

UNCONVENTIONAL
PHENOMENOLOGY OF A
MINIMAL 2HDM

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- PDG value, best fit of all **indirect** EW data
- First top candidate events:

$$m_t = 174 \pm 10^{+13}_{-12} \text{ GeV}$$

MASS PREDICTION

- In the Standard Model, at one loop:

$$\hat{\rho} \equiv \frac{M_W^2}{\hat{c}_Z^2 M_Z^2} \neq 1$$

mainly due to the non degenerate top/bottom doublet

$$\Delta_t \hat{\rho} = \frac{3G_F}{8\sqrt{2}\pi^2} \left(m_t^2 + m_b^2 - \frac{4m_t^2 m_b^2}{m_t^2 - m_b^2} \log \frac{m_t}{m_b} \right)$$

AND THE HIGGS ?

$$\Delta_H \hat{\rho} = -\frac{3\alpha}{16\pi\hat{c}_W^2} \left(\log \frac{m_{h^0}^2}{m_W^2} + \frac{1}{6} + \frac{1}{\hat{s}_W^2} \log \frac{m_W^2}{m_Z^2} \right)$$

but only **logarithmic**, so

$$m_t^{pred} = 149_{-18}^{+16} \text{ GeV for } m_h = 60 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_t^{pred} = 186_{-18}^{+16} \text{ GeV for } m_h = 1 \text{ TeV}$$

WHY NOT QUADRATIC ?

- Accidental custodial symmetry in the SM scalar sector

$$SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R \longrightarrow SU(2)_{L+R}$$

- Broken in the gauge sector, restored if

$$g_Y \longrightarrow 0 \text{ or } g_L \longrightarrow 0$$

- Broken in the Yukawa sector

$$L_Y \ni \lambda_d \bar{Q}_L \phi d_R + \lambda_u \bar{Q}_L \tilde{\phi} u_R$$

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“If you are out to describe the truth,
leave elegance to the tailor.”

Albert Einstein (1879-1955)

A GENERIC 2HDM

- Two Higgs doublets with $Y=+1$ ϕ_1, ϕ_2
- Arbitrarily choose a “Higgs basis”

$$\langle \phi_1^0 \rangle = v \text{ and } \langle \phi_2^0 \rangle = 0$$

- Use the convenient representation

$$M_i \equiv \begin{pmatrix} \phi_i^0 & \phi_i^+ \\ -(\phi_i^+)^* & (\phi_i^0)^* \end{pmatrix} \quad \phi_1^\dagger \phi_1 = \text{Tr}(M_1^\dagger M_1), \dots$$

CUSTODIAL SYMMETRY

Phys. Rev. Lett. 98: 251802, 2007. hep-ph/0703051, J.-M. Gérard and M.H.

- Invariance under the transformation

$$SU(2)_L \times SU(2)_R : M_1 \rightarrow U_L M_1 U_R^\dagger$$

is sufficient to guarantee $\hat{\rho} = 1$

- But only $SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y$ is gauged, such that one can still freely **choose**

$$M_2 \rightarrow U_L M_2 V_R^\dagger \quad V_R = X^\dagger U_R X$$

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} \exp(i\frac{\gamma}{2}) & 0 \\ 0 & \exp(-i\frac{\gamma}{2}) \end{pmatrix}$$

