

Phenomenology of a simple quiver

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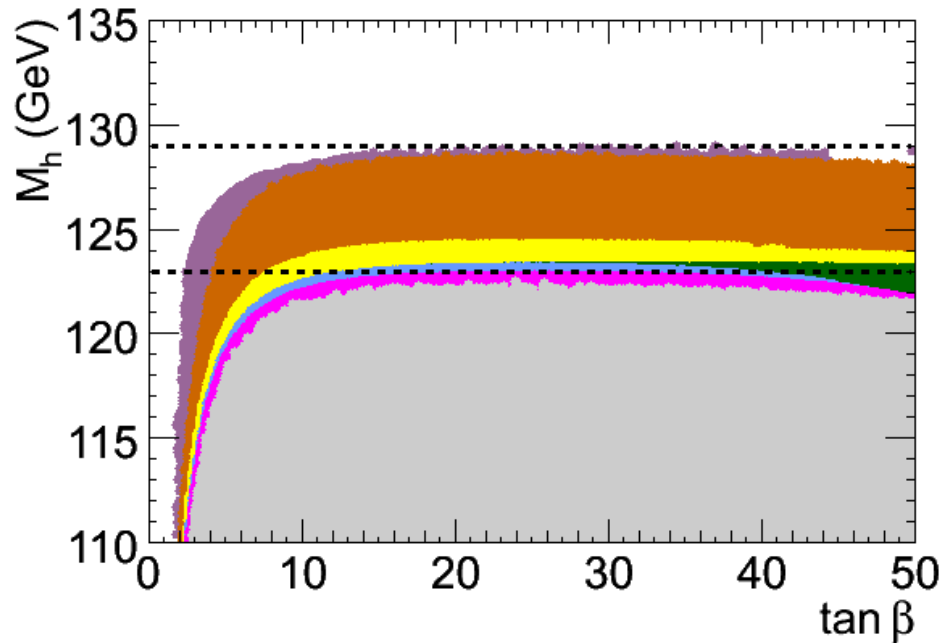
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- Some theoretical developments
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SUSY models and a Higgs at 126 GeV

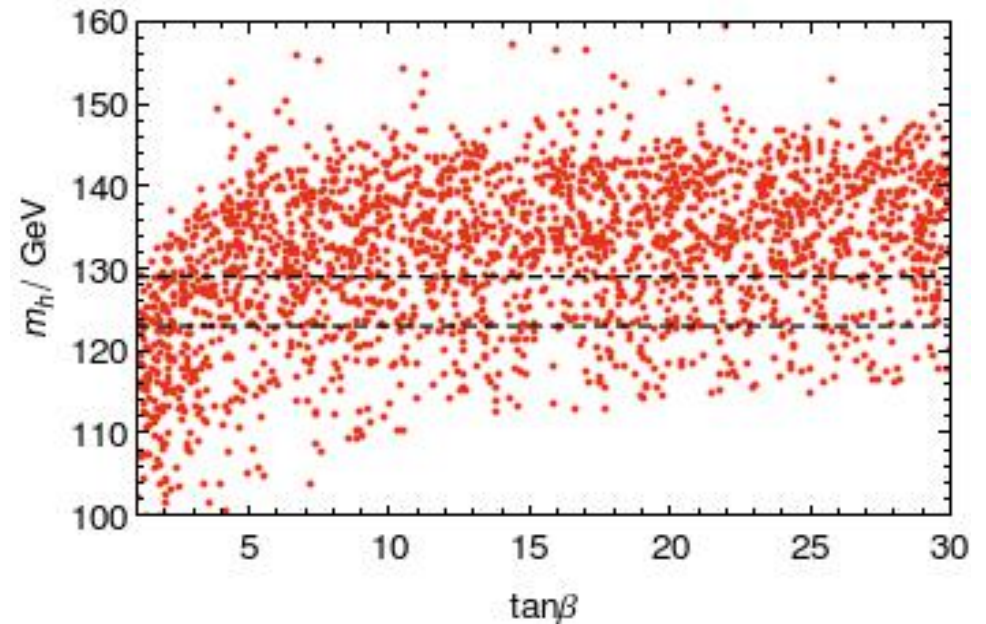
- The LHC has observed a new particle with a mass of ~ 126 GeV which can, for the moment, be described by a Higgs boson (i.e. a scalar that could at least partly trigger EWSB).
- No signs of superpartners yet.

Current status of MSSMs



Arbey, Battaglia, Djouadi, Mahmoudi, arXiv:1207.1348

Minimal quiver model



A. Bharucha, A.G., M. McGarrie, to appear

Theoretical developments

- In recent years, a new framework was introduced to study GMSB : GGM.

→ In the limit where the gauge couplings vanish, the MSSM is decoupled from the ~~SUSY~~ sector.

This made it possible to define somewhat the equivalent of mSUGRA for GMSB, based on a handful of parameters

$$\Lambda_G, \Lambda_S, M_{mess}, N, \text{sign}(\mu), \tan(\beta) \longrightarrow \text{(depending on taste)}$$

