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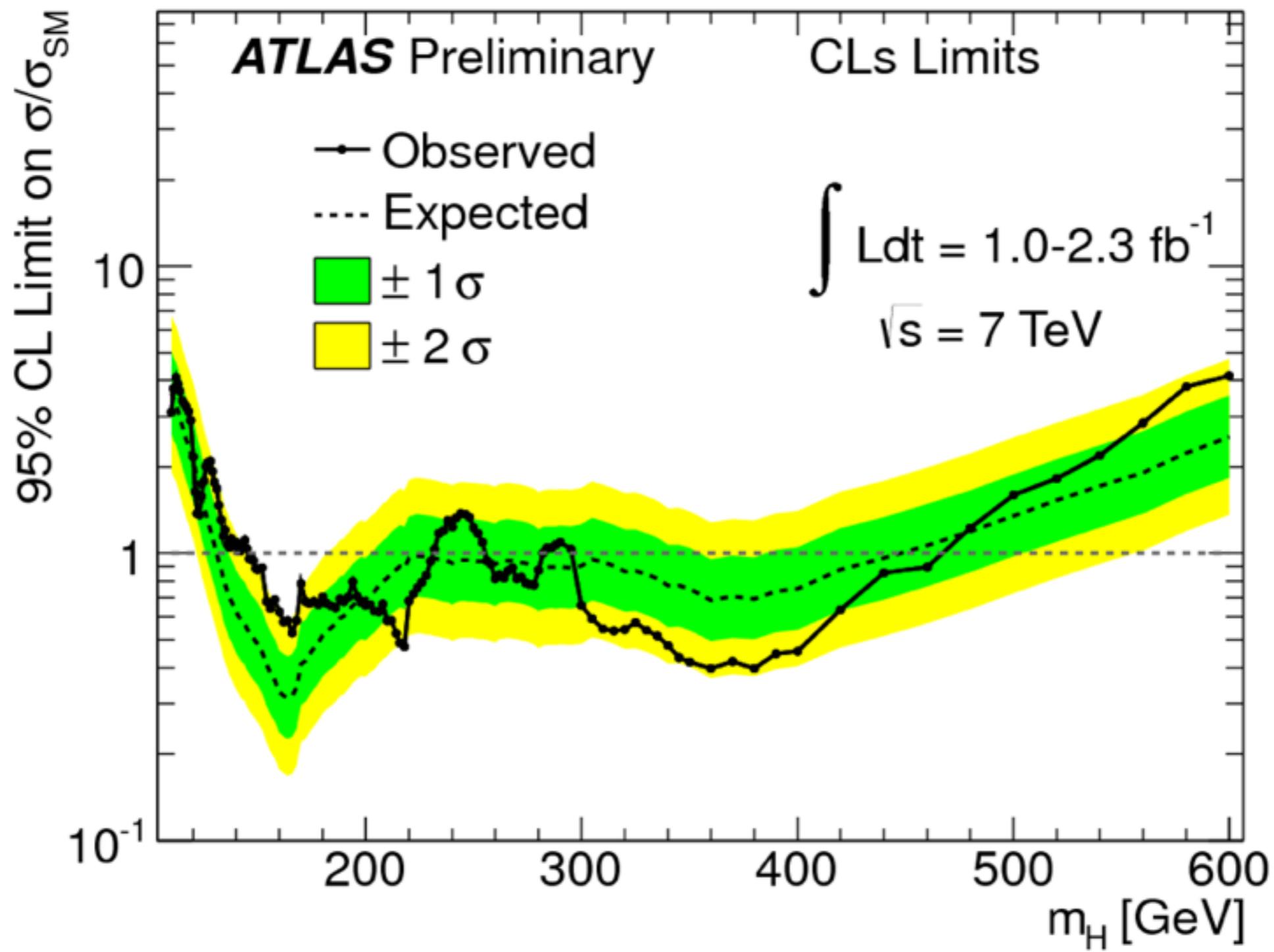
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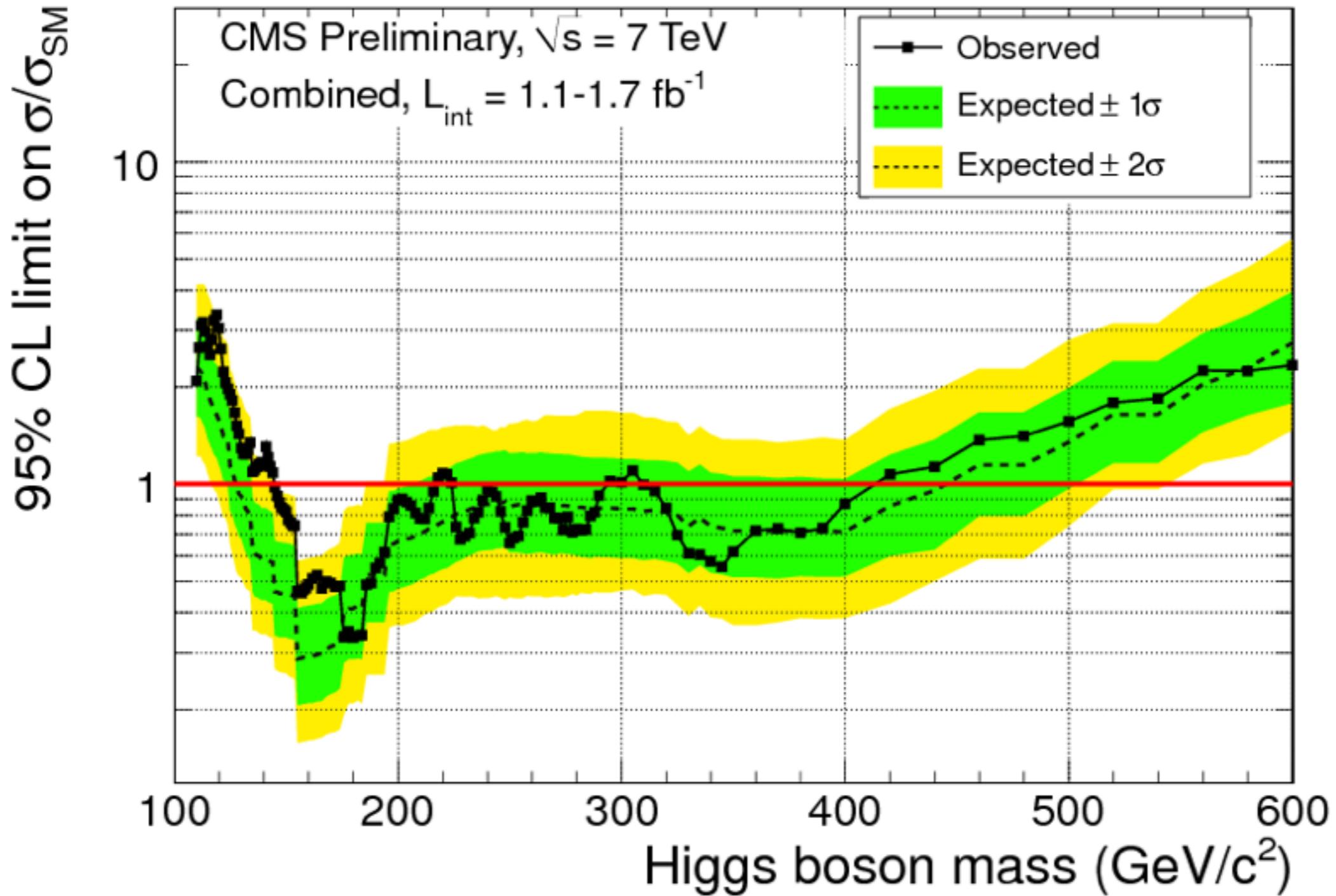
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# ATLAS HIGGS RESULTS



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# CMS HIGGS RESULTS



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# Deseret News

## Creation theory may be wrong; collider hasn't found 'God particle'

By Michael De Groote, Deseret News

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GENEVA — Creation is at the center of religion, and it is also at the center of a search, not particle."

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**At the LHC, the "God Particle" is Running Out of Places to Hide**

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### Don't panic about the missing Higgs – for now

› 18:00 28 August 2011 by [Lisa Grossman](#)

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**Online quiz:** "[Will the LHC discover the Higgs boson?](#)"

The world's most-wanted particle continues to elude the world's most powerful particle accelerator. A sign that the elusive Higgs boson doesn't exist? Not so fast. For now, there are good reasons to assume the Higgs is just hiding.

"It's never too early to think about it, but it's too early to worry," says Nobel prize-winner [Frank Wilczek](#) of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