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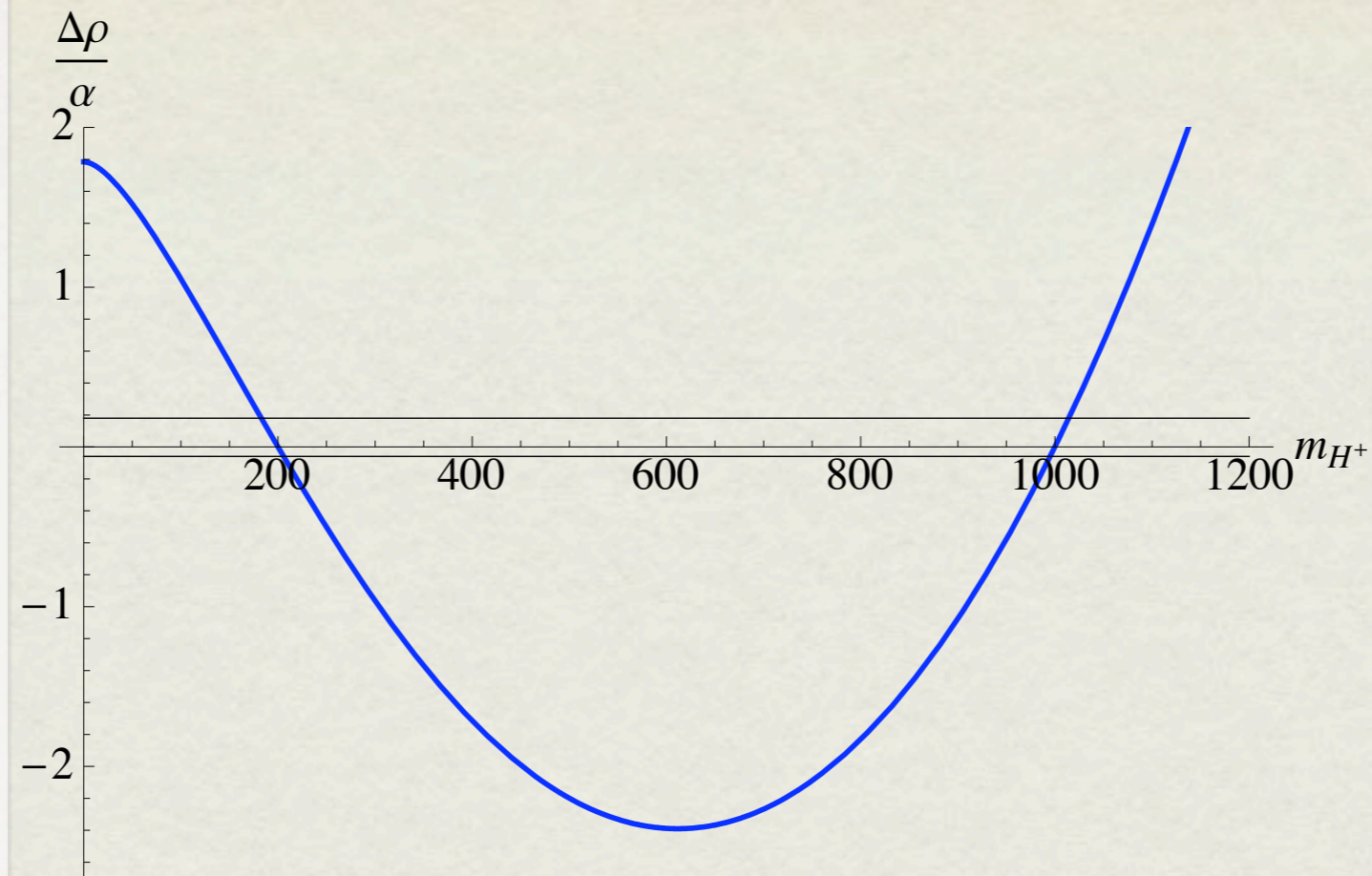
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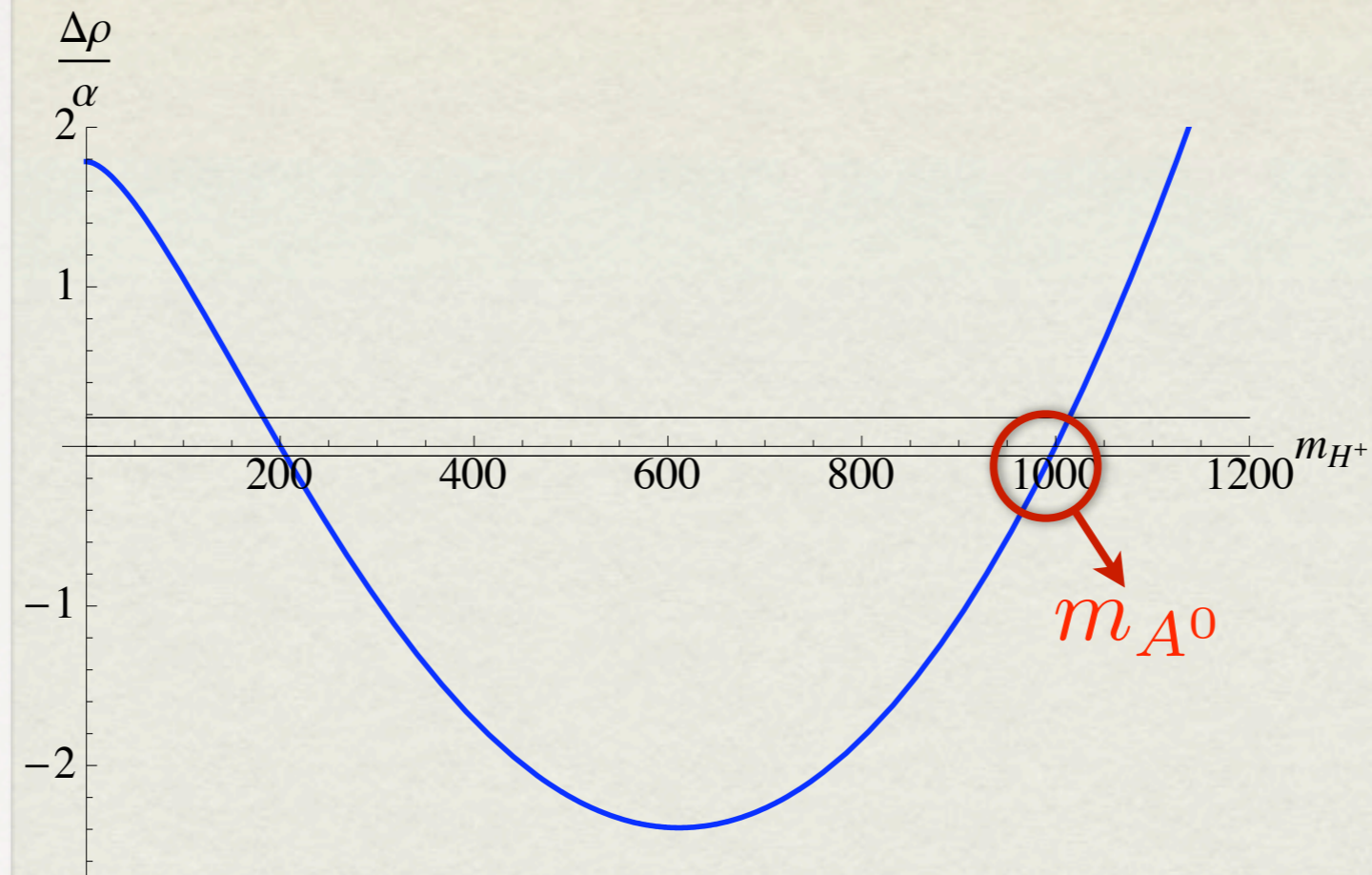
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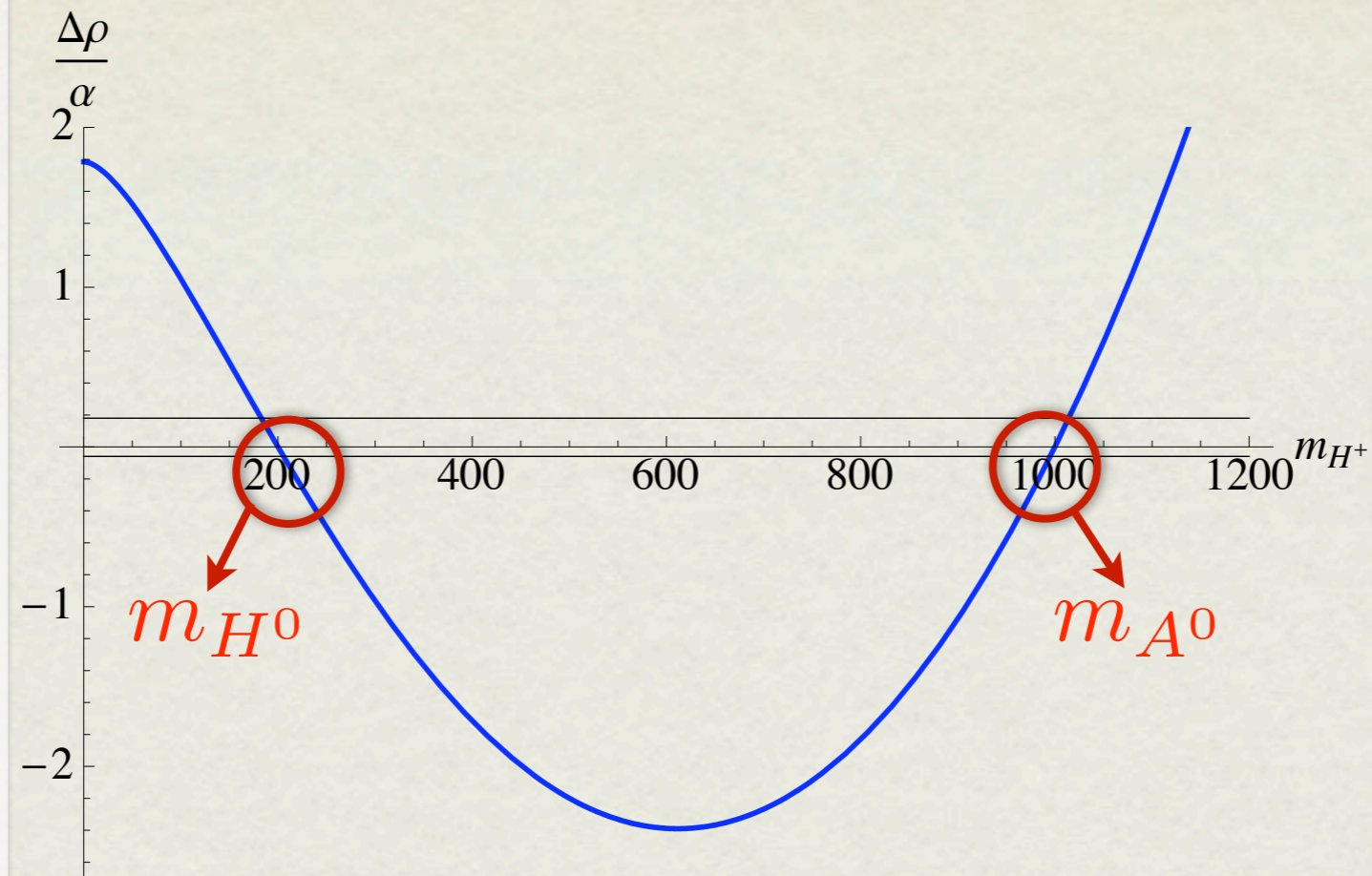
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ALTERNATIVE POV

H. Haber, private communication, 2007
Thesis, D. O'Neil, arXiv:0908.1363, 2009

- In terms of invariants, the minimal 2HDM corresponds to a subclass of $Z_6 = Z_7 = 0$, where **two equivalent definitions of CP** can coexist
- In the absence of Yukawa couplings, those definitions are physically indistinguishable (both A^0 and H^0 have vanishing couplings to $Z^0 Z^0$)
- The two cases considered here can be described without the “twisting” formalism, but **it enlightens an interplay between CP and custodial** for this specific model.

