

Composite Higgs vs LHC Data

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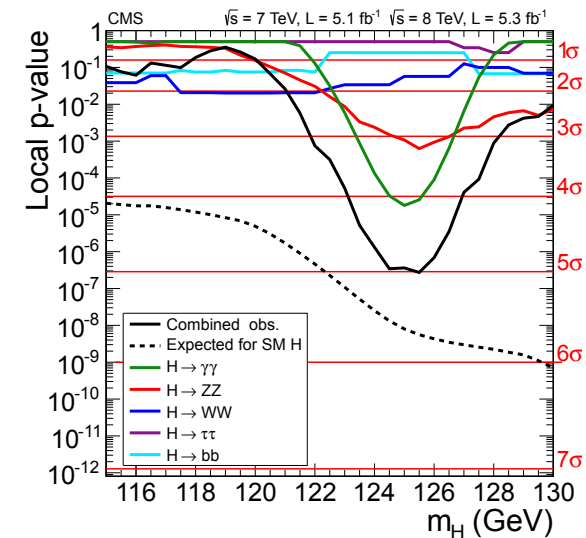


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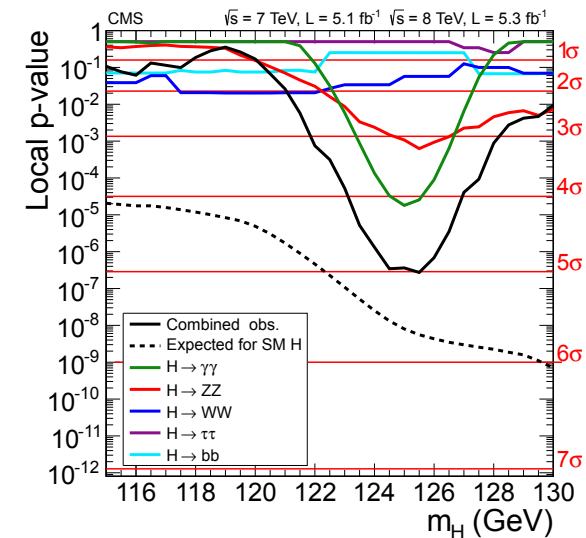


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Where is BSM scale Λ_{UV} ?

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Good reasons to guess $\Lambda_{\text{UV}} \gg \text{TeV}$ (e.g. 10^{16}GeV):

- **Accidental Symmetries**
 - **Minimal Flavor Violation**
 - **Majorana neutrinos (?)**
- deviations suppressed by $1/\Lambda_{\text{UV}}^p$
- $\Rightarrow m_\nu \sim v^2/\Lambda_{\text{UV}}$

One reason to expect $\Lambda_{\text{UV}} \sim \text{TeV}$:

The Hierarchy Problem

$$m_{H|pole}^2 = c\Lambda_{UV}^2 + \delta m_H^2$$

$$\delta m_H^2 = \text{---} \frac{H}{\quad} \text{---} \circlearrowleft[t] \text{---} \frac{H}{\quad} \text{---} \simeq -\frac{y_t^2}{16\pi^2} \Lambda_{\text{UV}}^2$$

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Realistic Higgs requires **tuning** :

$$\Delta \geq \frac{\delta m_H^2}{m_{H|pole}^2} \simeq \left(\frac{125 \text{ GeV}}{m_H} \right)^2 \left(\frac{\Lambda_{UV}}{400 \text{ GeV}} \right)^2$$

$$\Delta \lesssim 100 \Rightarrow \Lambda_{UV} \lesssim 4 \text{ TeV} \Rightarrow \text{New physics in LHC range}$$

Is Hierarchy a problem of Nature or just a problem of theory ?

LHC data will answer !

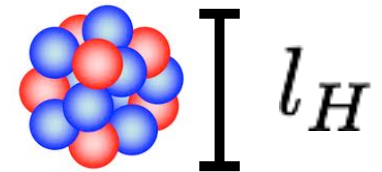
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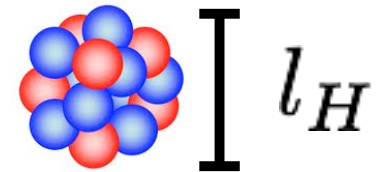
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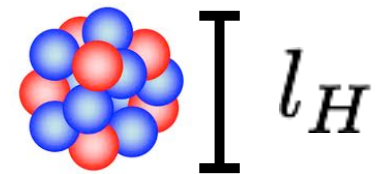
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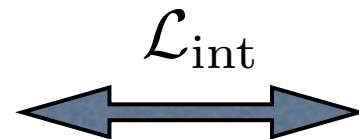
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3. SM fermions and gauge coupled **linearly** to the strong sector

Composite Sector



Elementary Sector



$W_\mu^{1,2,3}, B_\mu, f_L, f_R$

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$$y_f = \text{[Feynman diagram: two fermion lines meeting at a vertex with a dashed line] } \sim \frac{y_L y_R}{g_\rho}$$

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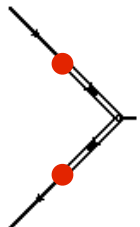
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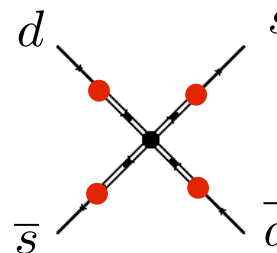
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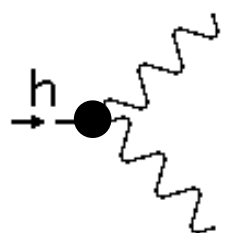
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Anomalous couplings from σ -model non-linearities :

$$\mathcal{L}_\pi = \frac{f^2}{4} d_\mu^i d_i^\mu = \frac{1}{2} (\partial h)^2 + \frac{g^2}{4} f^2 \sin^2 \frac{h}{f} \left(|W|^2 + \frac{1}{2c_w^2} Z^2 \right)$$

Higgs-W couplings:



$$= i \frac{g^2}{4} v \sqrt{1 - \xi}$$

deviations from SM controlled by

$$\xi \equiv \frac{v^2}{f^2} = \sin^2 \frac{\langle h \rangle}{f}$$

EWPT suggest mild deviations: $\xi \simeq 0.2$ or $\xi \simeq 0.1$.