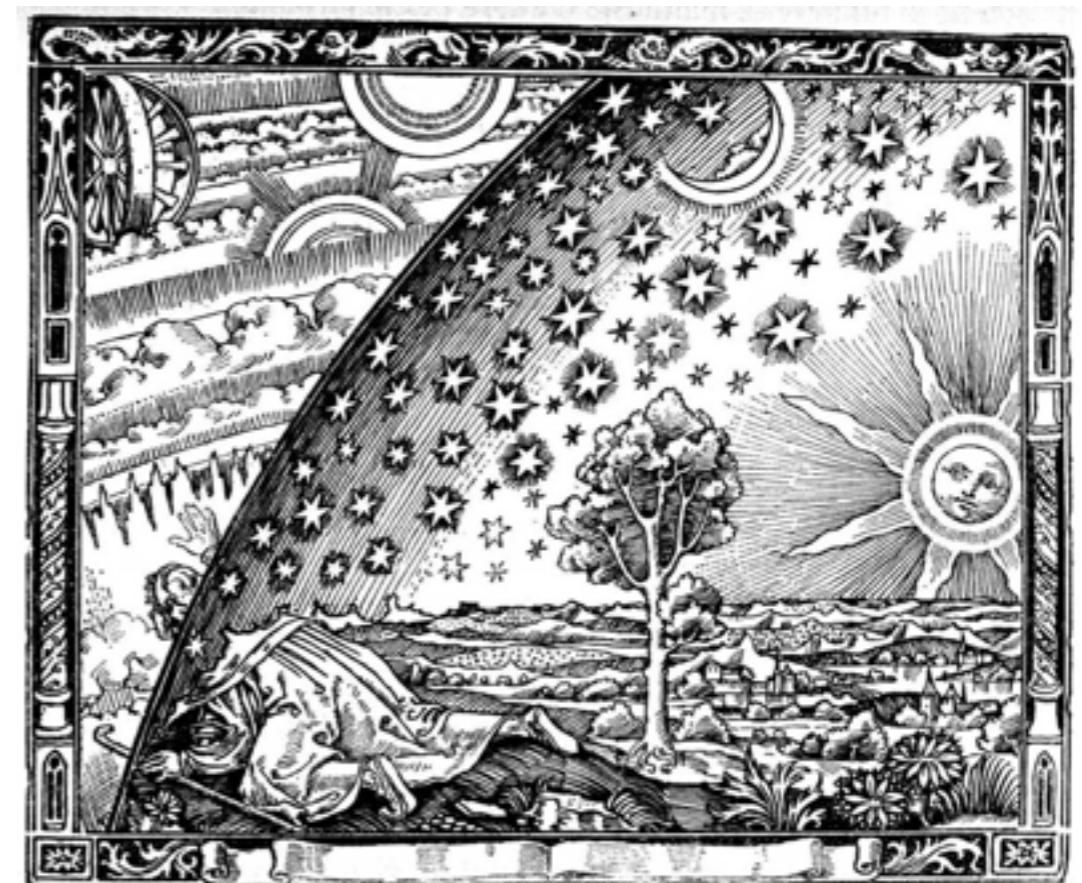
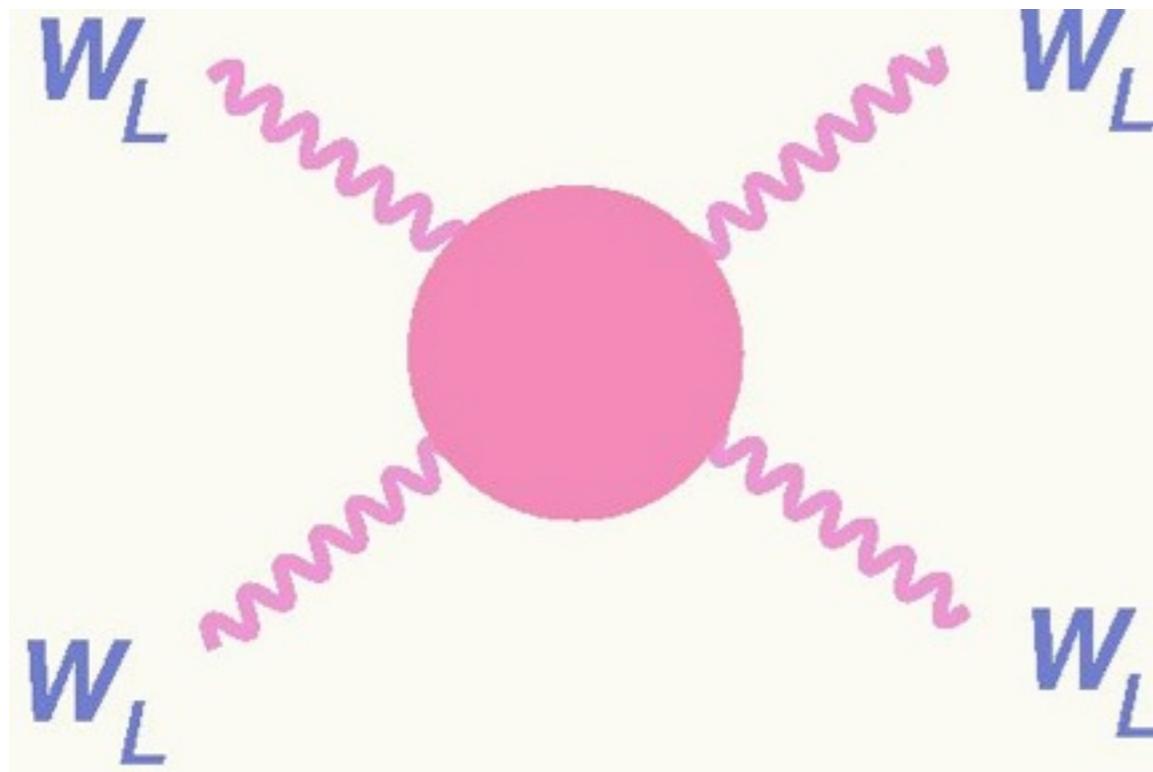
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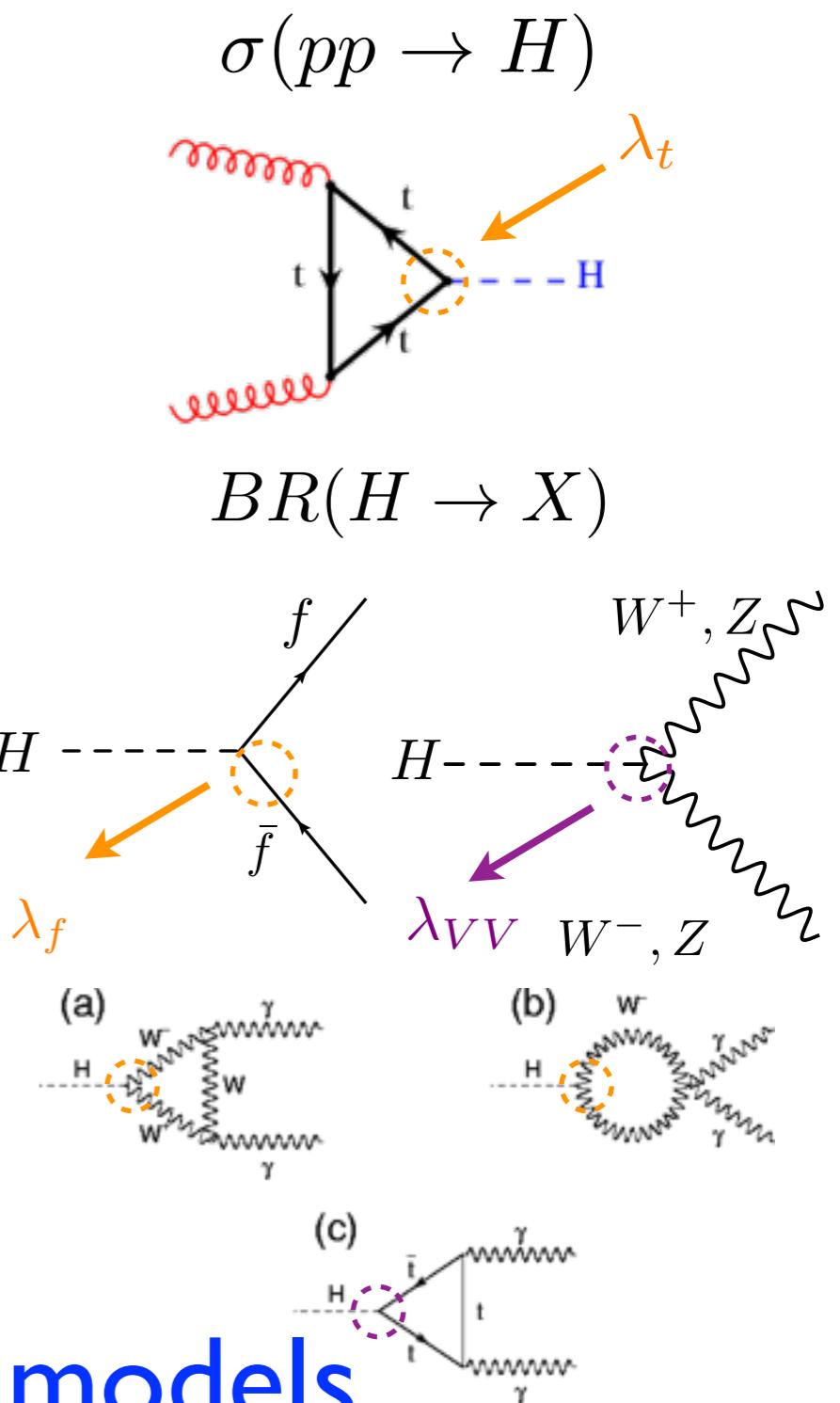
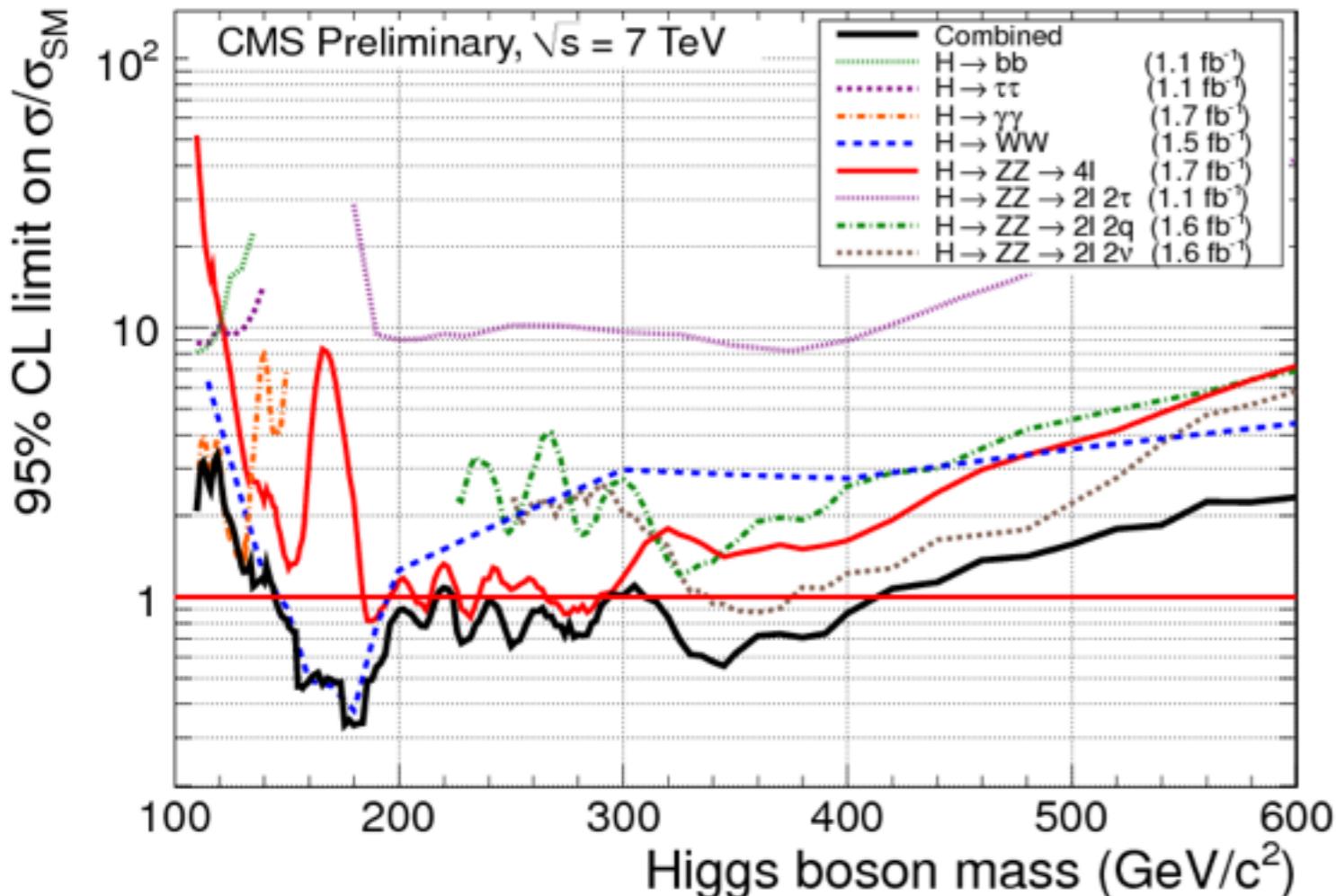


THESE HEADLINES ARE MISSING THE POINT...



ATLAS/CMS are exploring a  
whole new world!

# LHC HIGGS SENSITIVITY

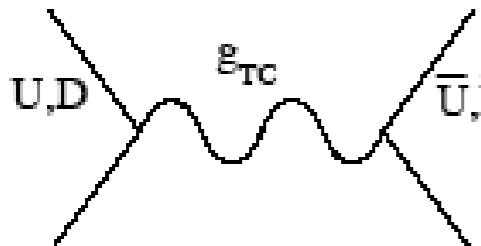


Reach Extends to non-standard models  
including models of DEWSB!

# **DYNAMICAL ELECTROWEAK SYMMETRY BREAKING**

# TECHNICOLOR

- Use scaled-up QCD to break electroweak symmetry

$$SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \rightarrow SU(2)_V$$

$$\rightarrow \langle \bar{U}_L U_R \rangle = \langle \bar{D}_L D_R \rangle \neq 0$$

No hierarchy problem!

$$\pi^\pm, \pi^0 \rightarrow W_L^\pm, Z_L$$

S?

$$M_W = \frac{g F_{TC}}{2} \rightarrow F_{TC} \approx 250 \text{GeV}$$

Gauge Symmetry + SSB =  
Higgs Mechanism

But: difficult to accommodate top-quark!

# WALKING TECHNICOLOR

Extended Technicolor Interactions — Connect chiral-symmetries of TFs to quarks & leptons.

A Feynman diagram illustrating an Extended Technicolor (ETC) interaction. It shows a fermion loop involving a left-handed quark  $q_L$  (blue line), a right-handed quark  $q_R$  (blue line), and a left-handed lepton  $\Psi_L$  (grey line). A red wavy line represents an ETC boson exchange between the quarks. The loop is labeled with the coupling constant  $\frac{g_{ETC}^2}{M_{ETC}^2}$  and the resulting vertex function  $(\bar{\Psi}_L U_R)(\bar{q}_R q_L)$ .

$$m_q \approx \frac{g_{ETC}^2}{M_{ETC}^2} \langle \bar{U}U \rangle_{ETC}$$

If  $\beta_{TC} \sim 0$ , we expect  $\gamma_m \sim 1$ , enhancing fermion masses.

$$\langle \bar{U}U \rangle_{ETC} = \langle \bar{U}U \rangle_{TC} \exp \left( \int_{\Lambda_{TC}}^{M_{ETC}} \frac{d\mu}{\mu} \gamma_m(\mu) \right)$$

A realistic (E)TC model will not be like QCD!

# LOW/MULTI-SCALE TECHNICOLOR

How can  $\beta(\alpha_{TC}) \simeq 0$ ?

Or, minimal SU(2) theory... Sannino, et. al.

- Many fermions
- Fermions in different TC representations.

Eliminated by Lattice Calculations!

Extended/Multiple Symmetry-Breaking Sector(s):

- Large Chiral Symmetry

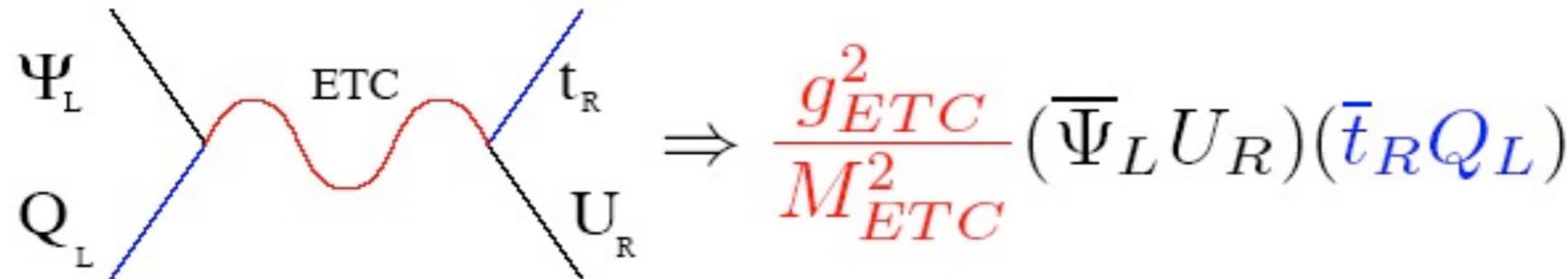
- Many  $\pi_T$

Our interest:  $\pi^0_{TC}$

- $F \ll v \Rightarrow$  potentially light  $\rho_T, \omega_T, \& \pi_T$

e.g. The “Technicolor” Straw Man  
Lane and Mrenna, Phys. Rev. D67:115011, 2003

# TOP QUARK MASS GENERATION



$$m_t \approx \frac{g_{ETC}^2}{M_{ETC}^2} \langle \bar{U}U \rangle_{ETC}$$

$$\frac{M_{ETC}}{g_{ETC}} \approx 1 \text{ TeV} \left( \frac{F_{TC}}{250 \text{ GeV}} \right)^{\frac{3}{2}} \left( \frac{175 \text{ GeV}}{m_t} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

**Challenge:** ETC must violate custodial symmetry to make  $m_t \gg m_b$ . But how to keep this from causing additional large contributions to  $\Delta\rho$  ?