YUKAWA COUPLINGS

- Due to CP+custodial symmetries, there is **already** an accidental \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry in the Higgs basis
- One can promote the real rotation from the Higgs to a generic basis to be a (softly broken) symmetry of the potential
- **Type I & II** can be defined as usual, the SM-like Higgs h^0 has purely SM couplings to SM particles

M₂HDM: SUMMARY

- A “minimal” two-Higgs-doublet model:

$$V = -m_1^2 \phi_1^\dagger \phi_1 - m_2^2 \phi_2^\dagger \phi_2 + \frac{\lambda_S}{2} (\phi_1^\dagger \phi_2 + \phi_2^\dagger \phi_1)^2 + \frac{\lambda_{AS}}{2} (\phi_1^\dagger \phi_2 - \phi_2^\dagger \phi_1)^2$$

- Built naturally **by imposing CP/custodial symmetries**
- Invariant under a \mathbb{Z}_2 symmetry \Rightarrow Yukawa type I & II
- **4 free parameters:** $m_{h^0}, m_{A^0}, m_{H^\pm} = m_{H^0}, \tan \beta$

How to choose them ?

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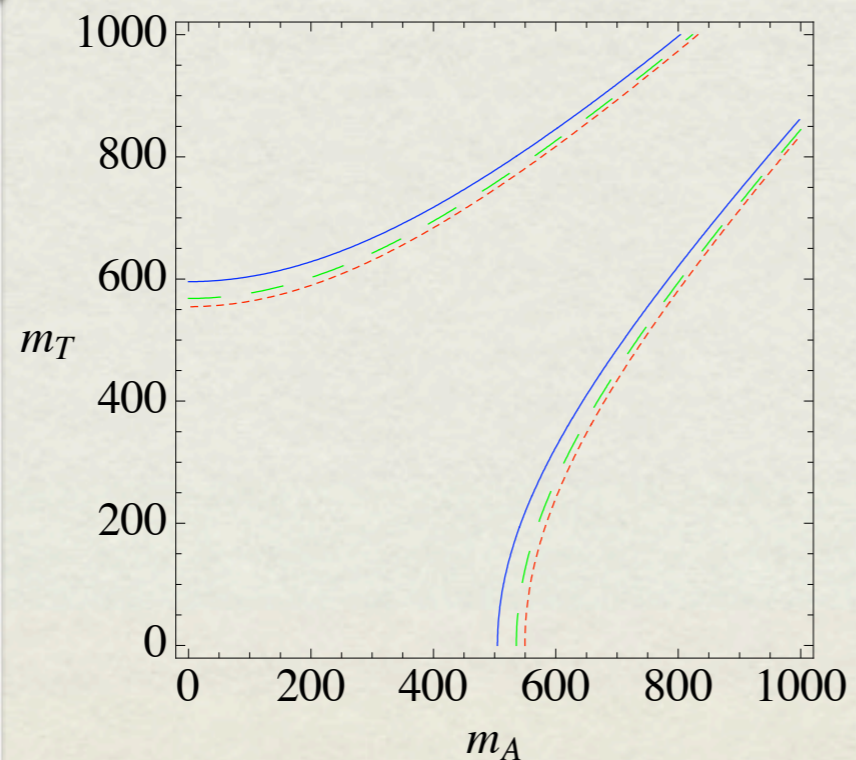
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“We live on an island surrounded by a sea of ignorance. As our island of knowledge grows, so does the shore of our ignorance.”

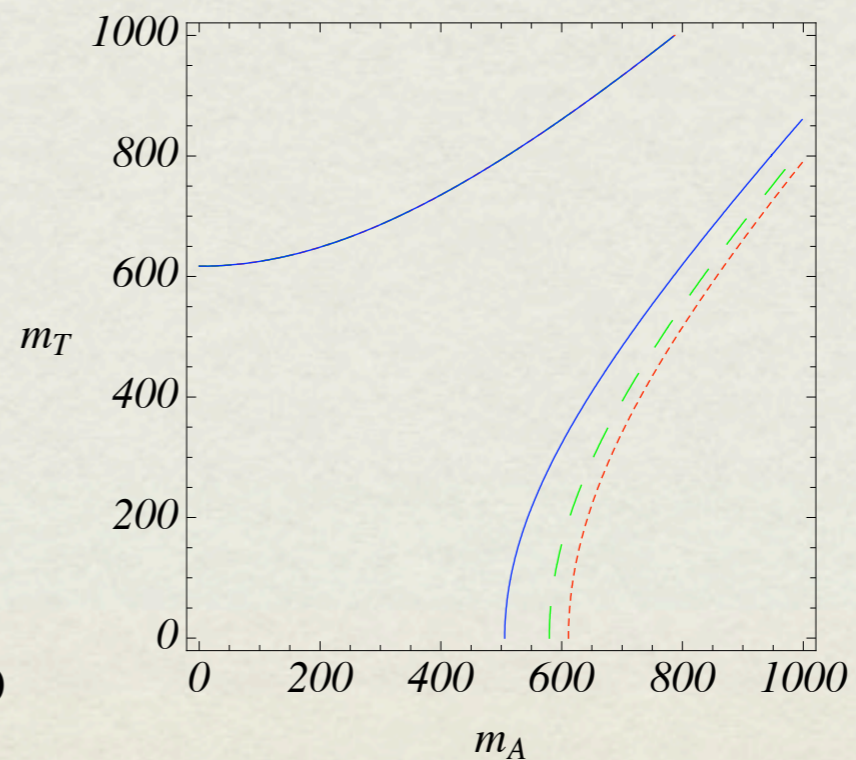
John A. Wheeler (1911 - 2008)

TH. CONSTRAINTS

- Vacuum stability : $m_{h^0}^2 > m_T^2 - m_{A^0}^2$
- Unitarity ($|\Lambda_{YI^3}^{\mathbb{Z}_2}| < 8\pi$) and perturbativity ($\lambda \lesssim 4\pi$)



(a) Unitarity



(b) Perturbativity

EW PRECISION S,T,U

- The **T** parameter is naturally **free of quadratic contributions** thanks to the custodial symmetry.
- The log contribution of an heavy h^0 (> 300 GeV) has to be compensated by an O(10%) CS breaking (only 1% expected from radiative corrections)
- **S and U are naturally small**, and both slightly favors a light pseudoscalar A^0 and an heavy triplet (H^0, H^\pm)

