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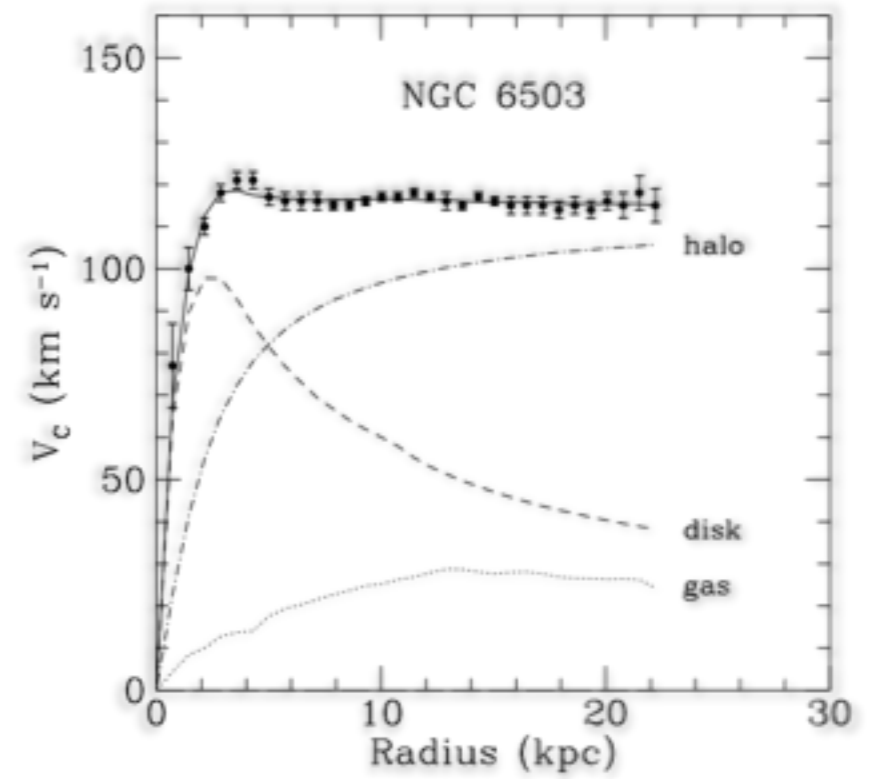
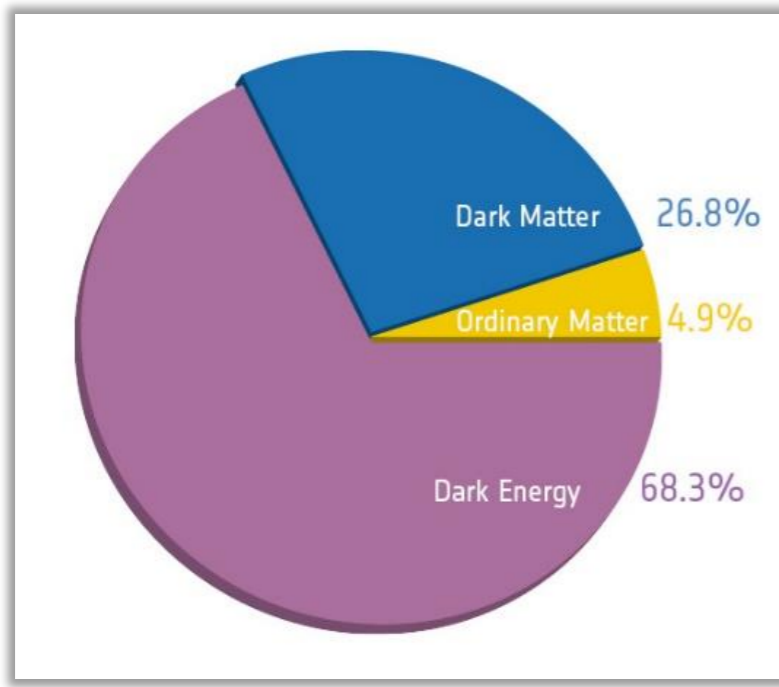
- a tool for a precise prediction of the relic density

