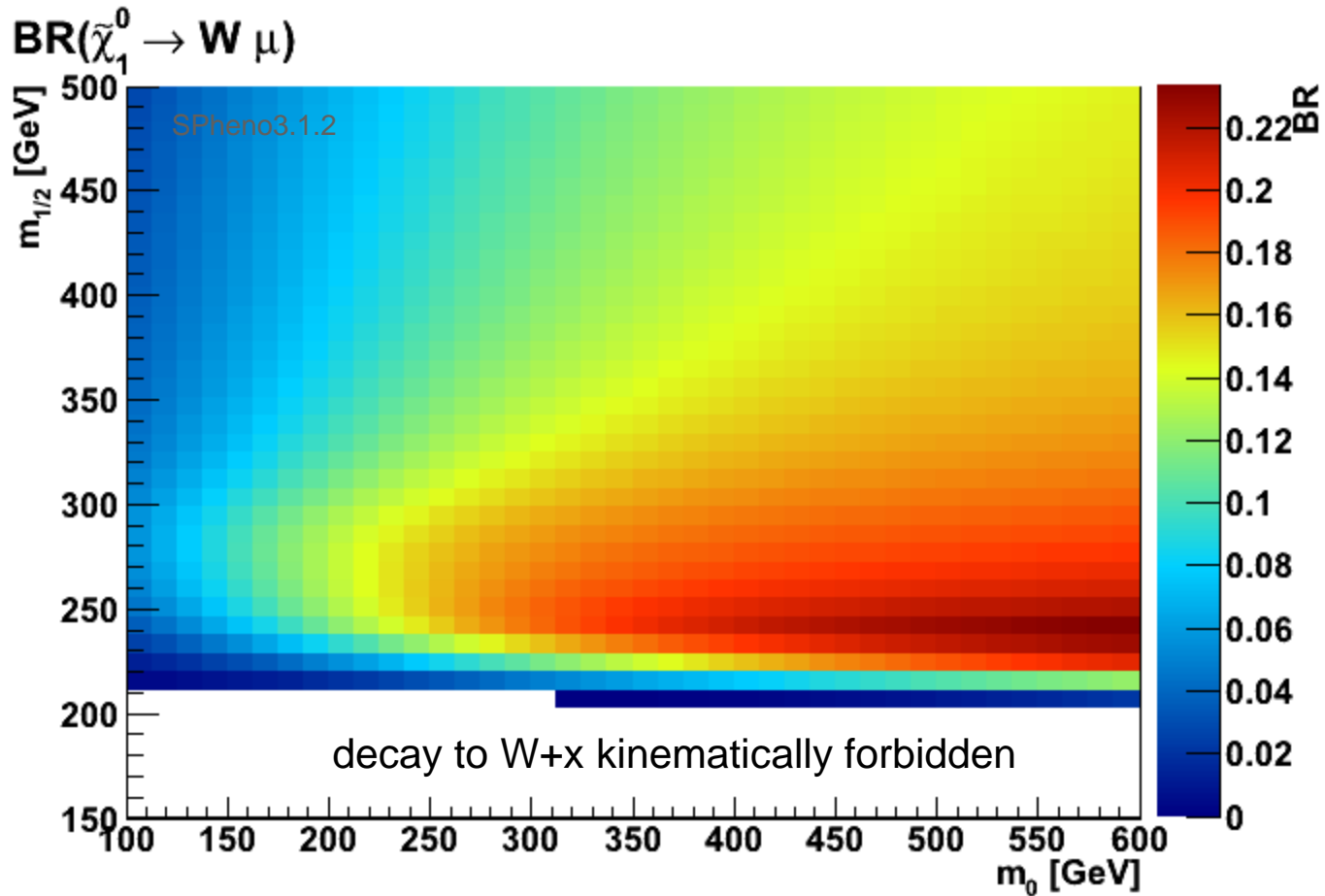




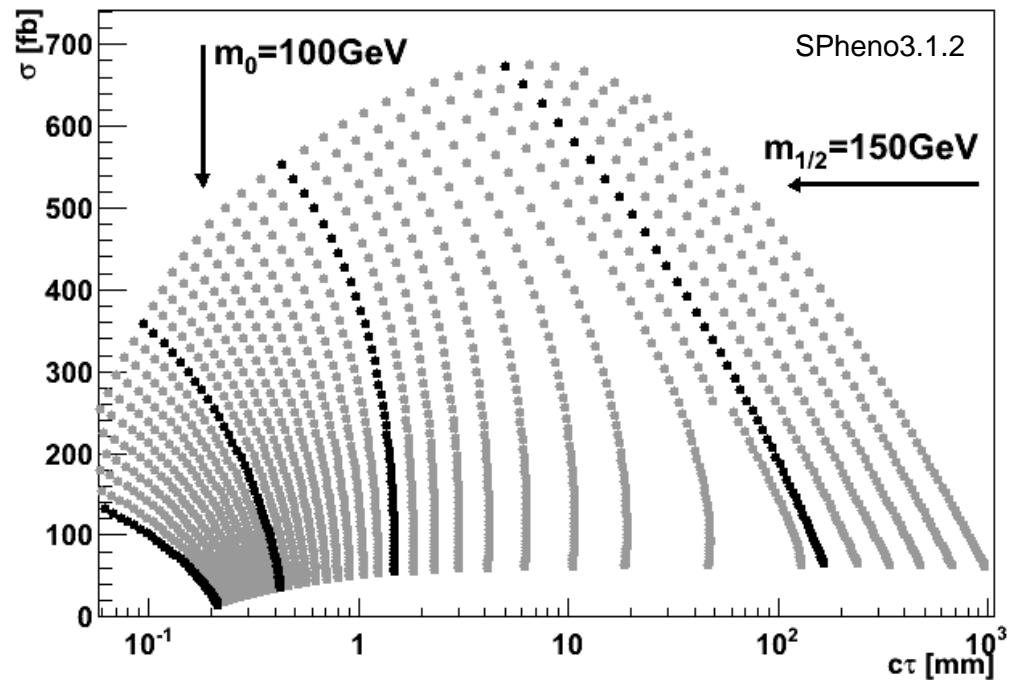