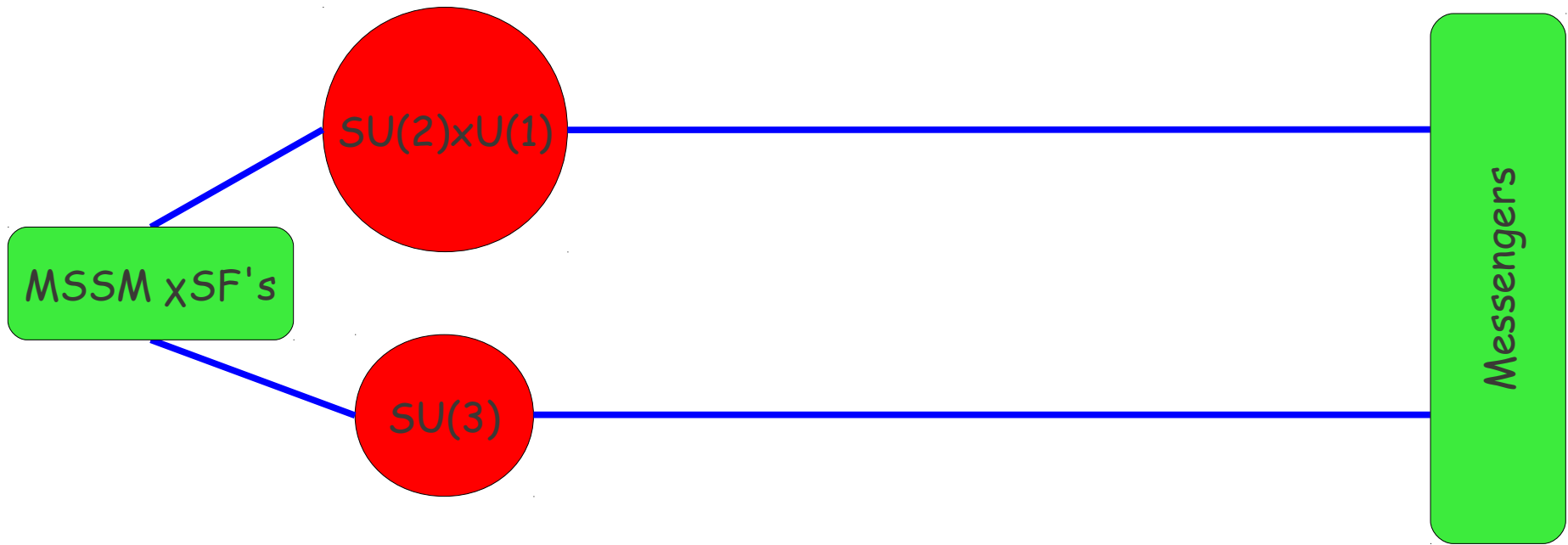
- Moreover, for quite some time, people have considered ~~SUSY~~ from extra dimensions.

- And the two can be combined! (*cf Moritz McGarrie's talk on Thursday!*)

- In many X-D/strongly coupled/metastable SUSY-breaking scenarios, a quiver-like structure appears : messengers not directly charged under the MSSM.

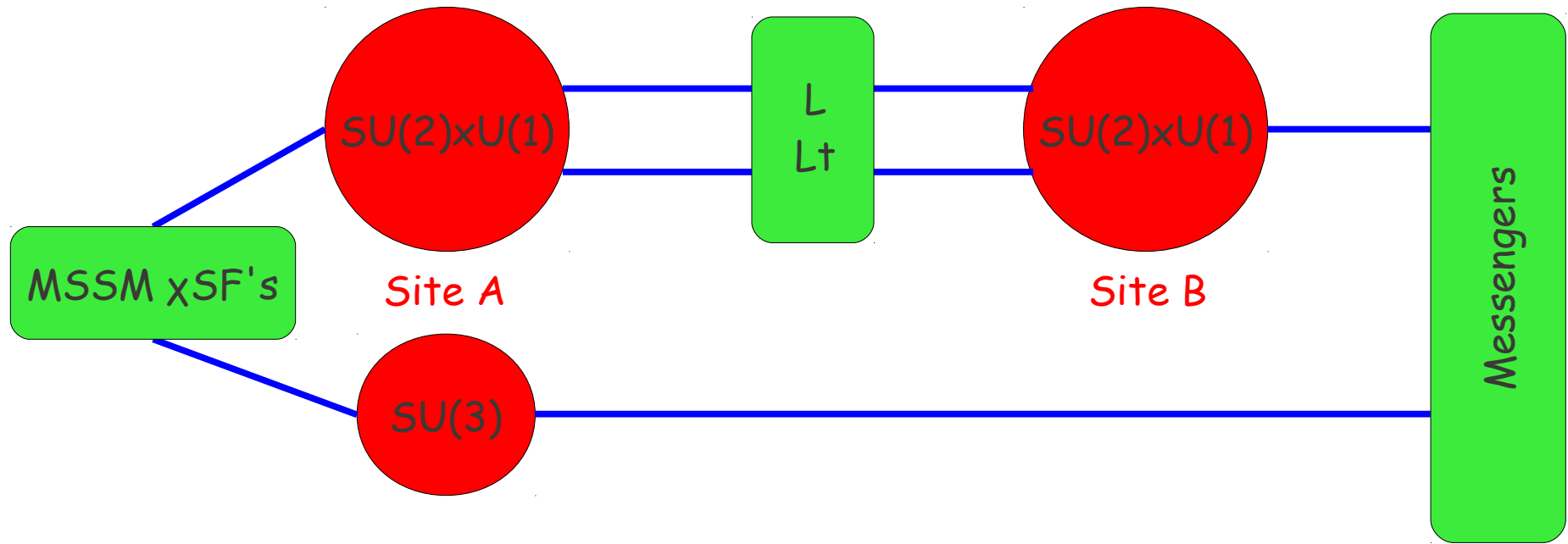
→ Interpolation between mGMSB and X-D mediation!

