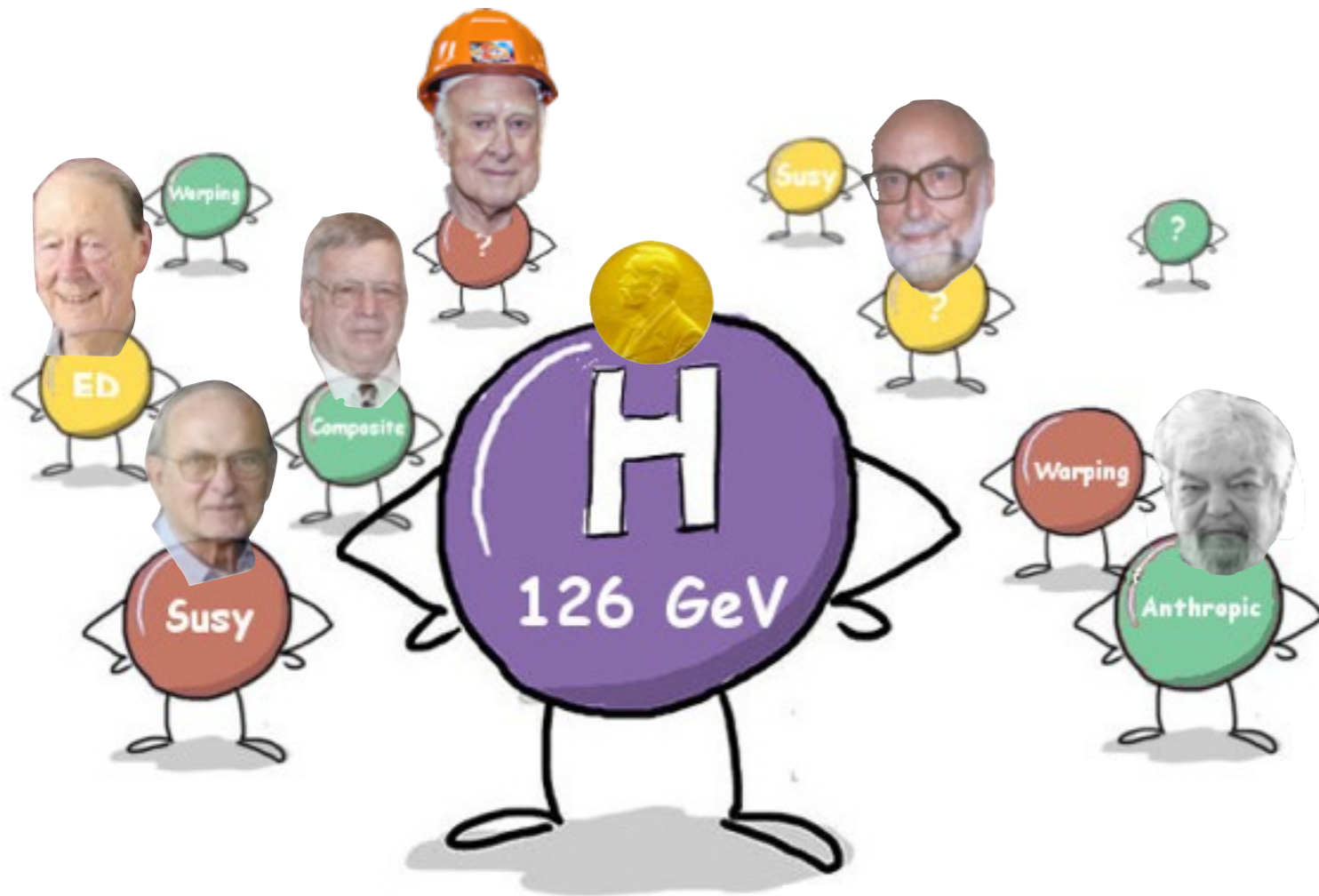


# EFT-4-Higgs

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# What is the Higgs the name of?

~~ Higgs interactions ~~

gauge symmetry is the organizing principle for interactions in the gauge sector  
not in the Higgs sector  $\Rightarrow$  many free parameters!

but they obey 3 basic structures to unitarize the amplitudes

**(1) proportionality:**  $g_{hff} \propto m_f$      $g_{hVV} \propto m_V^2$

$\Rightarrow$  test for extended Higgs sectors

**(2) factor of proportionality:**  $g_{hff}/m_f = \sqrt{2}/v$

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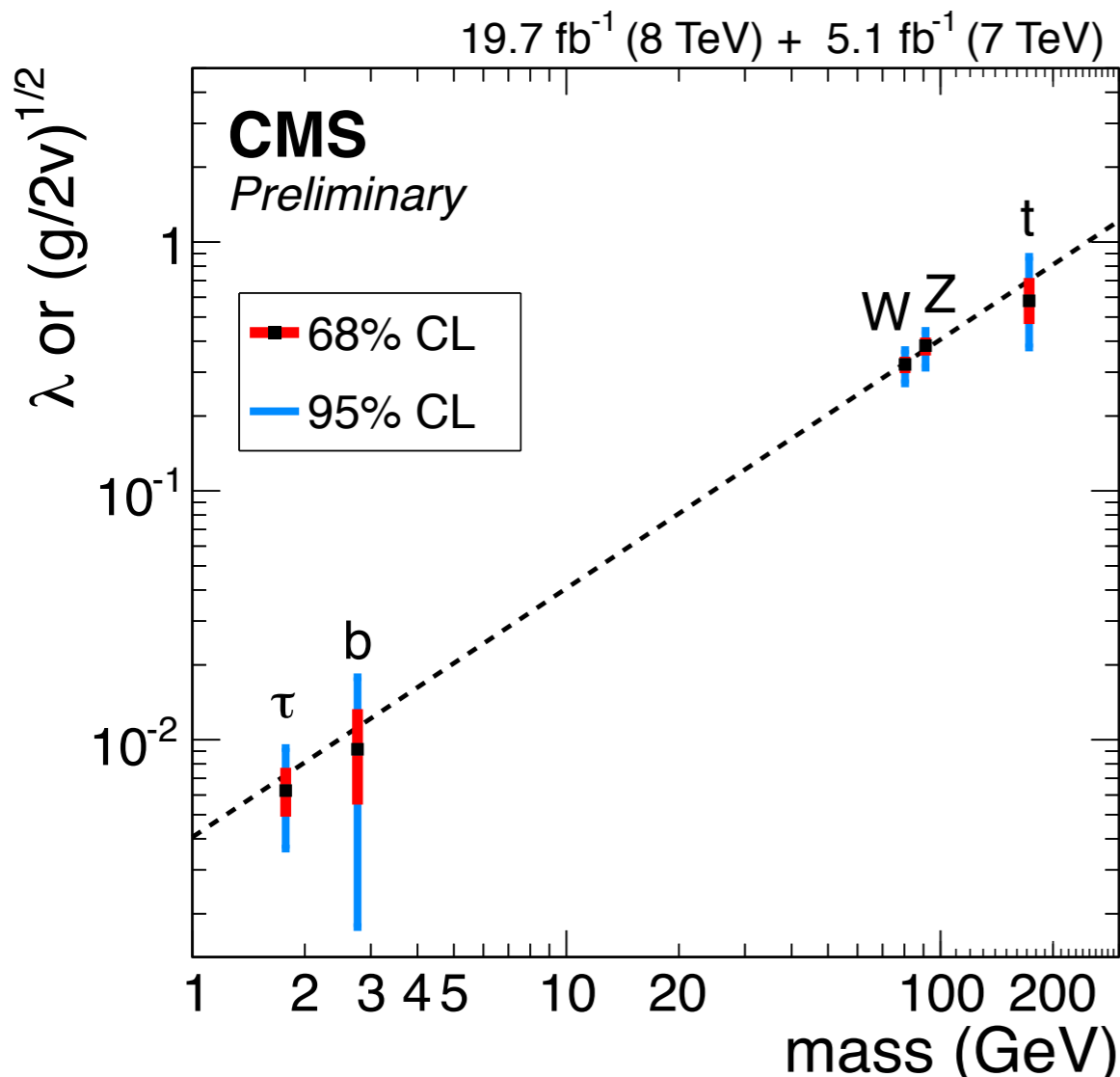
$\Rightarrow$  test for Higgs compositeness

**(3) flavor alignment:**  $g_{hf_i f_j} \propto \delta_{ij}$

$\Rightarrow$  test for flavor models, origin of fermion masses

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Higgs group @ Snowmass '13

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$\kappa_W$	4 – 6%	2 – 5%
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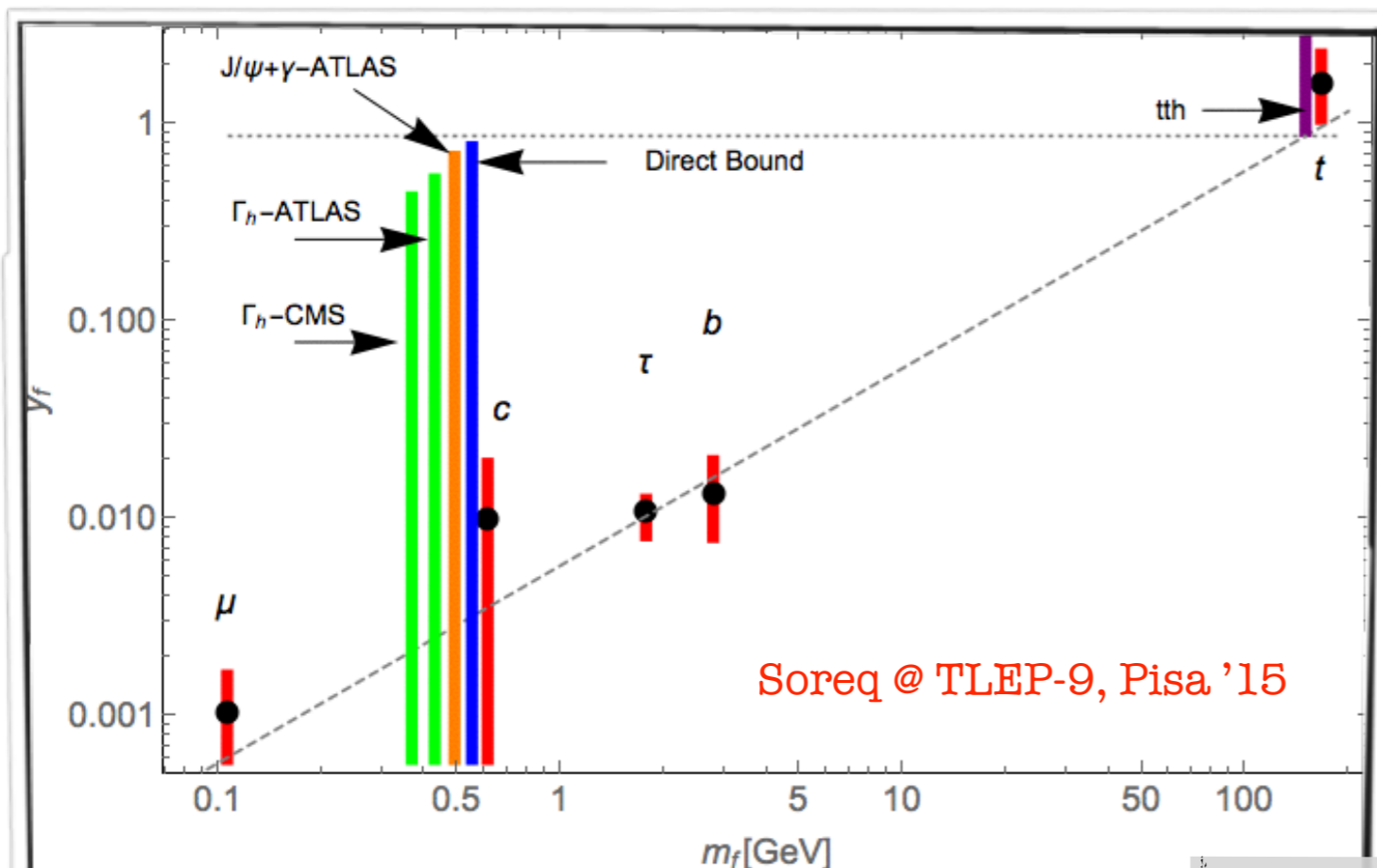
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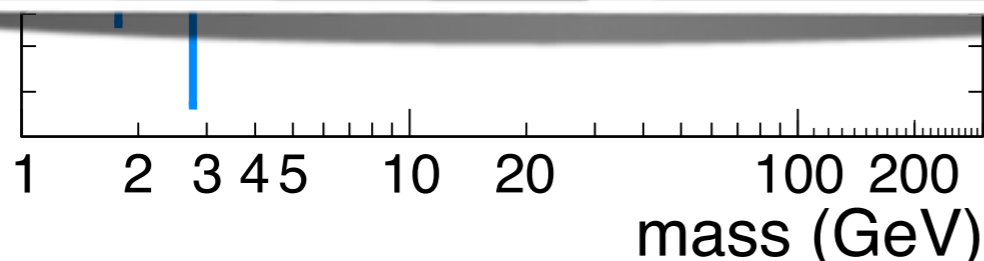
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missing information to complete the picture

◦ width measurement?