Are new interactions required to explain top-quark mass?

# TOPCOLOR ASSISTED TECHNICOLOR

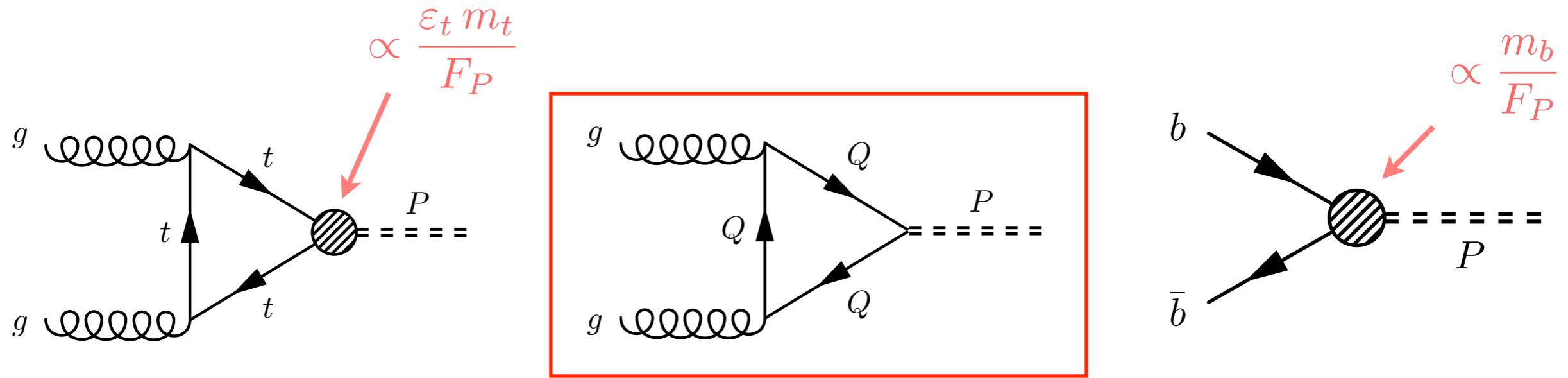
- Strong Technicolor dynamics at 1 TeV dynamically generates **most** of EWSB.
- Extended Technicolor dynamics at scales much higher than 1 TeV generate the **light** quark and lepton masses.
- Strong Topcolor dynamics also at a scale of 1 TeV generates  $\langle \bar{t}t \rangle \neq 0$ ,  $m_t \sim 170$  GeV.

$$v^2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}G_F} = f_t^2 + F_{TC}^2 \approx (246 \text{ GeV})^2, \quad f_t = \mathcal{O}(60 \text{ GeV}) \ll v$$

# TECHNICOLOR IN THE LHC ERA

RSC, EHS, P. ITTISAMAI, J. REN, ARXIV:1110.3688

# LHC TECHNIPION SENSITIVITY



$$\mathbb{A}(P \rightarrow V_1 V_2) = N_{TC} \mathcal{A}_{V_1 V_2} \frac{g_1 g_2}{8\pi^2 F_P} \epsilon_{\mu\nu\lambda\sigma} k_1^\mu k_2^\nu \epsilon_1^\lambda \epsilon_2^\sigma$$

## Models with Colored Technifermions

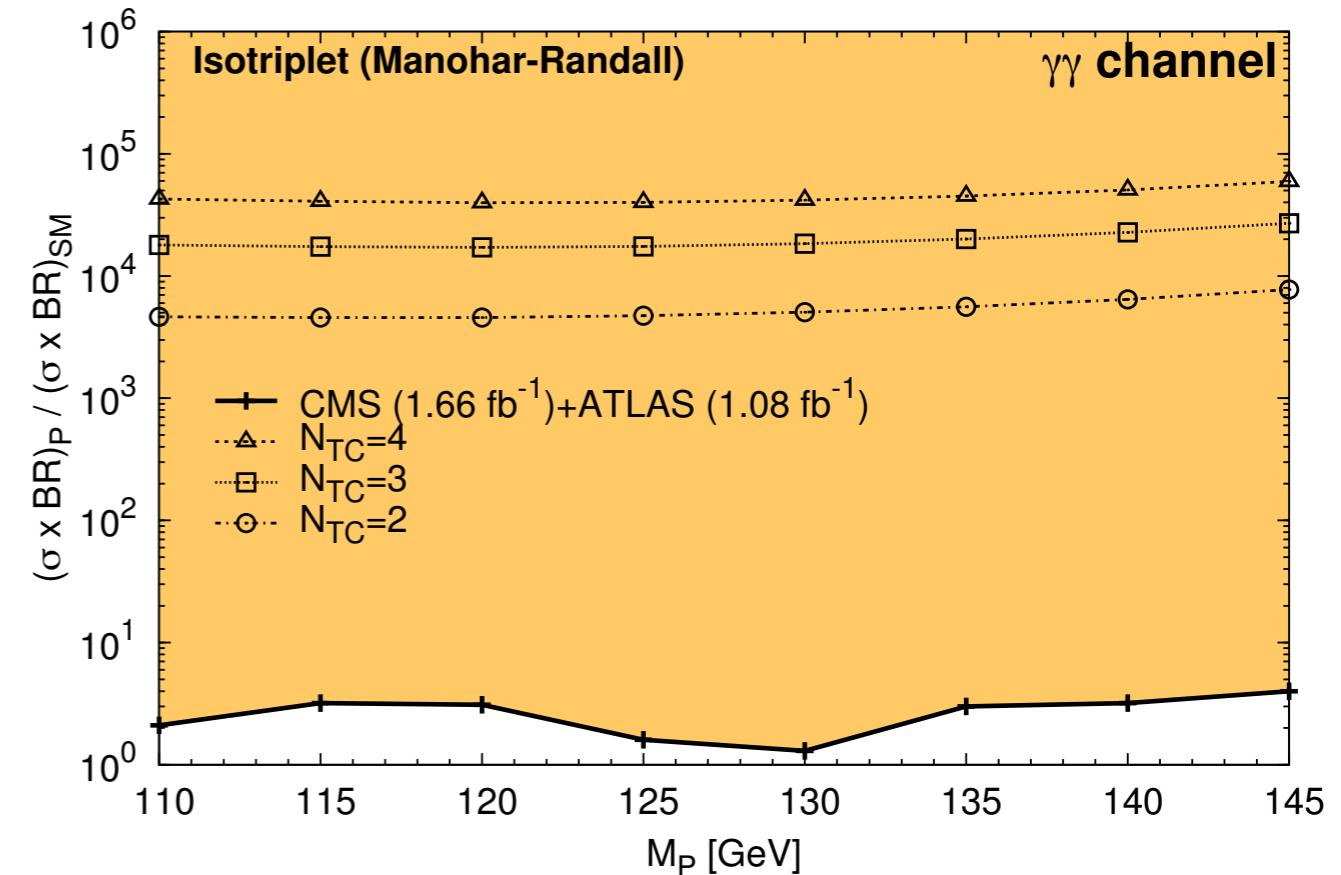
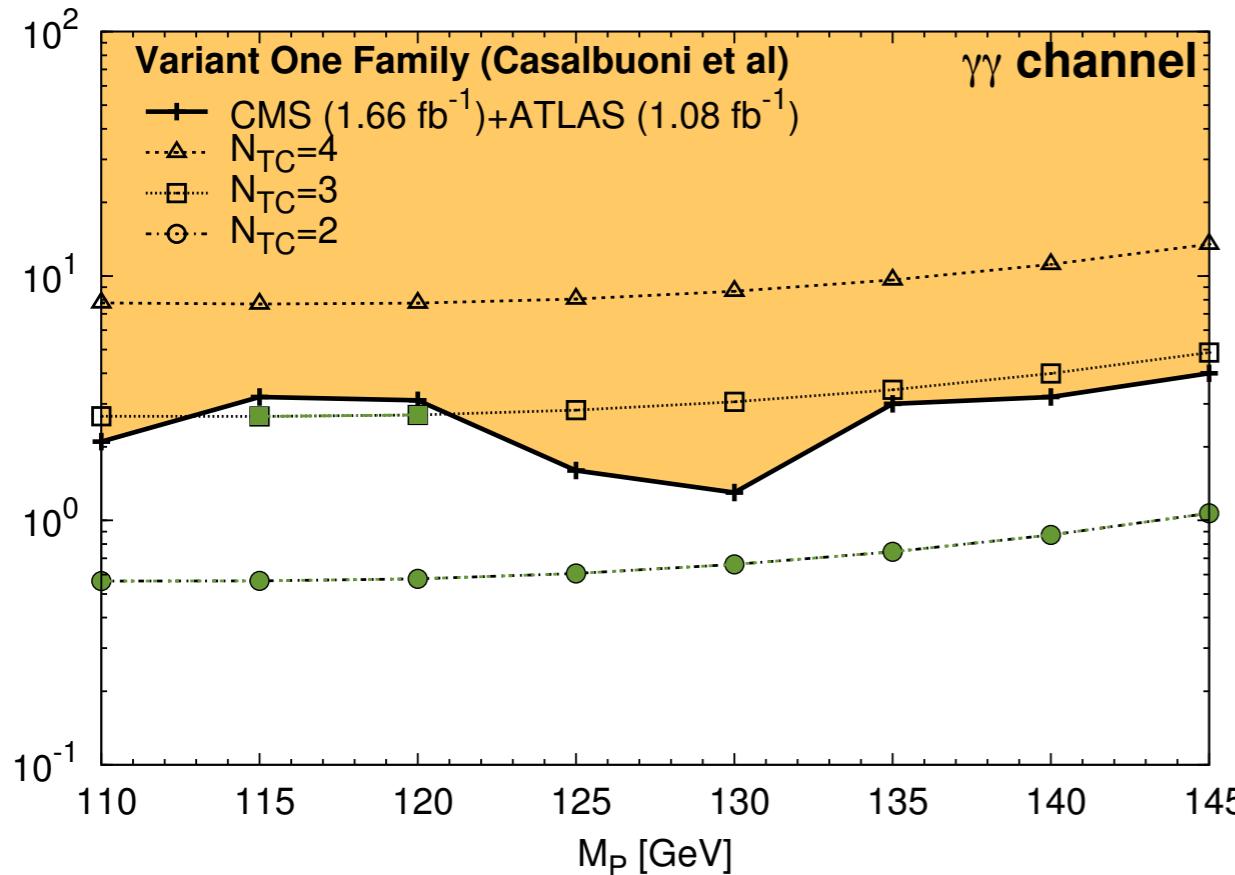
TC models	PNGB and content		$v/F_P$	$A_{gg}$	$A_{\gamma\gamma}$	$\lambda_l$	$\lambda_f$
FS one family (Farhi:1980)	$P^1$	$\frac{1}{4\sqrt{3}}(3\bar{L}\gamma_5 L - \bar{Q}\gamma_5 Q)$	2	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$\frac{4}{3\sqrt{3}}$	1	1
Variant one family (Casalbuoni:1998)	$P^0$	$\frac{1}{2\sqrt{6}}(3\bar{E}\gamma_5 E - \bar{D}\gamma_5 D)$	1	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{6}}$	$\frac{16}{3\sqrt{6}}$	$\sqrt{6}$	$\sqrt{\frac{2}{3}}$
LR multiscale (Lane:1991)	$P^0$	$\frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}}(\bar{L}_\ell\gamma_5 L_\ell - 2\bar{Q}\gamma_5 Q)$	4	$-\frac{2\sqrt{2}}{3}$	$\frac{8\sqrt{2}}{9}$	1	1
TCSM low scale (Lane:1999)	$\pi_T^{0'}$	$\frac{1}{4\sqrt{3}}(3\bar{L}\gamma_5 L - \bar{Q}\gamma_5 Q)$	$\sqrt{N_D}$	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{3}}$	$\frac{100}{27\sqrt{3}}$	1	1
MR Isotriplet (Manohar:1990)	$P^1$	$\frac{1}{6\sqrt{2}}(3\bar{L}\gamma_5 L - \bar{Q}\gamma_5 Q)$	4	$-\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}$	$24\sqrt{2}y^2$	1	1