A minimal quiver



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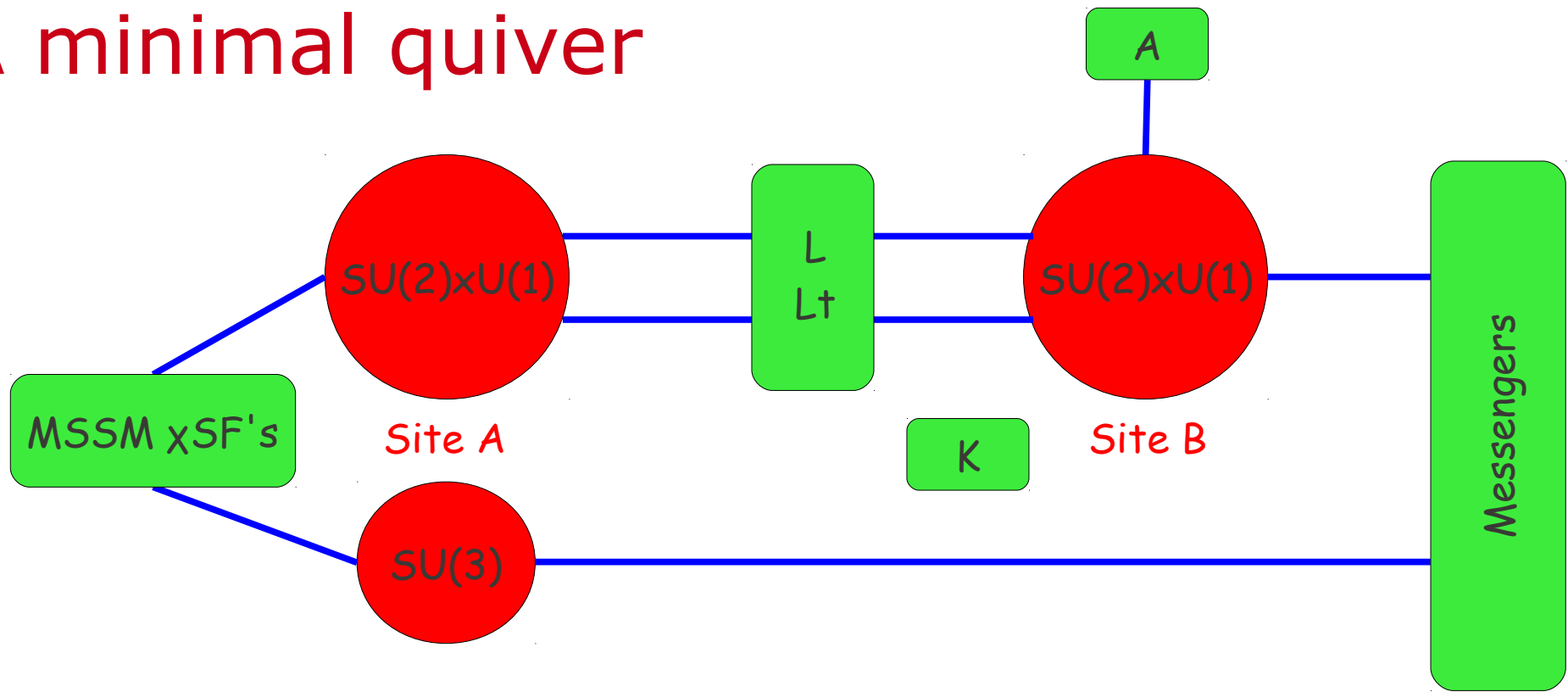
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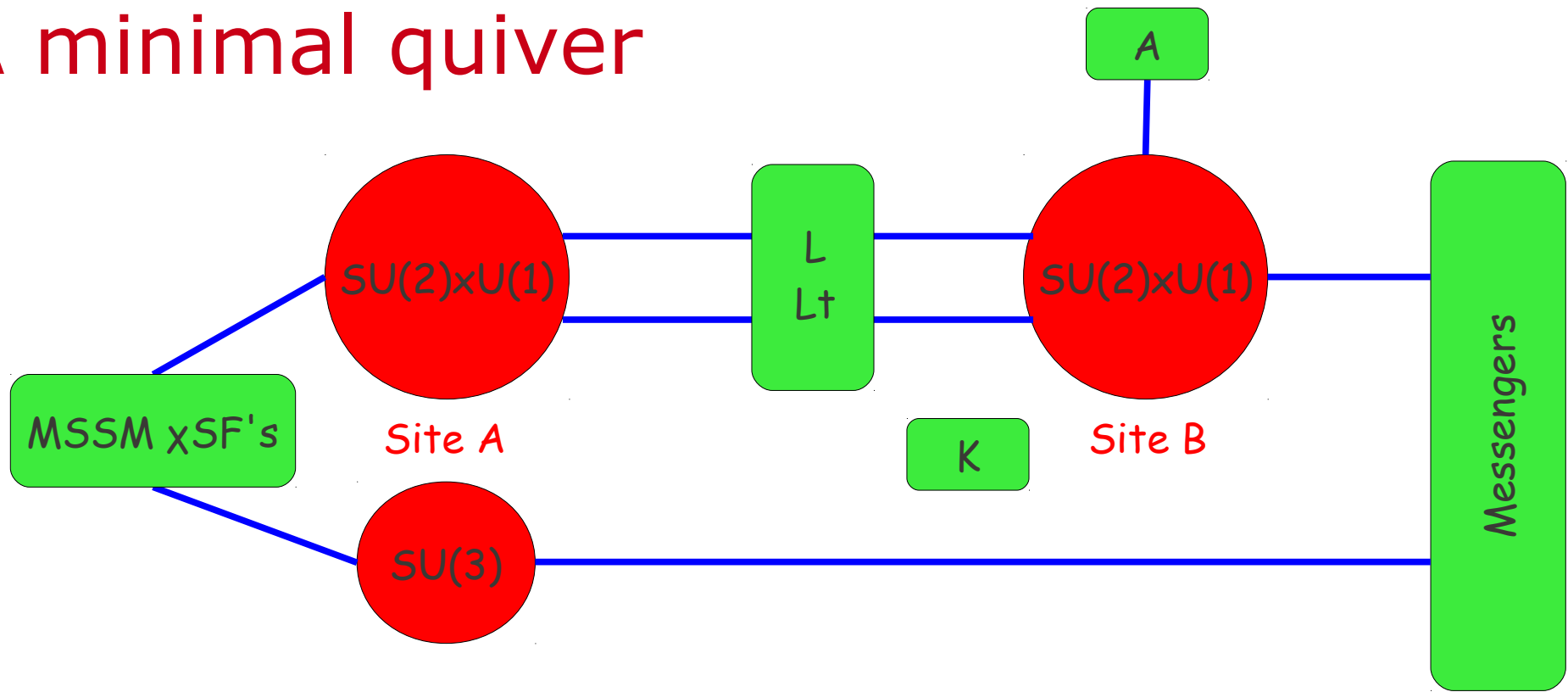
→ But turns out some components of L, L^\dagger remain massless!

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- Finally, introduce a B-adjoint A and a singlet K to give masses to all L, L^t components.