◦ couplings to light particles?

inclusive (e.g. c-tagging) or exclusive ( $h \rightarrow J/\Psi + \gamma$ )

◦ coupling to top?

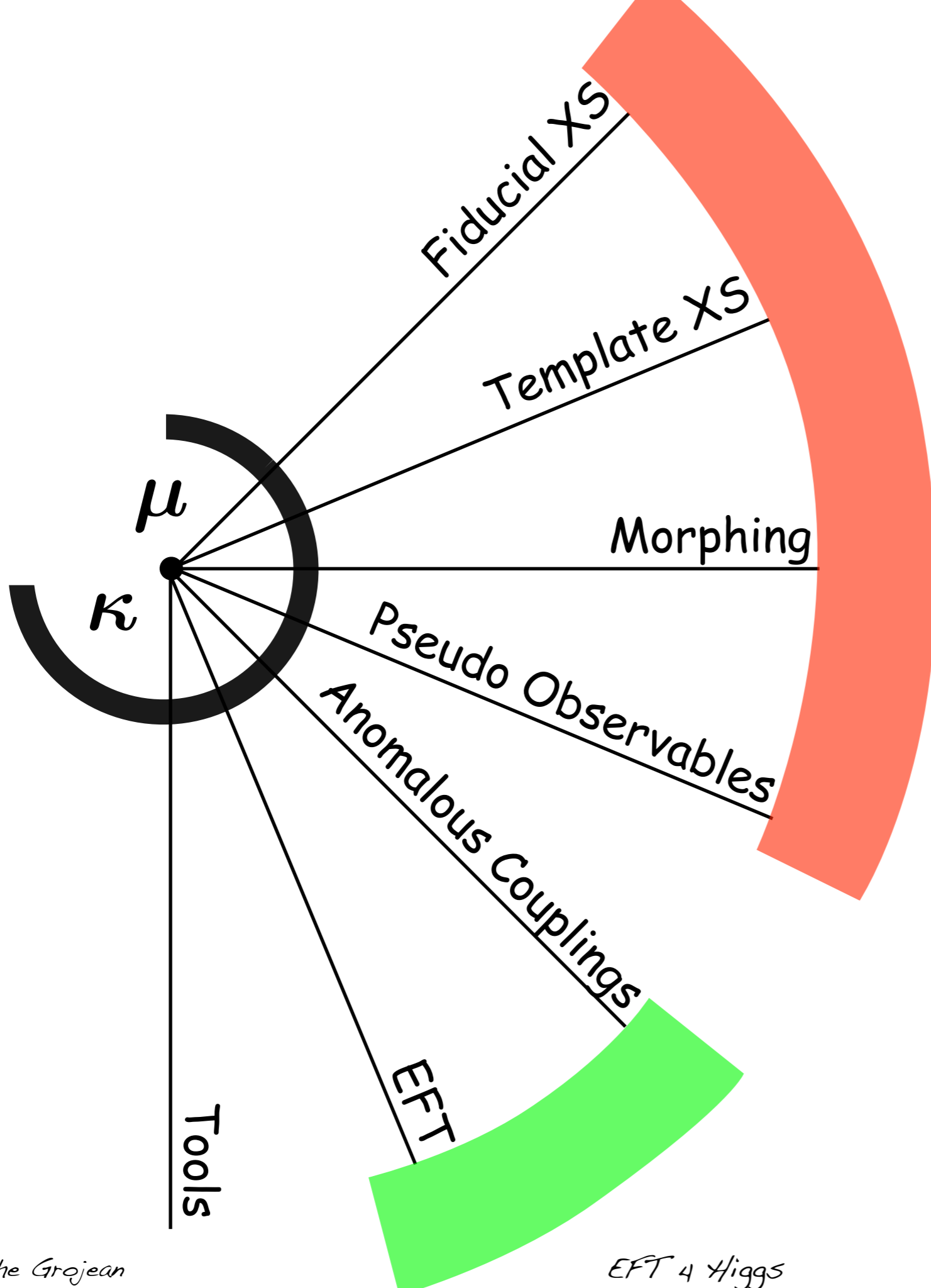
known indirectly ( $gg \rightarrow h$ ) or via difficult  $tth$  channel

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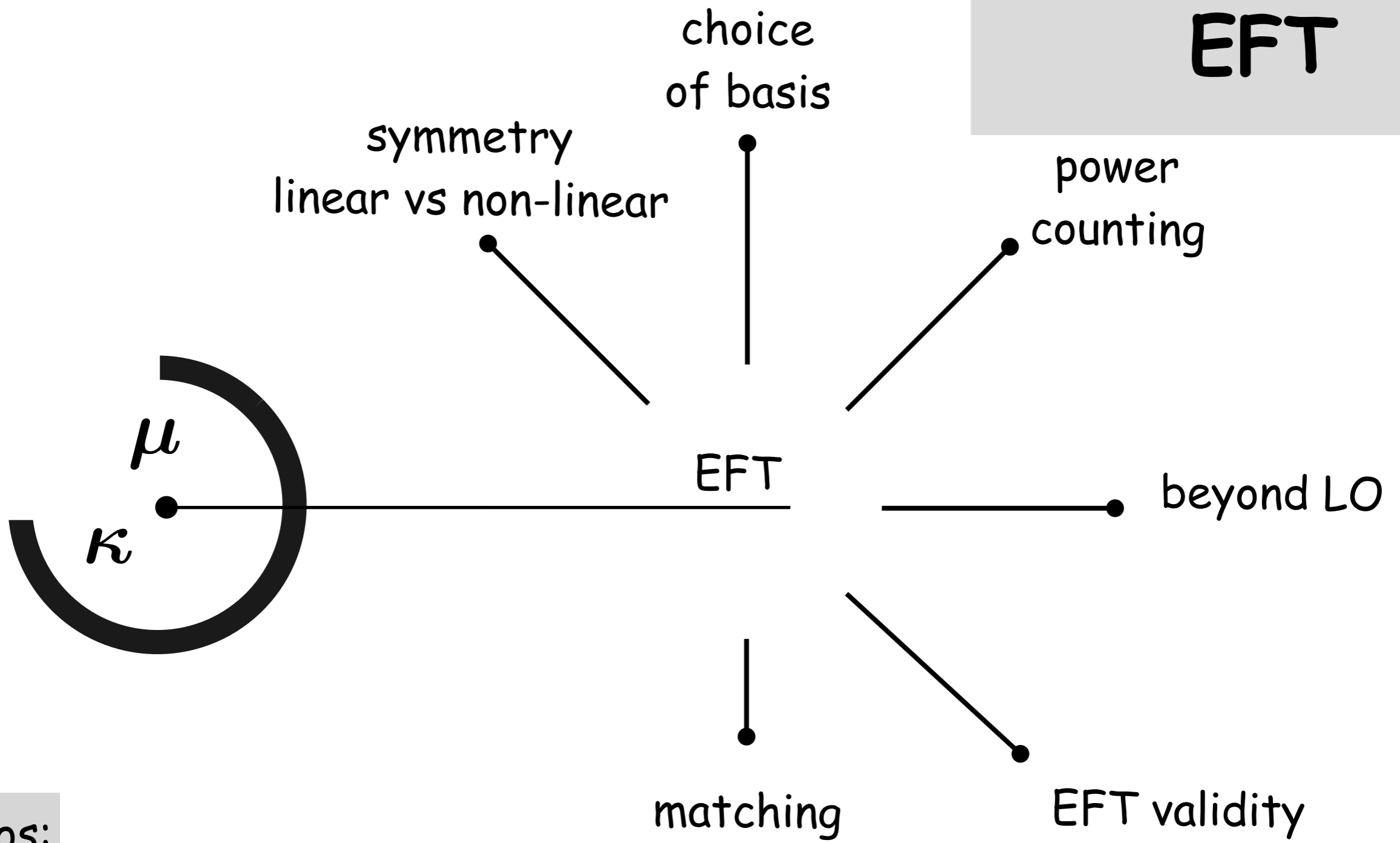
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# Beyond $\mu$ & $\kappa$



# EFT



## Pros:

- ▶ correlations between different channels/observables
- ▶ combination of measurements at different energies  
e.g. EW precision data and Higgs measurements
- ▶ test of self-consistency

# Effective Theory Approach to BSM

## Basic assumptions

- ▶ New physics scale  $\Lambda$  separated from EW scale  $v$ ,  $\Lambda \gg v$
- ▶ Linearly realized  $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$  local symmetry spontaneously broken by VEV of Higgs doublet field

EFT Lagrangian beyond the SM expanded in operators of dimension  $D$

Standard Model,  
operators up to  $D=4$

Lepton number violating, hence  
too small to be probed at LHC

By assumption,  
subleading  
to  $D=6$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{EFT}} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \frac{1}{\Lambda} \mathcal{L}^{D=5} + \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} \mathcal{L}^{D=6} + \frac{1}{\Lambda^3} \mathcal{L}^{D=7} + \frac{1}{\Lambda^4} \mathcal{L}^{D=8} + \dots$$

Cutoff scale of EFT

Appear when starting from L-conserving BSM,  
and integrating out heavy particles with  $m \approx \Lambda$

# Effective Theory Approach to BSM

## Observable effects of D=6 operators

- Corrections to SM Z and W boson couplings to fermions (so-called vertex corrections)
- Corrections to SM Higgs couplings to matter and new tensor structures of these interactions
- Corrections to triple and quartic gauge couplings and new tensor structures of these interactions
- Contact 4-fermion interactions
- ... and much more

## Frontiers of knowledge

- Many EFT operators, especially those involving leptons or affecting gauge boson propagators are already strongly constrained by LEP and other low-energy experiments. LHC rarely can compete on this field.
- However, other operators, especially those involving Higgs bosons or quarks, are less strongly constrained, which opens opportunity for LHC to improve constraints (or discover new physics)
- There are observables where new physics effects grow with energy, which gives the LHC an advantage

(courtesy of A. Falkowski)



# EFT = mass scale + coupling

Too often, people think of EFT as higher dimensional operators suppressed by a cutoff scale, but there is also a coupling between new physics and SM

1) validity of EFT



2) relative size of various operators



**Example:** New physics characterized by one coupling and one-scale

*NP*

mass scale  $M = g^* f$   
coupling  $g^*$

*SM*

EW scale  $v=246\text{GeV}$   
 $g, g', y_t$

Often thought that effects of dim-6 operators have to be smaller than SM for EFT consistency. This is not true, one can find large deviations still within the validity of the truncation ( $\text{dim-8} < \text{dim-6}$ ). One good example is HH production.