# TECHNIPION PROPERTIES

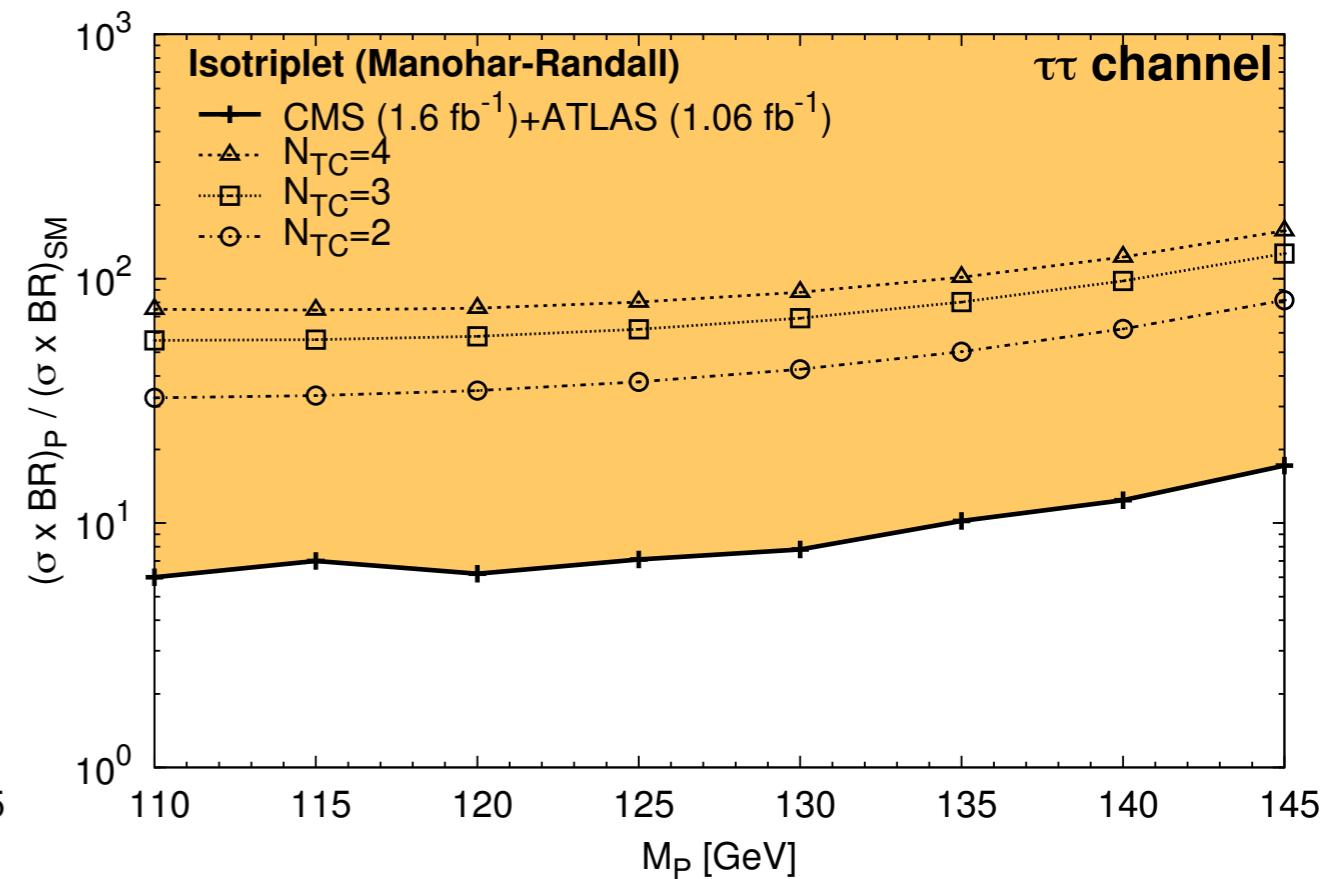
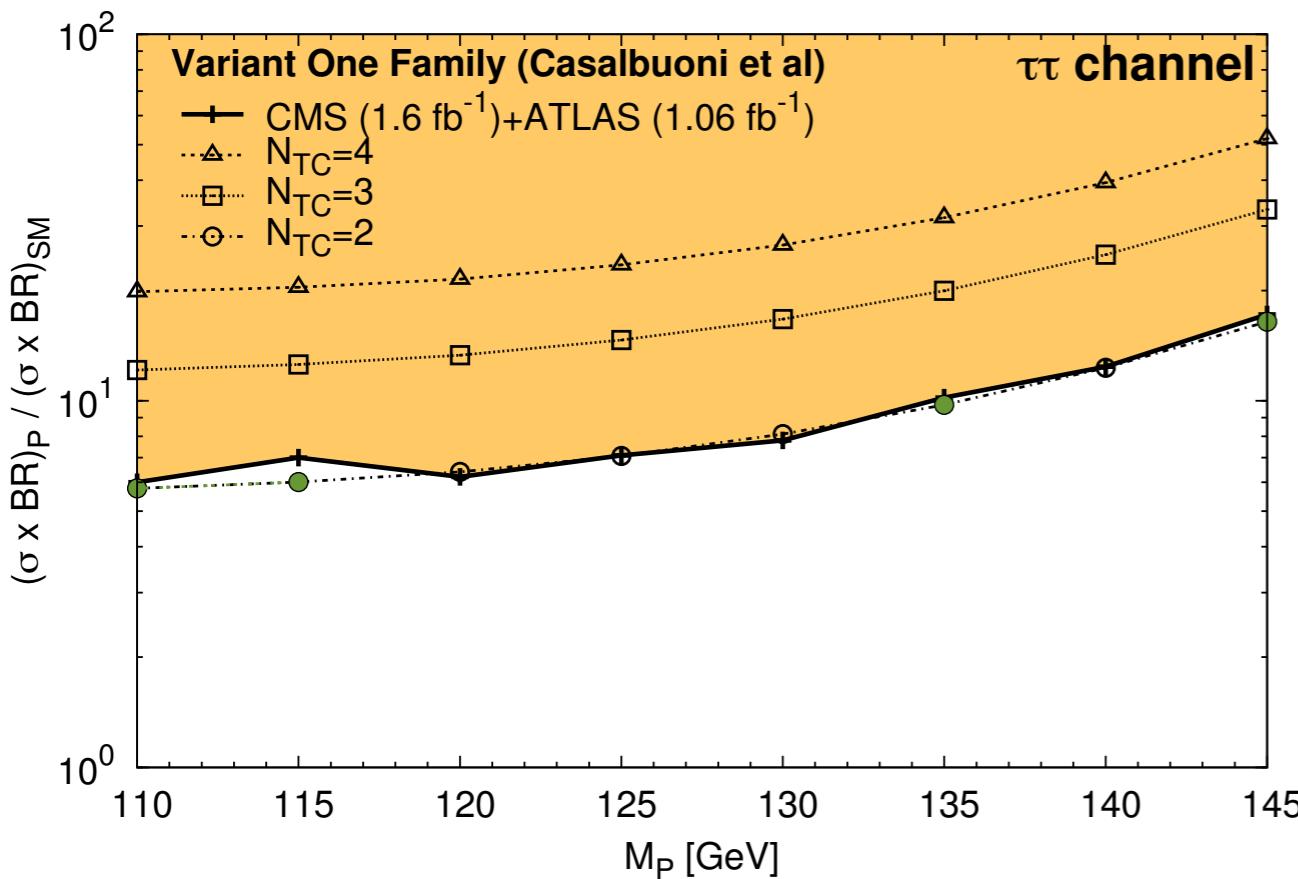
# I 30 GeV

350 GeV

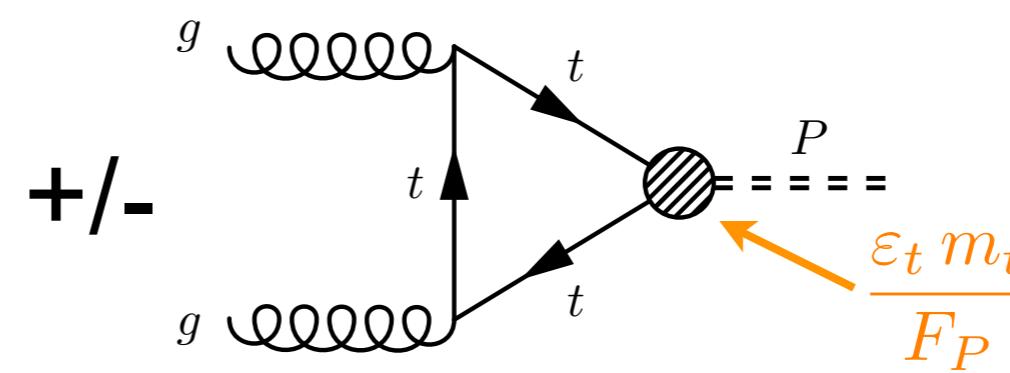
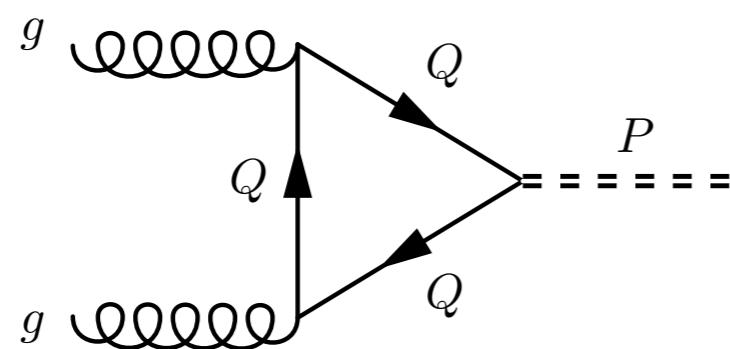
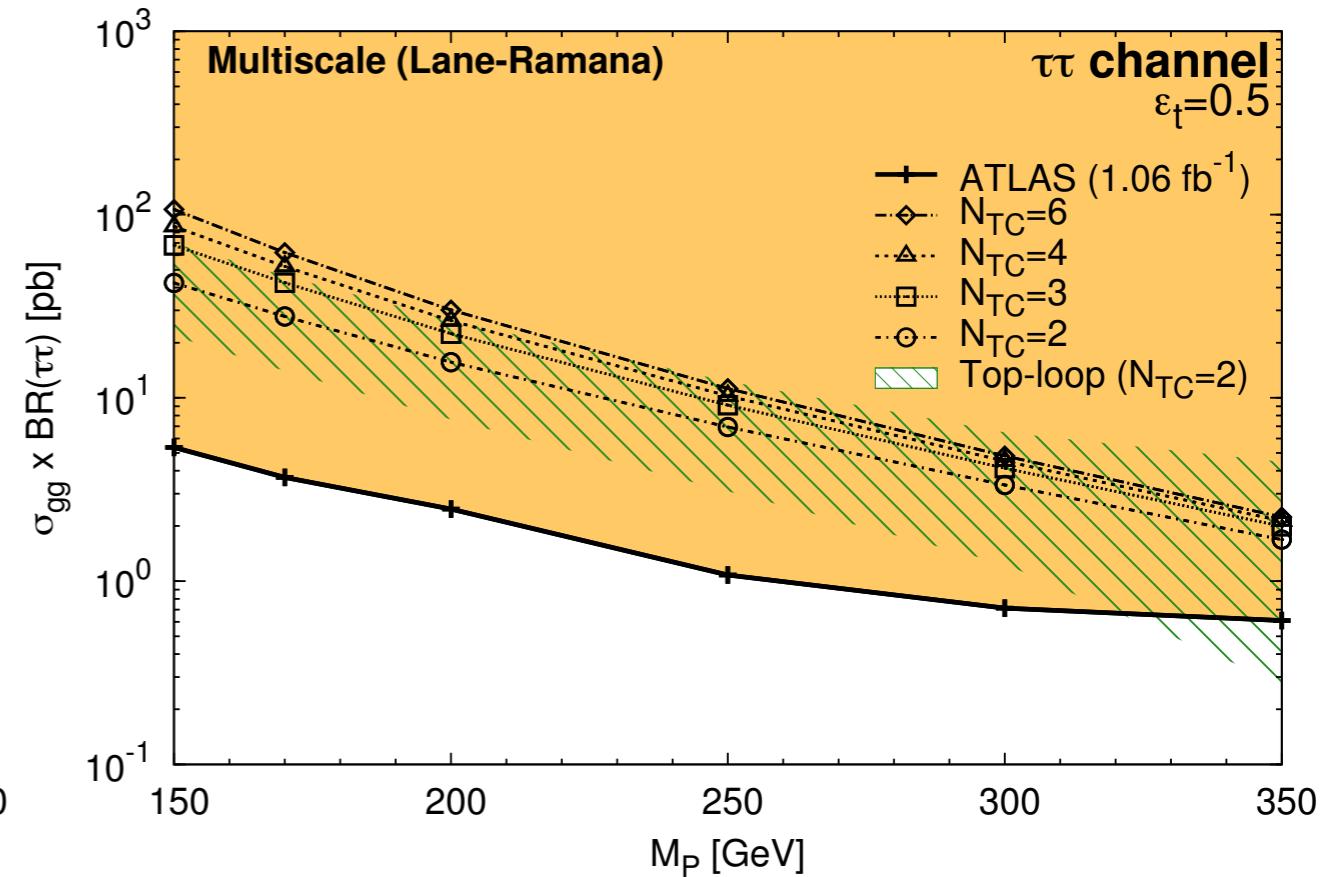
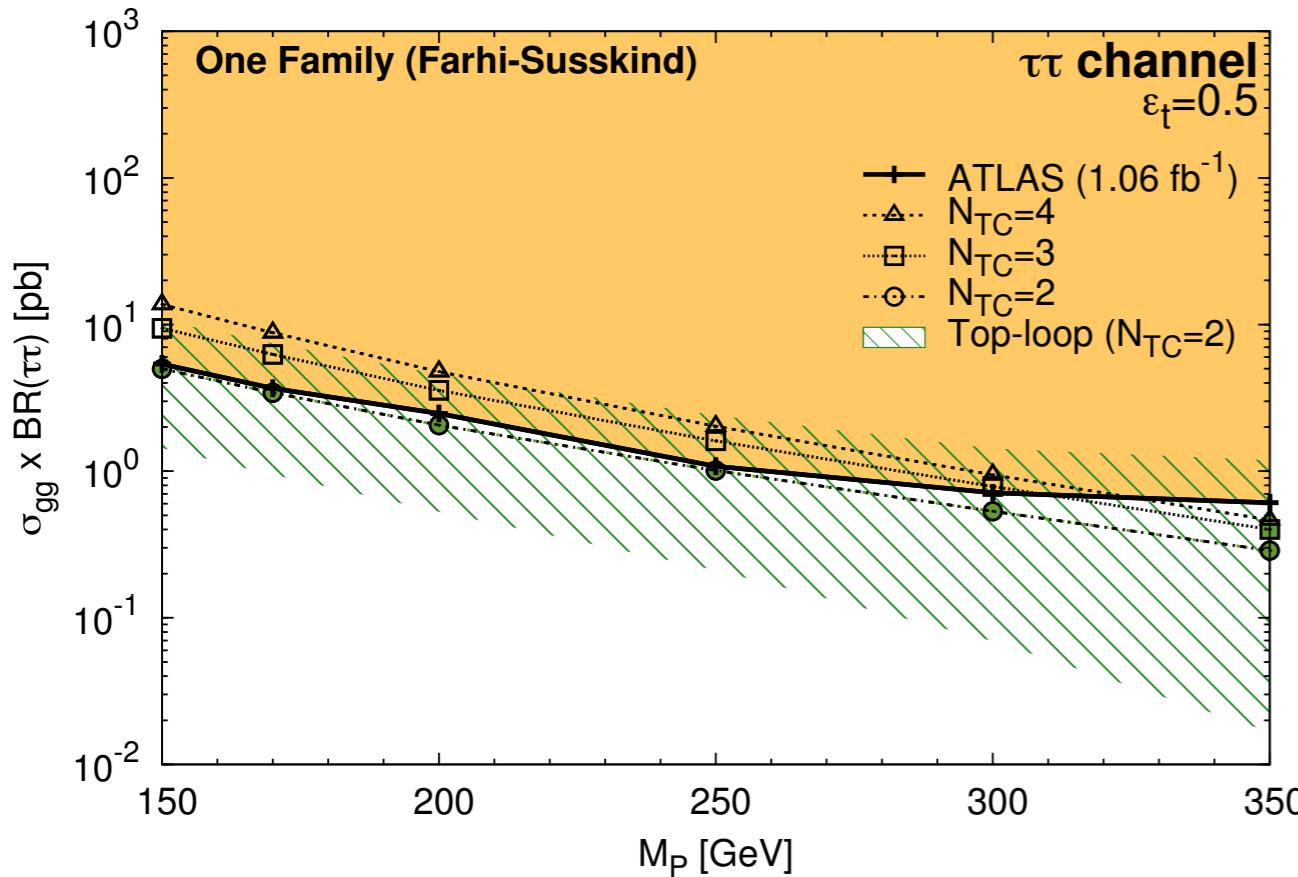
# LIGHT TECHNIPION LIMITS: $\gamma\gamma$