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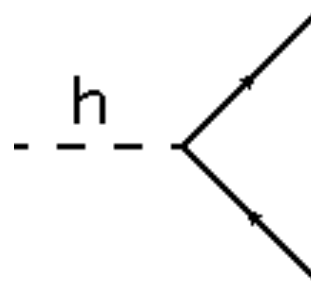
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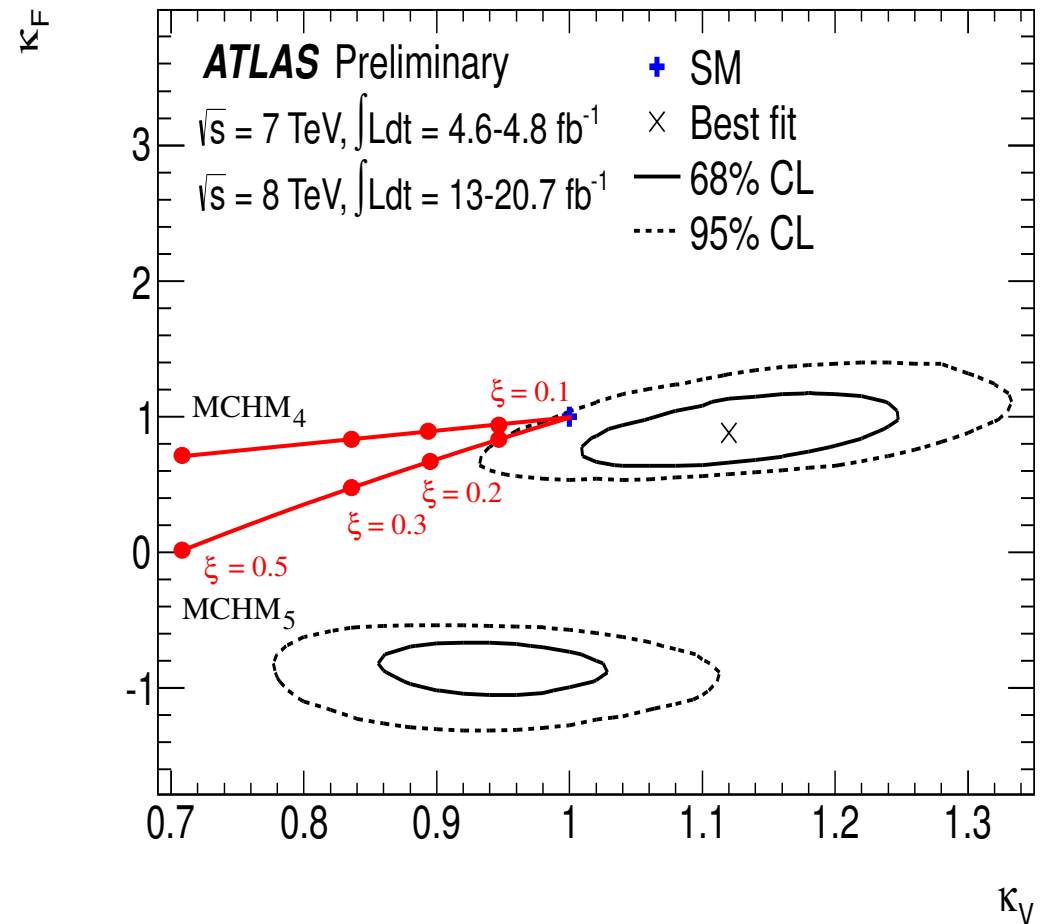
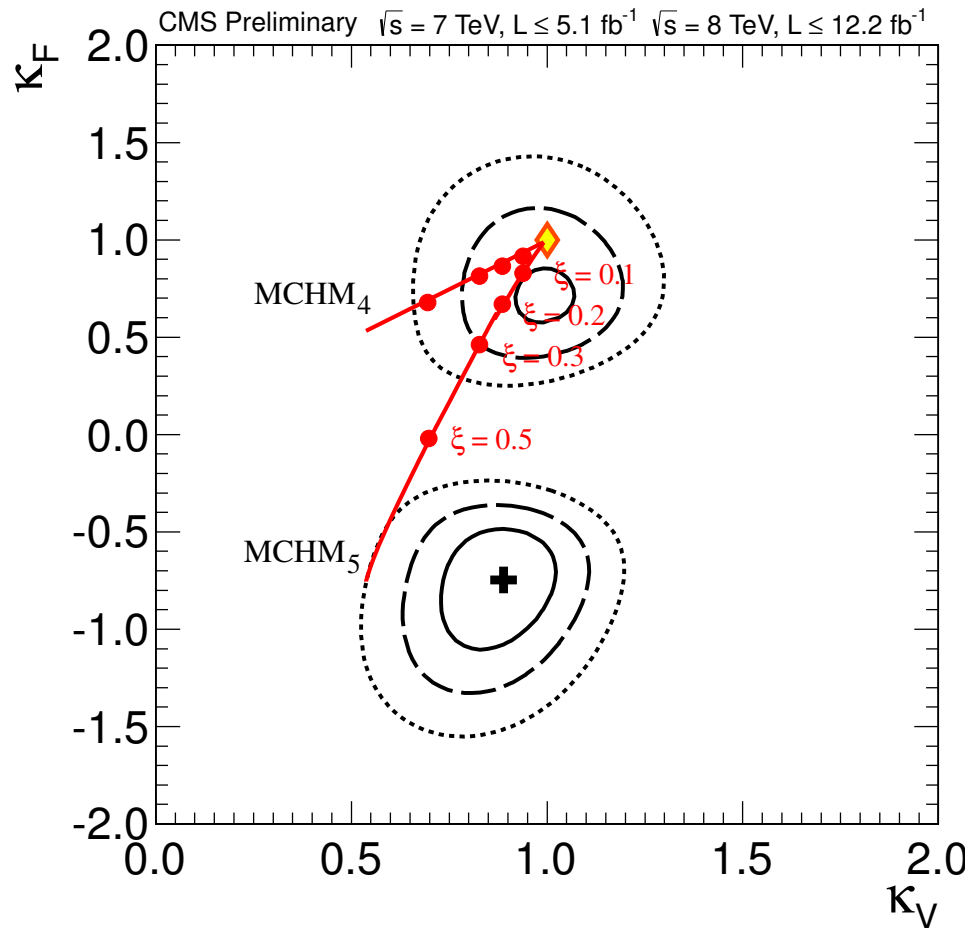
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$$= i \frac{m_f}{v} c$$