# EFT = dimensional analysis

It is important to remember that couplings are not dimensionless

		$M^n$	$\hbar^n$
scalar field	$\phi$	1	1/2
fermion field	$\psi$	3/2	1/2
vector field	$A_\mu$	1	1/2
mass	$m$	1	0
gauge coupling	$g$	0	-1/2
quartic coupling	$\lambda$	0	-1
Yukawa coupling	$y_f$	0	-1/2

$$\mathcal{S} = \int d^4x \left( \mathcal{L}_0 + \hbar \mathcal{L}_1 + \hbar^2 \mathcal{L}_2 + \dots \right)$$

tree-level
1-loop
2-loop

$\nearrow$   
 $[\mathcal{L}_0]_{\hbar} = 1$   
 $[\mathcal{L}_0]_M = 4$

$\uparrow$   
 $[\mathcal{L}_1]_{\hbar} = 0$   
 $[\mathcal{L}_1]_M = 4$

$\nwarrow$   
 $[\mathcal{L}_2]_{\hbar} = -1$   
 $[\mathcal{L}_2]_M = 4$

$v$  is not simply a mass scale but also a "coupling"

$$[v]_{\hbar} = 1/2$$

$$\mathcal{A}_{W_L W_L \rightarrow W_L W_L} = \frac{s}{v^2} \text{ even when gauge coupling are zero}$$

Examples:

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 [\cdot]_{\hbar} = -1 & & [\cdot]_{\hbar} = 2 \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 \frac{1}{M^2} g_*^2 (\partial^\mu |H|^2)^2 & & 
 \end{array}$$

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 [\cdot]_{\hbar} = 1 & & [\cdot]_{\hbar} = 0 \\
 \downarrow & & \downarrow \\
 \frac{ic_W}{2M^2} \left( H^\dagger \sigma^i \overleftrightarrow{D}^{\mu} H \right) (g D^\nu W_{\mu\nu})^i & & 
 \end{array}$$

# Higgs EFT - SILH basis

## ■ Genuine strong operators (sensitive to the scale $f$ )

$$\frac{c_H}{2f^2} \left( \partial^\mu |H|^2 \right)^2$$

$$\frac{c_T}{2f^2} \left( H^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}^\mu H \right)^2$$

custodial breaking

$$\frac{c_y y_f}{f^2} |H|^2 \bar{f}_L H f_R + \text{h.c.}$$

$$\frac{c_6 \lambda}{f^2} |H|^6$$

## ■ Form factor operators (sensitive to the scale $m_\rho = g_\rho f$ )

$$\frac{i c_W}{2m_\rho^2} \left( H^\dagger \sigma^i \overleftrightarrow{D}^\mu H \right) (D^\nu W_{\mu\nu})^i g$$

$$\frac{i c_B}{2m_\rho^2} \left( H^\dagger \overleftrightarrow{D}^\mu H \right) (\partial^\nu B_{\mu\nu}) g'$$

$$\frac{i c_{HW}}{m_\rho^2} \frac{g_\rho^2}{16\pi^2} (D^\mu H)^\dagger \sigma^i (D^\nu H) W_{\mu\nu}^i g$$

$$\frac{i c_{HB}}{m_\rho^2} \frac{g_\rho^2}{16\pi^2} (D^\mu H)^\dagger (D^\nu H) B_{\mu\nu} g'$$

minimal coupling:  $h \rightarrow \gamma Z$

loop-suppressed strong dynamics

$$\frac{c_\gamma}{m_\rho^2} \frac{g_\rho^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{g^2}{g_\rho^2} H^\dagger H B_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu} g'^2$$

$$\frac{c_g}{m_\rho^2} \frac{g_\rho^2}{16\pi^2} \frac{y_t^2}{g_\rho^2} H^\dagger H G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu} g_s^2$$

Goldstone sym.  
(PGB Higgs)

dimensional analysis + selection rules

# Other bases of operators

1 : $X^3$		2 : $H^6$		3 : $H^4 D^2$		5 : $\psi^2 H^3 + \text{h.c.}$	
$Q_G$	$f^{ABC} G_\mu^{A\nu} G_\nu^{B\rho} G_\rho^{C\mu}$	$Q_H$	$(H^\dagger H)^3$	$Q_{H\Box}$	$(H^\dagger H)\Box(H^\dagger H)$	$Q_{eH}$	$(H^\dagger H)(\bar{l}_p e_r H)$
$Q_{\tilde{G}}$	$f^{ABC} \tilde{G}_\mu^{A\nu} G_\nu^{B\rho} G_\rho^{C\mu}$			$Q_{HD}$	$(H^\dagger D_\mu H)^* (H^\dagger D_\mu H)$	$Q_{uH}$	$(H^\dagger H)(\bar{q}_p u_r \tilde{H})$
$Q_W$	$\epsilon^{IJK} W_\mu^{I\nu} W_\nu^{J\rho} W_\rho^{K\mu}$					$Q_{dH}$	$(H^\dagger H)(\bar{q}_p d_r H)$
$Q_{\tilde{W}}$	$\epsilon^{IJK} \tilde{W}_\mu^{I\nu} W_\nu^{J\rho} W_\rho^{K\mu}$						

4 : $X^2 H^2$		6 : $\psi^2 XH + \text{h.c.}$		7 : $\psi^2 H^2 D$	
$Q_{HG}$	$H^\dagger H G_{\mu\nu}^A G^{A\mu\nu}$	$Q_{eW}$	$(\bar{l}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_r) \tau^I H W_{\mu\nu}^I$	$Q_{Hl}^{(1)}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{l}_p \gamma^\mu l_r)$
$Q_{H\tilde{G}}$	$H^\dagger H \tilde{G}_{\mu\nu}^A G^{A\mu\nu}$	$Q_{eB}$	$(\bar{l}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} e_r) H B_{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{Hl}^{(3)}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu^I H)(\bar{l}_p \tau^I \gamma^\mu l_r)$
$Q_{HW}$	$H^\dagger H W_{\mu\nu}^I W^{I\mu\nu}$	$Q_{uG}$	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} T^A u_r) \tilde{H} G_{\mu\nu}^A$	$Q_{He}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{e}_p \gamma^\mu e_r)$
$Q_{H\tilde{W}}$	$H^\dagger H \tilde{W}_{\mu\nu}^I W^{I\mu\nu}$	$Q_{uW}$	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_r) \tau^I \tilde{H} W_{\mu\nu}^I$	$Q_{Hq}^{(1)}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{q}_p \gamma^\mu q_r)$
$Q_{HB}$	$H^\dagger H B_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{uB}$	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} u_r) \tilde{H} B_{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{Hq}^{(3)}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu^I H)(\bar{q}_p \tau^I \gamma^\mu q_r)$
$Q_{H\tilde{B}}$	$H^\dagger H \tilde{B}_{\mu\nu} B^{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{dG}$	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} T^A d_r) H G_{\mu\nu}^A$	$Q_{Hu}$	$(H^\dagger i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H)(\bar{u}_p \gamma^\mu u_r)$
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$Q_{H\tilde{W}B}$	$H^\dagger \tau^I H \tilde{W}_{\mu\nu}^I B^{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{dB}$	$(\bar{q}_p \sigma^{\mu\nu} d_r) H B_{\mu\nu}$	$Q_{Hud} + \text{h.c.}$	$i(\tilde{H}^\dagger D_\mu H)(\bar{u}_p \gamma^\mu d_r)$

8 : $(\bar{L}L)(\bar{L}L)$		8 : $(\bar{R}R)(\bar{R}R)$		8 : $(\bar{L}L)(\bar{R}R)$	
$Q_{ll}$	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{l}_s \gamma^\mu l_t)$	$Q_{ee}$	$(\bar{e}_p \gamma_\mu e_r)(\bar{e}_s \gamma^\mu e_t)$	$Q_{le}$	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{e}_s \gamma^\mu e_t)$
$Q_{qq}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{q}_p \gamma_\mu q_r)(\bar{q}_s \gamma^\mu q_t)$	$Q_{uu}$	$(\bar{u}_p \gamma_\mu u_r)(\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$	$Q_{lu}$	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$
$Q_{qq}^{(3)}$	$(\bar{q}_p \gamma_\mu \tau^I q_r)(\bar{q}_s \gamma^\mu \tau^I q_t)$	$Q_{dd}$	$(\bar{d}_p \gamma_\mu d_r)(\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu d_t)$	$Q_{ld}$	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu d_t)$
$Q_{lq}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu l_r)(\bar{q}_s \gamma^\mu q_t)$	$Q_{eu}$	$(\bar{e}_p \gamma_\mu e_r)(\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$	$Q_{qe}$	$(\bar{q}_p \gamma_\mu q_r)(\bar{e}_s \gamma^\mu e_t)$
$Q_{lq}^{(3)}$	$(\bar{l}_p \gamma_\mu \tau^I l_r)(\bar{q}_s \gamma^\mu \tau^I q_t)$	$Q_{ed}$	$(\bar{e}_p \gamma_\mu e_r)(\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu d_t)$	$Q_{qu}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{q}_p \gamma_\mu q_r)(\bar{u}_s \gamma^\mu u_t)$
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		$Q_{ud}^{(8)}$	$(\bar{u}_p \gamma_\mu T^A u_r)(\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu T^A d_t)$	$Q_{qd}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{q}_p \gamma_\mu q_r)(\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu d_t)$
				$Q_{qd}^{(8)}$	$(\bar{q}_p \gamma_\mu T^A q_r)(\bar{d}_s \gamma^\mu T^A d_t)$

8 : $(\bar{L}R)(\bar{R}L) + \text{h.c.}$		8 : $(\bar{L}R)(\bar{L}R) + \text{h.c.}$	
$Q_{ledq}$	$(\bar{l}_p^j e_r)(\bar{d}_s q_{tj})$	$Q_{quqd}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{q}_p^j u_r) \epsilon_{jk} (\bar{q}_s^k d_t)$
		$Q_{quqd}^{(8)}$	$(\bar{q}_p^j T^A u_r) \epsilon_{jk} (\bar{q}_s^k T^A d_t)$
		$Q_{lequ}^{(1)}$	$(\bar{l}_p^j e_r) \epsilon_{jk} (\bar{q}_s^k u_t)$
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many possible choices of operators bases, all equivalent via field redefinitions, equations of motion...

depending on the observable considered some bases might be more convenient than others, and calculations might be easier

$N_F=1$ : 59 operators (76 real parameters)  
 $N_F=3$ , 2499 real parameters

Buchmuller Wyler '86


Grzadkowski, Iskrzynski, Misiak, Rosiek '10

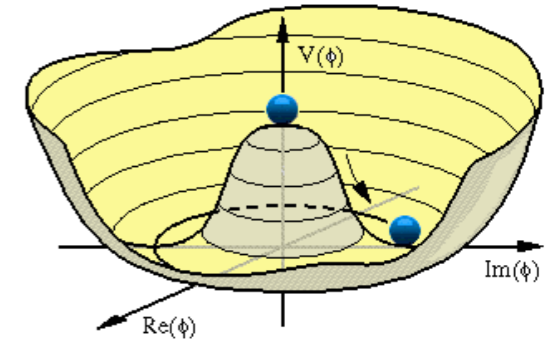
Alonso, Jenkins, Manohar, Trott '13

# Higgs physics vs BSM

Several deformations away from the SM affecting Higgs properties are already probed in the vacuum

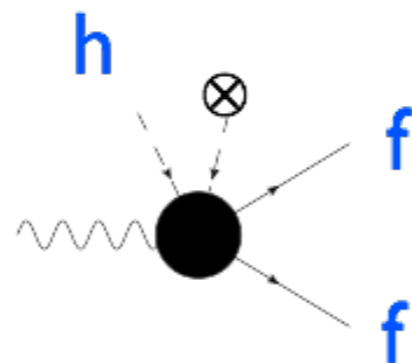
$$\phi = v+h$$



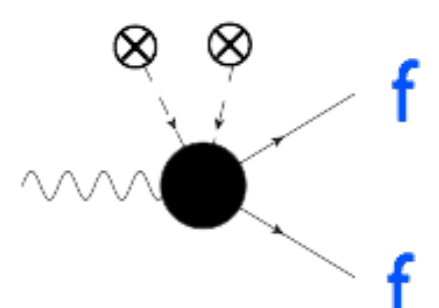


Potentially new BSM-effects in h physics could have been already tested in the vacuum

e.g.