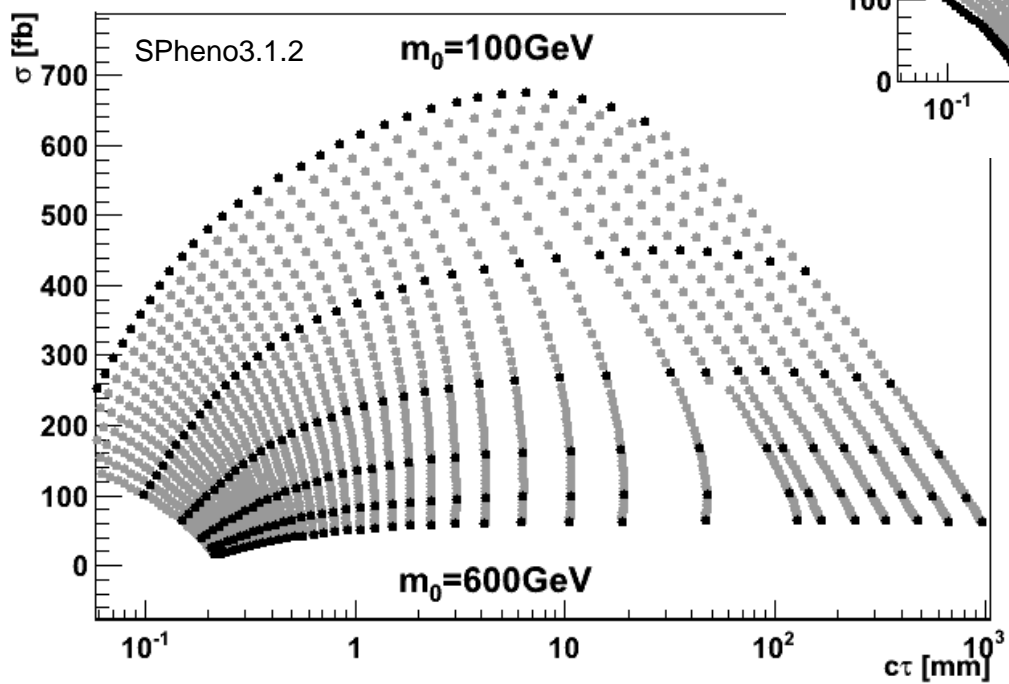




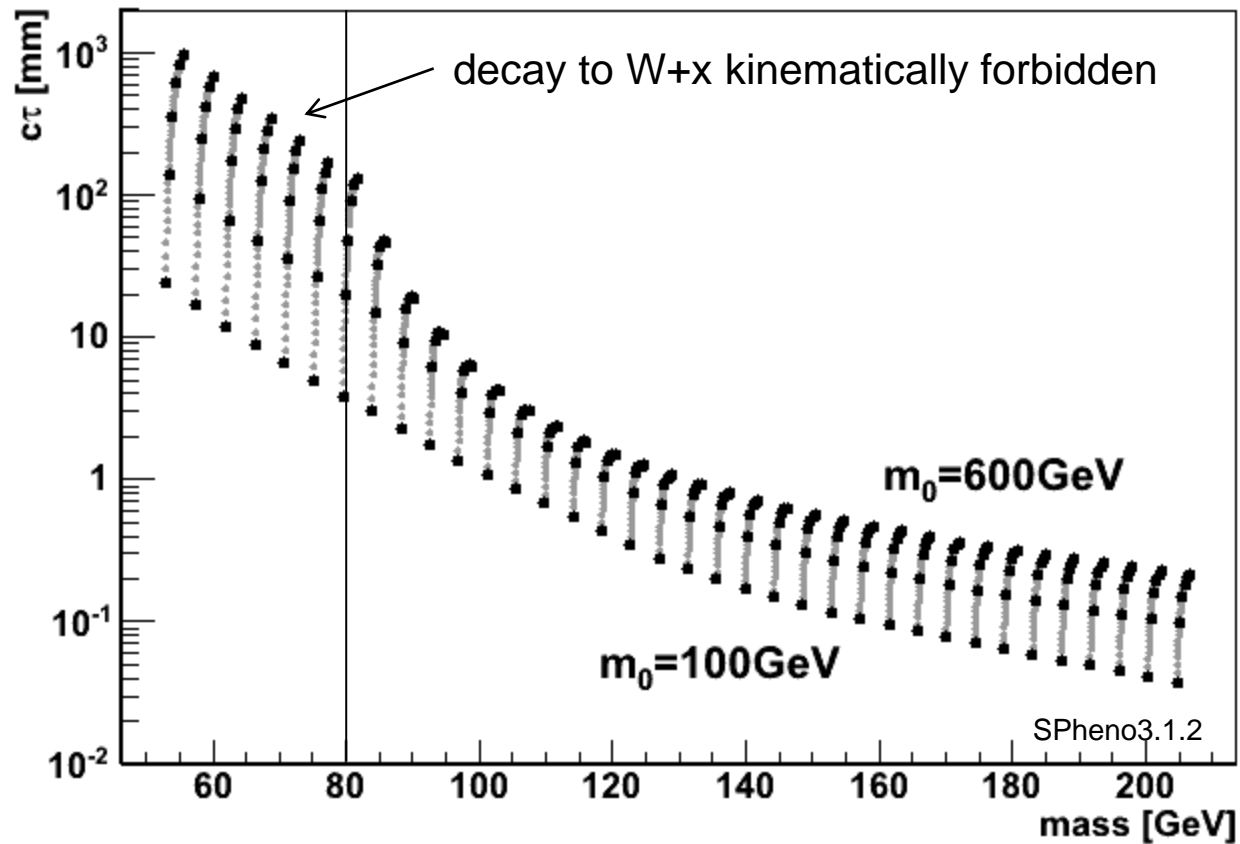
