SUSY Precision Spectroscopy at the ILC

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Introduction

Exclusion or Discovery ?

- Observables
 - Observables: Pair-production, two-body decay
 - More observables
 - Observables: Summary

Measurement

- 5 Example: SPS1a'/STC4
 - The $\tilde{\tau}$ channel
 - $\tilde{\mu}$ channels
 - Polarisation and Near Degenerate ẽ

Conclusions

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Observables: Pair-production, two-body decay

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Example: SPS1a'/STC4

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- 11 parameters.
- Separate gluino
- Higgs, un-coloured, and coloured scalar parameters separate

Parameters chosen to deliver all constraints (LHC, LEP, cosmology, low energy).

At E_{CMS} = 500 GeV:

- All sleptons available.
- No squarks.
- Lighter bosinos, up to $\tilde{\chi}^0_3$ (in $e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}^0_1 \tilde{\chi}^0_3$)

(For SPS1a', see J. List, P. Bechtle, P. Schade, M.B., PRD 82,no5 (2010), arXiv:0908.0876)

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STC4 mass-spectrum



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Extracting the $\tilde{\tau}$ properties

See Phys.Rev.D82:055016,2010

Use polarisation (0.8,-0.22) to reduce bosino background.

From decay kinematics:

- $M_{\tilde{\tau}}$ from $M_{\tilde{\chi}_{\tau}^0}$ and end-point of spectrum = $E_{\tau,max}$.
- Other end-point hidden in γγ background:Must get M_{χ̃1} from other sources. (μ̃, ẽ, ...)

From cross-section:

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$$\sigma_{\tilde{\tau}} = A(\theta_{\tilde{\tau}}, \mathcal{P}_{beam}) \times \beta^3/s$$
, so
• $M_{\tilde{\tau}} = E_{beam} \sqrt{1 - (\sigma s/A)^{2/3}}$: no $M_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$!

From decay spectra:

• \mathcal{P}_{τ} from exclusive decay-mode(s): handle on mixing angles $\theta_{\tilde{\tau}}$ and $\theta_{\tilde{\chi}_{1}^{0}}$

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 - High Acolinearity, with little correlation to the energy of the τ decay-products.
 - Central production.
 - No forward-backward asymmetry.

Select this by:

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- $N_{ch} < 10$
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Results for $\tilde{\tau}_2$

 $M_{{\widetilde au}_2}=183^{+11}_{-5}{
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Results from cross-section for $\tilde{\tau}_2$

$$\Delta(N_{signal})/N_{signal} = 4.2\% \rightarrow \Delta(M_{ ilde{ au}_2}) = 3.6 \text{GeV}/c^2$$

End-point + Cross-section $\rightarrow \Delta(M_{ ilde{ au}_1}) = 1.7 \text{GeV}/c^2$

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