$= \frac{1}{2v} \times$



$H^\dagger D_\mu H \bar{f} \gamma^\mu f$


(assuming that the Higgs boson is part of a doublet)

Modifications in  $h \rightarrow Zff$  related to  $Z \rightarrow ff$

# Higgs/BSM Primaries

Several deformations away from the SM are harmless in the vacuum and need a Higgs field to be probed

e.g.  $\frac{1}{g_s^2} G_{\mu\nu}^2 + \frac{|H|^2}{\Lambda^2} G_{\mu\nu}^2 \rightarrow \left( \frac{1}{g_s^2} + \frac{v^2}{\Lambda^2} \right) G_{\mu\nu}^2$  operator is not visible in the vacuum (redefinition of input parameter)



But can affect h physics:



# Higgs/BSM Primaries

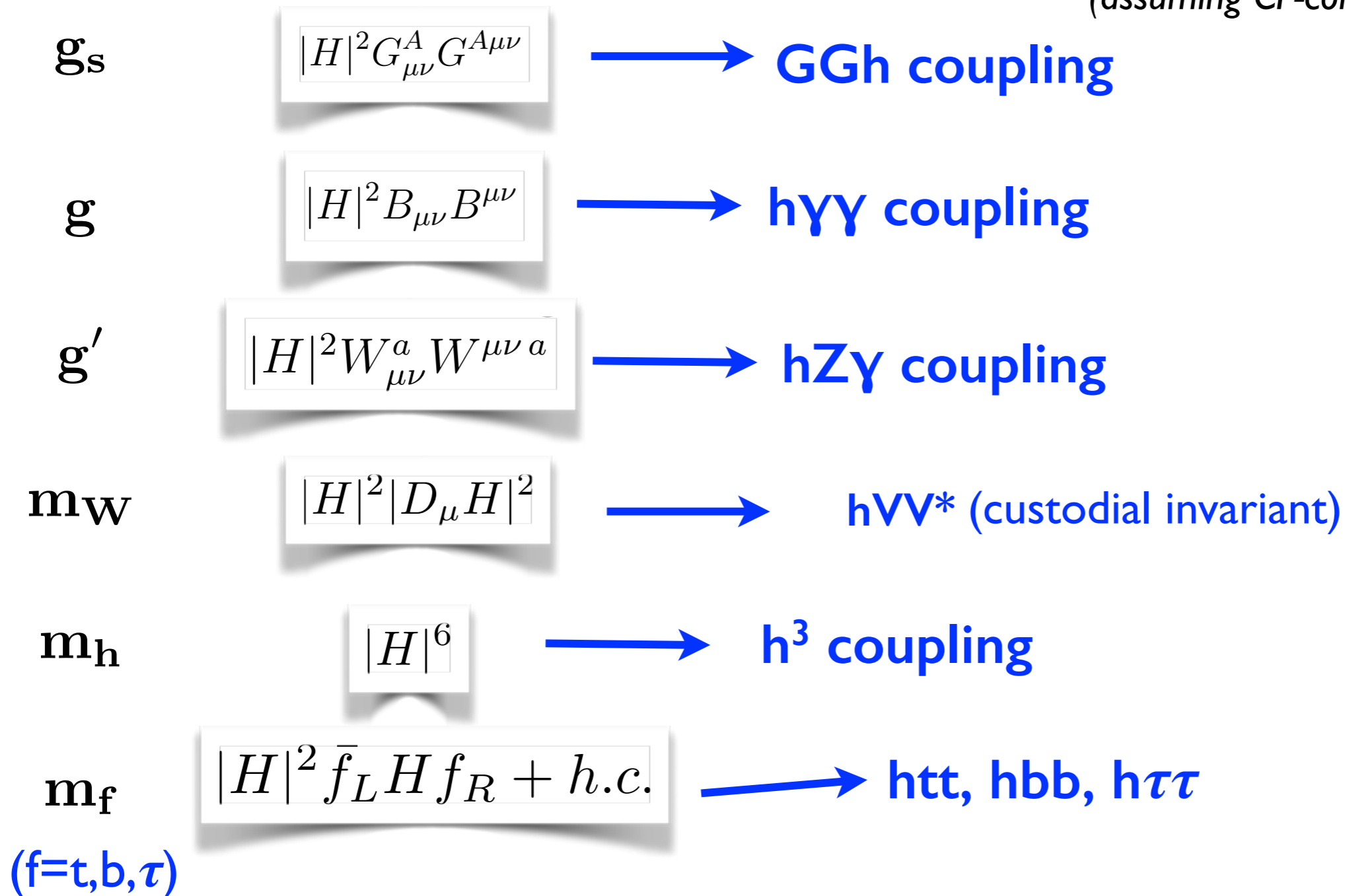
How many of these effects can we have?

Pomarol, Riva '13

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Gupta, Pomarol, Riva '14

As many as parameters in the SM: **8** for one family  
(assuming CP-conservation)



(courtesy of A. Pomarol@HiggsHunting2014)

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Almost a 1-to-1 correspondence with the 8  $\kappa$ 's in the Higgs fit

Coupling	300 fb <sup>-1</sup> Theory unc.:			3000 fb <sup>-1</sup> Theory unc.:		
	All	Half	None	All	Half	None
$\kappa_Z$	8.1%	7.9%	7.9%	4.4%	4.0%	3.8%
$\kappa_W$	9.0%	8.7%	8.6%	5.1%	4.5%	4.2%
$\kappa_t$	22%	21%	20%	11%	8.5%	7.6%
$\kappa_b$	23%	22%	22%	12%	11%	10%
$\kappa_\tau$	14%	14%	13%	9.7%	9.0%	8.8%
$\kappa_\mu$	21%	21%	21%	7.5%	7.2%	7.1%
$\kappa_g$	14%	12%	11%	9.1%	6.5%	5.3%
$\kappa_\gamma$	9.3%	9.0%	8.9%	4.9%	4.3%	4.1%
$\kappa_{Z\gamma}$	24%	24%	24%	14%	14%	14%

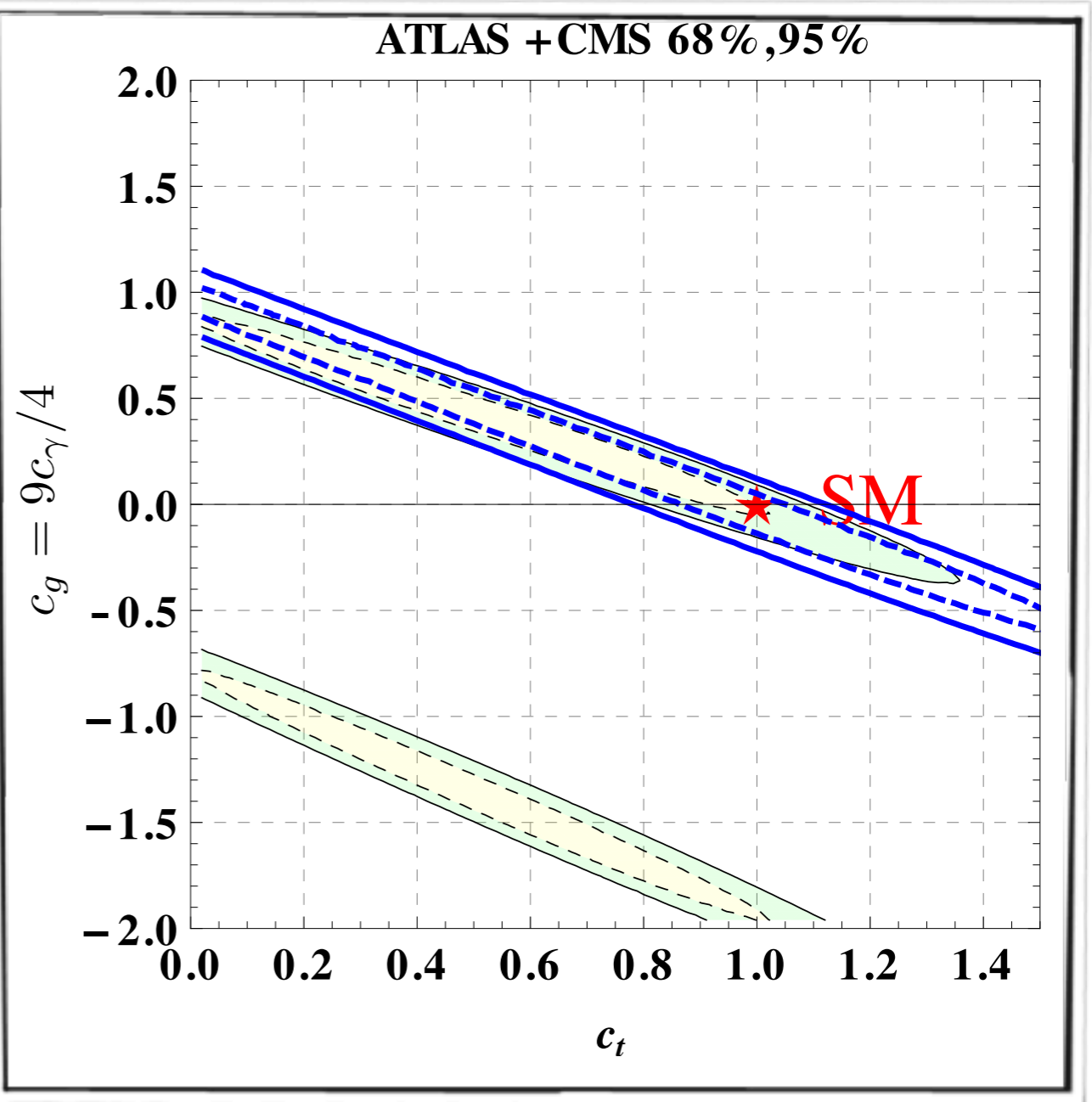
Atlas projection

With some important differences:

1) width hypothesis built-in

2)  $\kappa_W/\kappa_Z$  is not a primary  
(constrained by  $\Delta\rho$  and TGC)

3)  $\kappa_g, \kappa_\gamma, \kappa_{Z\gamma}$  do not separate UV and IR contributions



Azatov '15

up to a flat direction between between the top/gluon/photon couplings

(courtesy of A. Pomarol@HiggsHunting2014)



# Higgs Priorities

① Better measurements of Higgs primaries

- in inclusive measurements
- in differential distributions

② Going beyond the  $\kappa$ 's? What for?

- to compete with other (EW, TGC...) measurements?
- to check the correlations imposed by SM structure?

e.g. 1) doublet nature of the Higgs,  
2) accidental custodial symmetry @ dim-6 level

~ fully establishing the SM will require checking correlations among different vertices ~

0-Higgs vertices



1-Higgs vertices  
(with and beyond the  $\kappa$ 's)



2-Higgs vertices

Higgs Regge's plot is a prime example  
Need to look at the correlations with TGC

test of the Ginzburg-Landau's model  
test of PGB nature of the Higgs

Questions not fully addressed yet:  
what is the precision that you need in Higgs physics?  
will the LHC reach this required sensitivity?