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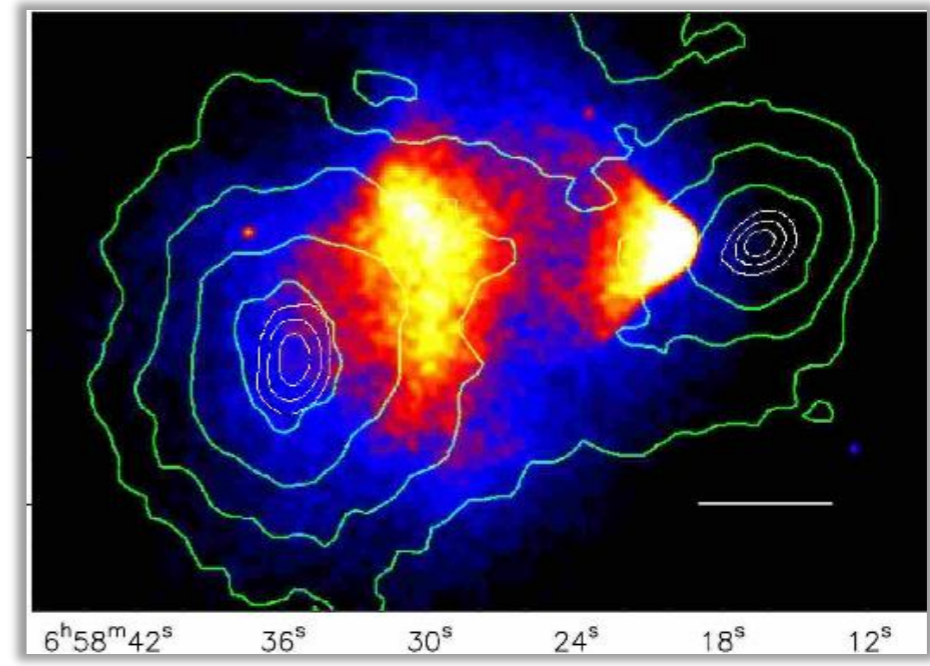
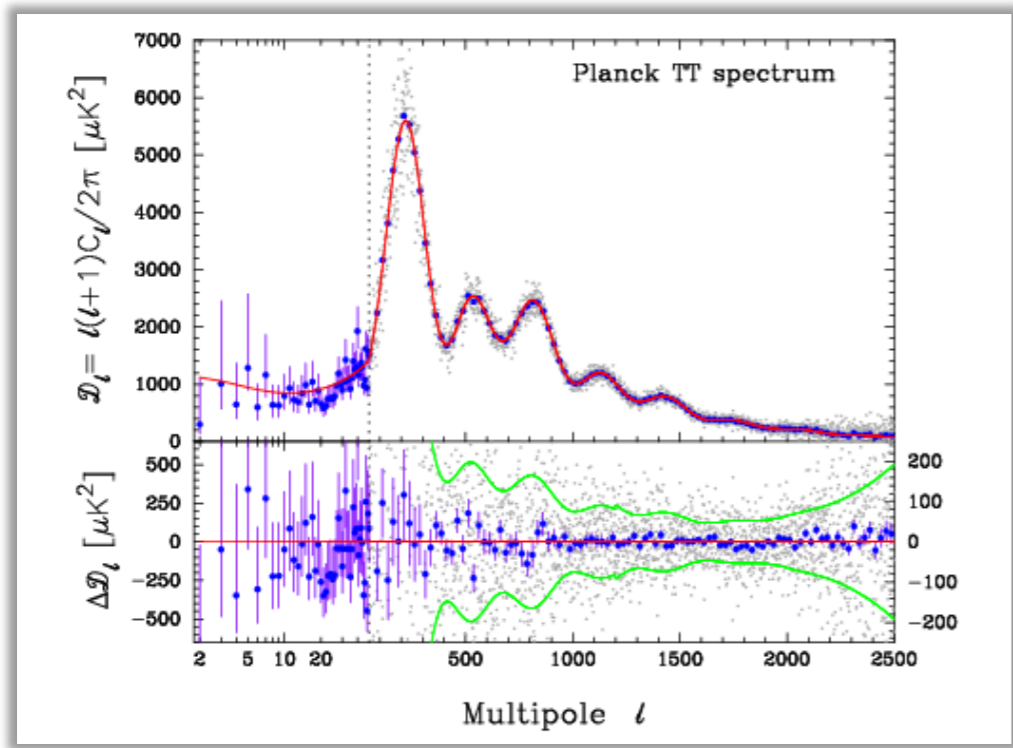
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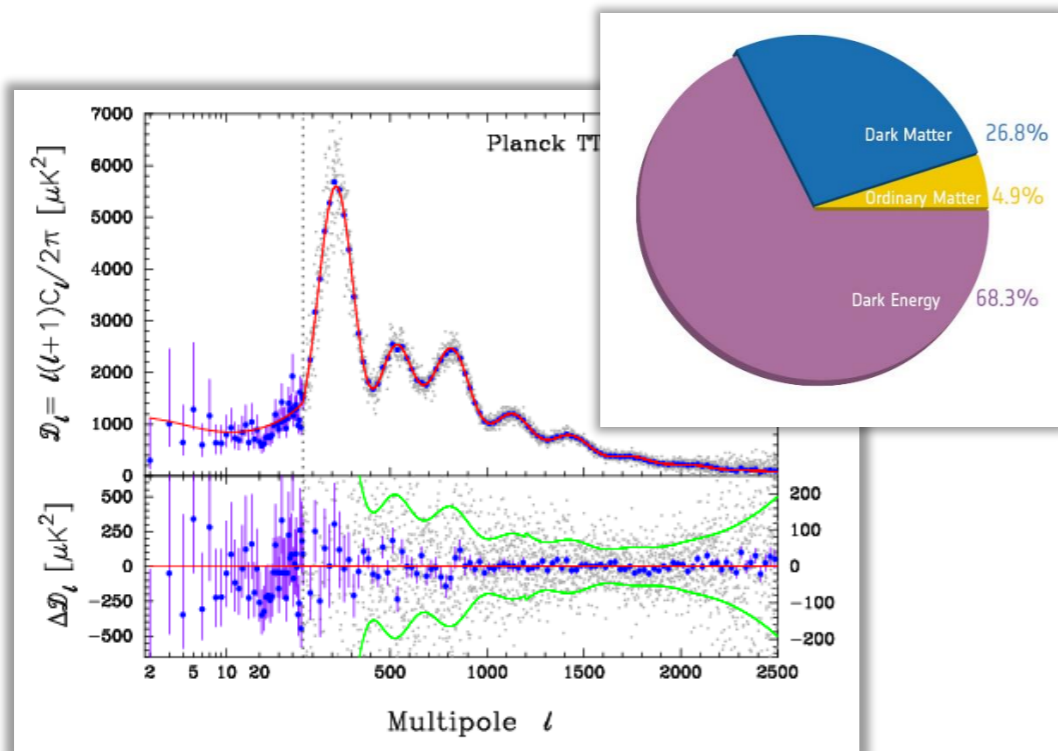
# I. Motivation