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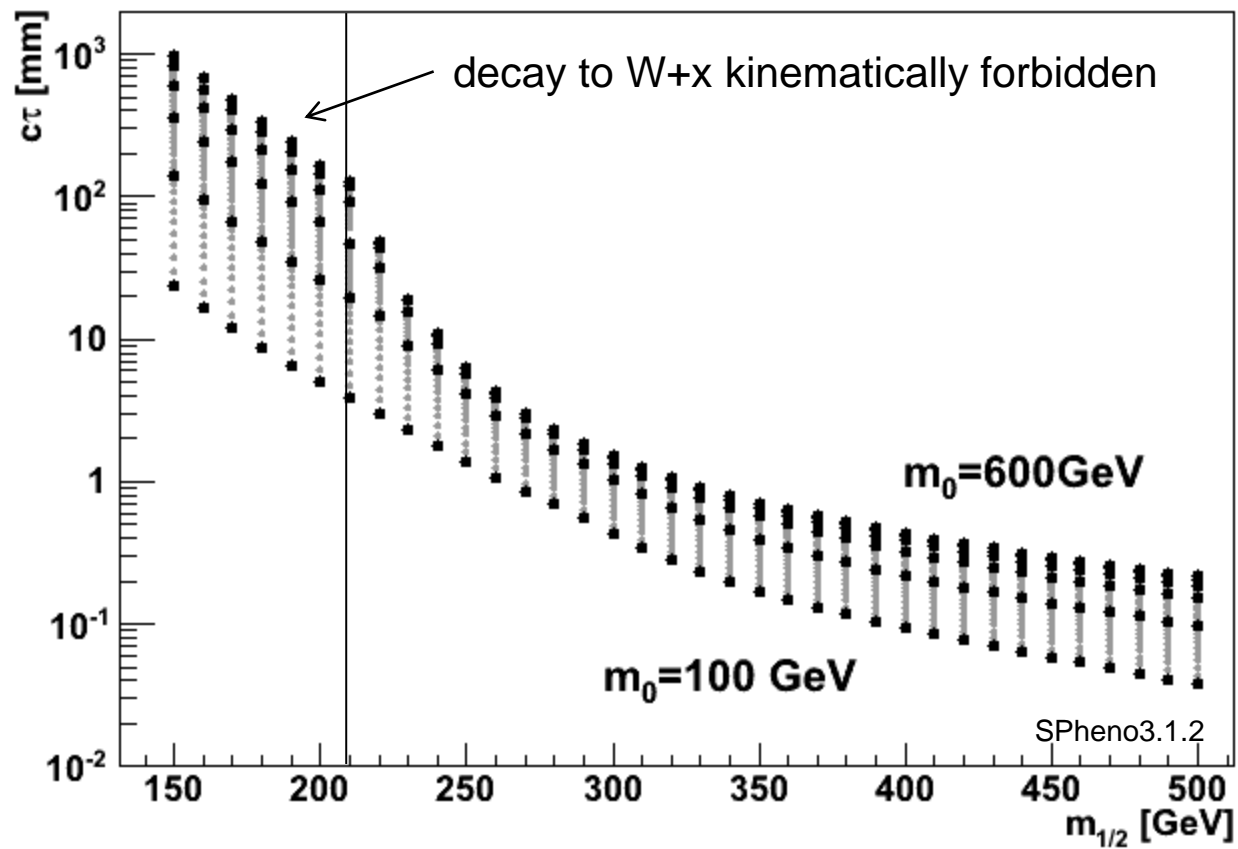