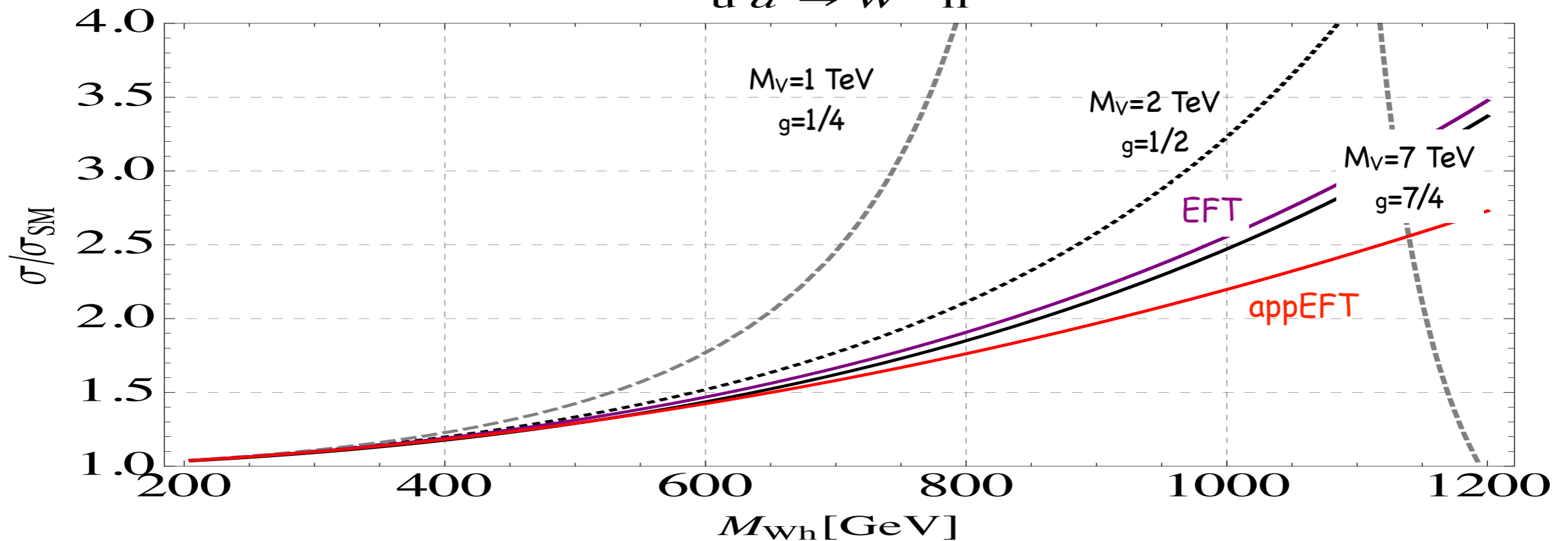
# EFT validity: illustrative example

$SU(2)_L$

heavy vector triplet

$$\mathcal{L} \supset ig_H V_\mu^i H^\dagger \sigma^i \overleftrightarrow{D}_\mu H + g_q V_\mu^i \bar{q}_L \gamma_\mu \sigma^i q_L$$

$u \bar{d} \rightarrow W^+ h$



**EFT**

$$M_W \ll M_{Wh} \ll M_V$$

$$\frac{\sigma}{\sigma_{SM}} \approx \left( 1 - 160 g_H g_q \frac{v^2}{M_V^2} \frac{M_{Wh}^2}{\text{TeV}^2} \right)^2$$

validity of EFT depends on couplings

- Strongly coupled:  $M_V = 7 \text{ TeV}, g_H = -g_q = 7/4$
- Moderately coupled:  $M_V = 2 \text{ TeV}, g_H = -g_q = 1/2$
- Weakly coupled:  $M_V = 1 \text{ TeV}, g_H = -g_q = 1/4$

3 benchmark models with same EFT behavior

# EFT validity: illustrative example

Consider mock measurement of  $\sigma(qq \rightarrow Wh)$  at LHC at different invariant mass of final state

$M_{Wh}[\text{TeV}]$	0.5	1	1.5	2	2.5	3
$\frac{\sigma}{\sigma_{\text{SM}}}$	$1 \pm 1.2$	$1 \pm 1.0$	$1 \pm 0.8$	$1 \pm 1.2$	$1 \pm 1.6$	$1 \pm 3.0$



constraints on EFT parameter



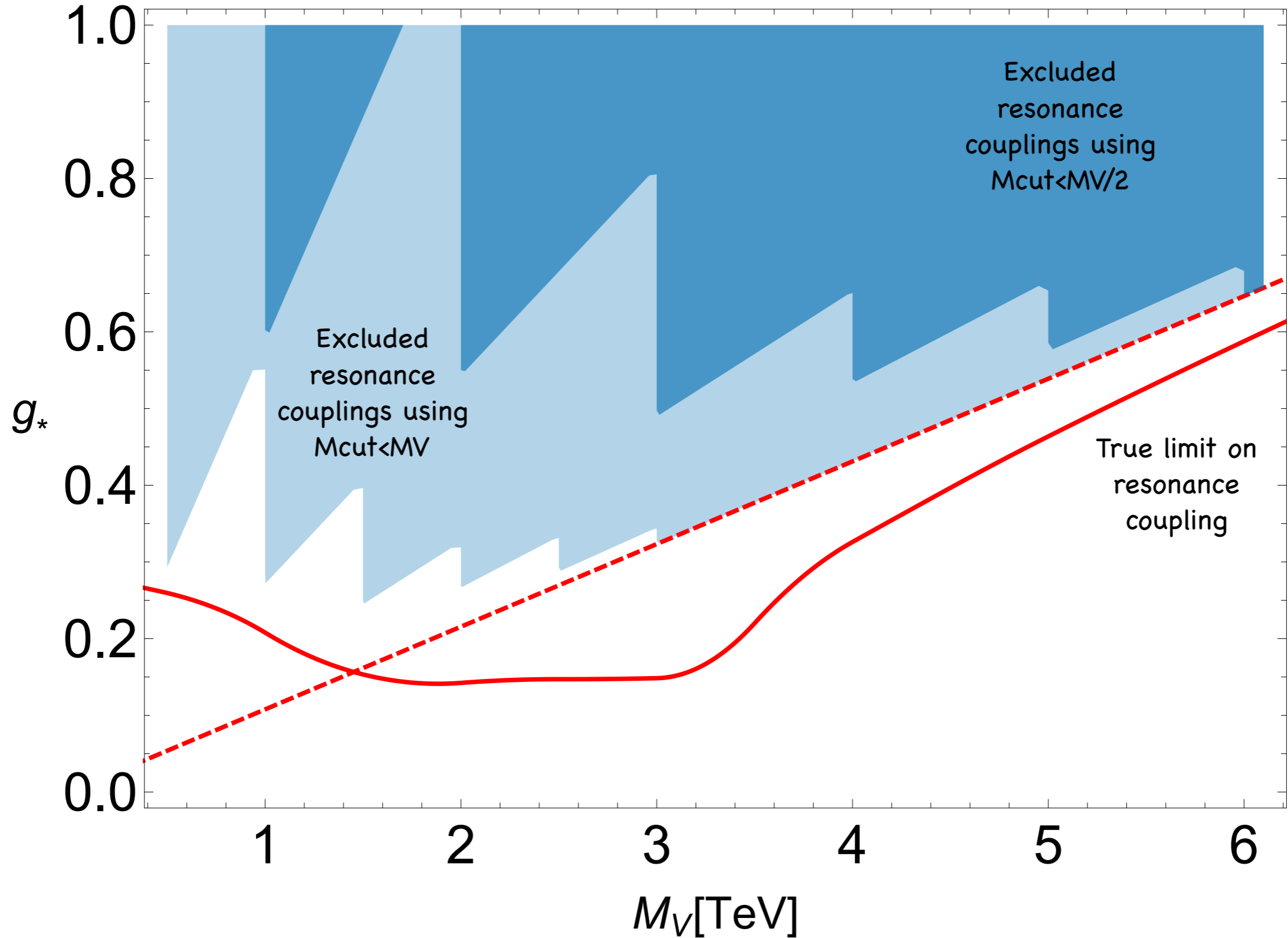
$M_{\text{cut}}[\text{TeV}]$	0.5	1	1.5	2	2.5	3
$-g_H g_q \frac{v^2}{M_V^2} [\times 10^{-3}]$	[-70, 20]	[-16, 4]	[-7, 1.6]	[-4.1, 1.1]	[-2.7, 0.8]	[-2.2, 0.7]

- [ Different limits correspond to taking into account measurements up to different  $M_{\text{cut}}$
- [ Stronger limits on EFT are obtained for larger  $M_{\text{cut}}$
- [ However, limits with lower  $M_{\text{cut}}$  are also useful, to constrain parameter space of model with  $M_V < 3 \text{ TeV}$



one shouldn't include bin  $M_{\text{cut}} > M_V$ , but exp. no access to  $M_V$

# EFT validity: illustrative example



limit on  $g^*=g_H=-g_q$  include bins up to  $M_{\text{cut}} = k M_V \Rightarrow$  EFT error  $< k^2$

# Examples of Higgs EFT analyses

1. Higgs+jet
2. off-shell Higgs
3. double Higgs production

# Boosted Higgs

## inability to resolve the top loops

- the bearable lightness of the Higgs: rich spectroscopy w/ multiple decays channels
- the unbearable lightness: loops saturate and don't reveal the physics @ energy physics (\*)

$m_H$ (GeV)	$\frac{\sigma_{NLO}(m_t)}{\sigma_{NLO}(m_t \rightarrow \infty)}$	$\frac{\sigma_{NLO}(m_t, m_b)}{\sigma_{NLO}(m_t \rightarrow \infty)}$
125	1.061	0.988
150	1.093	1.028
200	1.185	1.134

e.g. Grazzini, Sargsyan '13

(\*) unless it doesn't decouple  
(e.g. 4th generation)

the inclusive rate  
doesn't "see" the finite mass of the top

cannot disentangle

- long distance physics (modified top coupling)
- short distance physics (new particles running in the loop)

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{\alpha_s c_g}{12\pi} |H|^2 G_{\mu\nu}^a{}^2 + \frac{\alpha c_\gamma}{2\pi} |H|^2 F_{\mu\nu} + y_t c_t \bar{q}_L \tilde{H} t_R |H|^2$$

$$\frac{\sigma(gg \rightarrow h)}{\text{SM}} = (1 + (c_g - c_t)v^2)^2 \quad \frac{\Gamma(h \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)}{\text{SM}} = (1 + (c_\gamma - 4c_t/9)v^2)^2$$

fermionic top-partners in composite Higgs models exactly lead to  $\Delta c_t = \Delta c_g = \frac{9}{4} \Delta c_\gamma$ .

having access to  $h\bar{t}t$  final state will resolve this degeneracy  
but notoriously difficult channel

14%-4% @ LHC<sub>300</sub><sup>14</sup>-LHC<sub>3000</sub><sup>14</sup> vs 10%-4% @ ILC<sub>500</sub><sup>500</sup>-ILC<sub>1000</sub><sup>1000</sup>



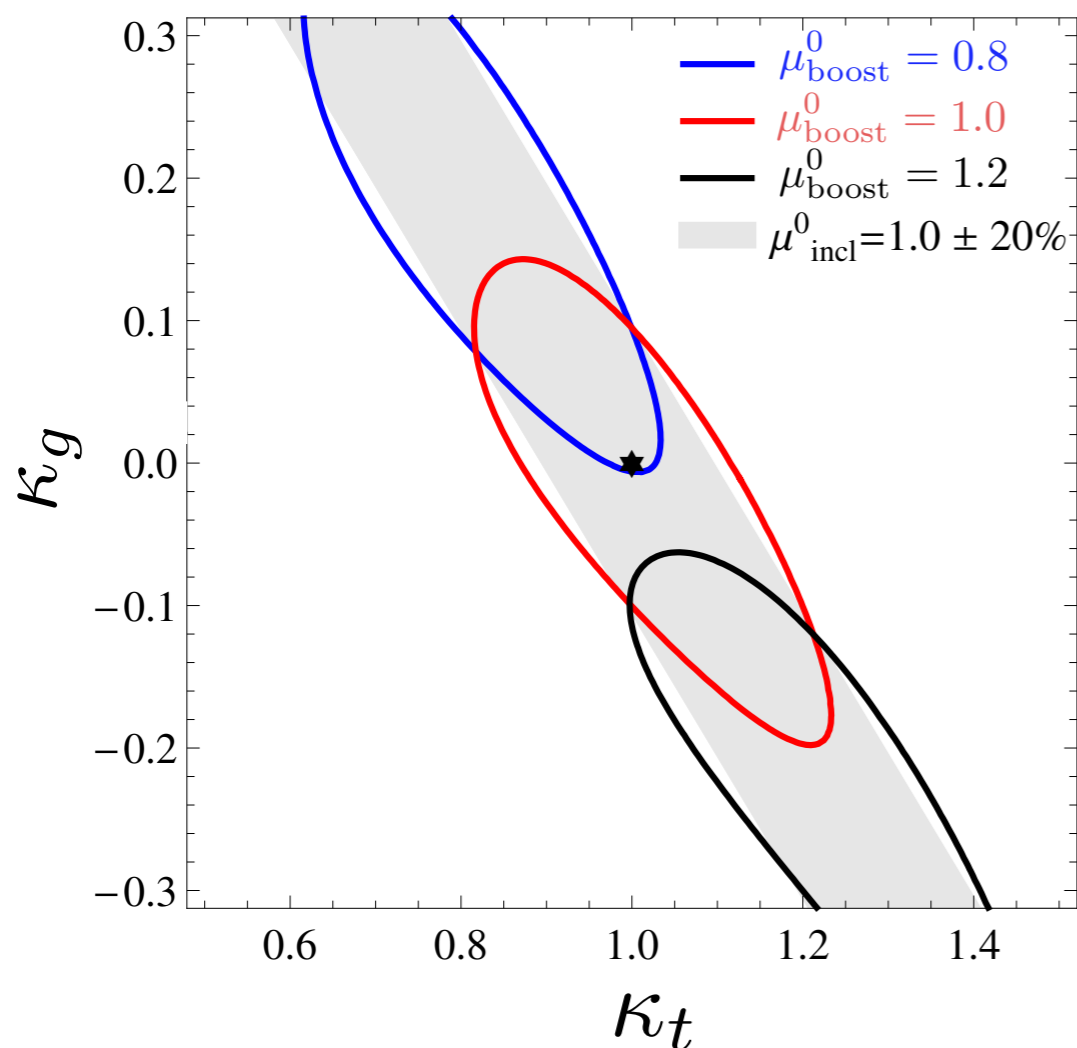
# Boosted Higgs

high  $p_T$  tail discriminates short and long distance physics contribution to  $gg \rightarrow h$

$$\sqrt{s} = 14 \text{ TeV}, \int dt \mathcal{L} = 3 \text{ ab}^{-1}, p_T > 650 \text{ GeV}$$