## What is Dark Matter?



## CMB Measurement



Planck Collaboration, arXiv:1303.5076

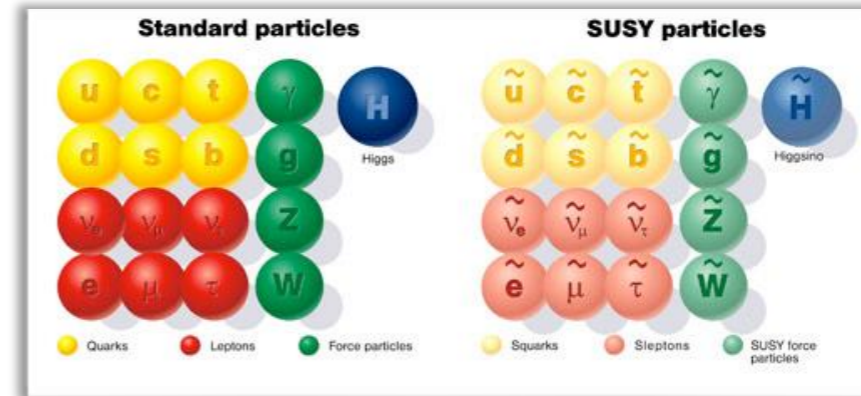
- precise determination of relic density by PLANCK to

$$\Omega_{\text{CDM}}h^2 = 0.1199 \pm 0.0027$$



Need of precise theoretical prediction to meet experimental precision

## Particle Physics Theory



## Minimal Supersymmetric Standard Model (MSSM)

- lightest neutralino  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  is a good cold DM candidate
- theoretical prediction of relic density possible

$$\Omega_{\text{CDM}}^{\text{theoret.}}$$



Jungman, Kamionkowski, Griest, Phys. Reports 267 (1995)