# LIGHT TECHNIPION LIMITS: $\tau\tau$

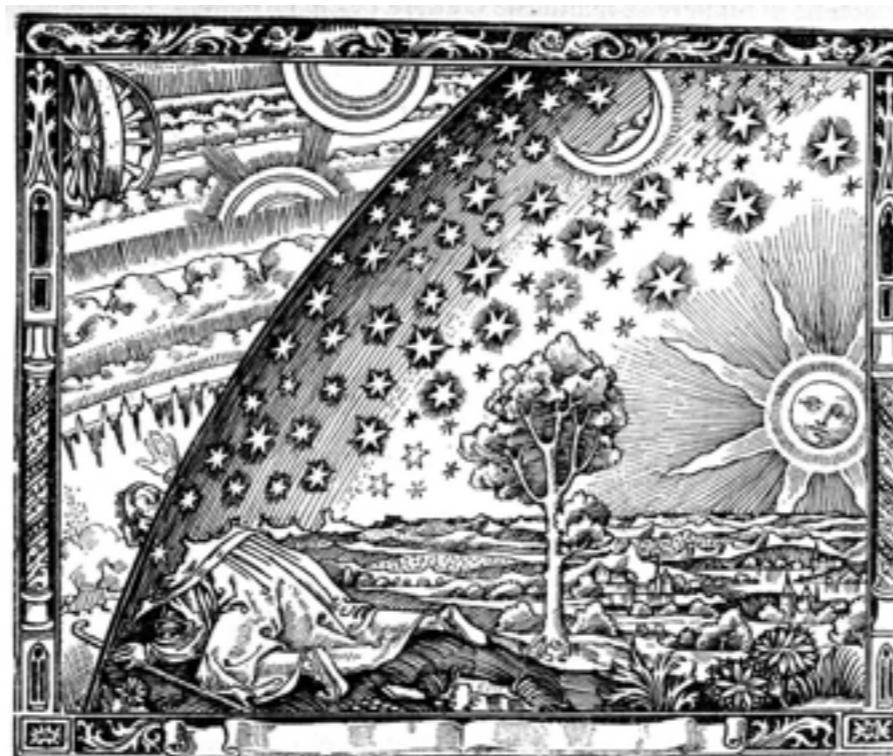


# HEAVY TECHNIPION LIMITS: $\tau\tau$



# CONCLUSIONS: PART I

- ATLAS/CMS results are strongly constraining technipions in models with colored technifermions.
- We are (finally!) at the TeV frontier.



# CONCLUSIONS: PART I

## Report on the question from Council to the SPC

CERN/SPC/978/Rev.2  
CERN/2986/Rev.2  
Original: English  
3 October 2011

The scientific significance of the possible exclusion of the SM Higgs boson in the mass range 114-600 GeV and how it should be best communicated

Looking further into the future, if a light Standard Model Higgs boson were eventually excluded at the 5 standard deviation level, direct searches should continue, looking for Higgs particles or other signals foreseen in models alternative to the Standard Model. For example, many models with an extended Higgs sector and/or additional particles with respect to the Standard Model, such as supersymmetry or extra dimensions, predict the existence of one or more particles that would look like a Standard Model Higgs boson, but produce a lower rate of experimentally detectable signals at the Tevatron and LHC. This would call for extending the search to larger samples of LHC data, in which these more subtle signals could be detectable. In addition, it would be crucial to study the scattering of pairs of massive vector bosons ( $WW$ ,  $WZ$ ,  $ZZ$ ) emitted by the colliding protons.

# HIGGSLESS MODELS

# GENERAL PRINCIPLES

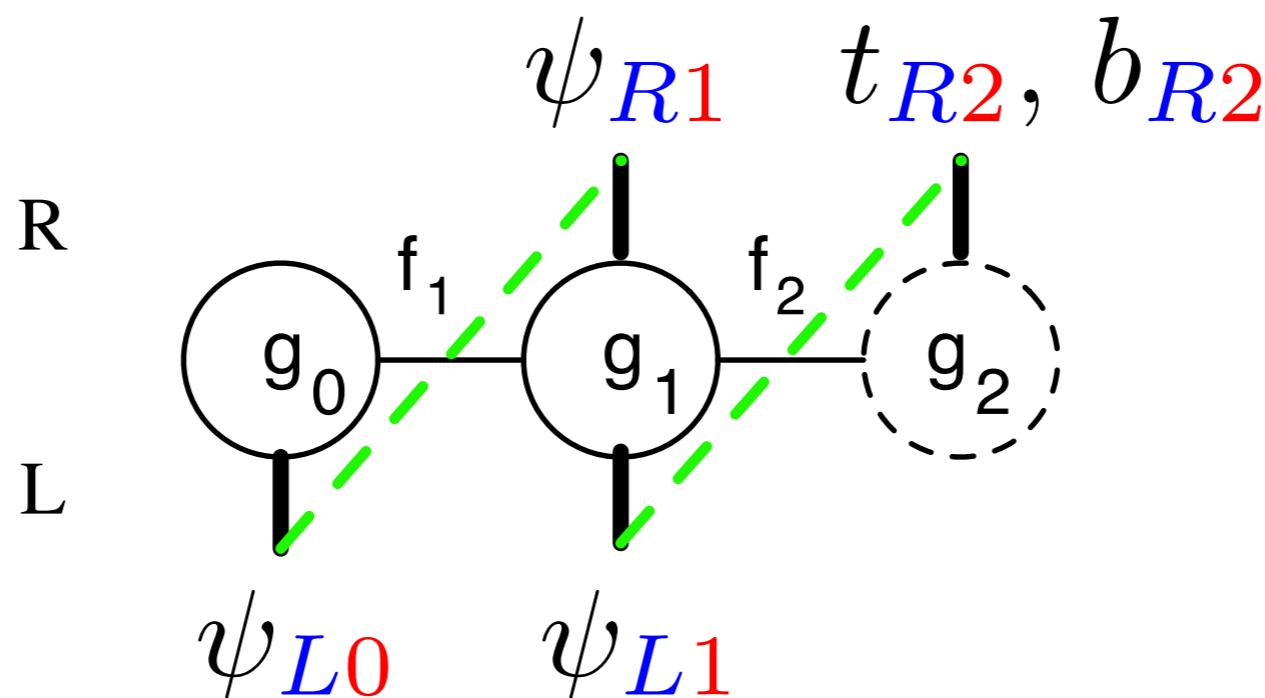
Higgsless models are low-energy effective theories of Dynamical Electroweak Symmetry Breaking with. They include:

- massive 4-d gauge bosons arise in the context of a 5-d gauge theory with appropriate boundary conditions
- WW scattering is unitarized through exchange of KK modes (instead of scalar bosons)
- the language of Deconstruction allows a 4-d “Moose” representation of the model

## 3-SITE MODEL: BASIC STRUCTURE

$$SU(2) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$$

$$g_0, g_2 \ll g_1$$

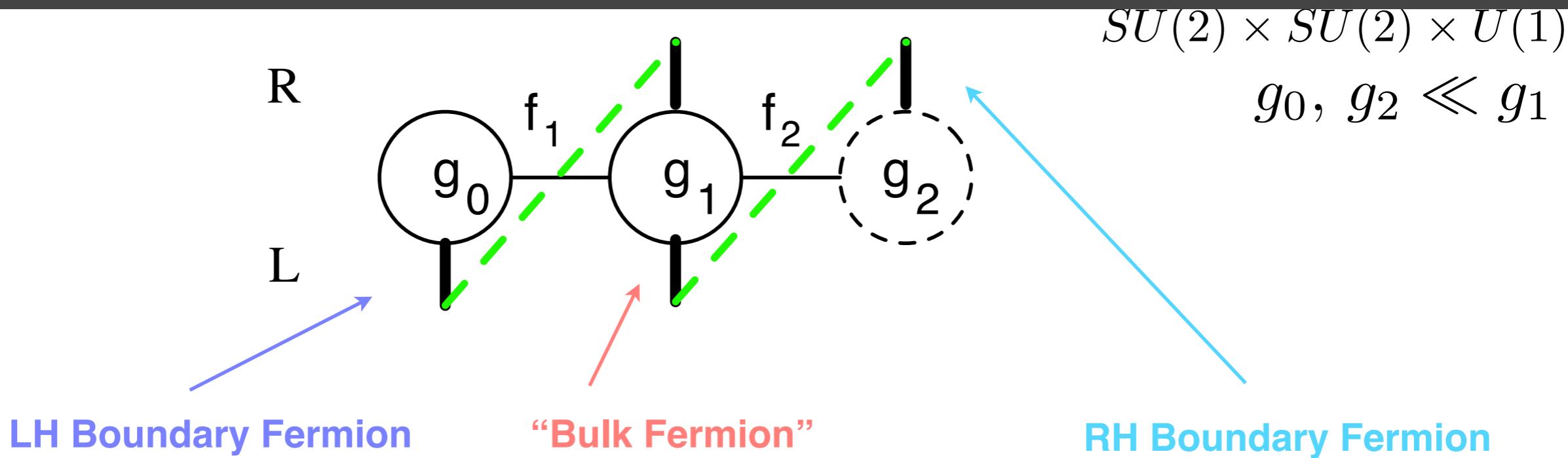


**Gauge boson spectrum:** photon, Z, Z', W, W' (as in BESS)

**Fermion spectrum:** t, T, b, B ( *is* an SU(2) doublet)

and also c,C, s,S, u,U, d,D plus the leptons

# 3-SITE FERMION MASSES



$$M \left[ \epsilon_L \bar{\psi}_{L0} \Sigma_{01} \psi_{R1} + \bar{\psi}_{R1} \psi_{L1} + \bar{\psi}_{L1} \Sigma_{12} \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_{uR} & 0 \\ 0 & \epsilon_{dR} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} u_{R2} \\ d_{R2} \end{pmatrix} \right]$$

degree of delocalization

ordinary fermion masses are of the form       $m_f \approx M \epsilon_L \epsilon_{fR}$   
 each ordinary fermion mass value is tied to       $\epsilon_{fR}$   
 flavor structure same as in standard model

heavy “KK” fermion masses are  $\sim M$

## 3-SITE IDEAL DELOCALIZATION

General **ideal delocalization** condition  $g_i(\psi_i^f)^2 = g_W v_i^w$

is realized as  $\frac{g_0(\psi_{L0}^f)^2}{g_1(\psi_{L1}^f)^2} = \frac{v_W^0}{v_W^1}$  in 3-site model

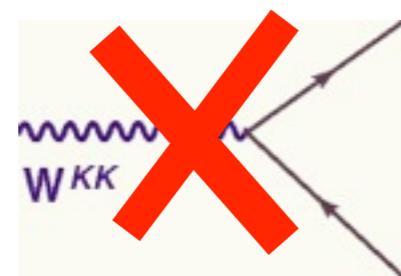
From the W, fermion eigenvectors, one solves for

$$\epsilon_L^2 \rightarrow (1 + \epsilon_{fR}^2)^2 \left[ \frac{x^2}{2} + \left( \frac{1}{8} - \frac{\epsilon_{fR}^2}{2} \right) x^4 + \dots \right] \quad x^2 \equiv \left( \frac{g_0}{g_1} \right)^2 \approx 4 \left( \frac{M_W}{M'_W} \right)^2$$