(partonic analysis in the boosted "ditau-jets" channel)

see Schlaffer et al '14 for a more complete analysis including WW channel



10-20% precision on  $\kappa_t$



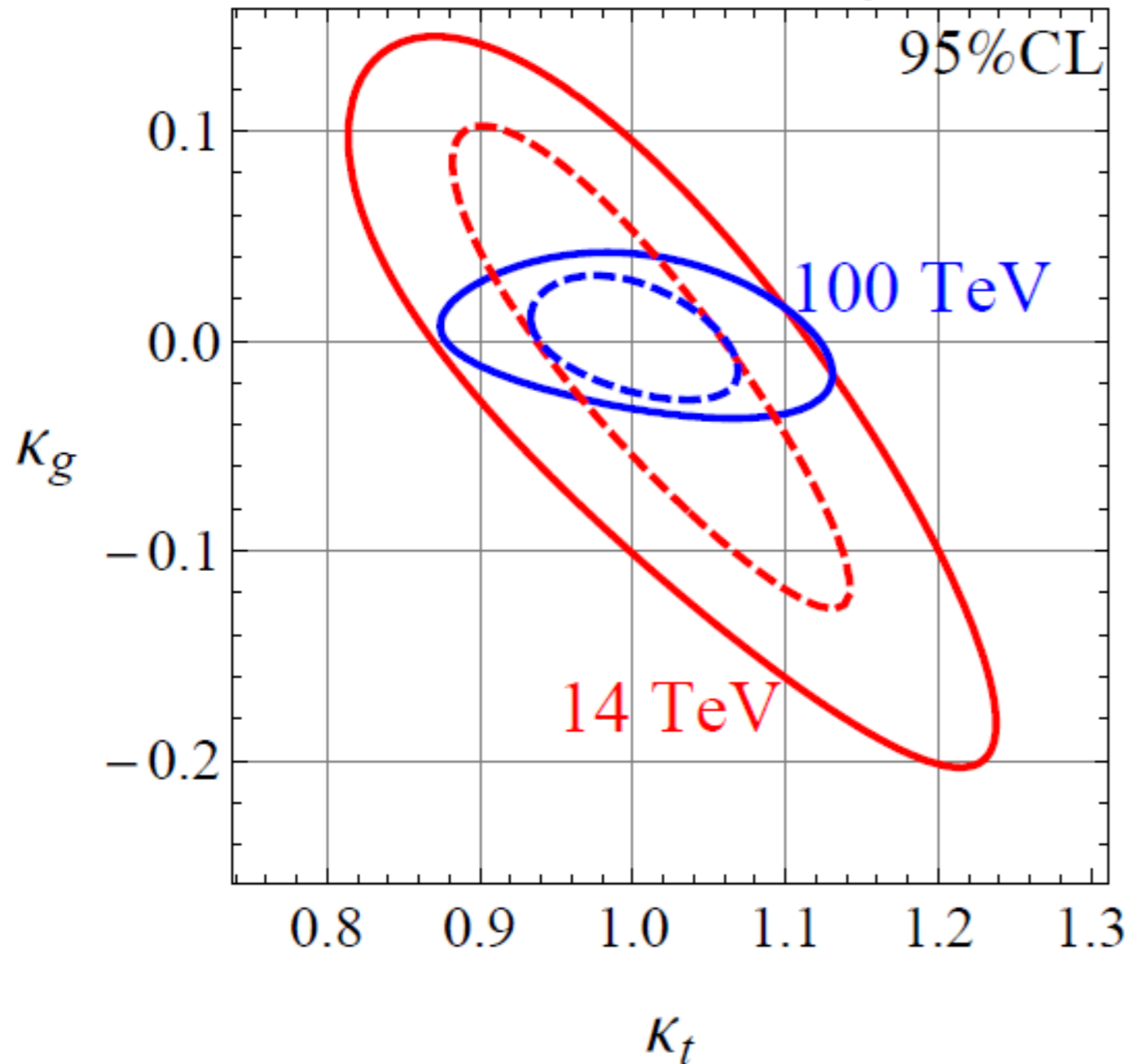
competitive/complementary to htt channel  
for the measure the top-Higgs coupling

Are the  $\text{NLO}_m$  QCD corrections (not known) going to destroy all the sensitivity?  
Frontier priority:  $\text{N}^3\text{LO}_\infty$  for inclusive  $x_s$  or  $\text{NLO}_{mt}$  for  $p_T$  spectrum?

# Boosted Higgs

high  $p_T$  tail discriminates short and long distance physics contribution to  $gg \rightarrow h$

3000  $\text{fb}^{-1}$ , 10 or 5% syst. unc.



A perfect case for a very energetic machine

$t\bar{t}h$  increases by 10 from 14 to 100 TeV

$h+j_{p_T > 600 \text{ GeV}}$  increases by 210

$$\mathcal{R}_{14} = \frac{\sigma(p_T > 650 \text{ GeV})}{\sigma(p_T > 150 \text{ GeV})}$$

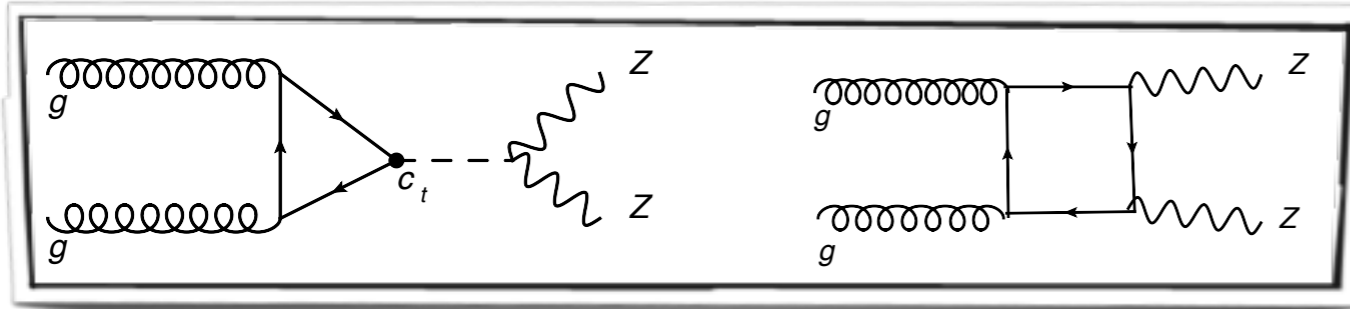
$$\mathcal{R}_{100} = \frac{\sigma(p_T > 2000 \text{ GeV})}{\sigma(p_T > 500 \text{ GeV})}$$

Frontier priority:  $N^3\text{LO}_\infty$  for inclusive xs or  $\text{NLO}_{\text{mt}}$  for  $p_T$  spectrum?