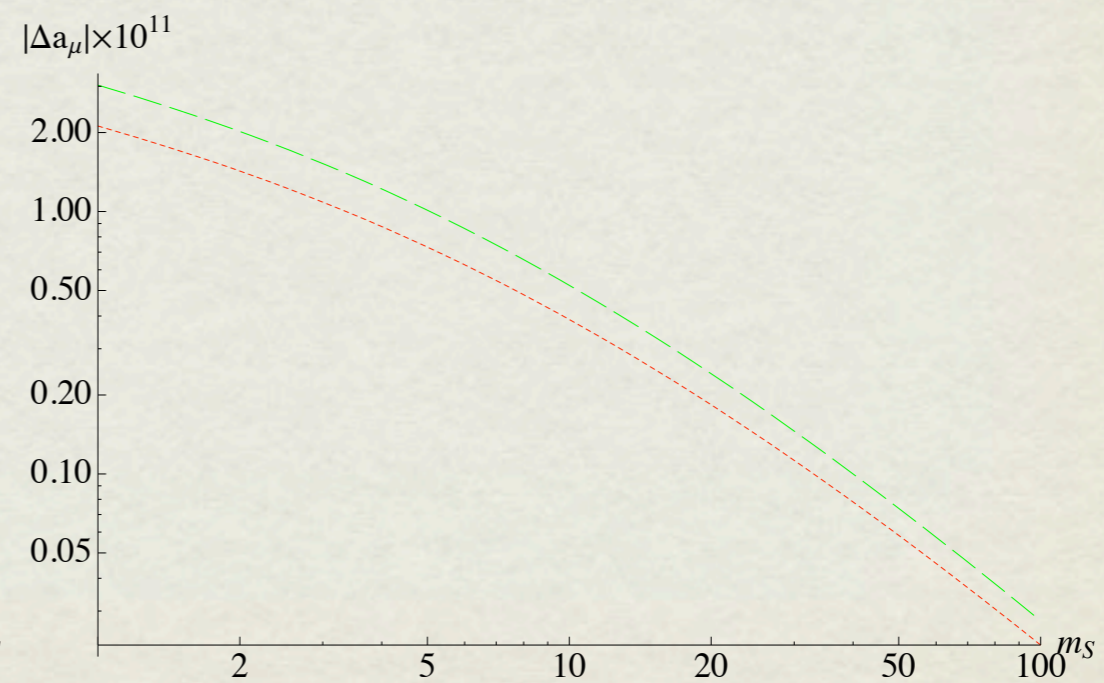
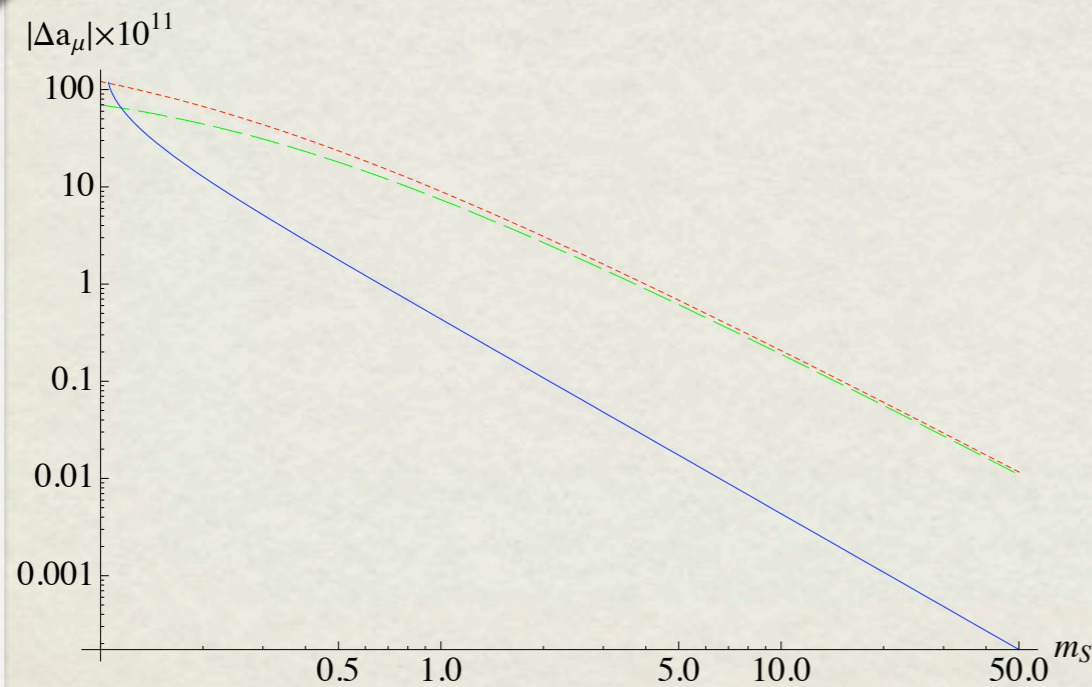
B PHYSICS

- In type II, $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ favors high charged Higgs masses (>300 GeV)
- $B \rightarrow D\tau\nu_\tau$ is not really restrictive but $B \rightarrow \tau\nu_\tau$ strongly favors low values: $\tan\beta \lesssim 30$
- The $B_0 - \bar{B}_0$ mixing forbids extreme $\tan\beta$ values in both type I and II
- The $Zb\bar{b}$ vertex tends to forbid very large m_{A^0}/m_{H^0} splitting

MUON ANOMALOUS MAGNETIC MOMENT

hep-ph/0103223, M. Krawczyk, 2001.

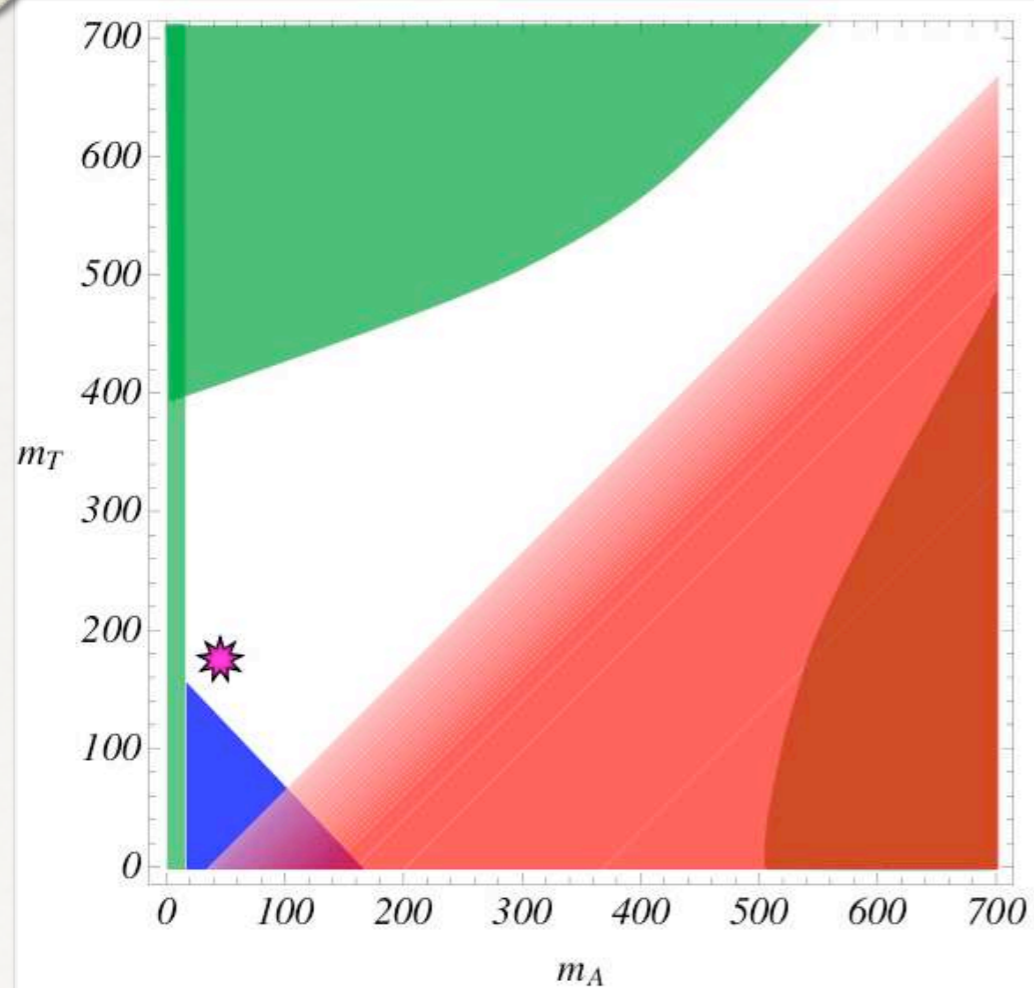
- Even if discrepancies are weaker than in the past, still tends to favor the presence of a **light pseudoscalar in type II** models (two-loop effect)