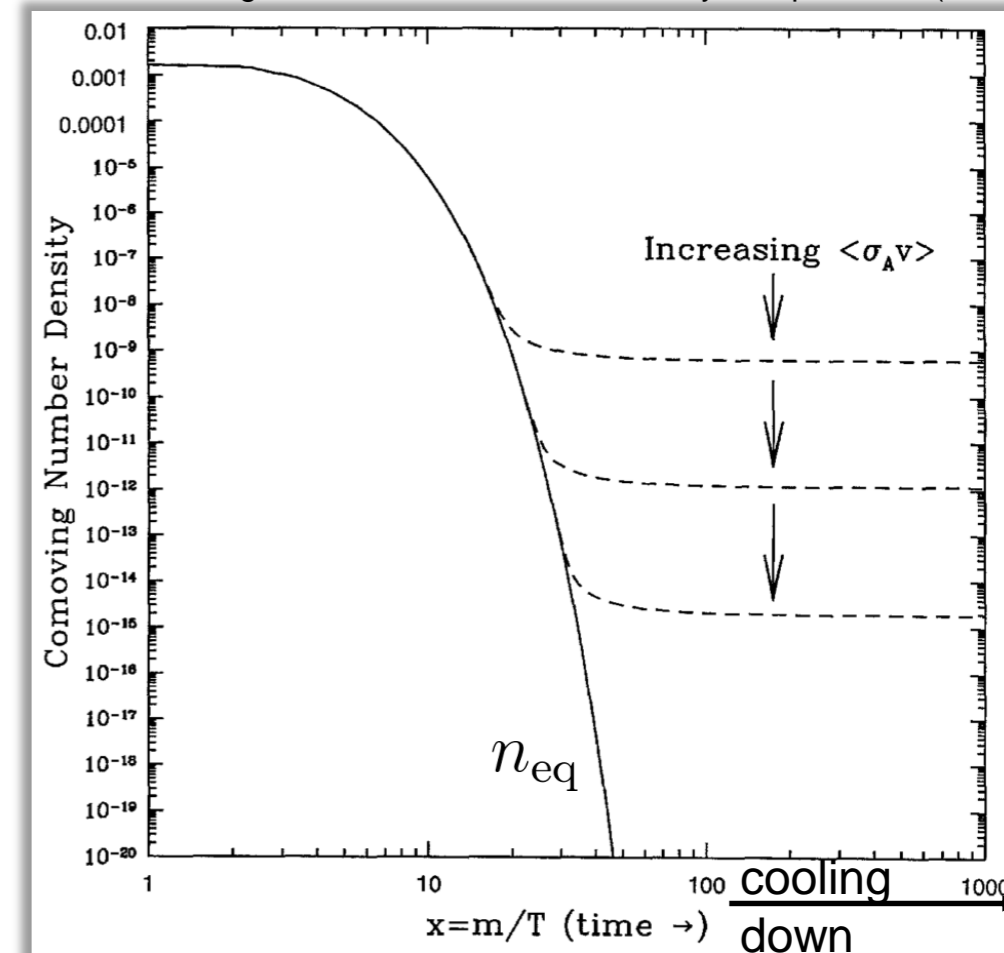
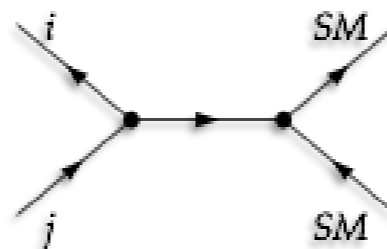
- number density of DM in the early universe can be described by the Boltzmann equation

$$\dot{n} + 3Hn = -\langle\sigma_{\text{eff}}v\rangle(n^2 - n_{\text{eq}}^2)$$

- relic density inversely proportional to cross section

$$\Omega_\chi h^2 \propto \frac{1}{\langle\sigma_{\text{eff}}v\rangle}$$

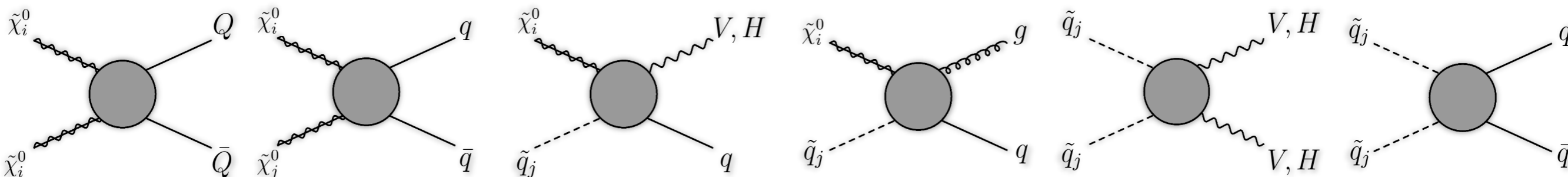
particle physics



$\chi\chi \leftrightarrow \text{SM SM}$     $\chi\chi \rightarrow \text{SM SM}$     $\chi\chi \not\rightarrow \text{SM SM}$

- coannihilation processes can get important when particles almost mass degenerate

$$\langle\sigma_{\text{eff}}v\rangle = \sum_{ij} \langle\sigma_{ij}v_{ij}\rangle \frac{n_i^{\text{eq}}}{n^{\text{eq}}} \frac{n_j^{\text{eq}}}{n^{\text{eq}}} \quad \text{with} \quad \frac{n_i^{\text{eq}}}{n^{\text{eq}}} \propto \exp\left(\frac{-(m_i - m_\chi)}{T}\right) = \exp\left(\frac{-(m_i - m_\chi)}{x m_\chi}\right)$$