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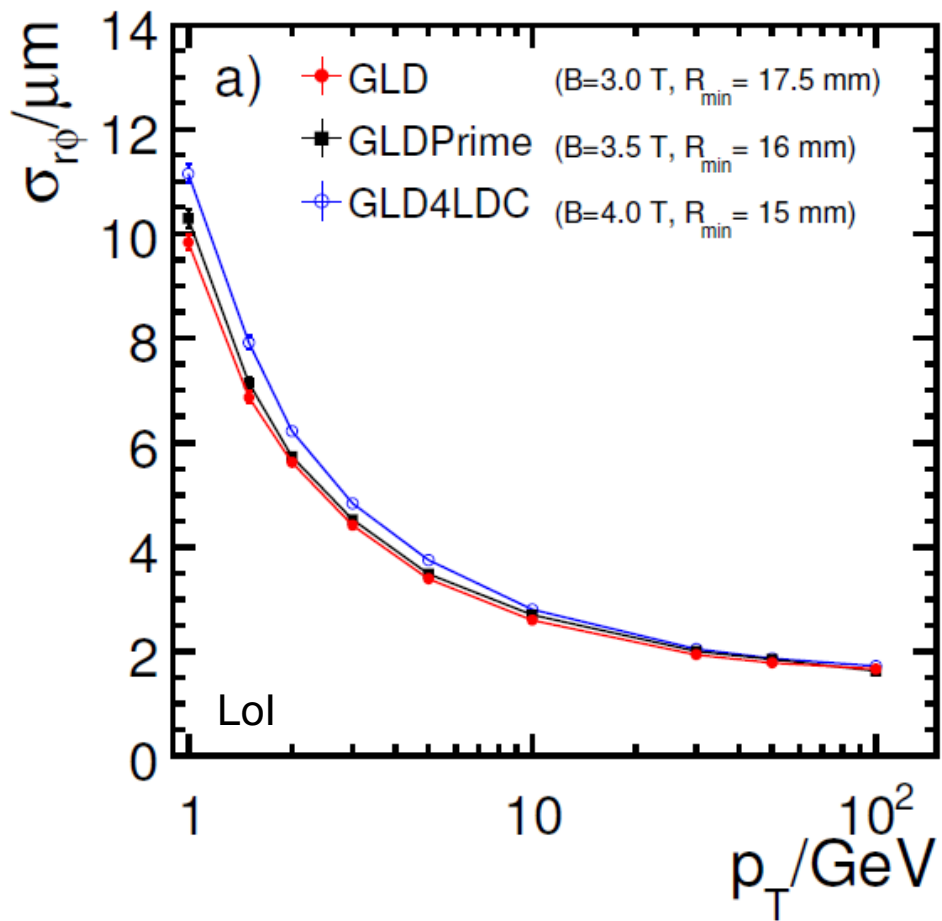