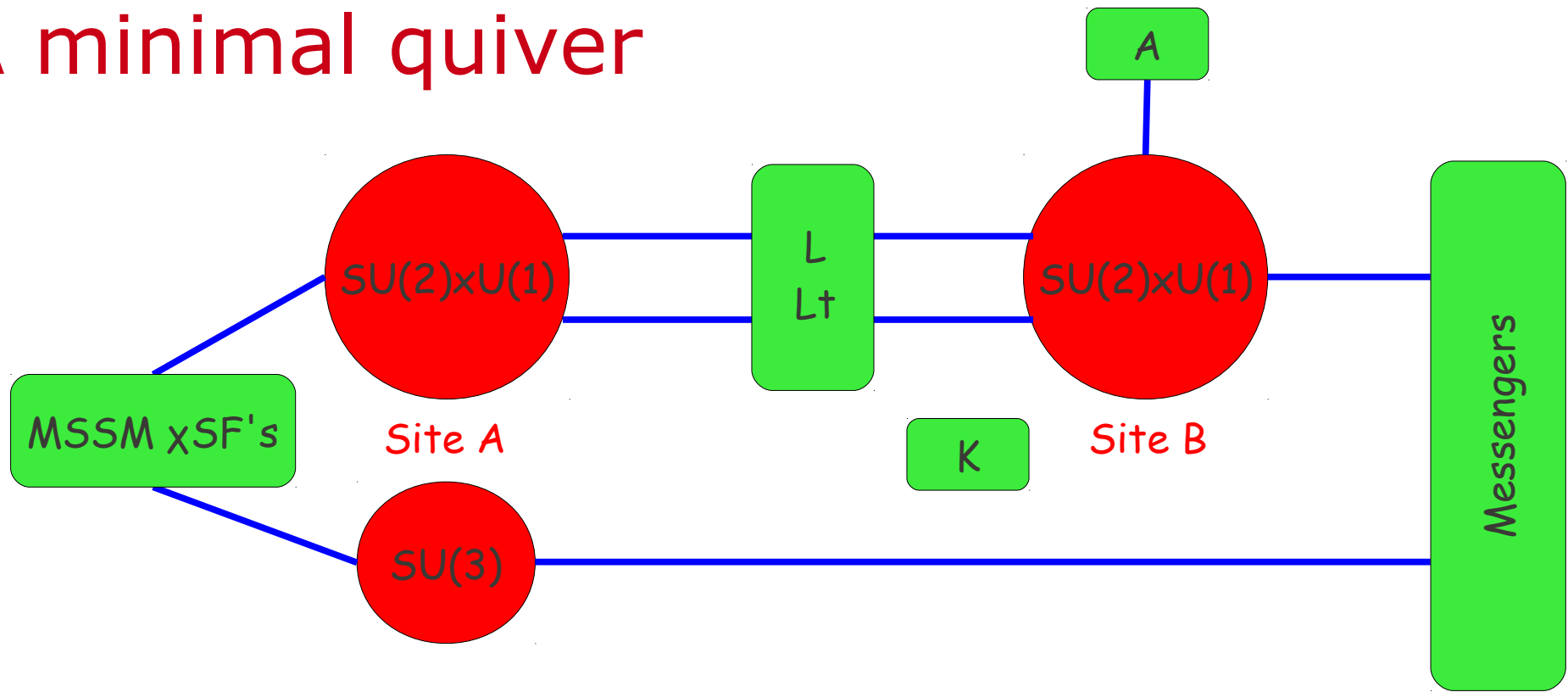
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- The bifundamental-type diagonal breaking makes it so that only respective gauge bosons/gauginos mix ($B_A - B_B$, $W_{A1} - W_{B1}$ etc).

- The bifundamental-type breaking ensures that MSSM SF's transform under the diagonal subgroup the same way as under the site A group.

A minimal quiver



The superpotential we consider reads:

$$W_{\text{SSM}} = Y_u \hat{u} \hat{q} \hat{H}_u - Y_d \hat{d} \hat{q} \hat{H}_d - Y_e \hat{e} \hat{l} \hat{H}_d + \mu \hat{H}_u \hat{H}_d$$

$$W_{\text{Quiver}} = \frac{Y_K}{2} \hat{K} (\hat{L} \hat{\tilde{L}} - V_L^2) + Y_A \hat{L} \hat{A} \hat{\tilde{L}}$$

+ we have assumed some O'Raifeartaigh-like SUSY breaking.

Some consequences

The quiver structure has a series of distinct consequences :

- At the messenger scale, GMSB soft masses are generated for the site **B** gauginos, the gluinos, and the linking field scalars.
- The MSSM gaugino soft masses are not exactly GMSB – type. They depend on the GMSB scheme *and* **A/B** mixing.
- The MSSM **scalar soft masses** are generated at two-loops, but they are suppressed by the linking scale. This opens up a possibility for **light sfermions!**

McGarrie, arXiv:1009.0012

McGarrie, arXiv:1101.5158

Auzzi, Giveon, Gudnason arXiv:1110.1453

- **L/R stop mixing** can be substantially **larger** than in usual mGMSB.
- The MSSM **D-terms** get modified as a consequence of integrating out the heavy goldstones → new contributions that can **raise the Higgs mass!** These terms can be **non-decoupled** and can contribute significantly to m_h .