- Public tools evaluate the relic density for a specific parameter point in the MSSM

MicrOMEGAs

Belanger, Boudjema, et al. , CPC (2002)

DarkSUSY

Gondolo, Edsjö, et al. , JCAP (2004)

SuperIso Relic

Arbey, Mamoudi, et al. , CPC (2010)

MadDM

Backovic, Kong, et al. , (2013)

*so for just based on (effective) tree level calculation*

$$\Omega_\chi h^2 \propto \frac{1}{\langle \sigma_{\text{eff}} v \rangle}$$

*particle physics*



*determination of (dis)favoured region of parameter space*

- precise relic density determination by PLANCK

$$\Omega_{\text{CDM}} h^2 = 0.1199 \pm 0.0027$$

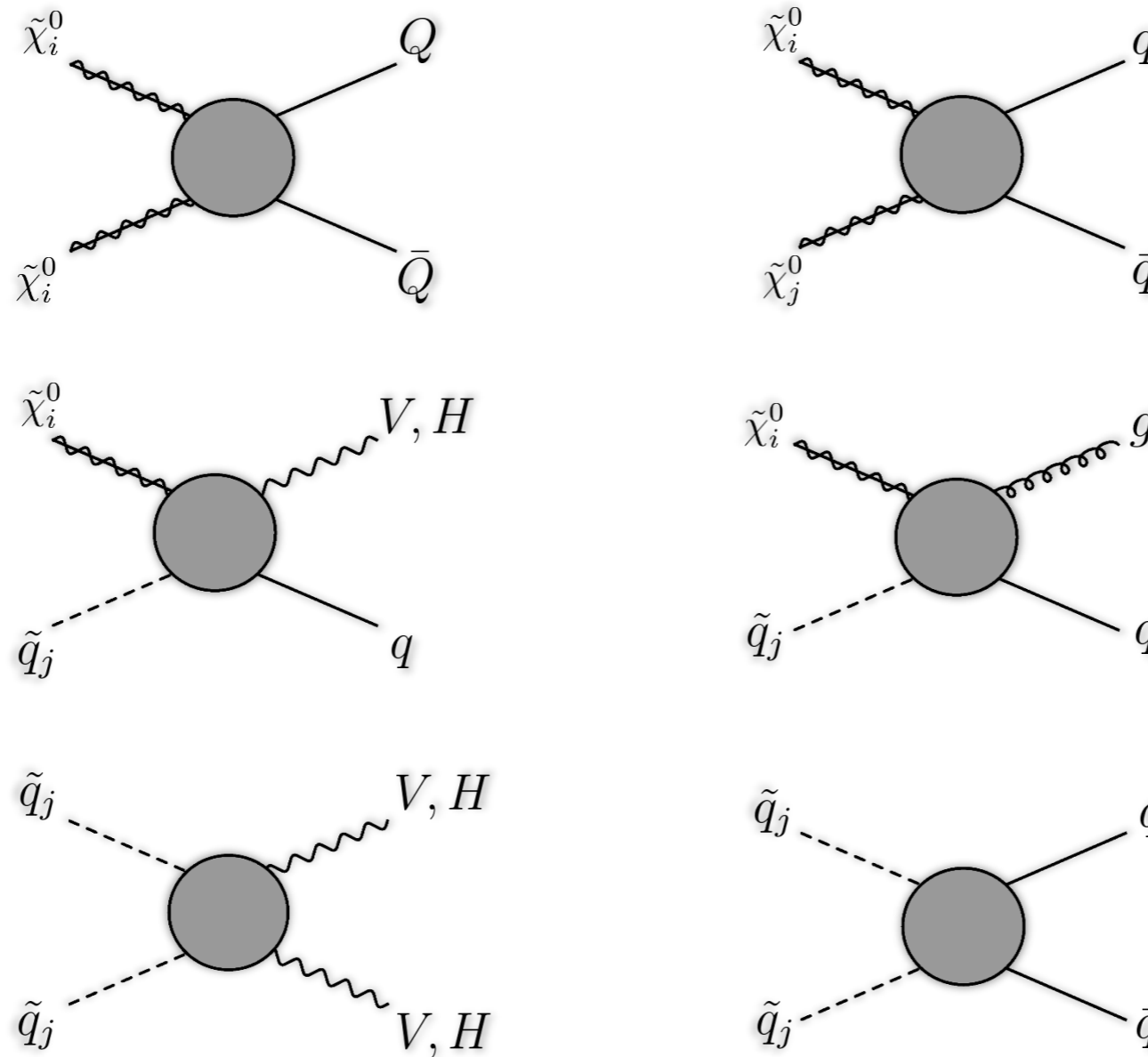
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*increase precision by going to NLO for cross section*