Goldstone Boson Higgs

Some updated fit:

courtesy of G. Panico



Refs.: Contino et al., Grojean et al. 2012,
see also talks by C.Delaunay and D.Barducci

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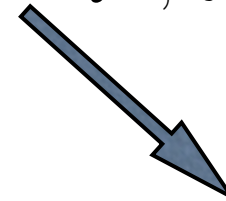
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Important Remark:

\mathcal{O} and Q **carry color !**

Q = “vector-like colored fermions”
(partners)

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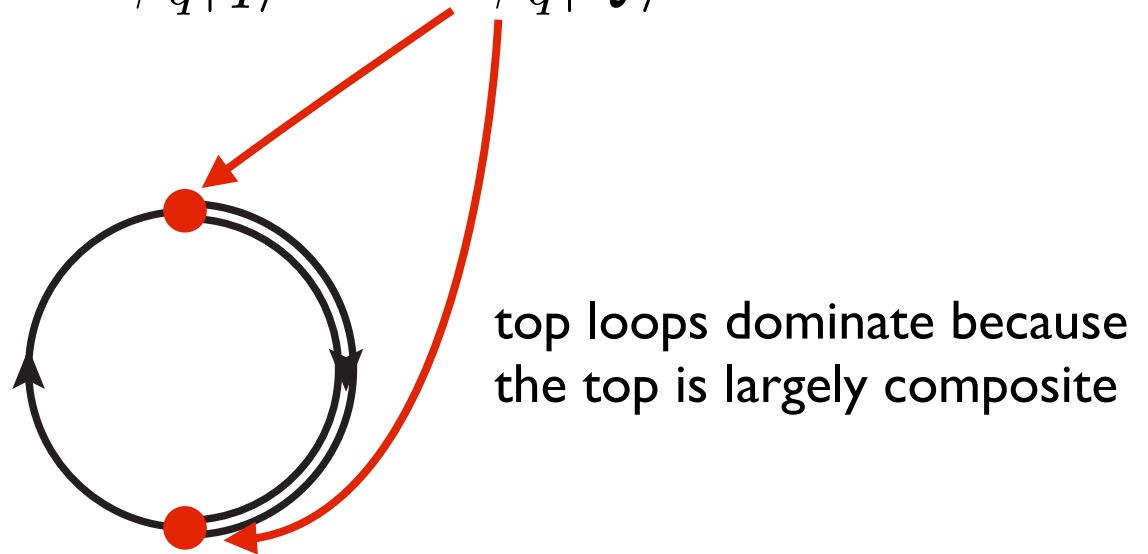
physical particles are **partially composite**:

$$|SM_q\rangle = \cos \phi_q |q\rangle + \sin \phi_q |Q\rangle$$

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Elementary/composite mixing breaks Goldstone symmetry.
Thus generates **Higgs potential**. (like pion mass from QED)

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Expected connection among **top partners** physics,
Higgs mass and VEV

