

Collider searches for electroweak states suggested by the Fermi line

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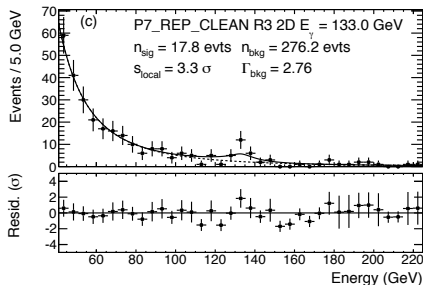
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- Fermi sees evidence for a gamma-ray line at 130-135 GeV in observations of the galactic centre (Bringmann *et al.*; Weniger; Tempel *et al.*; Finkbeiner and Su;...)
 - ▶ Most recent line analysis [[arXiv:1305.5597](https://arxiv.org/abs/1305.5597)]



- The origin of the excess is still unclear
- Assuming DM origin of the line, this implies $\sigma(\bar{\chi}\chi \rightarrow \gamma\gamma)v \sim 10^{-28} - 10^{-27} \text{ cm}^3/\text{s}$
 - ▶ What are the implications for physics at the weak scale?

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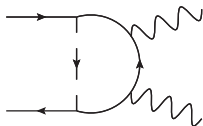
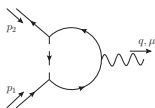
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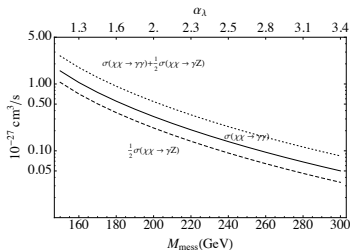


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- Some of these are reminiscent of SUSY, 2HDM, etc., but different gauge charges and decay modes allowed in some cases
 - ▶ Motivate more general electroweak searches

Gauge charges and decay modes

- Consider “reasonable” gauge charges
 - ▶ Triplet and lower because higher multiplets have large cross sections
 - ▶ Similar hypercharge to SM to allow renormalizable decays in minimal model

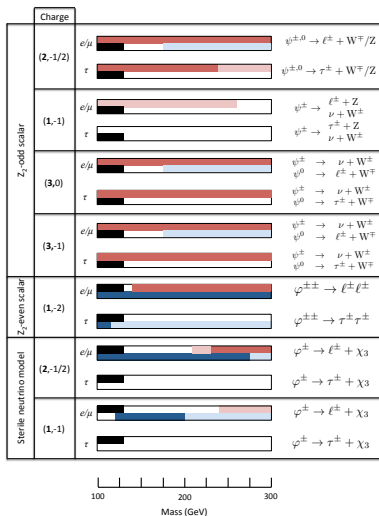
SU(2) \times U(1) charge	Z_2 -odd φ	Z_2 -odd ψ
$(\mathbf{1}, -1)$	$\ell H^* \psi^c$	$\varphi(\epsilon \ell_i) \ell_j$
$(\mathbf{2}, -\frac{1}{2})$	$\psi H^* e^c$	$\mathcal{L}_{2\text{HDM}}(\varphi, h)$
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$(\mathbf{3}, -1)$	$\ell(\psi^c)^a \sigma^a H^*$	$(\epsilon H) \varphi^a \sigma^a H$ $(\epsilon \ell) \varphi^* \ell$

Qualitative results

- What kinds of models do we expect to be ruled out? To be accessible at LHC14? To be challenging and study more intensively?
- Dilepton/multilepton searches strongly constrain particles decaying to **leptons + gauge bosons or leptons + MET**
- **Large $SU(2)$ multiplets** are mostly ruled out, while **singlets** are much less constrained
- **Tau final states and decays with large QCD backgrounds** are among the least constrained from electroweak production
- **Scalars** are generally less constrained than fermions because of lower cross section

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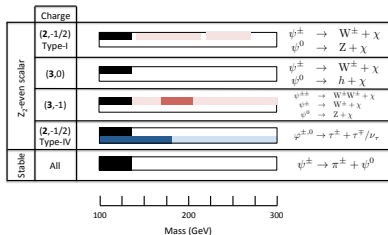
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Conclusions and Outlook

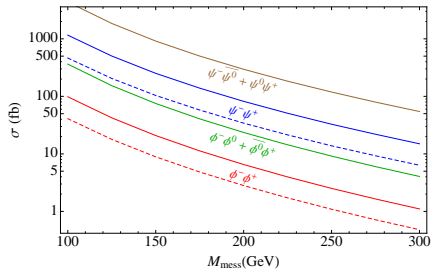
- The potential observation of a gamma-ray line around 130 GeV provides an independent motivation for new charged states at the weak scale
- Classify models by the allowed couplings to SM consistent with gauge and discrete symmetries; parameterization applies across UV theories
- Many models are ruled out by dilepton + MET and multilepton searches
- Models with $SU(2)$ singlets and tau-rich final states are less constrained but can be probed at LHC14
- A few examples ($\tau\tau$ + MET or disappearing charged tracks) are challenging at the LHC
- A linear collider would be an ideal environment for studying all scenarios!

Back-up slides

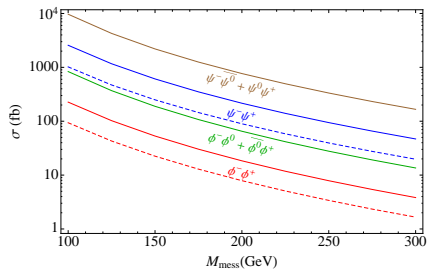
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Messenger production cross sections

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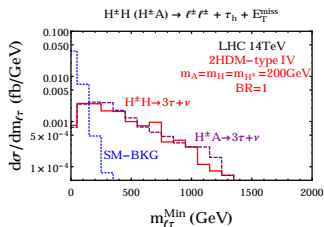
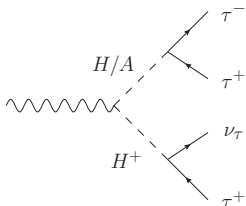


14 TeV:



- Dashed: SU(2) singlet, $Y = 1$
- Solid: SU(2) doublet, $Y = 1/2$

Example: Type-IV 2HDM



- $3\tau \rightarrow \ell^\pm \ell^\pm + \tau_h + E_T$
- Exploit kinematics ($m_{\ell\tau}$)