For all but top quark,  $\epsilon_{fR} \ll 1$  so the choice

$$\epsilon_L^2 \approx 2 \left( \frac{M_W^2}{M_{W'}^2} \right)$$

makes W' **fermiophobic** and Z' nearly so



$$\hat{S} = \hat{T} = W = 0$$

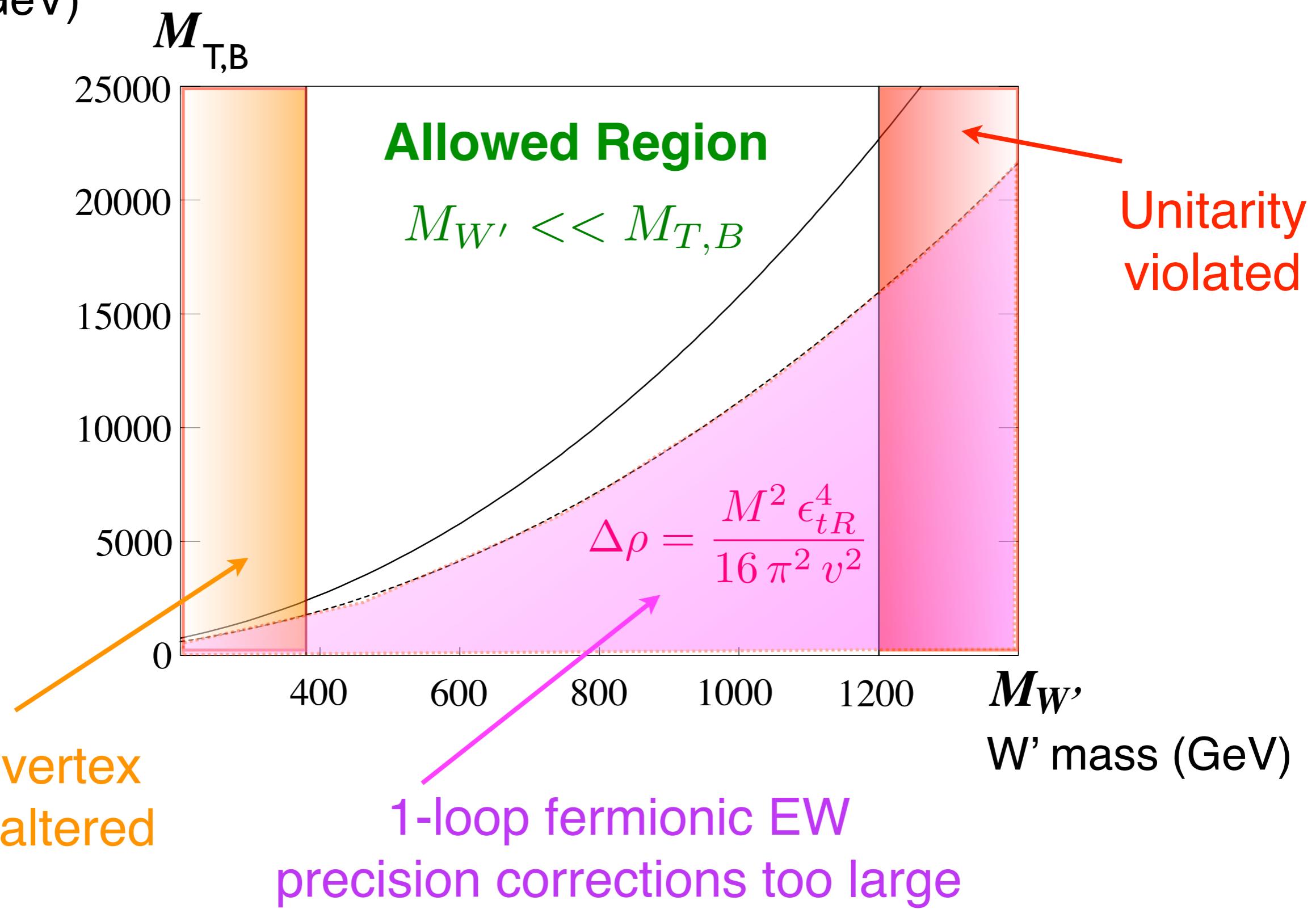
$$Y = M_W^2 (\Sigma_W - \Sigma_Z)$$

Use WW scattering to see W': Birkedal, Matchev, Perelstein hep-ph/0412278

# 3-SITE PARAMETER SPACE

KK fermion  
mass (GeV)

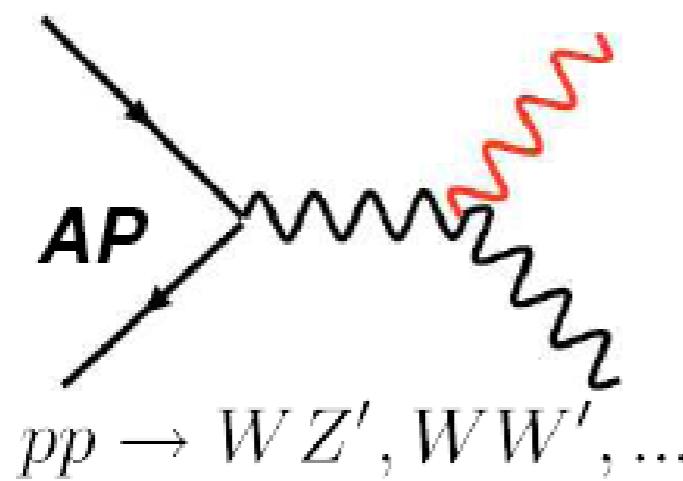
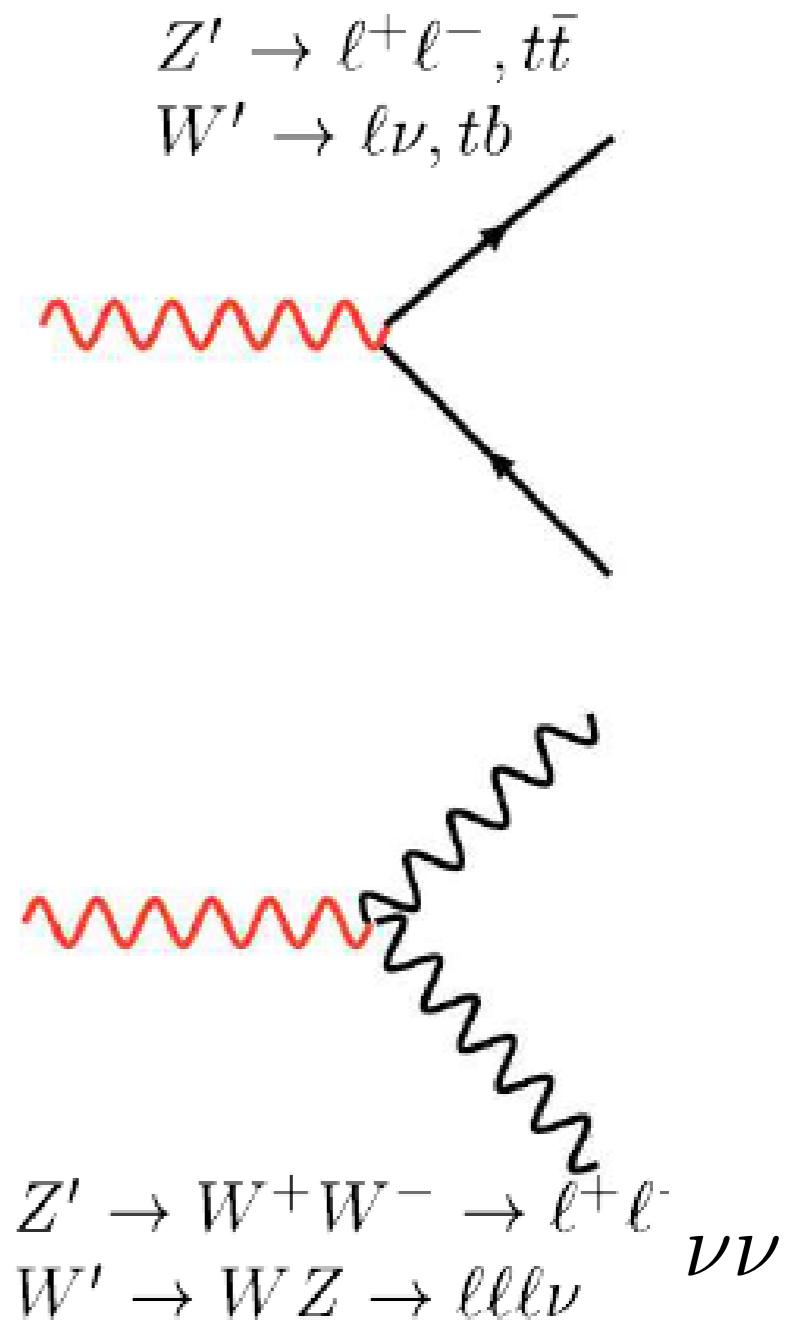
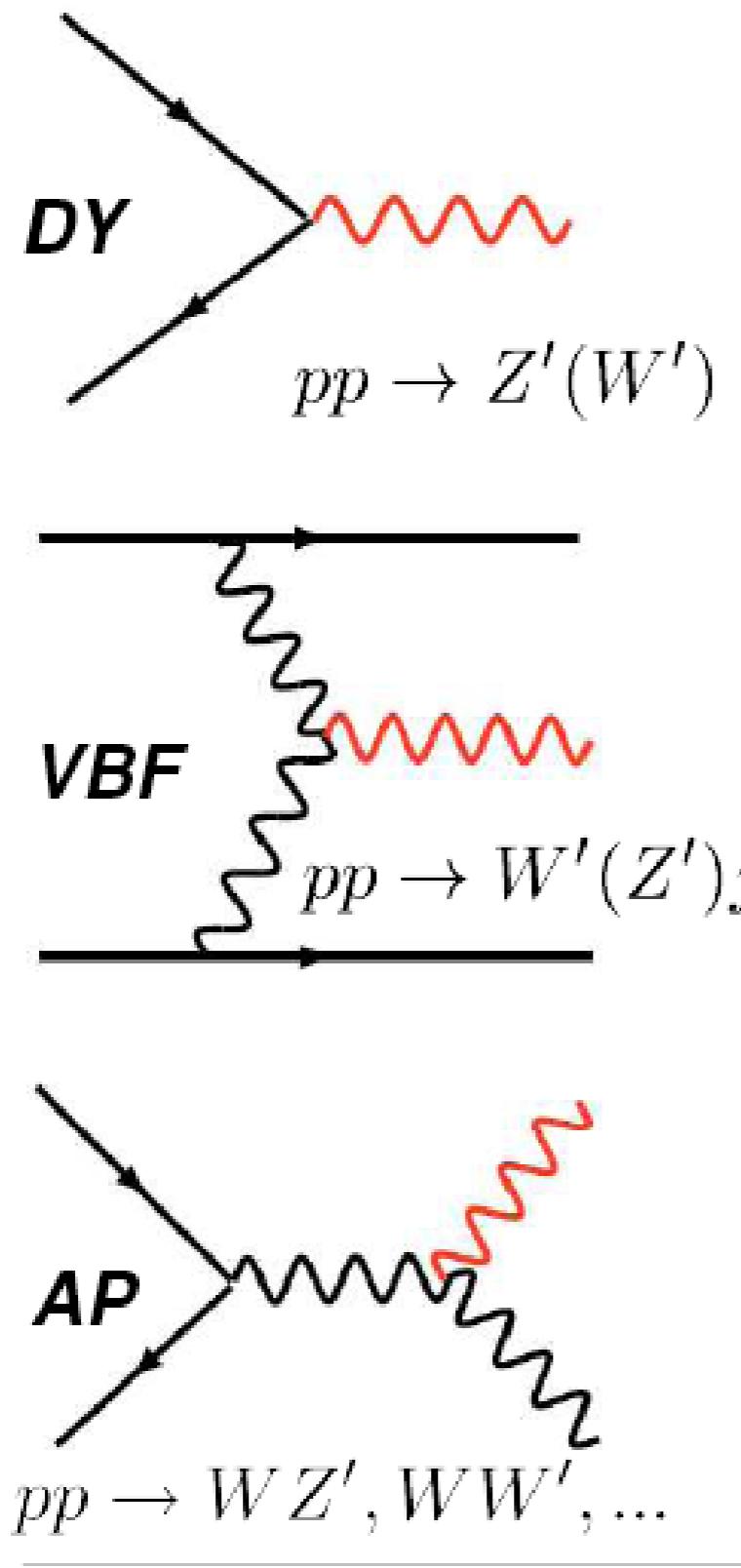
Chivukula et al. hep-ph/0607124