LEP AND TEVATRON

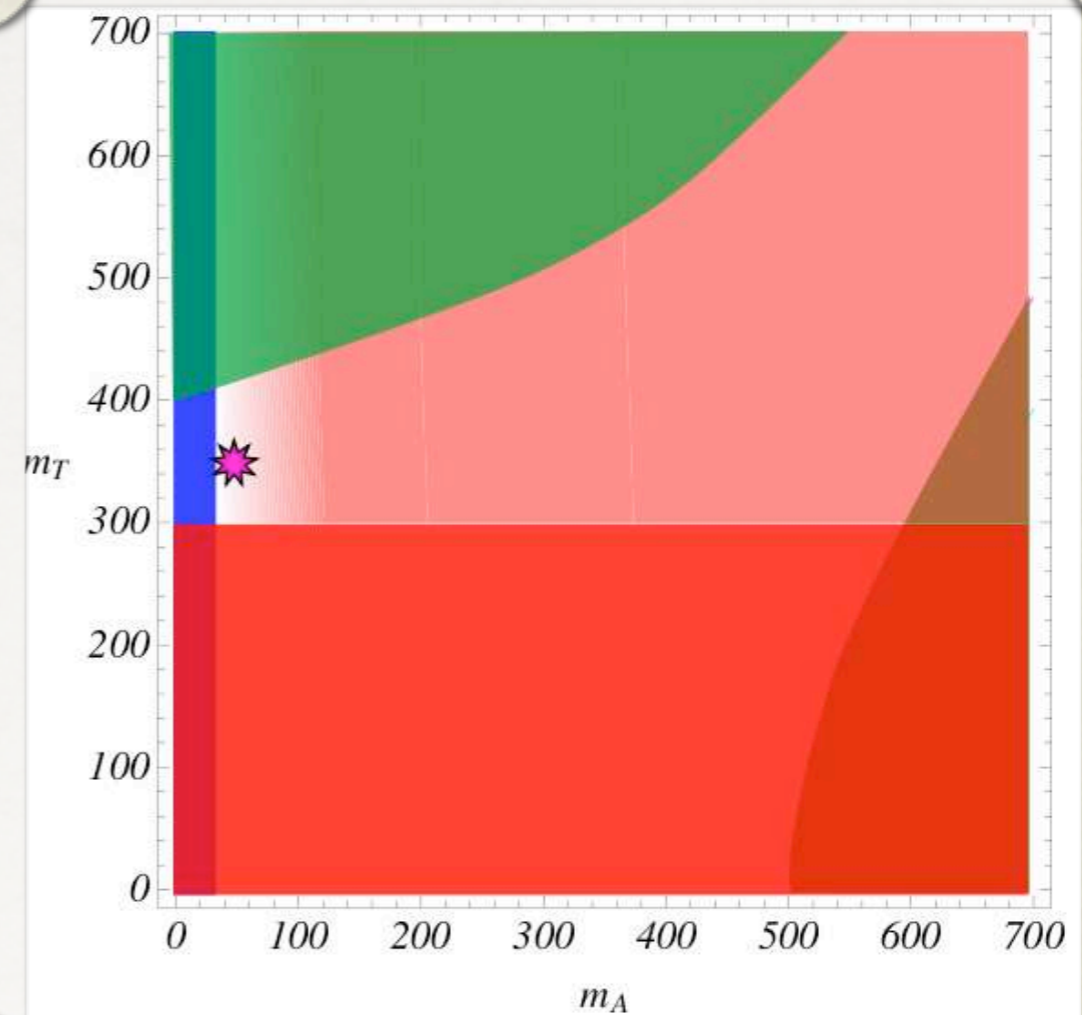
- **LEP:** $m_{h^0} > 114 \text{ GeV}$ (SM searches), $m_{H^0} + m_{A^0} \gtrsim 180 \text{ GeV}$ (pair production), $m_{A^0} \gtrsim 20 \text{ GeV}$ (Yukawa process type II), model independent searches: $m_{H^\pm} > 75 \text{ GeV}$
- Tevatron: $\tan \beta < 35$ (if $m_{A^0} > 70 \text{ GeV}$, from MSSM searches), $BR(t \rightarrow H^+ b) \lesssim 0.2$ (model independent searches)