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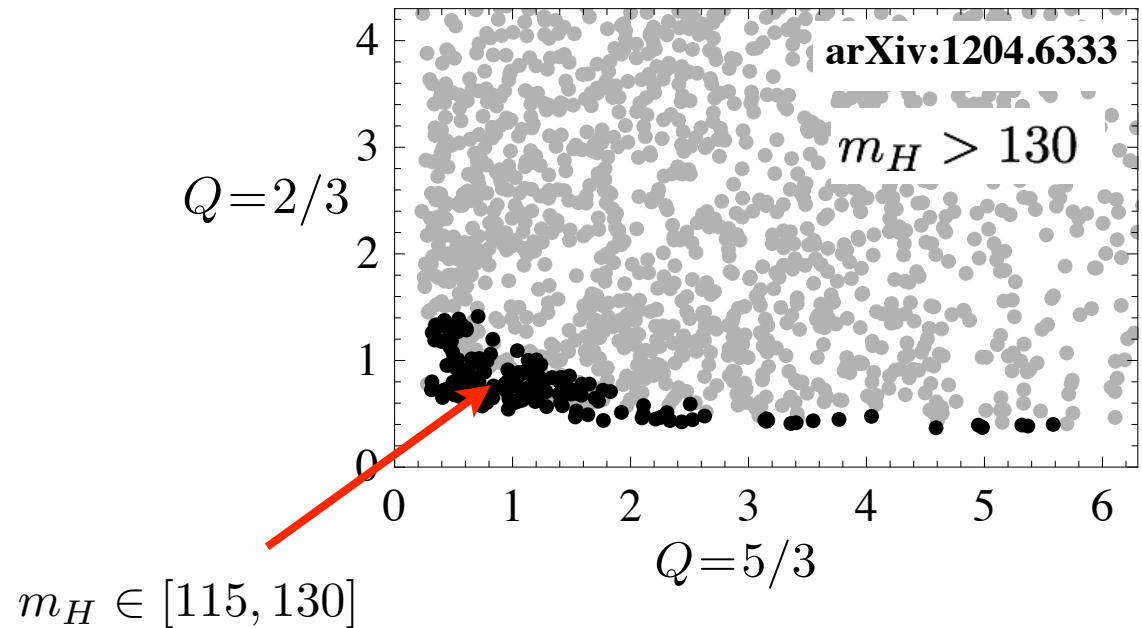
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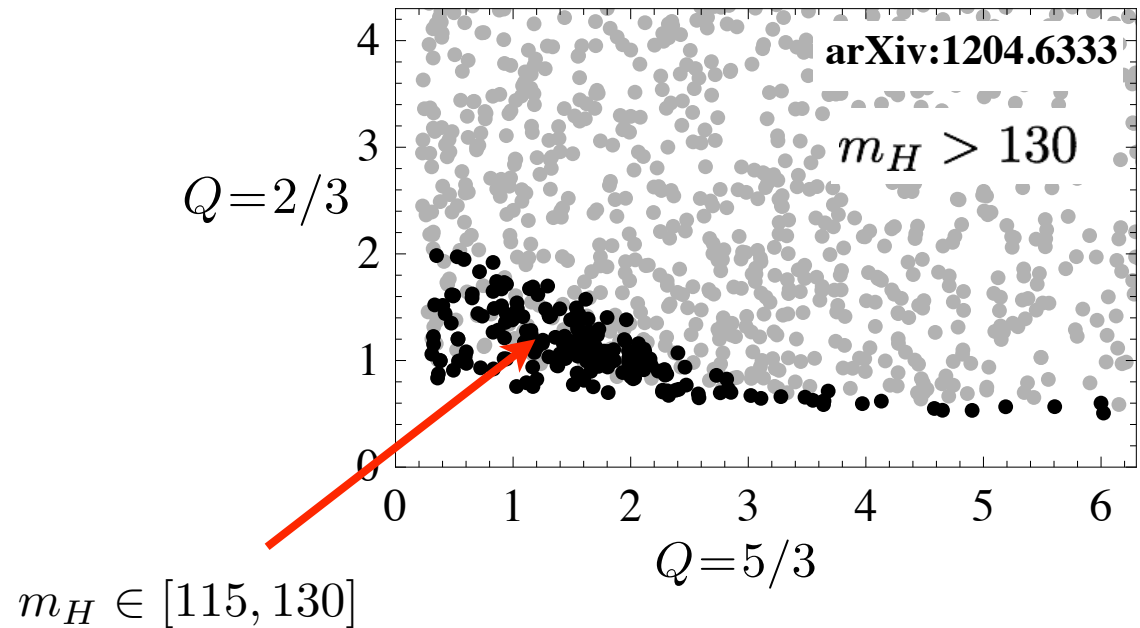
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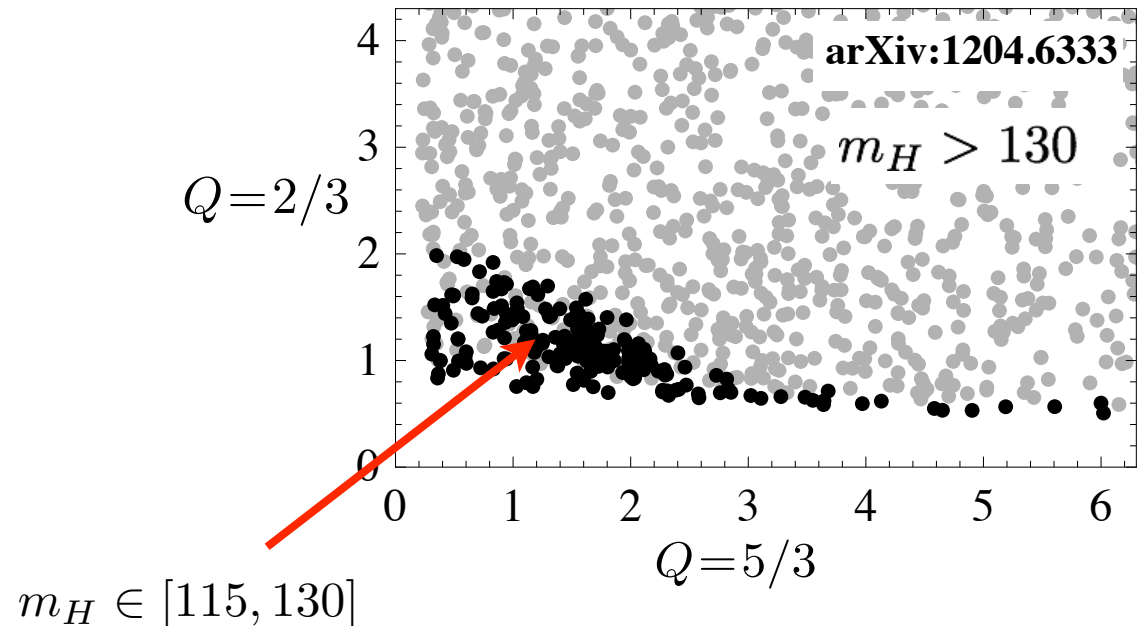
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Result confirmed in many ways:

Contino et al 2007,
Marzocca-Serone 2012 → (see talk by D.Marzocca)
Pomarol-Riva 2012

We find the same from general analysis (Panico, Redi, Tesi, AW 2012)

e.g. MCHM₁₄: $\mathcal{O}_L \in 14$ and **composite** t_R

Embedded in promising explicit 5d model (Pappadopulo, Torre, Thamm 2013).
(see talk by A.Thamm)

Top Partners

Top Partners @ LHC studied by several groups:

Contino, Servant 2008

Aguilar-Saavedra 2009

Mrazek, AW 2009

Dissertori, Furlan et al 2010

Barcelo, Carmona et al 2011

Vignaroli 2012

Cacciapaglia et al. 2012/2013

Santiago et al. 2013

(see talk by J.Santiago)

Don't forget other resonances
(see talk by A.Kaminska)

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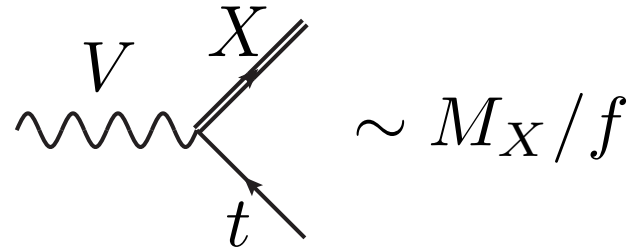
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Spectrum:

—— B
—— T

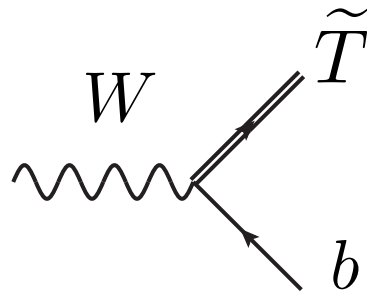
==== $X_{2/3}$
==== $X_{5/3}$

Couplings:



because Goldstones are derivatively coupled

Case #2, **singlet** of custodial $SO(4)$ \tilde{T}

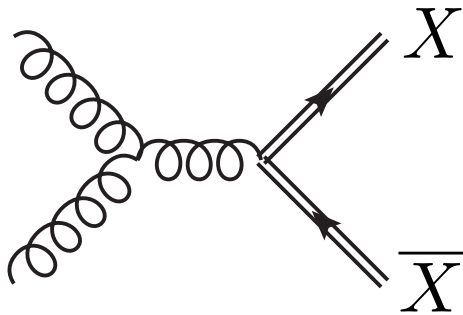


sizable coupling to bottom quark

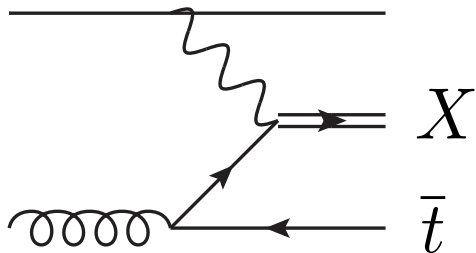
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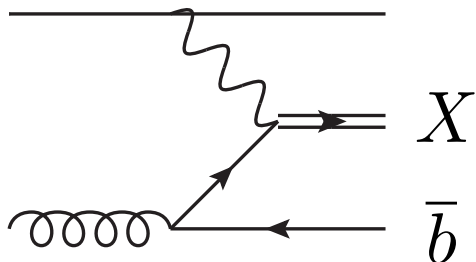
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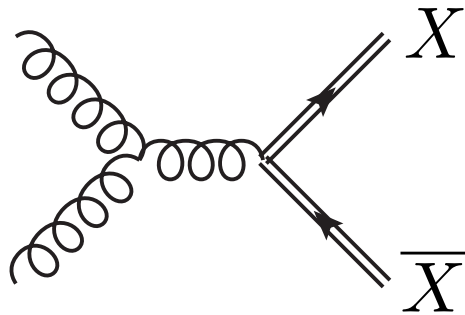


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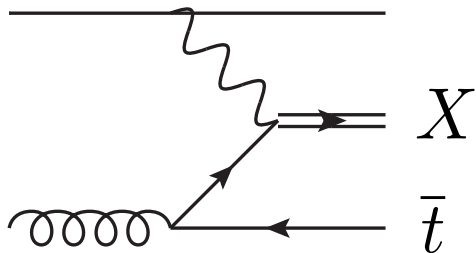
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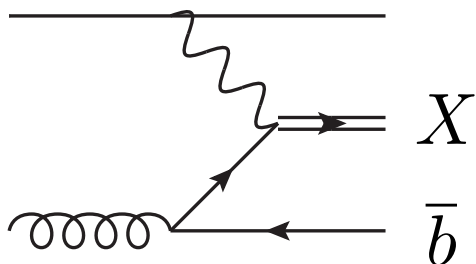
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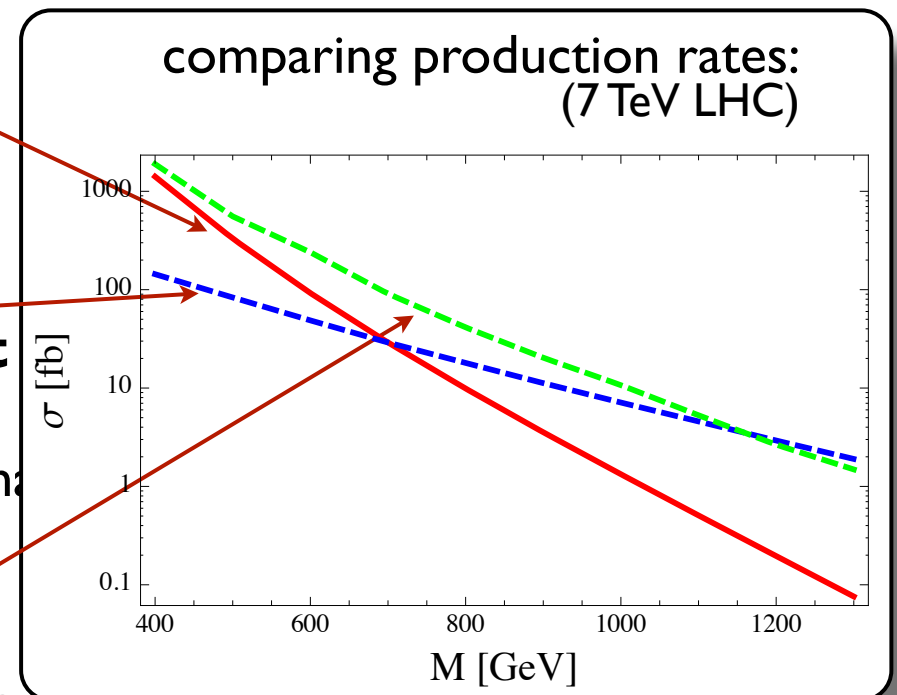
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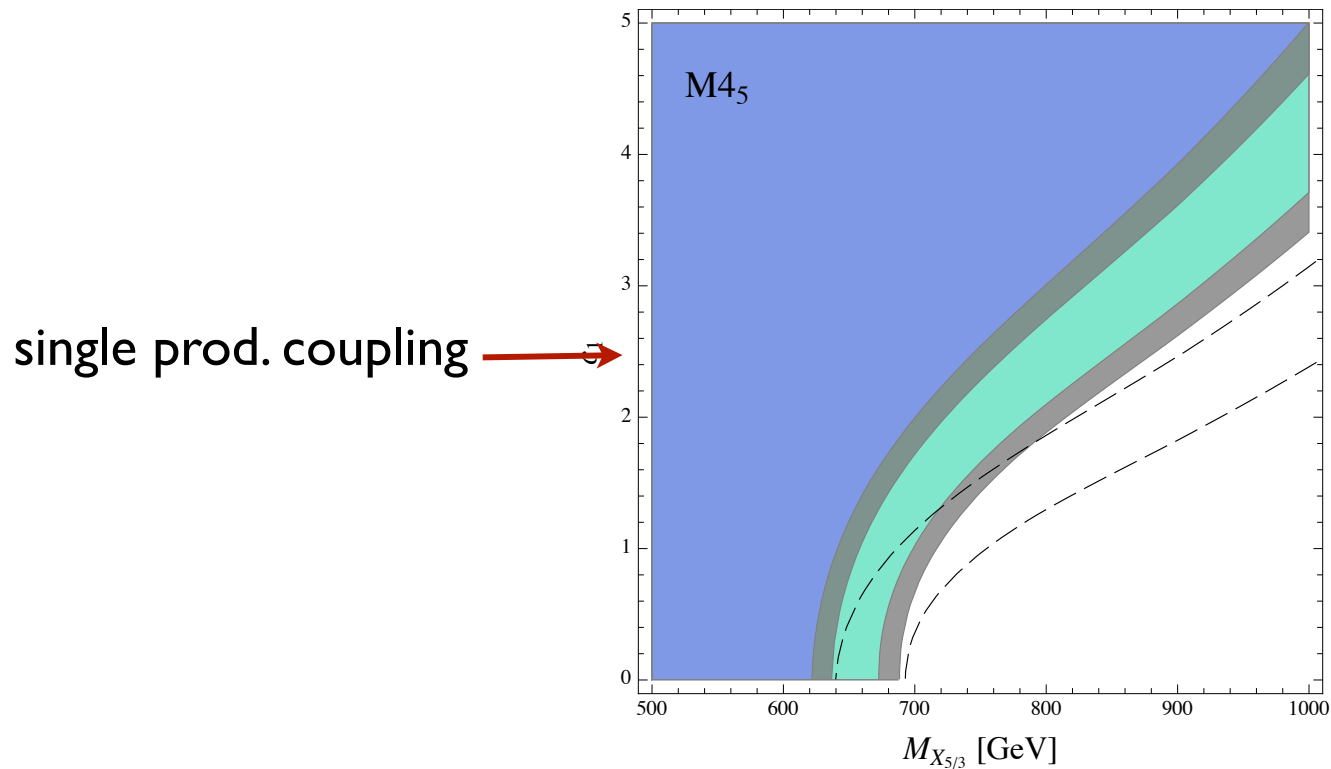
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Example I: recasting the CMS b' search