## life time of $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ for different masses



# life time of $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ for different $m_0$







## Superpotential

$$W = \underbrace{\varepsilon_{ab} \left( h_U^{ij} \hat{Q}_i^a \hat{U}_j \hat{H}_u^b + h_D^{ij} \hat{Q}_i^b \hat{D}_j \hat{H}_d^a + h_E^{ij} \hat{L}_i^b \hat{R}_j \hat{H}_u^a - \mu \hat{H}_d^a \hat{H}_u^b \right)}_{\text{MSSM superpotential}} + \underbrace{\varepsilon_i \hat{L}_i^a \hat{H}_u^b}_{\text{bRPV term}}$$

→ Higgs/Slepton-mixing

→ Sneutrinos acquire VEV  $\langle \tilde{\nu}_i \rangle = v_i$

→ corresponding RPV soft SUSY breaking term  $L_{soft}^{BRpV} = -B_i \varepsilon_{ab} \varepsilon_i \tilde{L}_i^a H_u^b$

$i=1\dots3$

## masses and mixings of neutral fermions

Basis of neutral fermions:  $\psi^{0T} = (-i\lambda', -i\lambda^3, \tilde{H}_d^1, \tilde{H}_u^2, \nu_e, \nu_\mu, \nu_\tau)$

Mass terms in the Lagrangian are given by:  $L_m = -\frac{1}{2} (\psi^0)^T \mathbf{M}_N \psi^0 + h.c.$

$$\mathbf{M}_N = \begin{pmatrix} M_{\chi^0} & m^T \\ m & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