SUMMARY



$$\tan \beta < 0.4$$

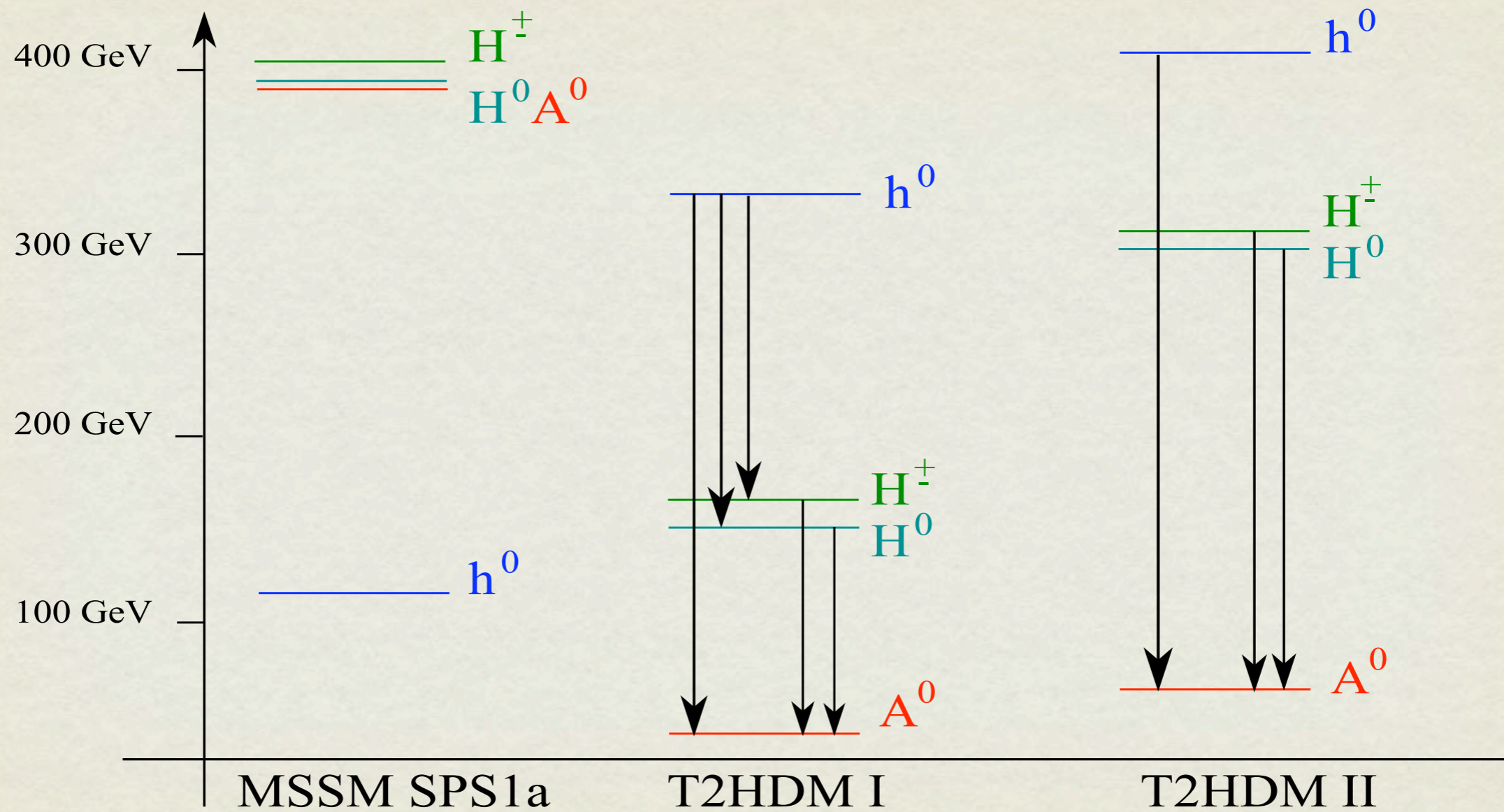
Type I



$$\tan \beta < 30$$

Type II

UNUSUAL SPECTRUM



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William Blake (1757-1827)

PRODUCTION & DECAY

JHEP 0908:042,2009, S. de Visscher, J.-M. Gérard, V. Lemaître, F. Maltoni and M.H.

- Usual production for h^0
- Alternatives for H^0, A^0, H^\pm

$$gg \rightarrow b\bar{b}H^0(A^0)$$

$$gb \rightarrow tH^-, t \rightarrow H^+b$$

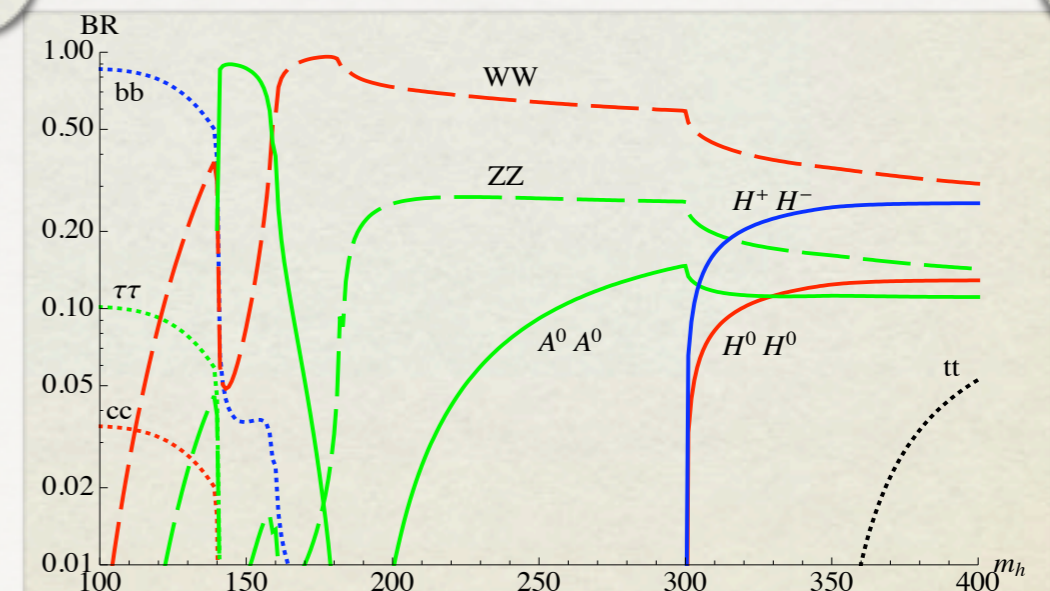
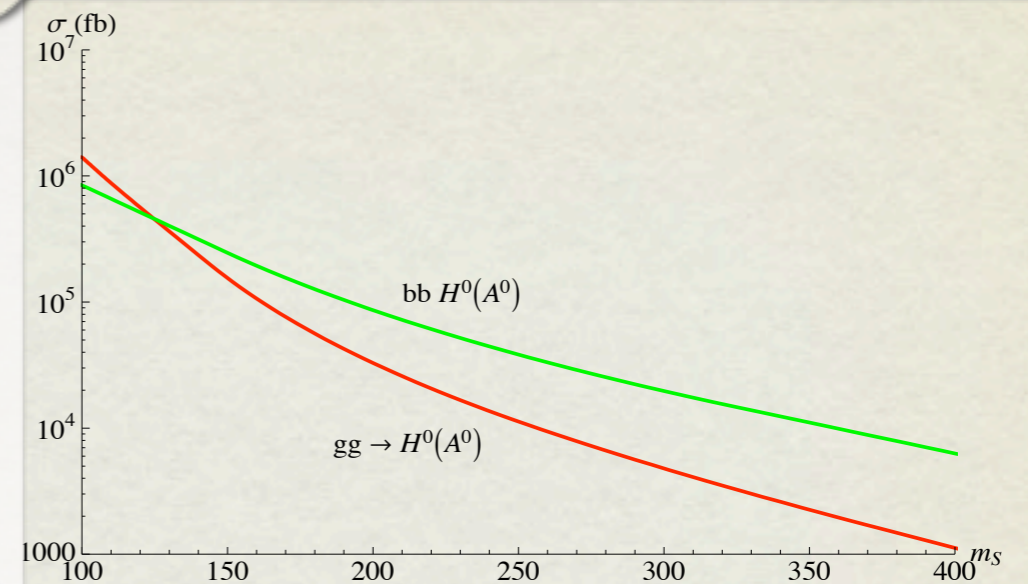
- Exotic decays