(CMS-PAS-EXO-11-036)

Sensitive to $X_{5/3}$ pair and single, though not optimized for the latter one

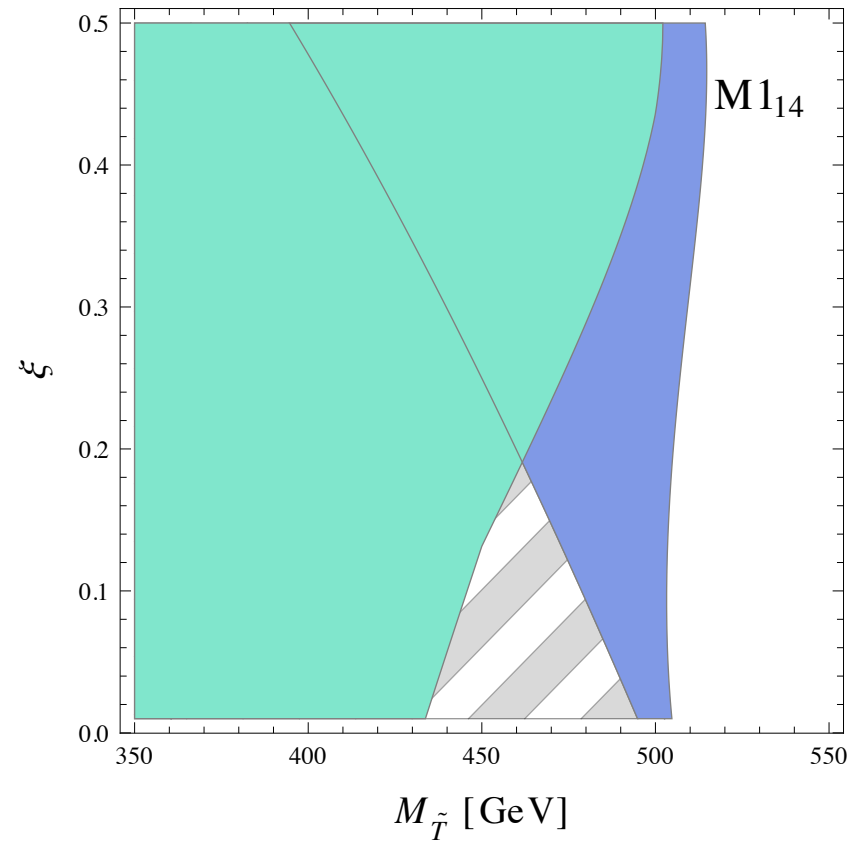
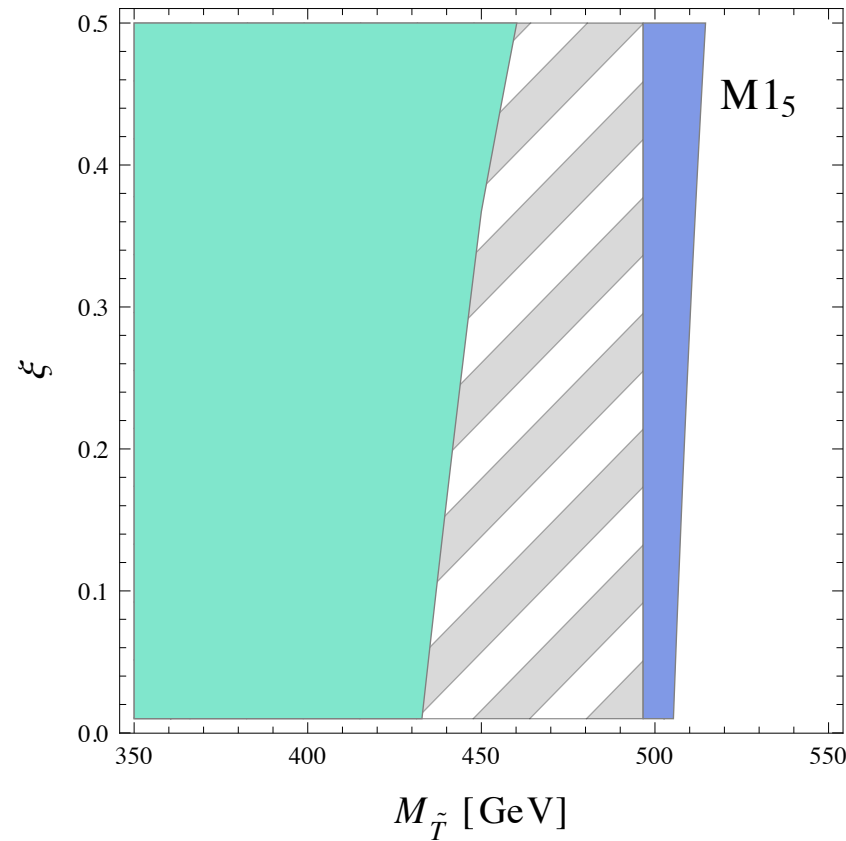