# Off-shell Higgs: $gg \rightarrow h^* \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4l$

off-shell effects enhanced by the particular couplings of H to  $V_L$

Glover, van der Bij '89

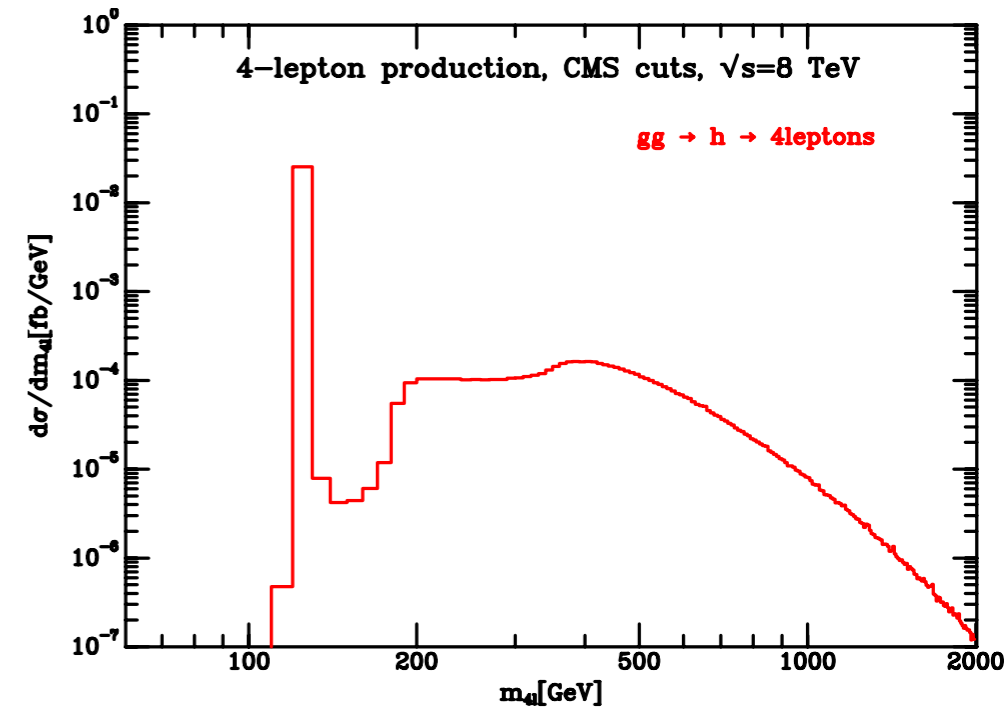


$$\mathcal{M}_{\text{Higgs}}^{++00} \sim \log^2 \frac{\hat{s}}{m_t^2}$$

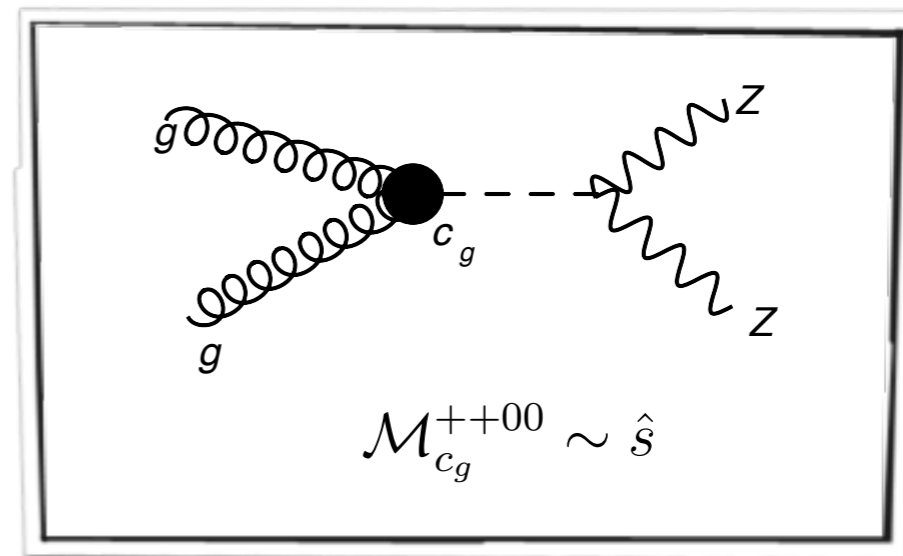
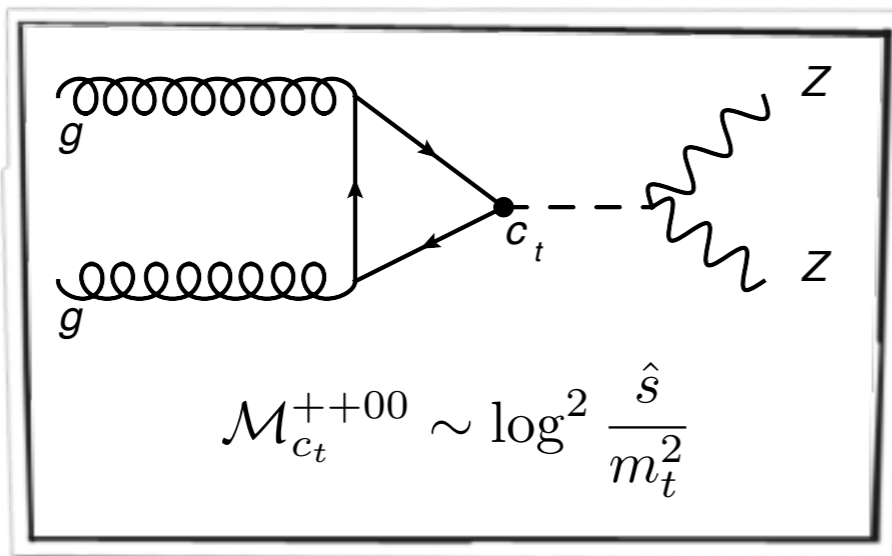
$$\mathcal{M}_{\text{box}}^{++00} \sim -\log^2 \frac{\hat{s}}{m_t^2}$$

SM: cancelation forced by unitarity

BSM: deviations of Higgs couplings at large  $s$  will be amplified



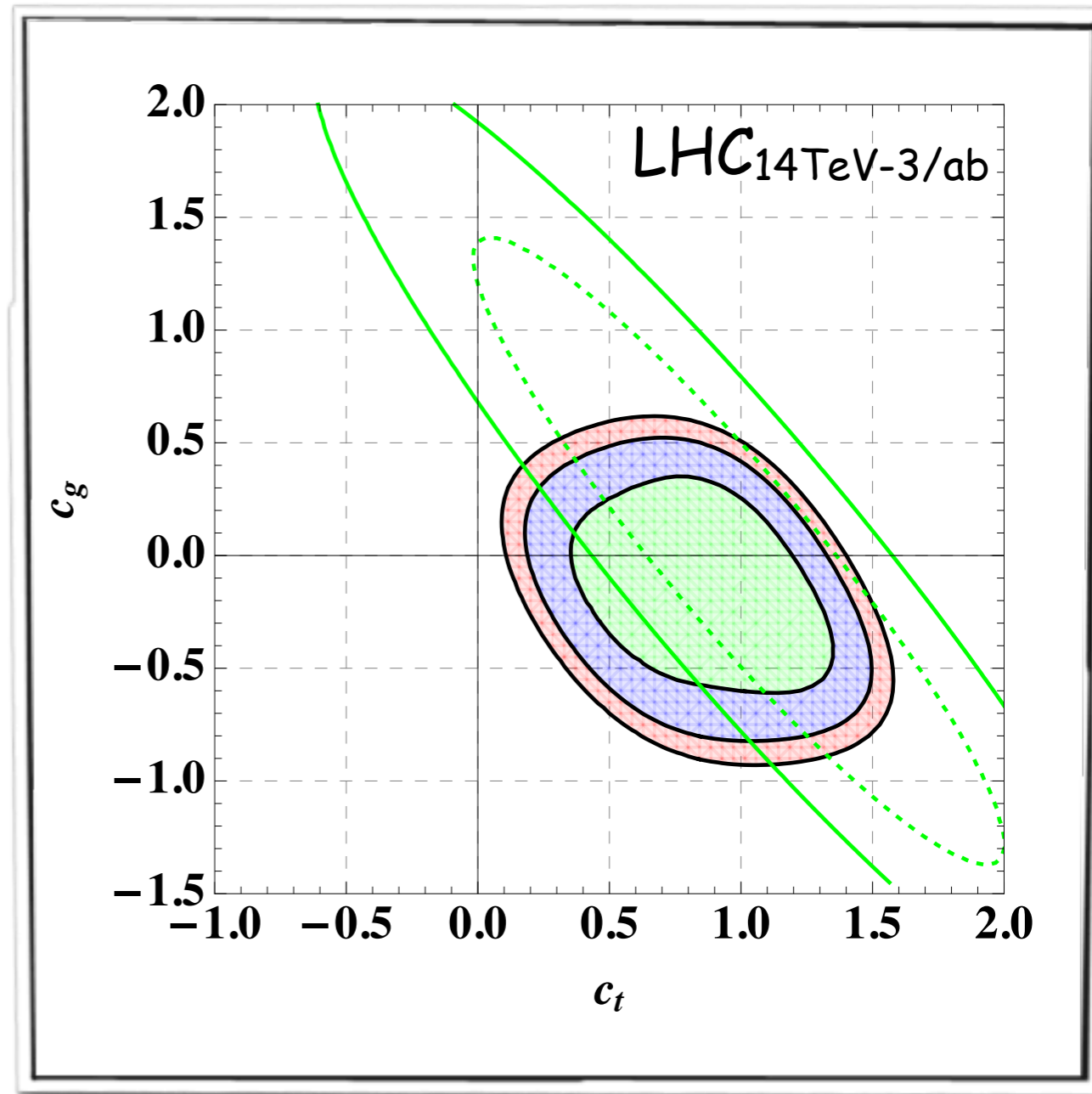
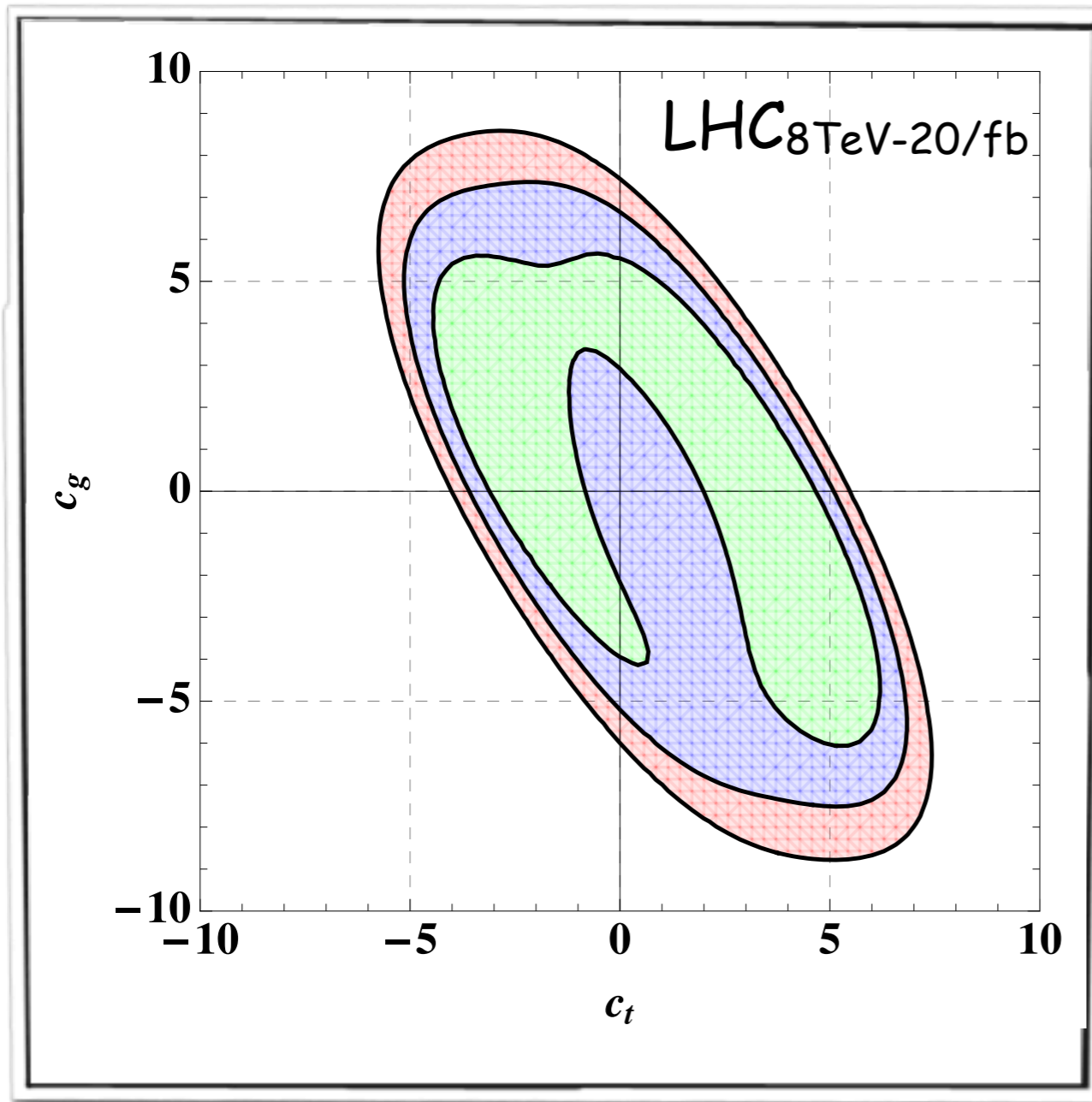
interpretations in terms of bounds of the Higgs width are limited/model-dependent  
but data can be better used to measure the structure of the couplings at high  $\sqrt{s}$



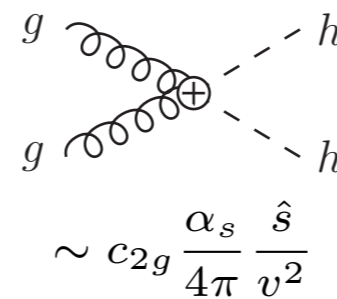
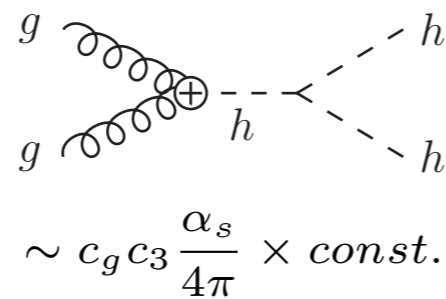
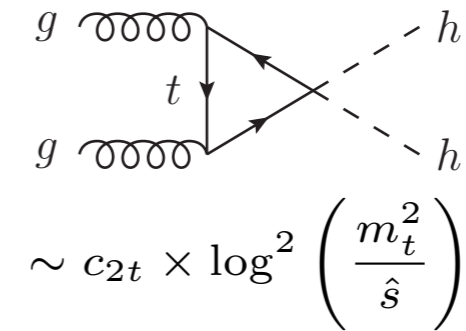
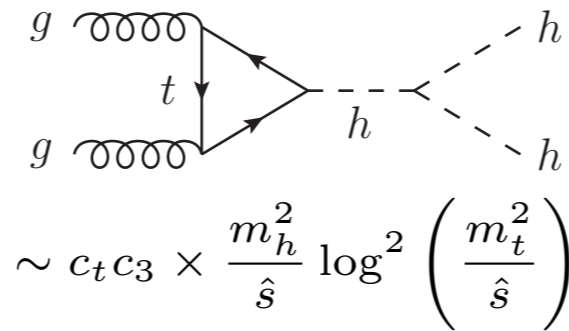
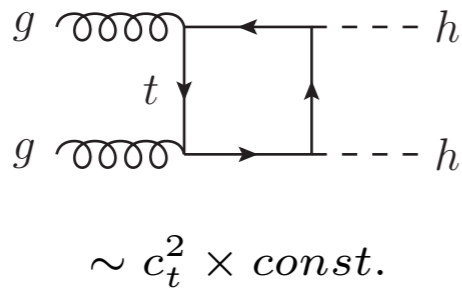
Azatov, Grojean, Paul, Salvioni '14