# II. The Tool

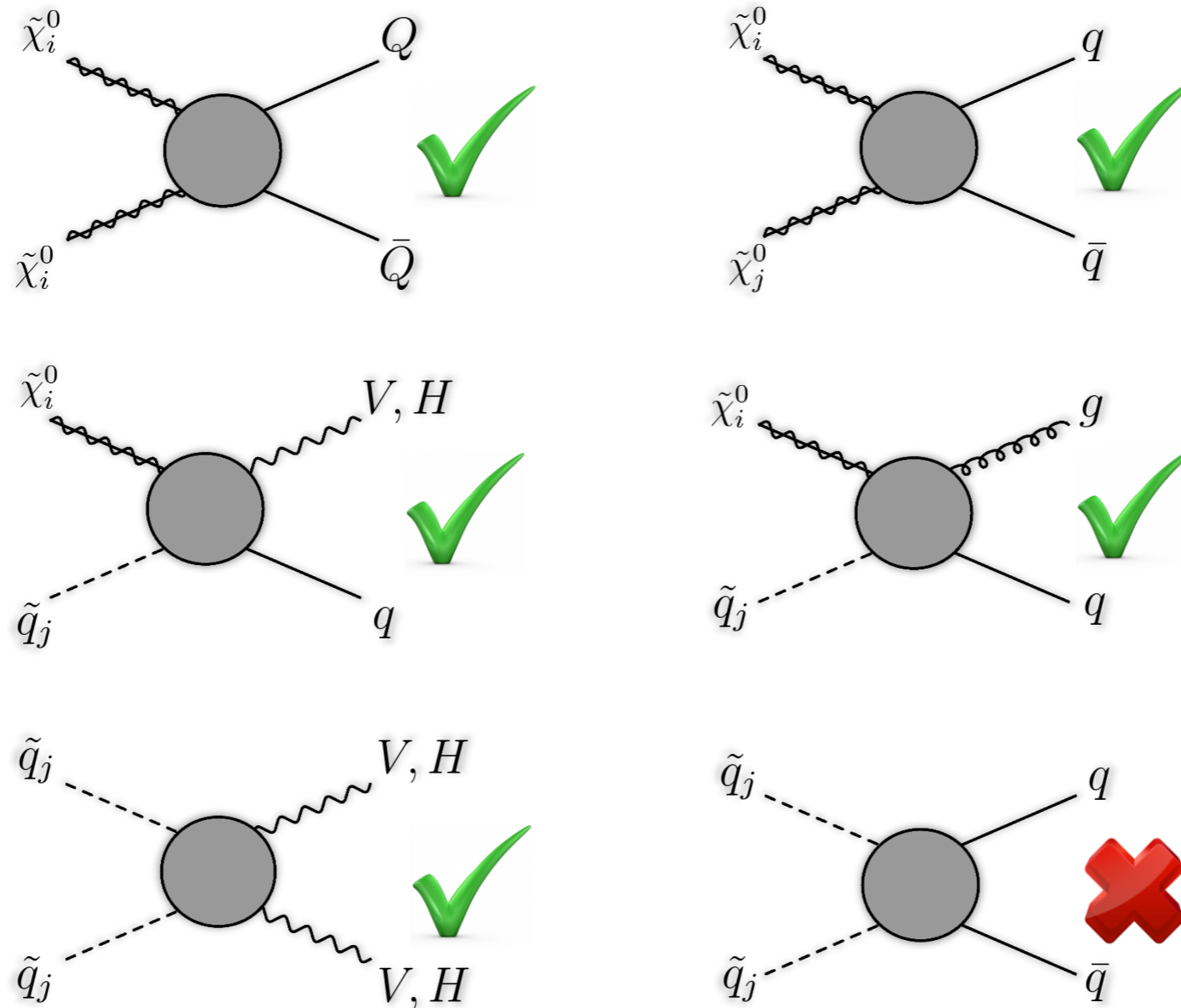
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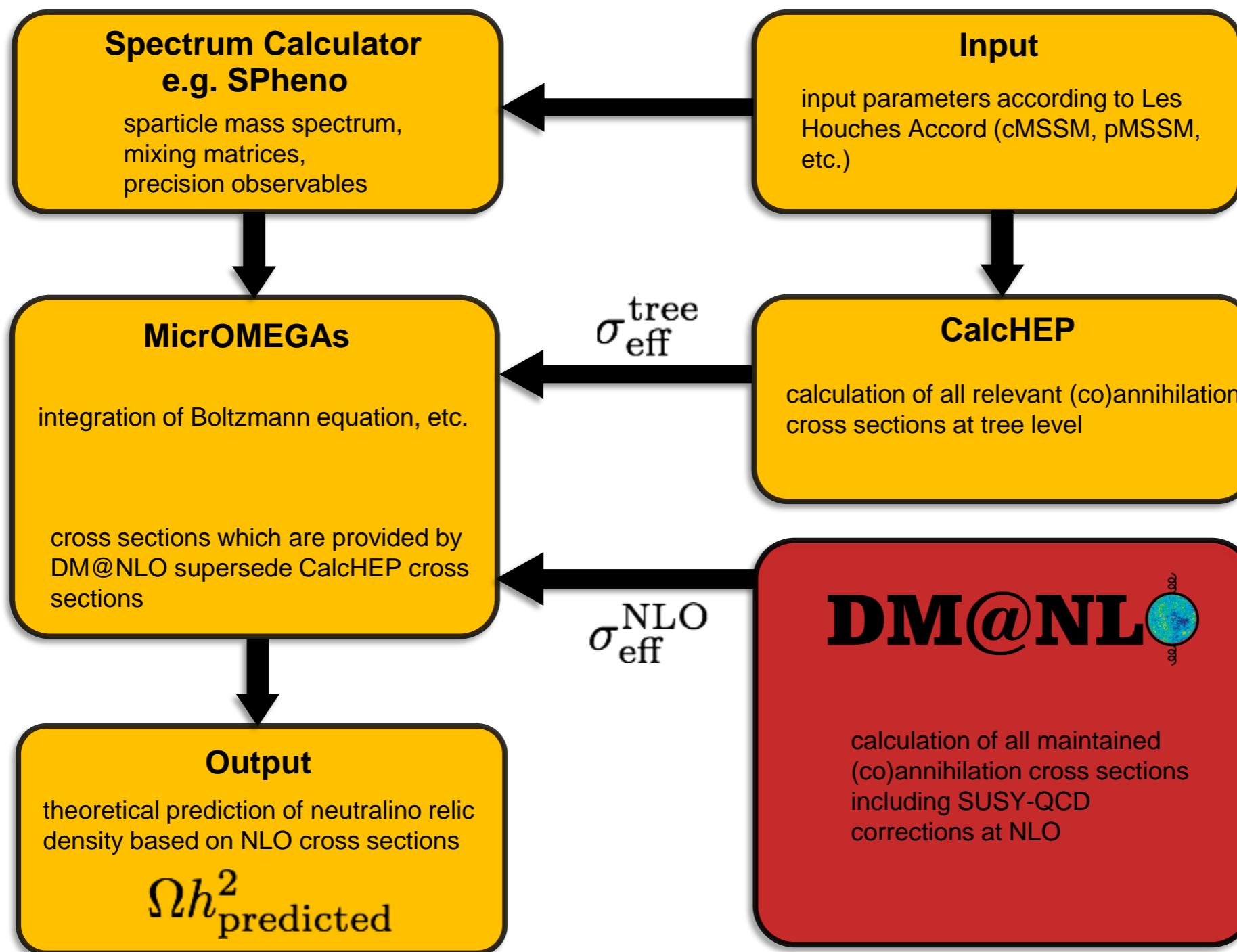
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