Significant improvement of the bound from single production

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Bounds on \tilde{T} :

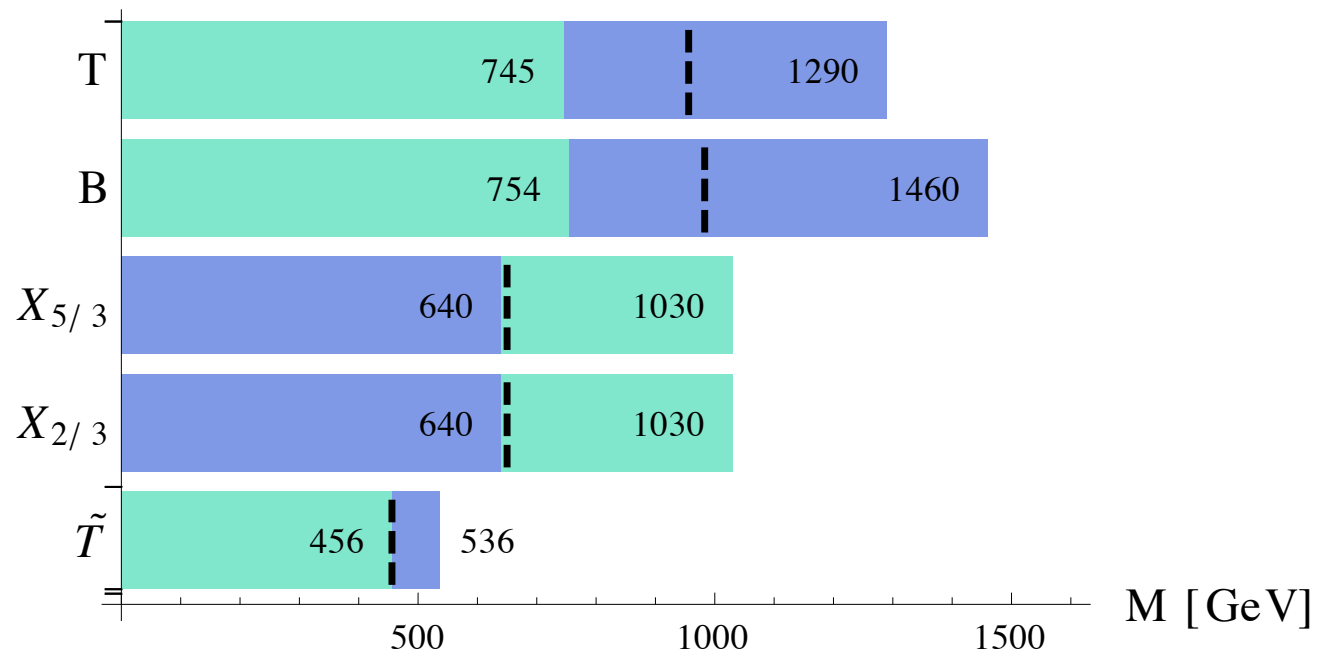


Weaker because current searches are not sensitive to sing. prod with b

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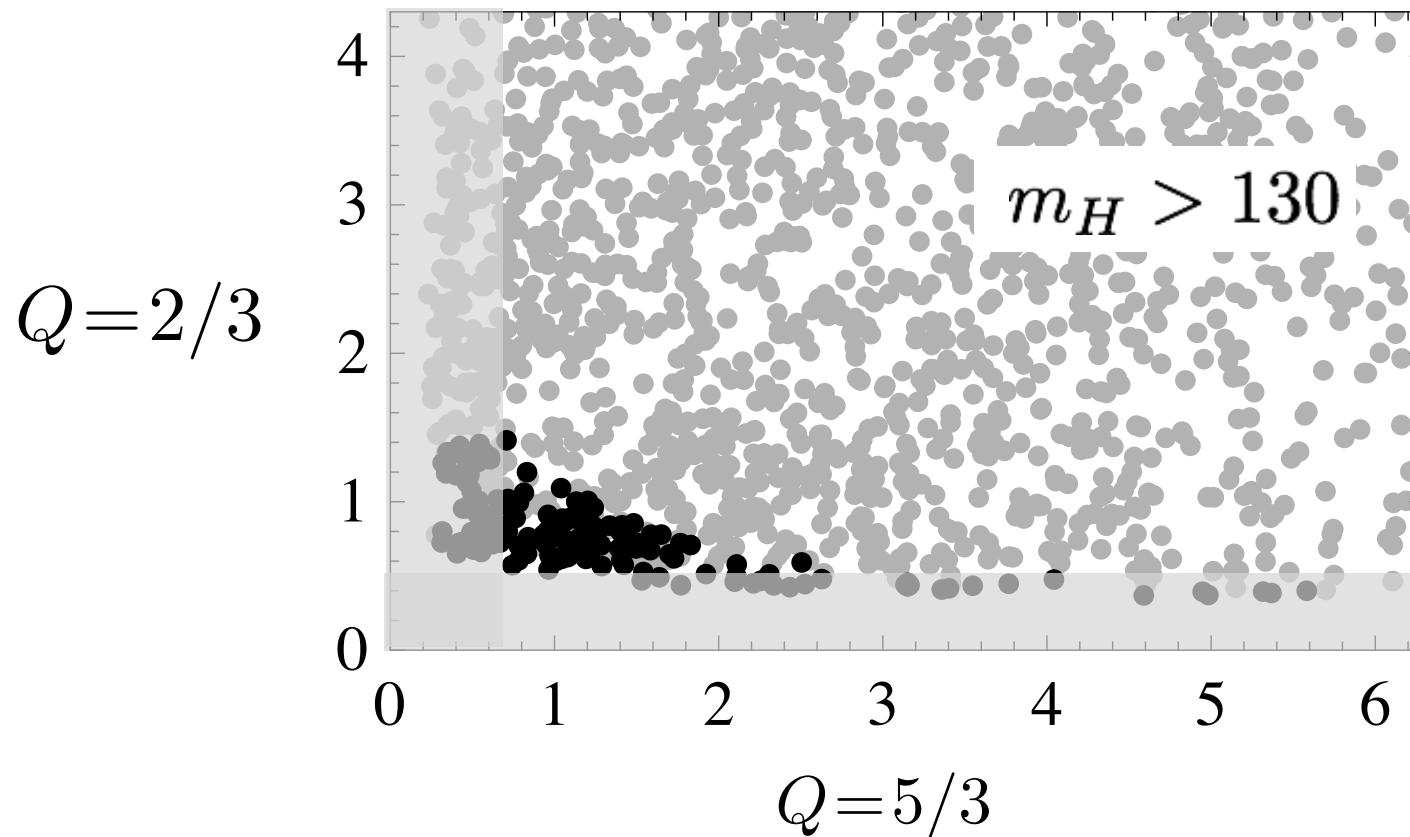
However some tuning was expected already from EWPT