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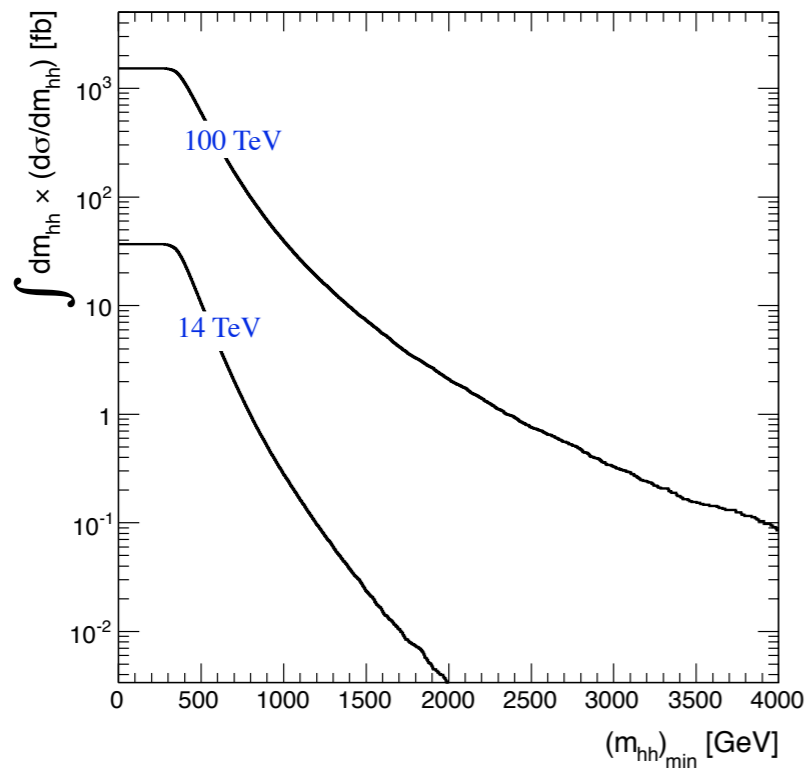
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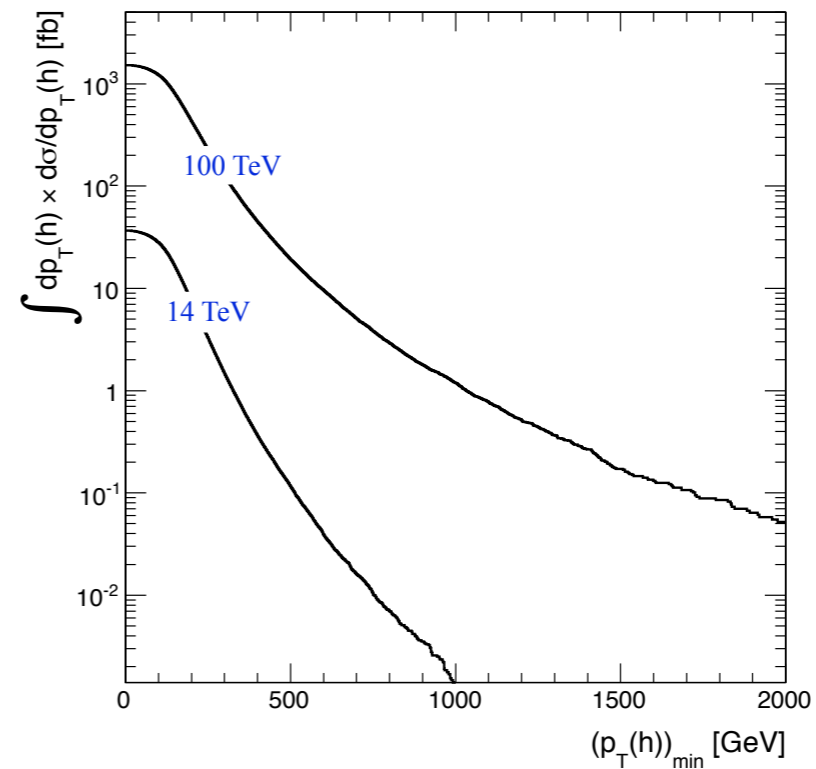
# HH production



**Signal (SM)**

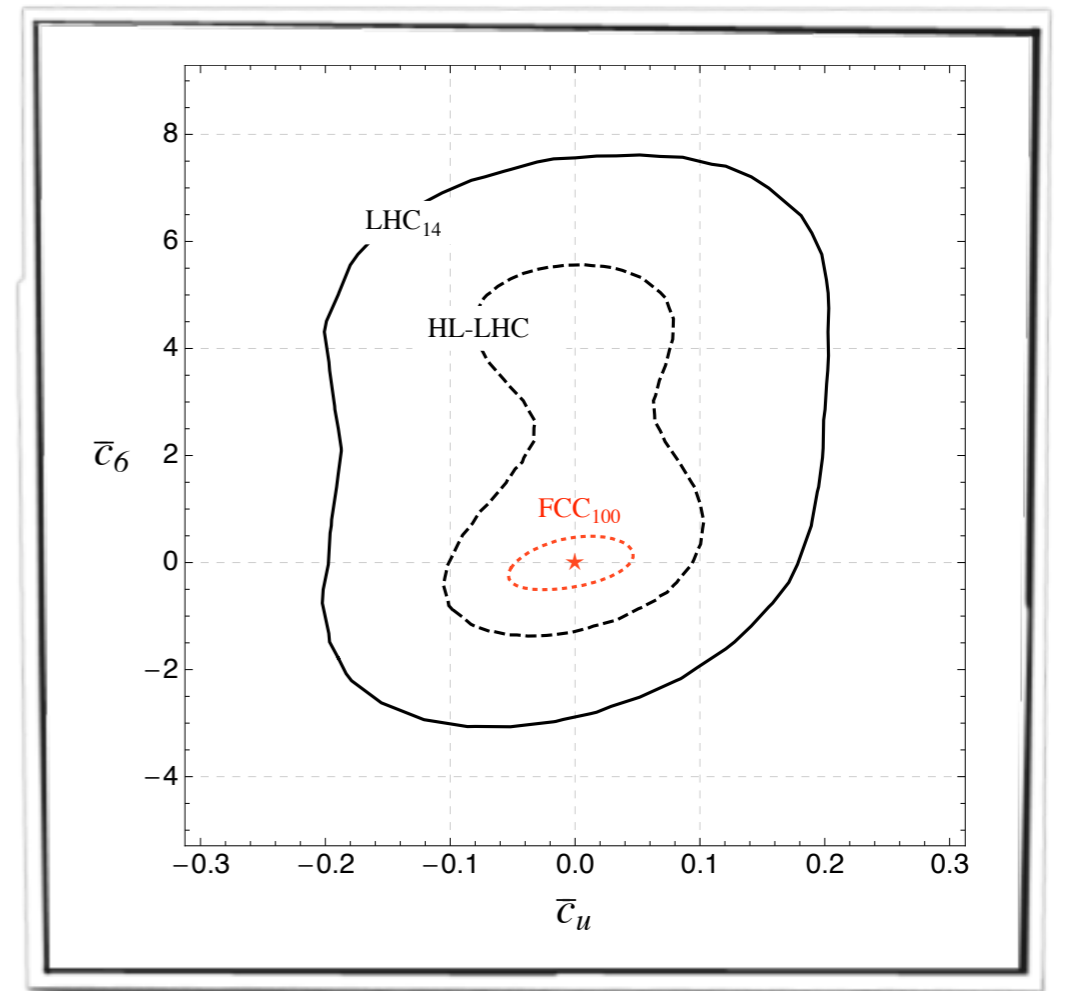
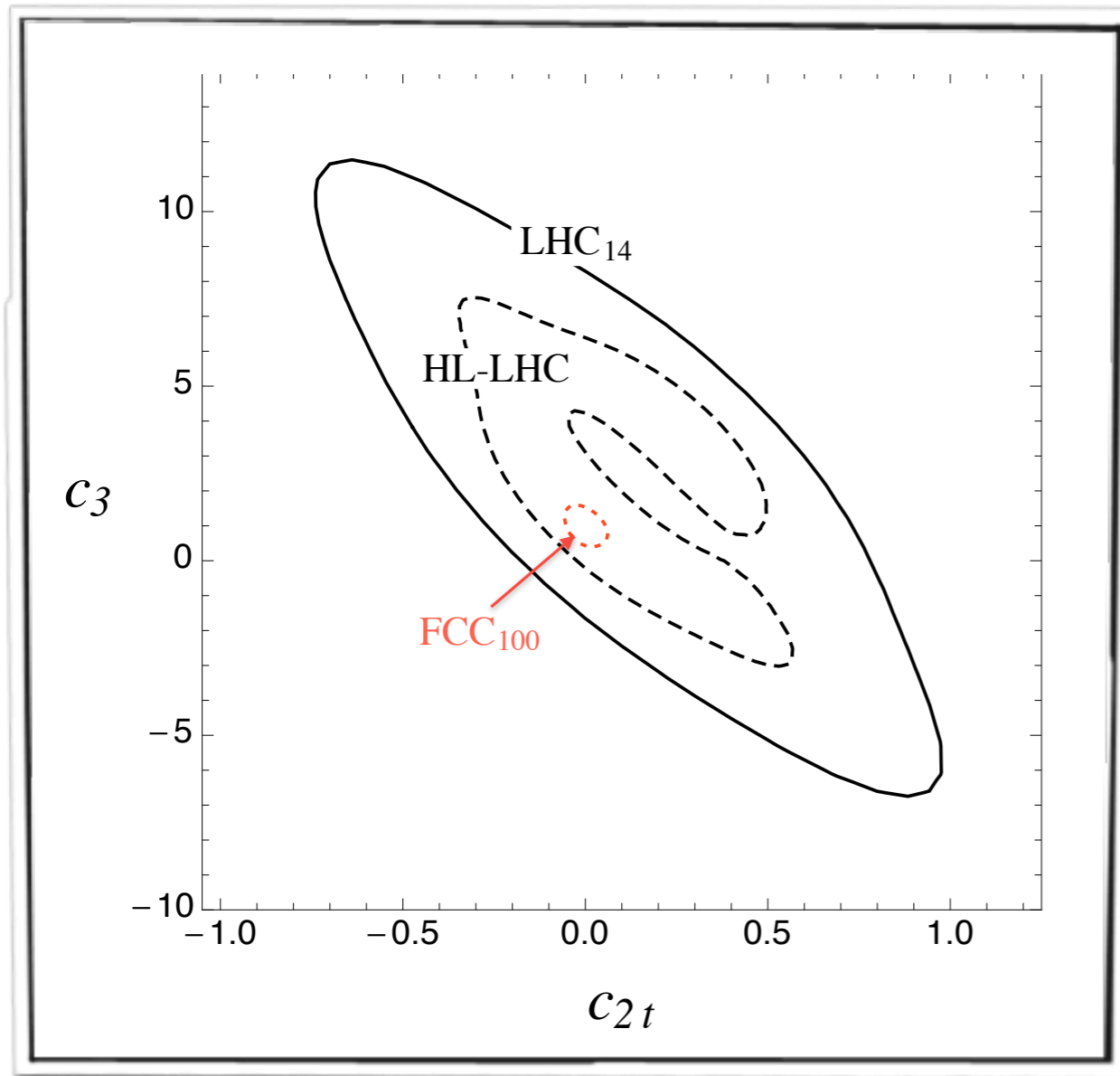


**Signal (SM)**



Azatov, Contino, Panico, Son '15

# HH production



Azatov, Contino, Panico, Son '15  
see also Goertz, Papaefstathiou, Yang, Zurita '14

## Remarks:

- unique access to  $c_3$  but sensitivity is limited (within the validity of EFT?).
- statistically limited, with more luminosity
  - ⇒ access to distribution
  - ⇒ discriminating power  $c_3$  vs.  $c_{2t}$  vs  $c_g$