4x4 MSSM neutralino mixing matrix → ← 4x3 RPV matrix

Approximate diagonalization of  $\mathbf{M}_N$

$$\mathbf{M}_N = \begin{pmatrix} M_{\chi^0} & m^T \\ m & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$\mathbf{M}_N$  can be block-diagonalized for small RPV parameters via the Seesaw-like diagonalization:

$$\mathbf{M}_N = \text{diag}(M_{\chi^0}, m_{\text{eff}})$$

$$m_{\text{eff}} = -m M_{\chi^0}^{-1} m^T = \frac{M_1 g^2 + M_2 g'^2}{4 \det M_{\chi^0}} \begin{pmatrix} \Lambda_e^2 & \Lambda_e \Lambda_\mu & \Lambda_e \Lambda_\tau \\ \Lambda_\mu \Lambda_e & \Lambda_\mu^2 & \Lambda_\mu \Lambda_\tau \\ \Lambda_\tau \Lambda_e & \Lambda_\tau \Lambda_\mu & \Lambda_\tau^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

where  $\Lambda_i = \varepsilon_i v_d + \mu v_i$  „alignment parameters“

A final diagonalization of  $M_{\chi^0}$  leads to the neutralino masses  $m_{\chi_i^0}$  and a diagonalization of  $m_{\text{eff}}$  leads to one tree level neutrino mass.



## Benchmark scenario/ mass spectrum

### MSSM – mSUGRA

#### SPS 1a'

$$m_0 = 70 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{1/2} = 250 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\tan \beta = 10$$