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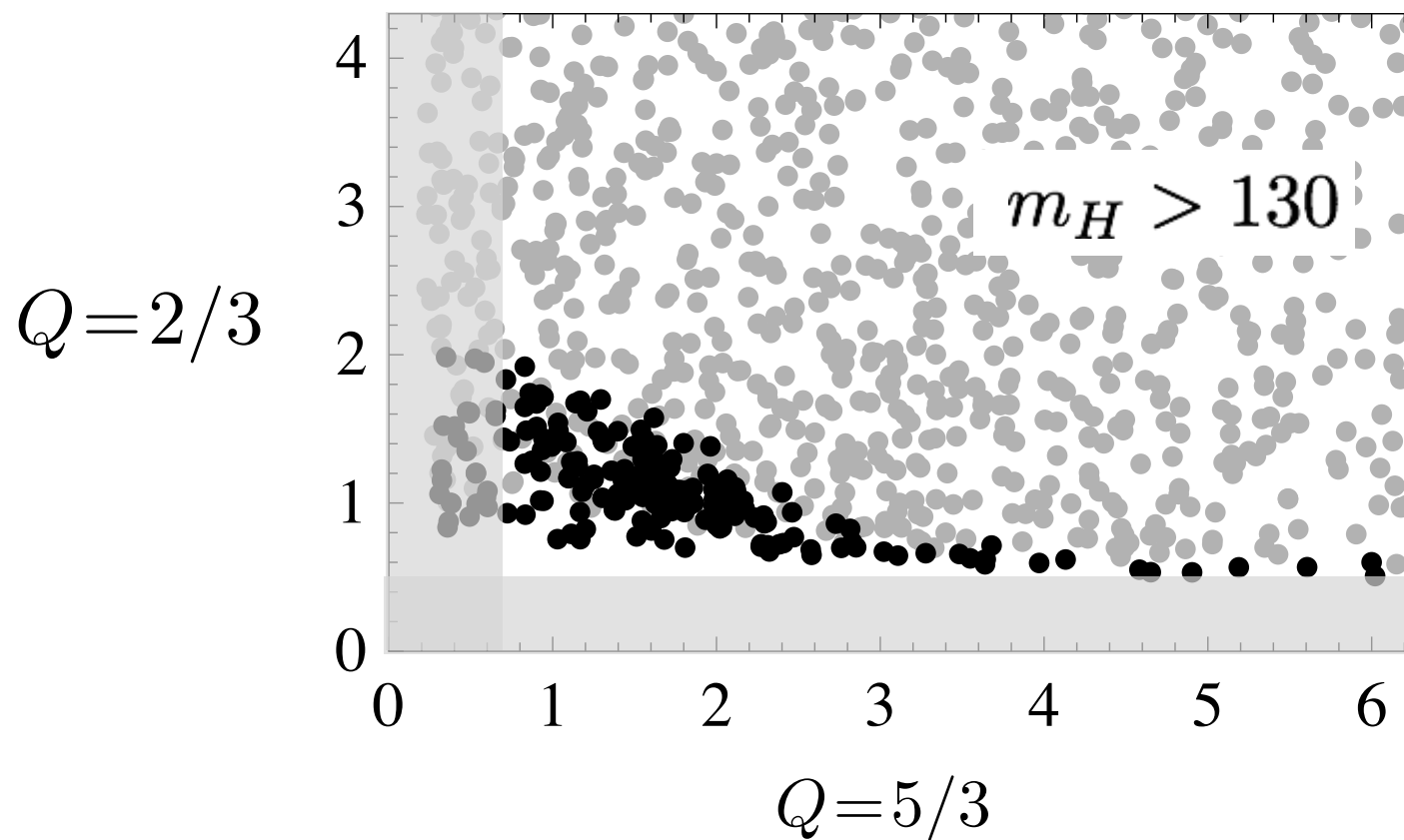


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Top partner searches are still at a primitive stage, needs work from both the th. and exp. community.

Many aspects of model-building understood only recently, further thinking might lead to further surprises

Effects of top partners on EWPT needs to be reassessed
(see talk by O. Matsedonski)