$$h^0 \rightarrow H^0H^0, H^+H^-, A^0A^0$$

$$H^0 \rightarrow Z^0A^0$$

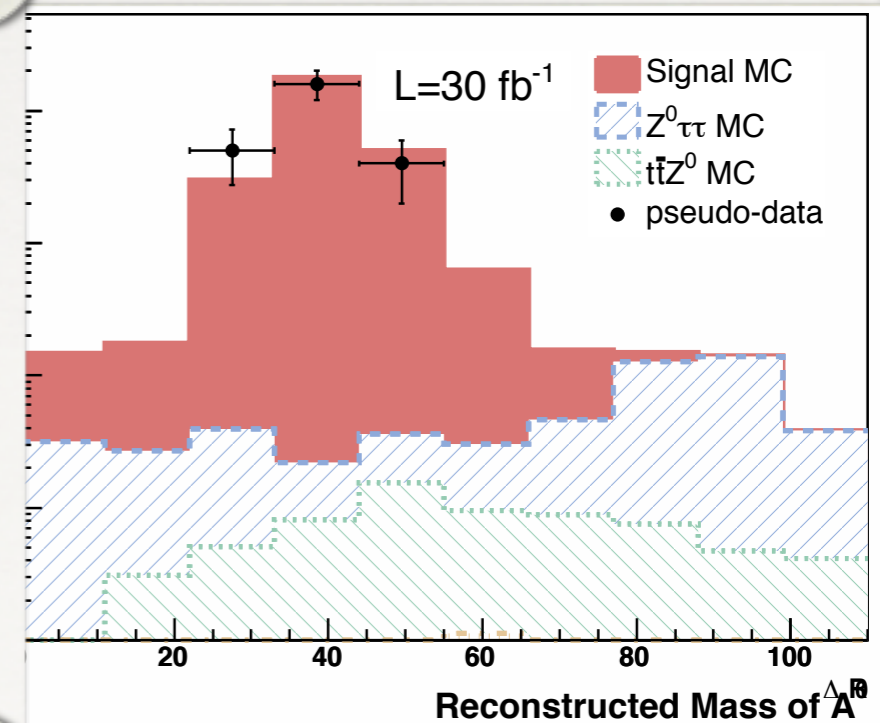
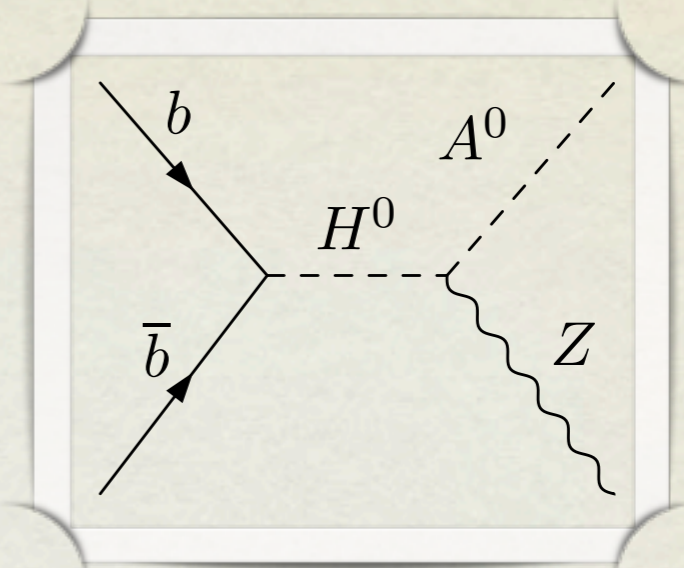
$$H^\pm \rightarrow W^\pm A^0$$

often dominant



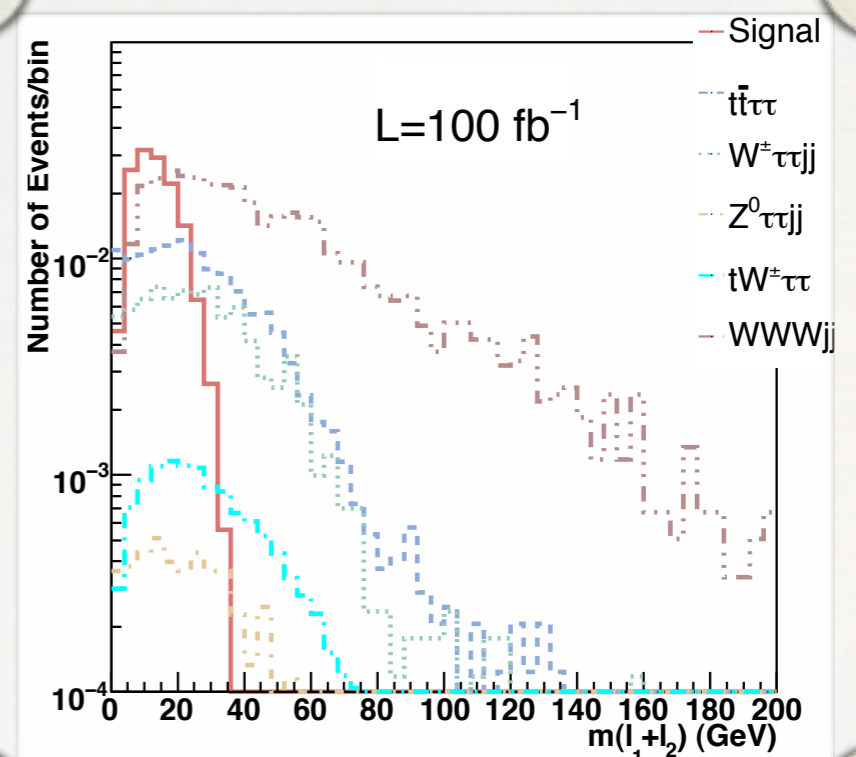
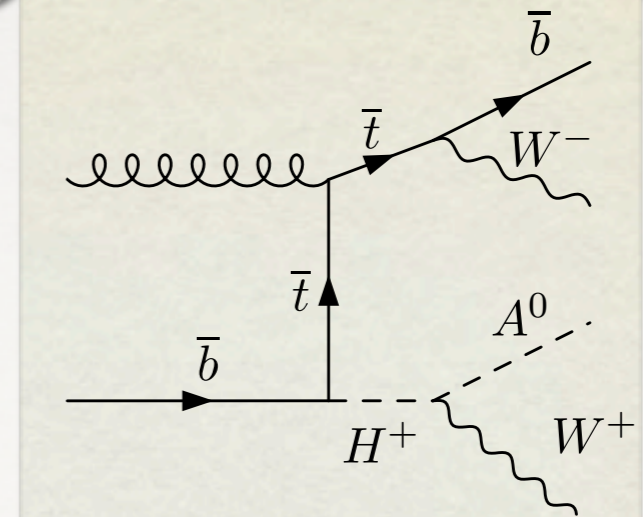
PROCESS $b\bar{b} \rightarrow H^0 \rightarrow ZA^0$

- Large production cross section (type II)
- If $A^0 \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$ and the taus decay leptonically, very clear
- Low SM background (ZZ, WWZ and ttZ)
- Realistic studies have shown discovery possibility after 20 fb^{-1}