e.g. Huo, Lee, Thalappilil, Wagner arXiv:1212.0560

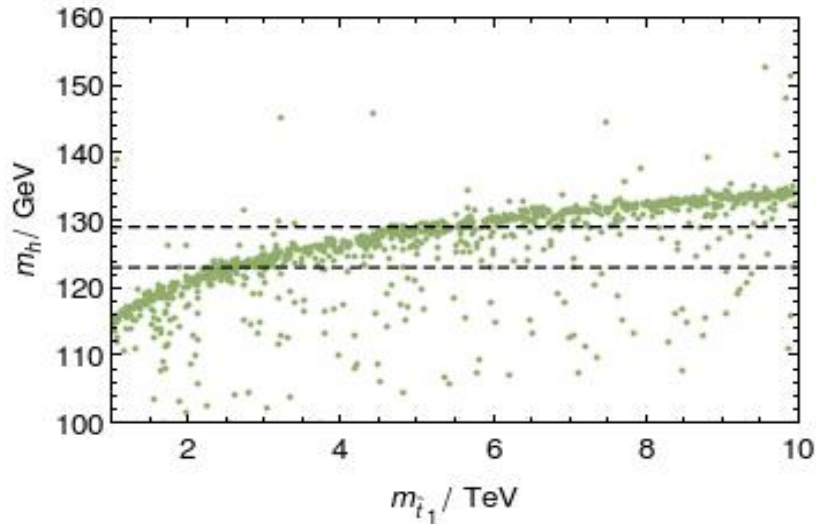
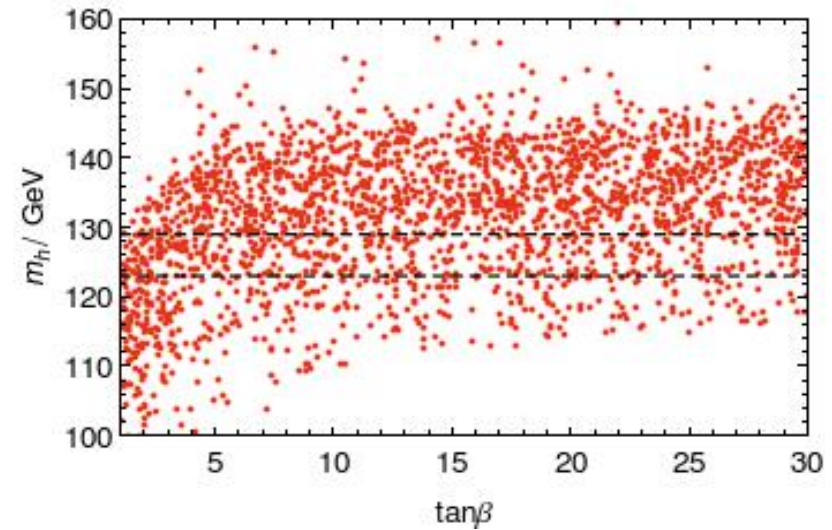
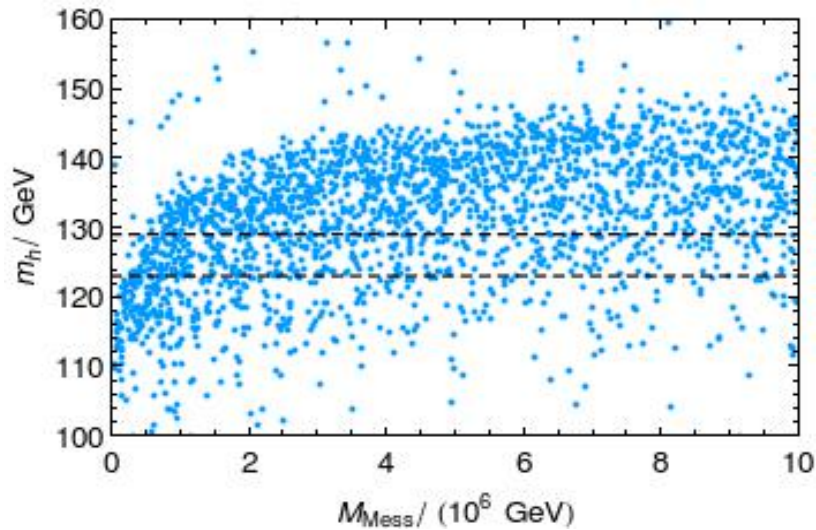
Implementing a quiver

The implementation of the model was done by means of the SARAH package (*cheers to the chairman for tolerating us!*) and by intervening in the generated SPheno code by hand.

Staub arXiv:1207.0906 / Staub, Ohl, Porod, Speckner arXiv:1109.5147

- RGE running performed at 2 loops both below and above the threshold scales.
- Finite shifts implemented carefully with the help of SARAH and by customizing the resulting Spheno code.
- Full boundary conditions implemented.
- Possibility (that we exploit!) to impose most state of the art phenomenological constraints from colliders, flavour physics and so on.
- Extra D-terms calculated and added by hand.
- **The framework is now there and can be extended quite easily!**

Results : the Higgs mass



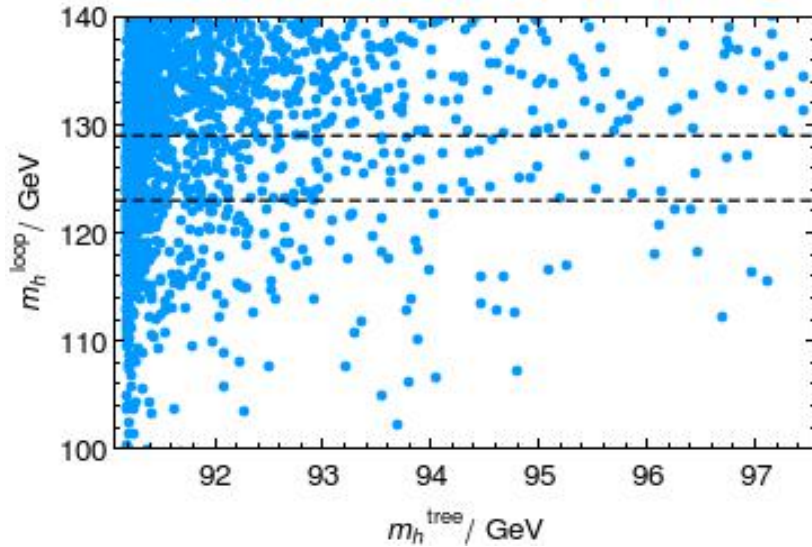
→ A Higgs mass of ~ 126 GeV can be easily accommodated in the model, even for small values of $\tan\beta$!

→ But where does this increase come from?