# LHC PHENOMENOLOGY

RSC, EHS, H.-J. HE, Y.-P. KUANG, ET. AL. ARXIV: 0708.2588

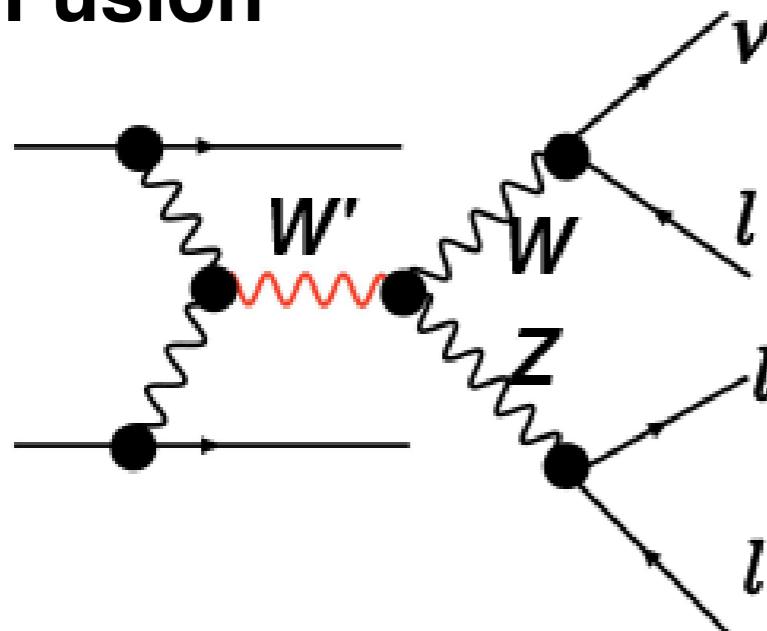
# $W'$ , $Z'$ PRODUCTION AND DECAY AT LHC



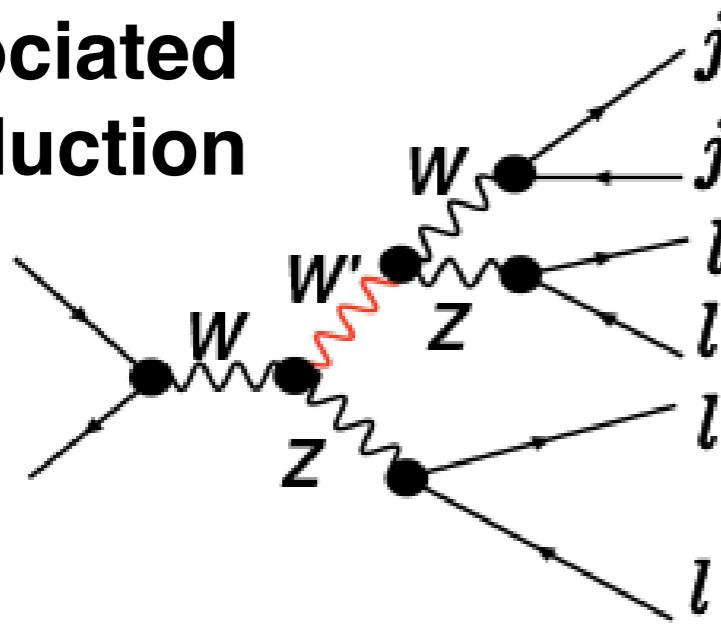
# $W'$ PRODUCTION AT LHC

Two processes with large rates and clear signatures!

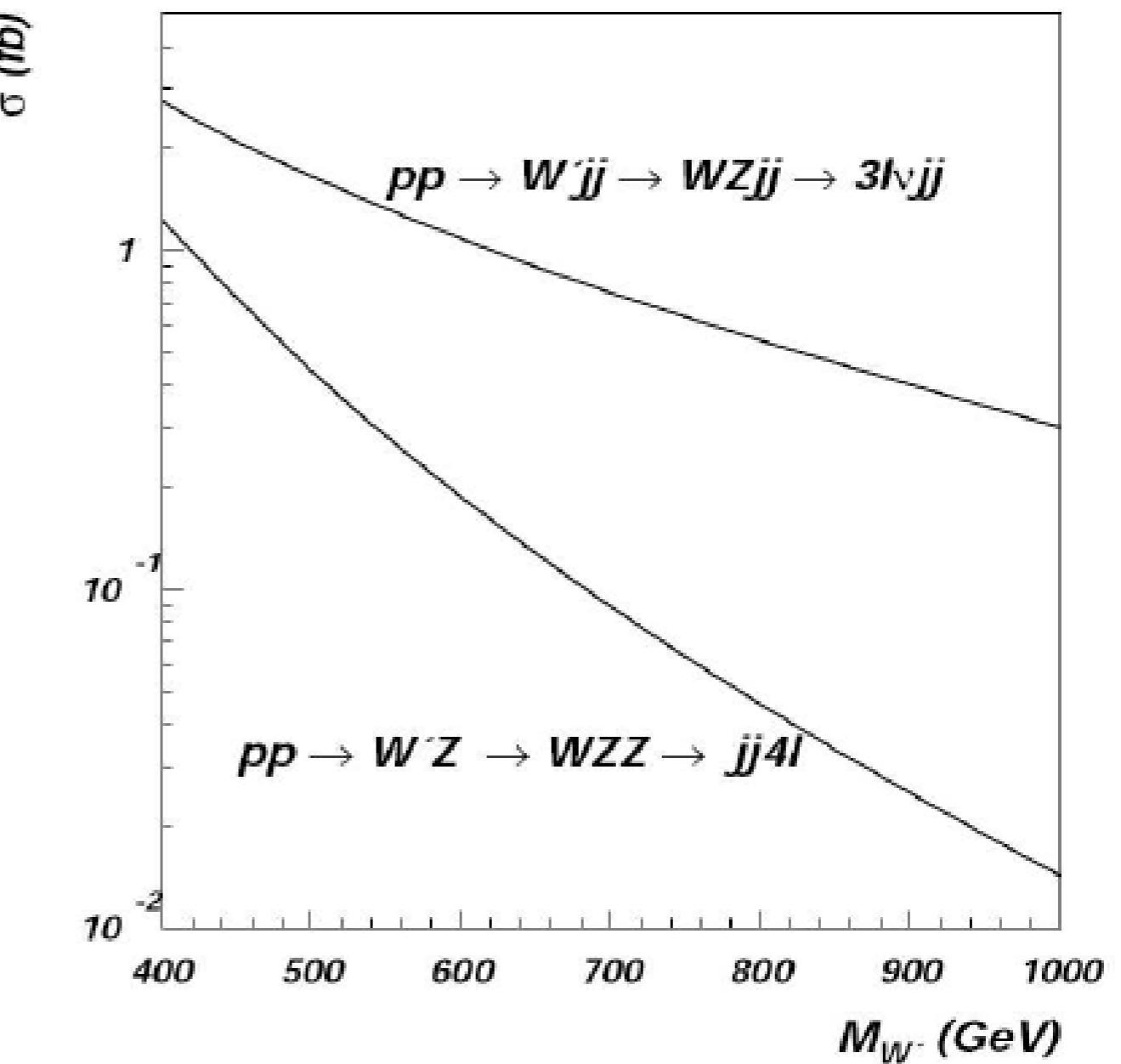
## Vector Boson Fusion



## Associated Production

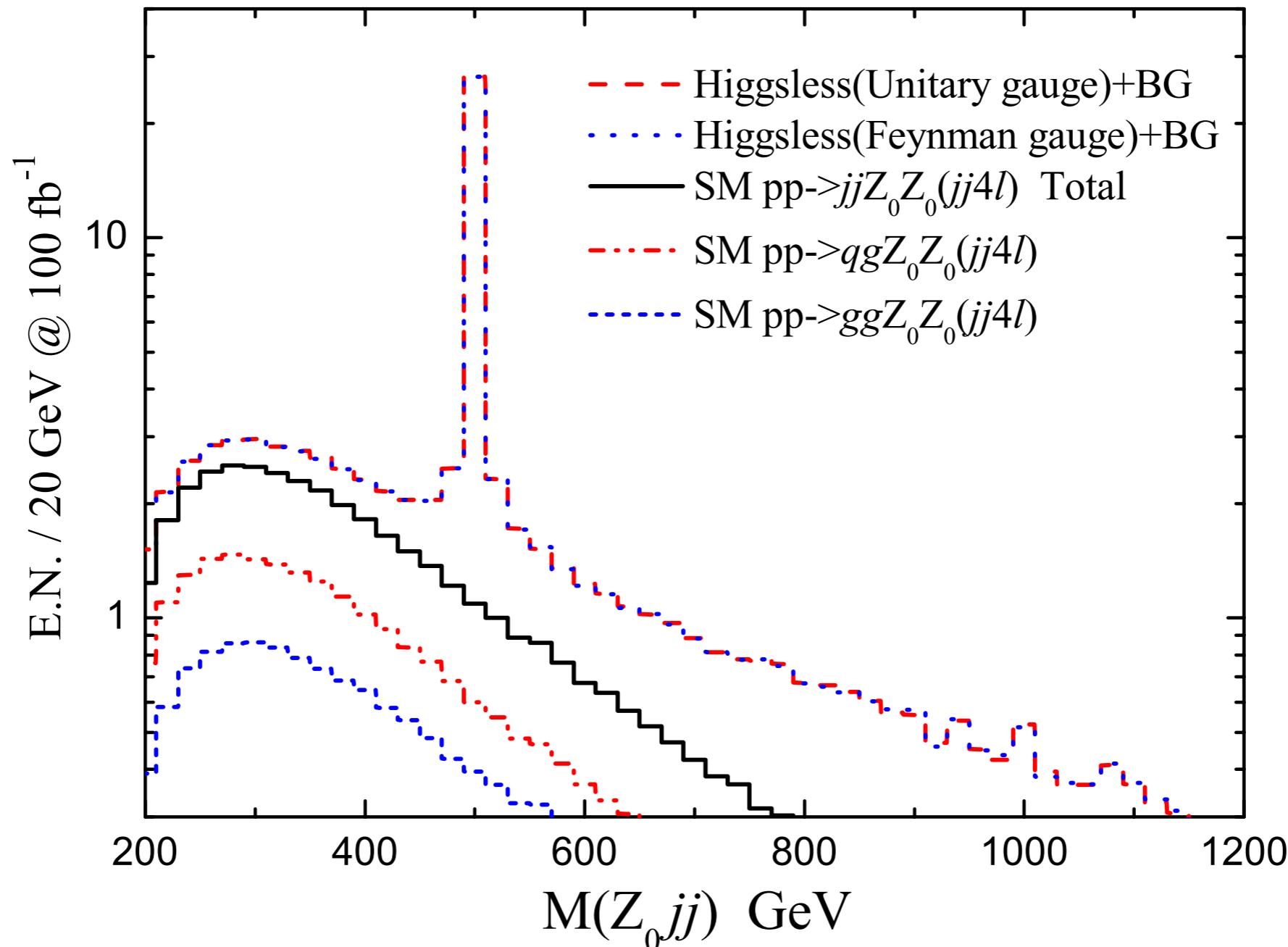


LHC @ 14 TeV



# ASSOCIATED PRODUCTION (W'Z CHANNEL)

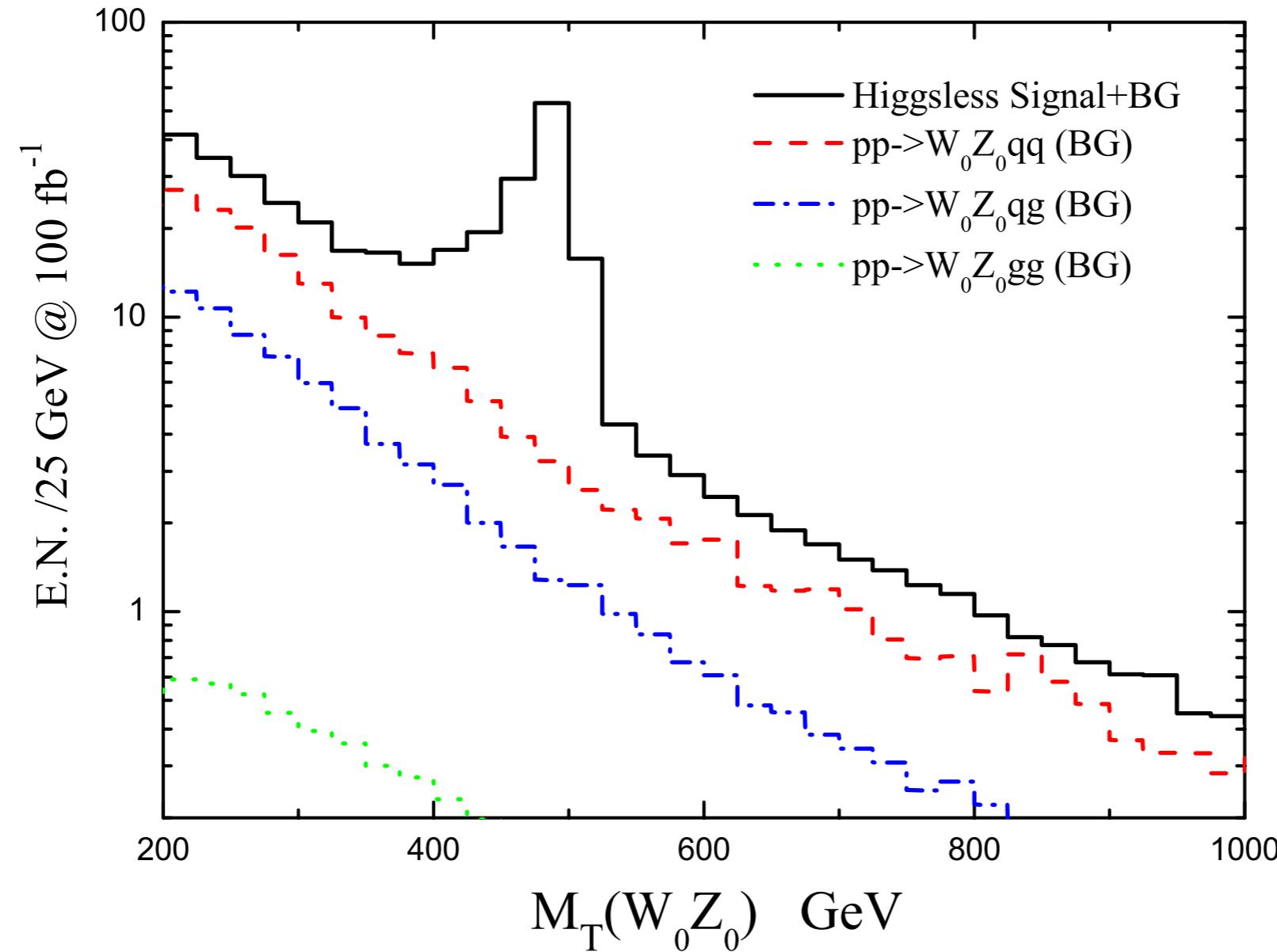
500 GeV W' boson



$$\begin{aligned}
M_{jj} &= 80 \pm 15 \text{ GeV}, & \Delta R(jj) &< 1.5, & \sum_Z p_T(Z) + \sum_j p_T(j) &= \pm 15 \text{ GeV}. \\
p_{T\ell} &> 10 \text{ GeV}, & |\eta_\ell| &< 2.5, & p_{Tj} &> 15 \text{ GeV}, & |\eta_j| &< 4.5.
\end{aligned}$$