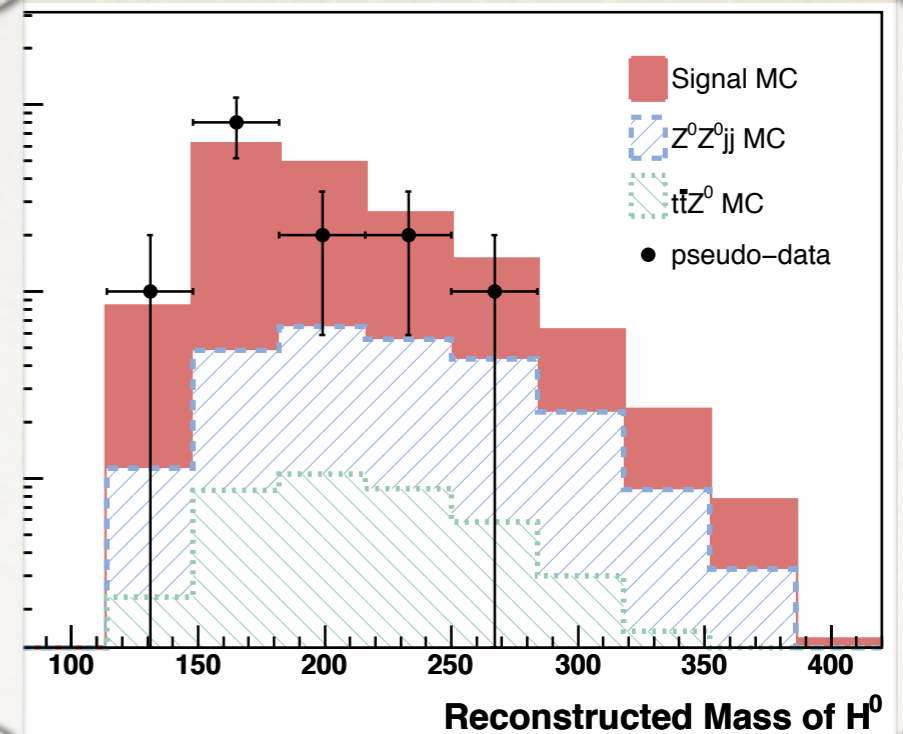
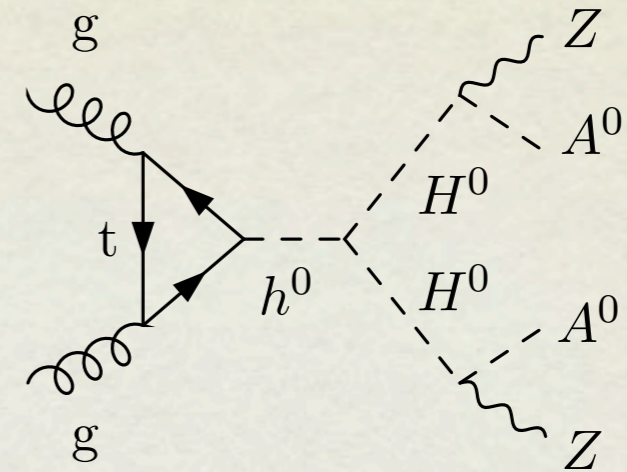
PROCESS $g(b/\bar{b}) \rightarrow (t/\bar{t})H^\pm \rightarrow W^- (b/\bar{b})W^+ A^0$

- Crucial to identify an extended Higgs sector
- Again, $A^0 \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$ and the taus decay leptonically
- Difficult SM background (ttZ and WWjj)
- Discovery is only possible at very high luminosity

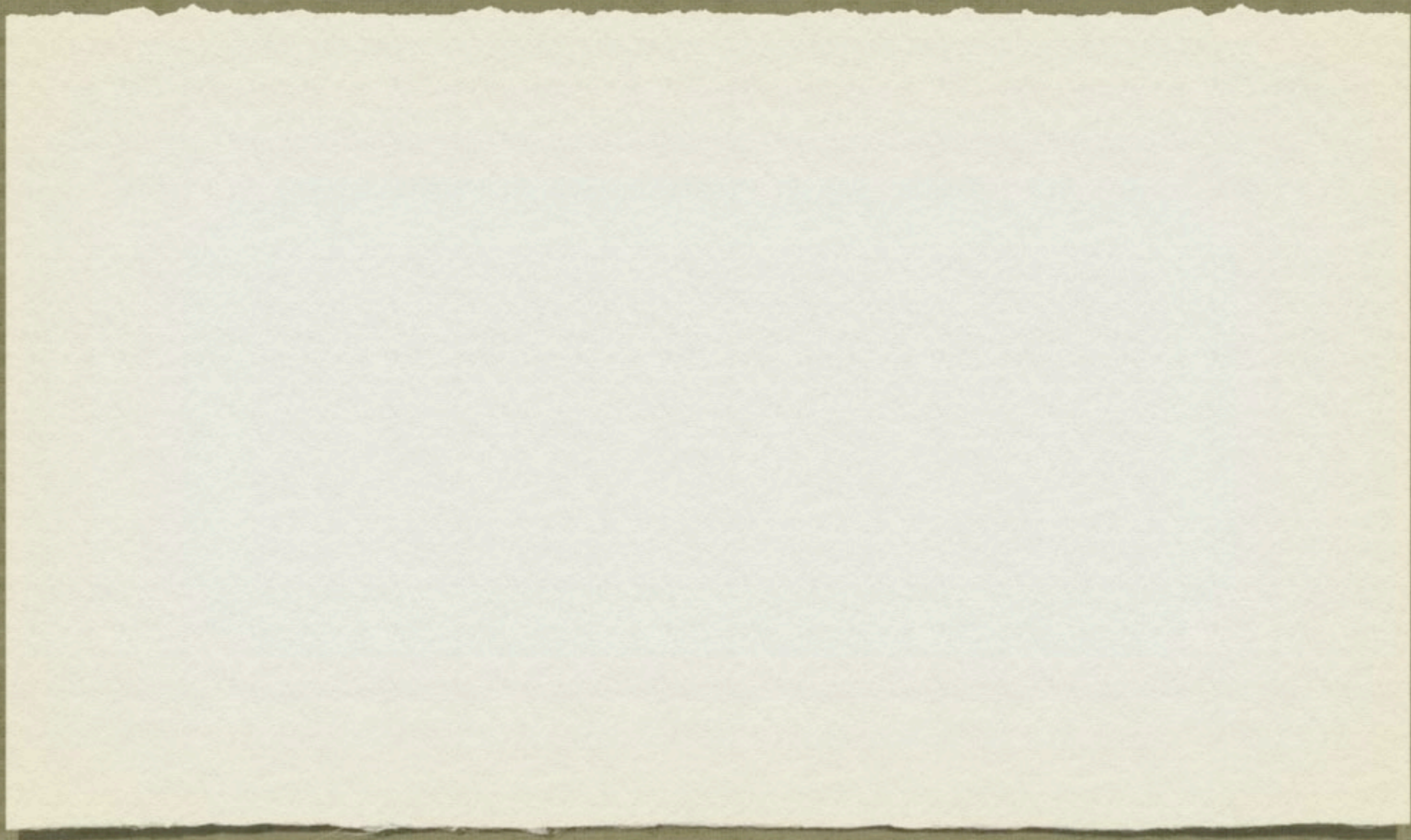


PROCESS $gg \rightarrow h^0 \rightarrow H^0 H^0 \rightarrow ZA^0 ZA^0$

- Signature of an inverted spectrum
- $A^0 \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ due to relatively low cross section (considered as one single jet)
- Very low SM background (ttZ and ZZjj)
- Discovery and mass reconstruction possible at 30 fb^{-1}



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- **Unusual and challenging phenomenology** may appear at hadron collider

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