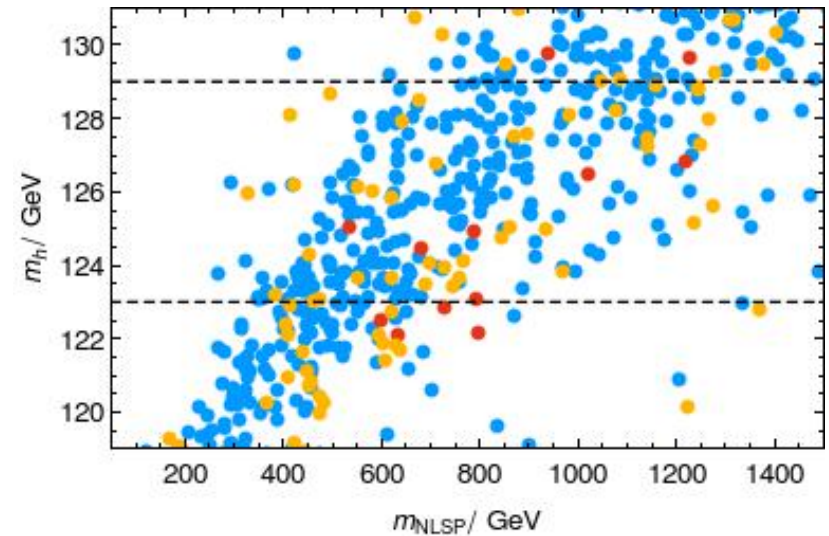
($m_t = 173.2$ GeV)

Results : Anatomy of m_h and the NLSP

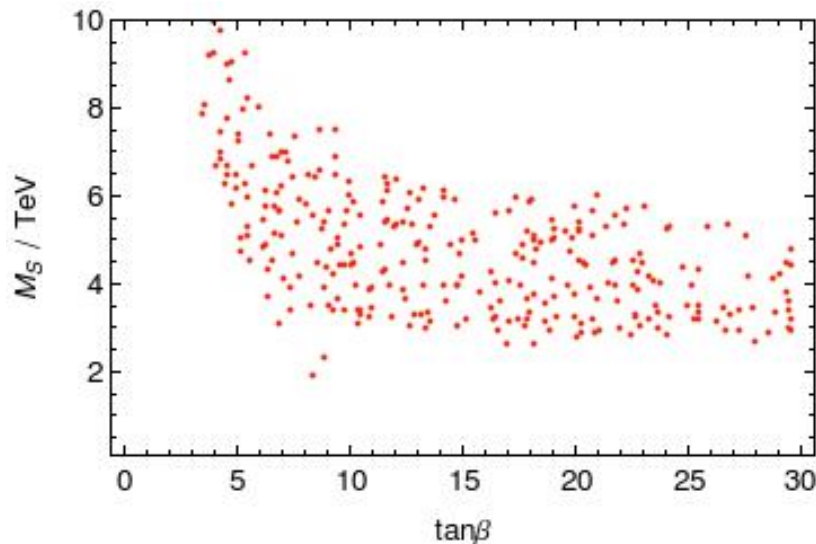
m_h^{tree} vs m_h^{full}



m_h vs m_{NLSP}



$\tan\beta$ vs M_s for $123 < m_h < 129$ GeV

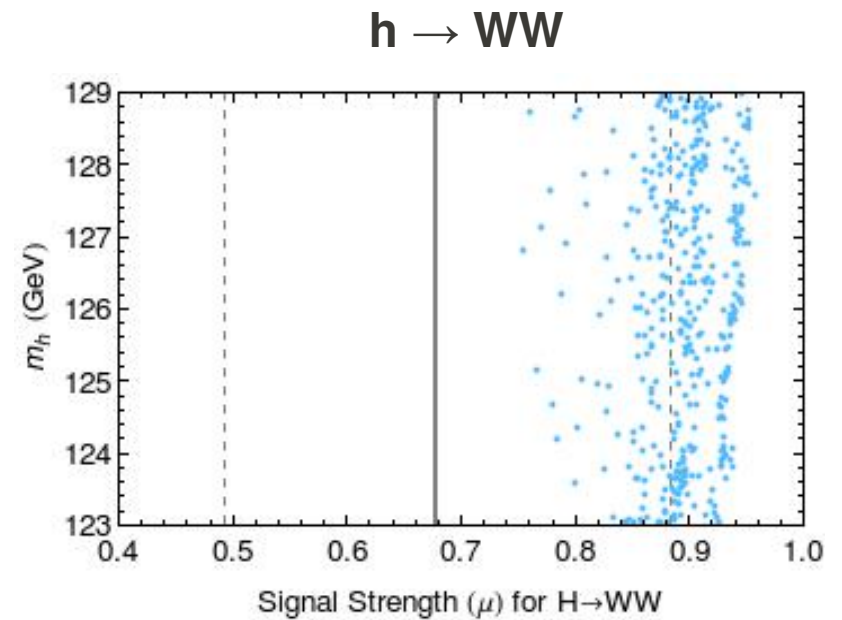
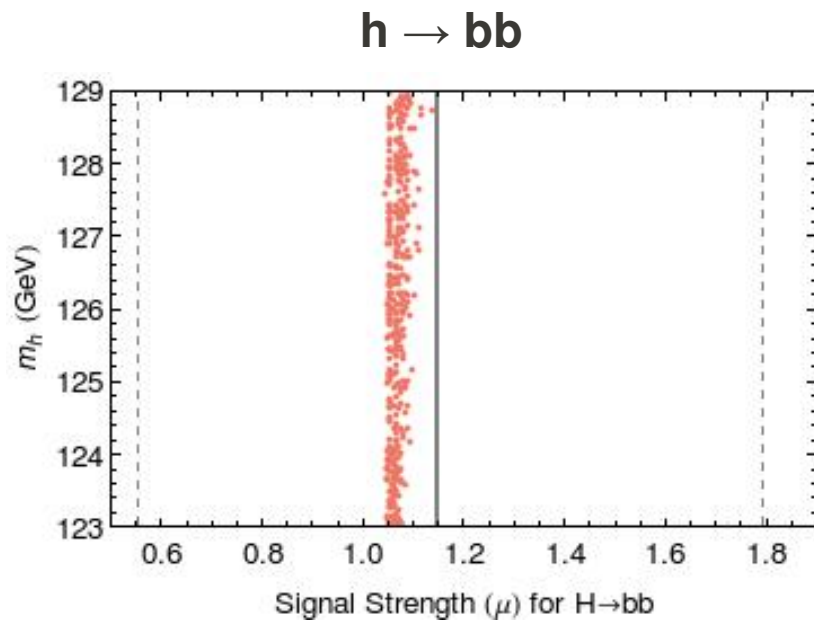


(stau, sneutrino, neutralino)

→ Despite stops lying in the TeV range, multiple non-colored sparticles can lie below 500 GeV.