$$\text{sgn}(\mu) = 1$$

$$A_0 = -300 \text{ GeV}$$

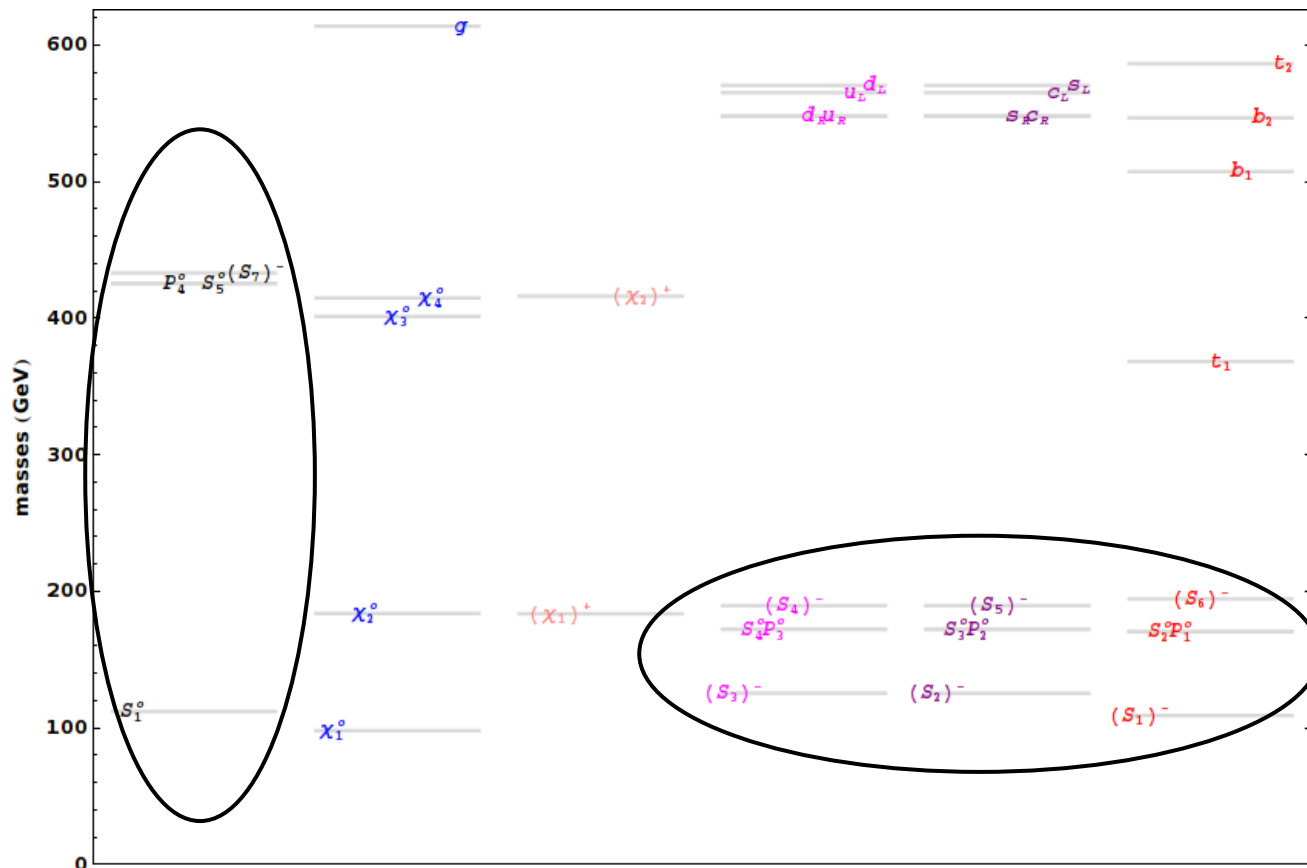
#### bRPV parameters

Fit to neutrino data

#### Spectrum generator

SPheno 3.0beta

(arXiv:hep-ph/0301101)



→ Higgs/Slepton mixing (new particle names S, P)



## Systematical uncertainties (one example)

$\int L dt = 500 \text{ fb}^{-1}$  (4 years of ILC running)

$\sigma_{+-}(500\text{GeV}) = 2200 \text{ fb}$

Detection efficiency = 0.5

$\rightarrow N_{W\mu} = 37500 \cdot 0.5 = 18750 \quad \sigma_{\text{rel}}^{\text{stat}} = 0.74\%$

$\rightarrow N_{W\tau} = 34100 \cdot 0.5 = 17050 \quad \sigma_{\text{rel}}^{\text{stat}} = 0.77\%$

$\sigma_{\text{rel}}^{\text{stat}}(\text{Br}(\chi \rightarrow W\mu) / \text{Br}(\chi \rightarrow W\tau)) \approx 1\%$

$\rightarrow \theta_{\text{atm}} = (46.36 \pm 0.15)^\circ$

## Signal/background estimation

- tree level cross sections for SM BG (Whizard 2.0; arXiv:0708.4233)
- just looking for similar final states

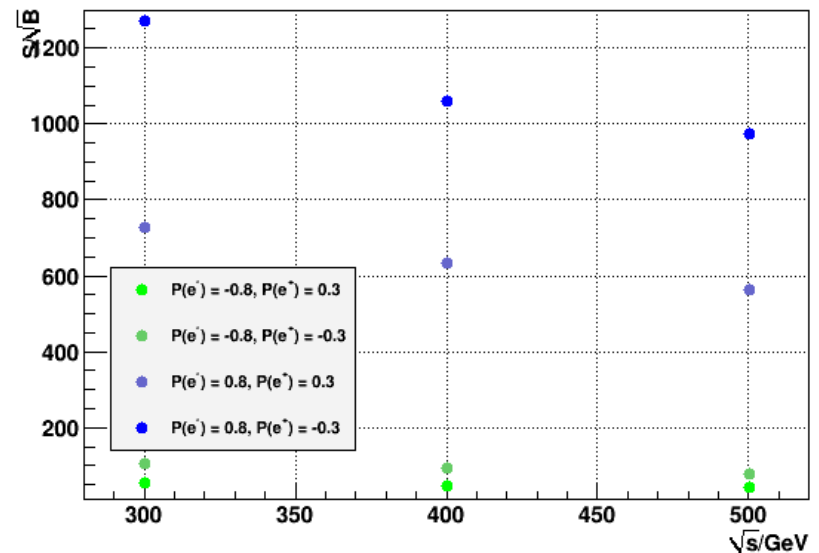
for example:

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow (\nu\tau\tau)(\nu\tau\mu)$$

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow SM \rightarrow \tau\tau\nu\mu\nu$$

$$= 3\tau + 1\mu + \text{MET}$$

$S/\sqrt{B}$  for  $3\tau+1\mu+\text{MET}$



$\rightarrow$  Comparable results for almost all decay channels (at least  $S/\sqrt{B} > 10$ )