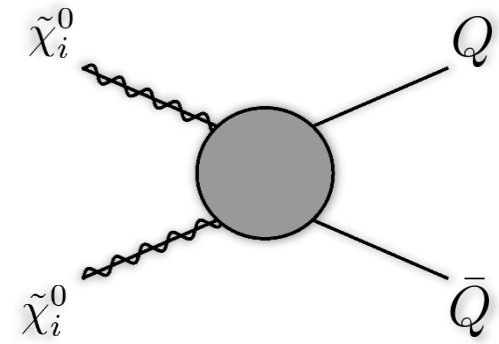
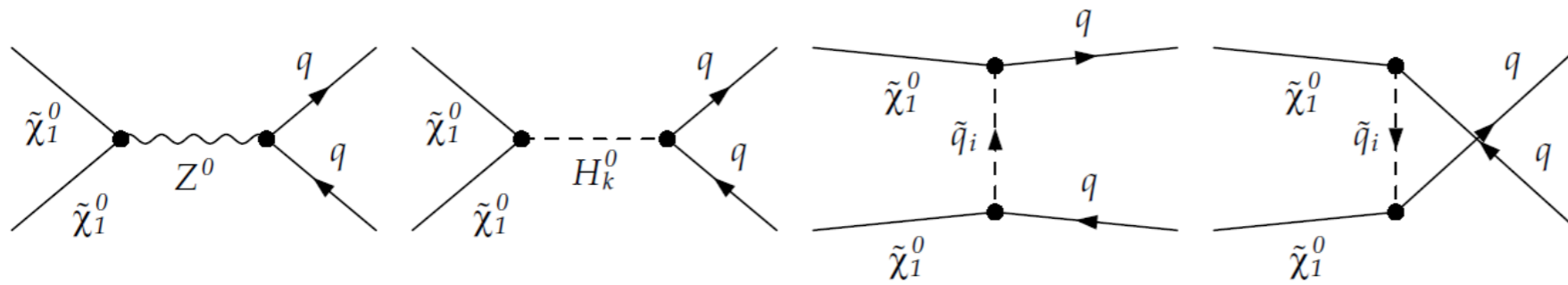
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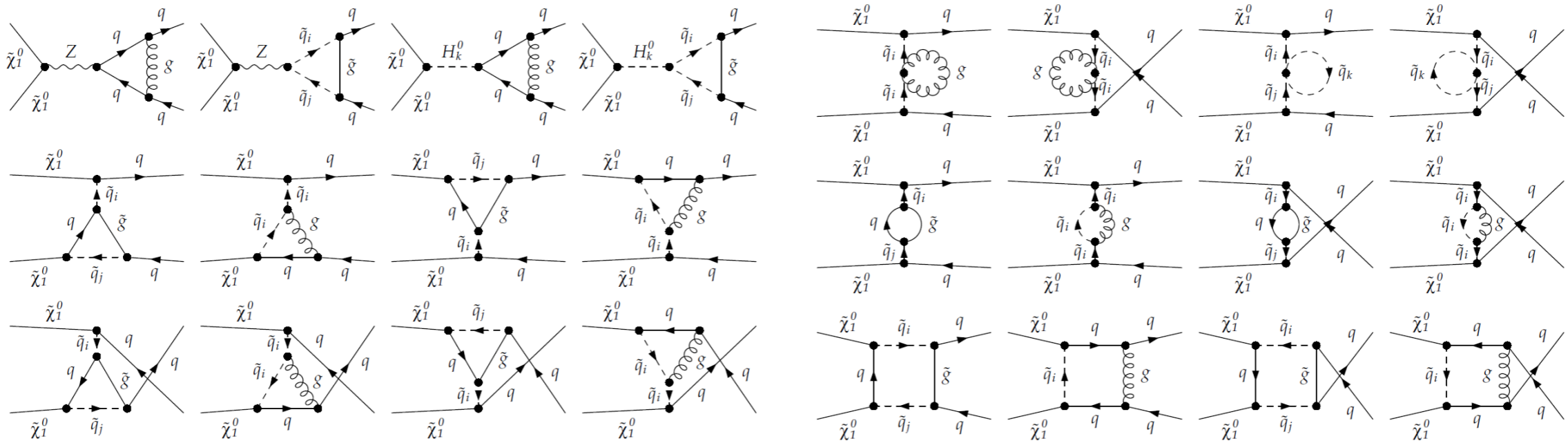
<http://dmnlo.hepforge.org/>