# VECTOR BOSON FUSION (WZJJ CHANNEL)

500 GeV W' boson



Background is  
10x larger than  
estimated in  
Birkedal, Matchev  
& Perelstein (2005)

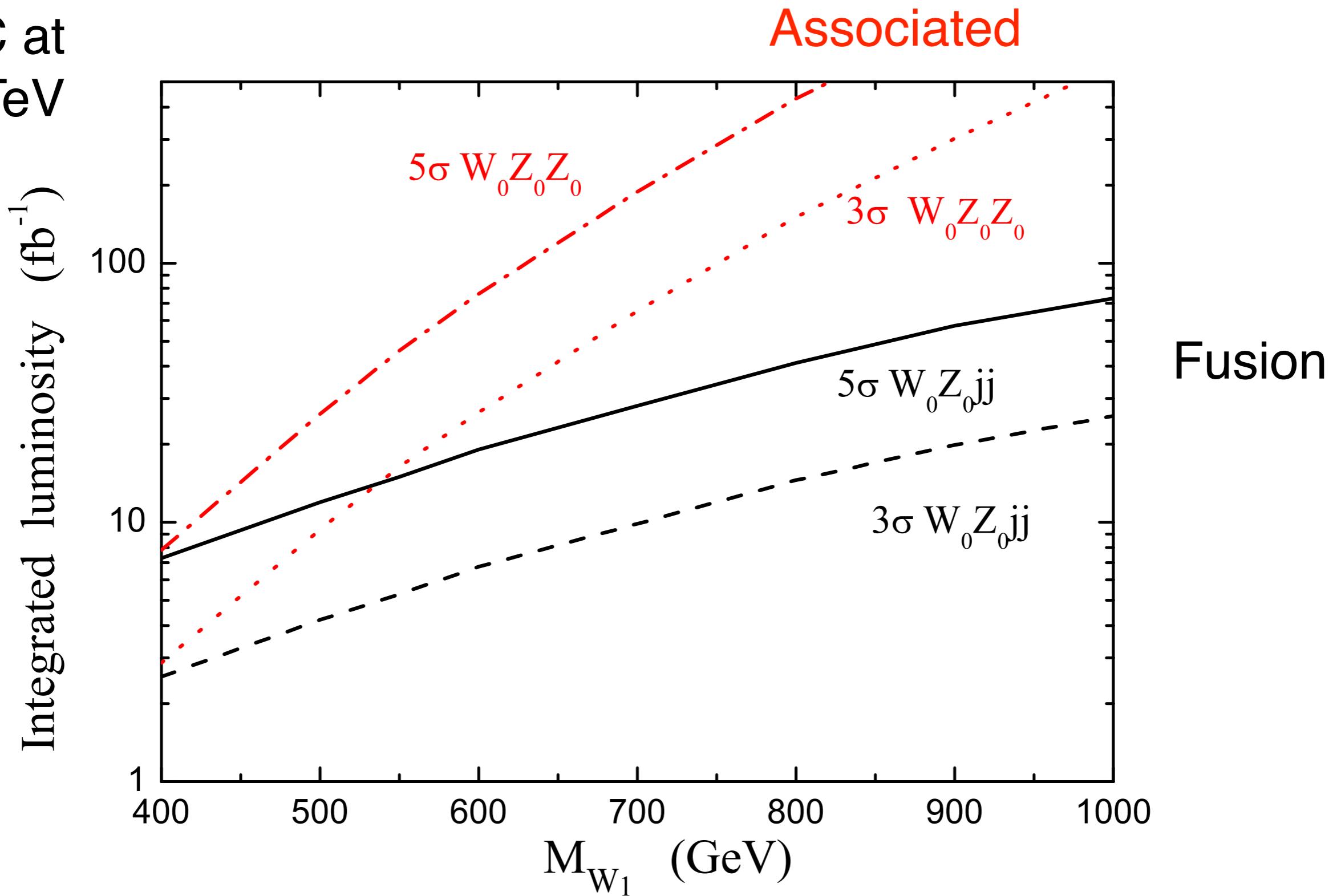
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$$E_j > 300 \text{ GeV}, \quad p_{Tj} > 30 \text{ GeV}, \quad |\eta_j| < 4.5, \quad |\Delta\eta_{jj}| > 4,$$

$$p_{T\ell} > 10 \text{ GeV}, \quad |\eta_\ell| < 2.5$$

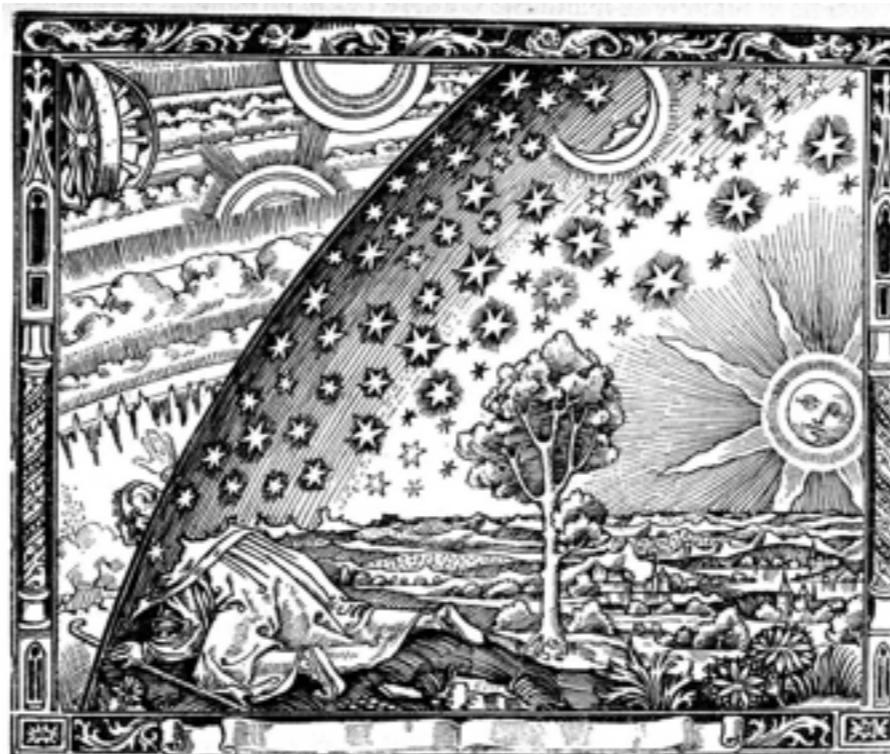
# INTEGRATED LUMINOSITY FOR W' DISCOVERY

LHC at  
14 TeV



## CONCLUSIONS: PART II

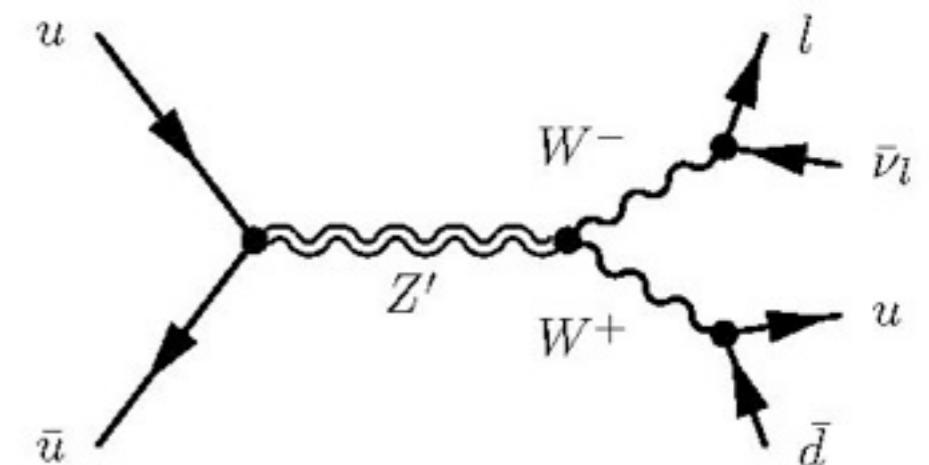
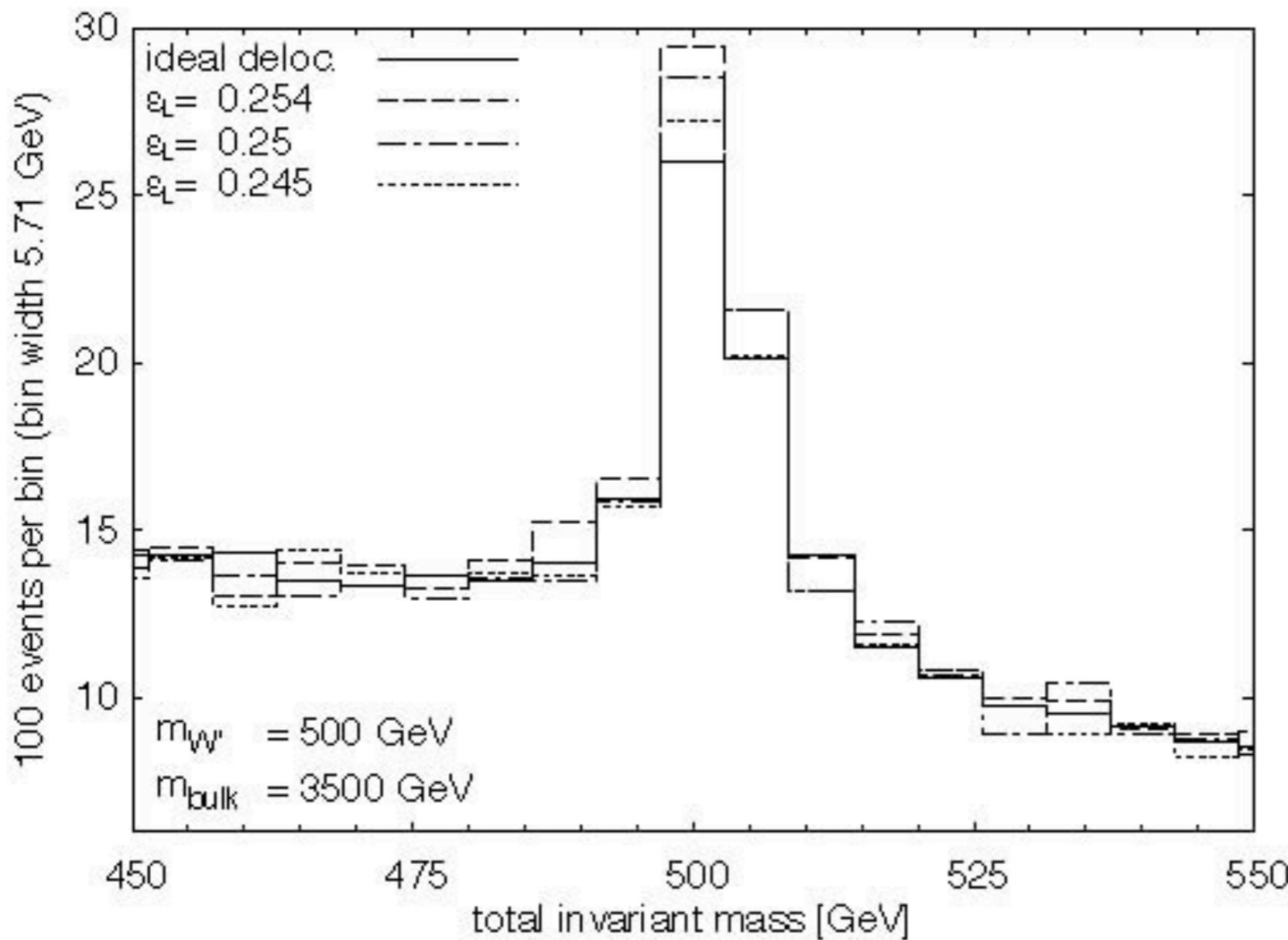
- ATLAS/CMS will have substantial reach in Higgsless models as well, at 14 TeV.
- Investigations at 7 TeV are underway.



# **BACKUP SLIDES**

# Z' SEARCH AT LHC

Ohl & Speckner predict that the 3-site Z' boson (at or near ideal delocalization) should be visible in 100  $\text{fb}^{-1}$  of LHC data



$$p_T \geq 50 \text{ GeV}$$

$$|\cos \theta| \leq 0.95$$

$$75 \text{ GeV} \leq m_{jj} \leq 85 \text{ GeV}$$

$$M_{W'} = 500 \text{ GeV}$$