→ Interesting phenomenology for LHC14?

Results : Higgs signal strengths (CMS)



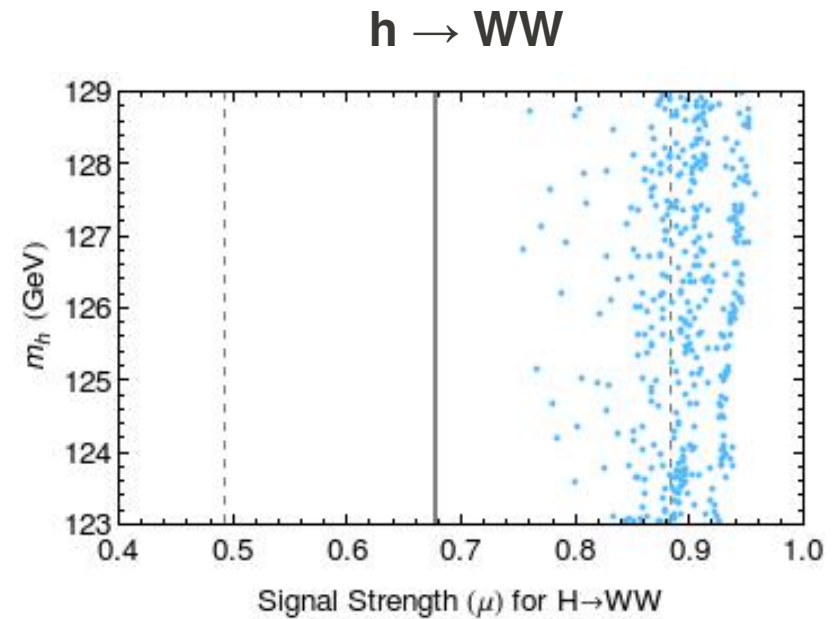
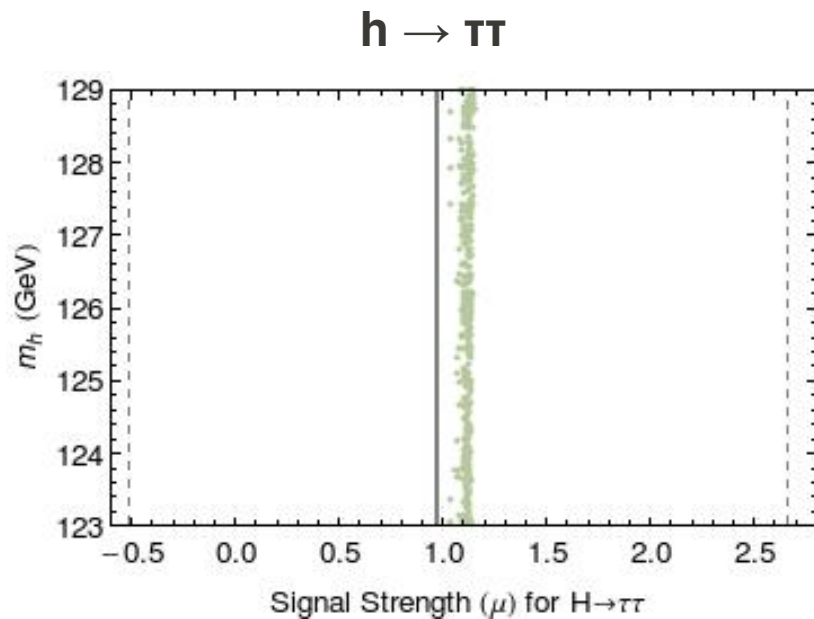
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Summary and perspectives

- From a top-down point of view, quiver gauge theories are a well-motivated class of models to communicate SUSY breaking to the visible sector.
- From a bottom-up point of view, one has a GMSB-type mechanism (DM candidate, no FCNCs.....) that can easily give a ~ 125 GeV Higgs with correct properties.
- With the minimal $(SU(2)\times U(1))^2$ setup, it seems difficult to avoid heavy stops to get the higgs mass right. But :
 - not as heavy as in mGMSB
 - non-colored sparticles can be light by construction!
- We now possess a machinery to properly analyse quiver models.

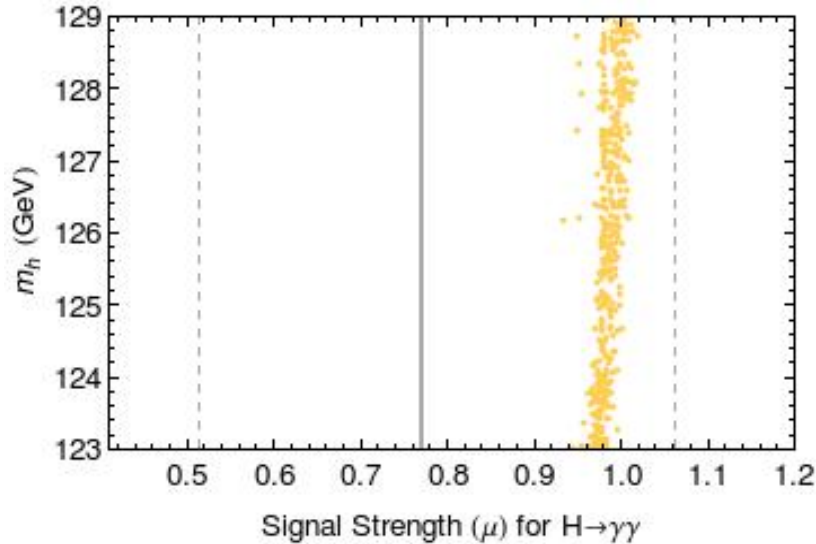
Many open questions :

- What about DM? What if we quiver $SU(3)$?
- Kinetic mixing should be there. What would be its impact?
- How low can we take the linking scale? New signatures for LHC14? → A technically challenging implementation!
- How are things modified with a strongly coupled sector?

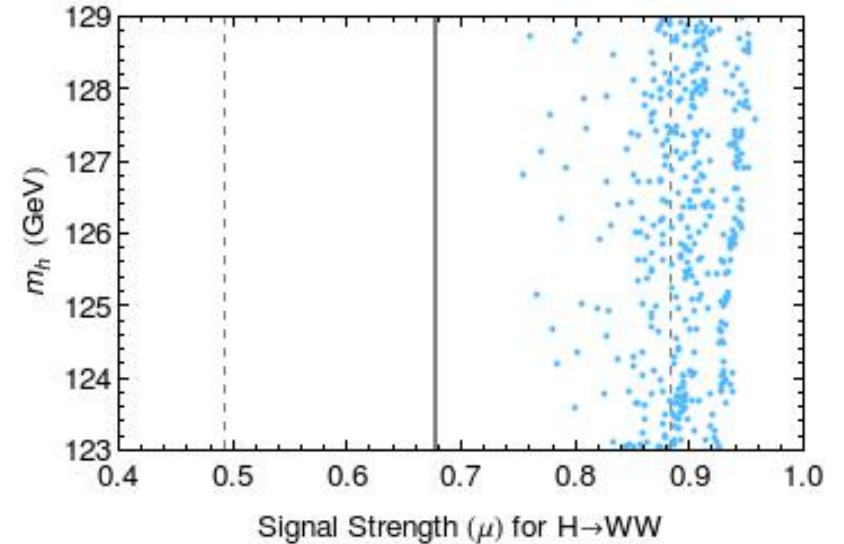
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More Higgs signal strengths (CMS)

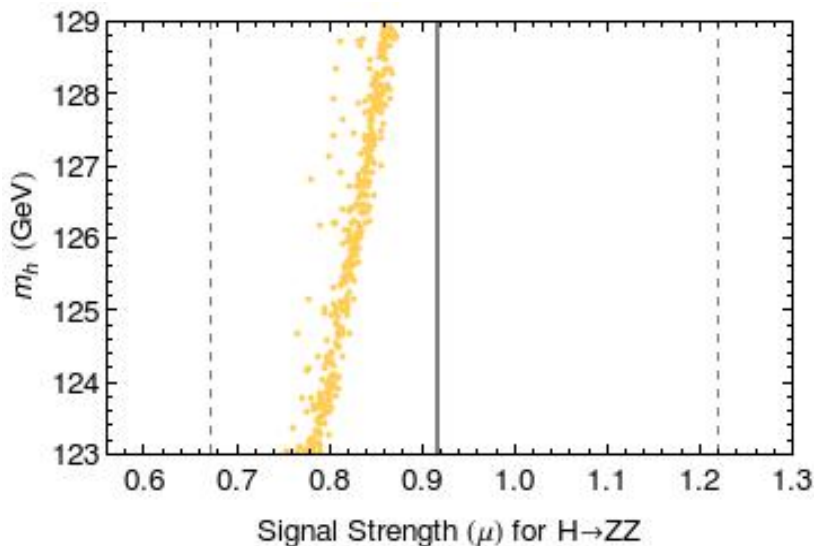
$h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$



$h \rightarrow WW$



$h \rightarrow ZZ$



Interestingly, $h \rightarrow WW$ might turn out to be a crucial test for this model.

→ **A possibility that has gone unnoticed!**



Quiver breaking

The assignment of vev's goes as

$$\langle L \rangle = \langle \tilde{L} \rangle = v \mathbb{I}_{2 \times 2}$$

with the low-energy gauge couplings and massive gauge bosons being

$$\frac{1}{g_i^2} = \frac{1}{g_{Ai}^2} + \frac{1}{g_{Bi}^2}, \quad g_i^2 = \frac{g_{Ai}^2 g_{Bi}^2}{g_{Ai}^2 + g_{Bi}^2}, \quad g_3 = g_3$$

$$m_{v,i}^2 = 4(g_{A,i}^2 + g_{B,i}^2)v^2$$

whereas the A,B site mixing can be parametrized by two angles

$$\cos \theta_1 = \frac{g_1}{g_{A1}}, \quad \cos \theta_2 = \frac{g_2}{g_{A2}}, \quad \sin \theta_1 = \frac{g_1}{g_{B1}}, \quad \sin \theta_2 = \frac{g_2}{g_{B2}}$$



Non-decoupled D-terms

When heavy dof's are integrated out, we get additional pieces in the low-energy lagrangian. Among others :

$$\delta\mathcal{L} = -g_1^2\Delta_1(H_u^\dagger H_u - H_d^\dagger H_d)^2 - g_2^2\Delta_2 \sum_a (H_u^\dagger \sigma^a H_u + H_d^\dagger \sigma^a H_d)^2$$

Where

$$\Delta_1 = \left(\frac{g_{A1}^2}{g_{B1}^2} \right) \frac{2m_L^2}{m_{v1}^2 + 2m_L^2}, \quad \Delta_2 = \left(\frac{g_{A2}^2}{g_{B2}^2} \right) \frac{2m_L^2}{m_{v2}^2 + 2m_L^2}$$

This results in a modification of the higgs tree-level mass as :

$$m_h^2 \simeq m_z^2 \cos 2\beta + \frac{3}{(4\pi)^2} \frac{m_t^4}{v_{ew}^2} \left[\ln \frac{m_{\tilde{t}}^2}{m_t^2} + \frac{X_t^2}{m_{\tilde{t}}^2} \left(1 - \frac{X_t^2}{12m_{\tilde{t}}^2} \right) \right]$$

$$m_z^2 \rightarrow m_z^2 + \left(\frac{g_1^2\Delta_1 + g_2^2\Delta_2}{2} \right) v_{ew}^2$$