# III. Results

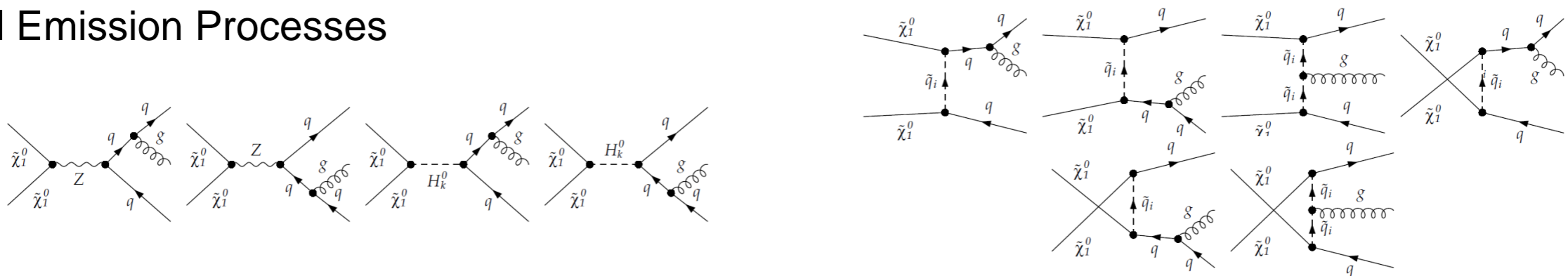
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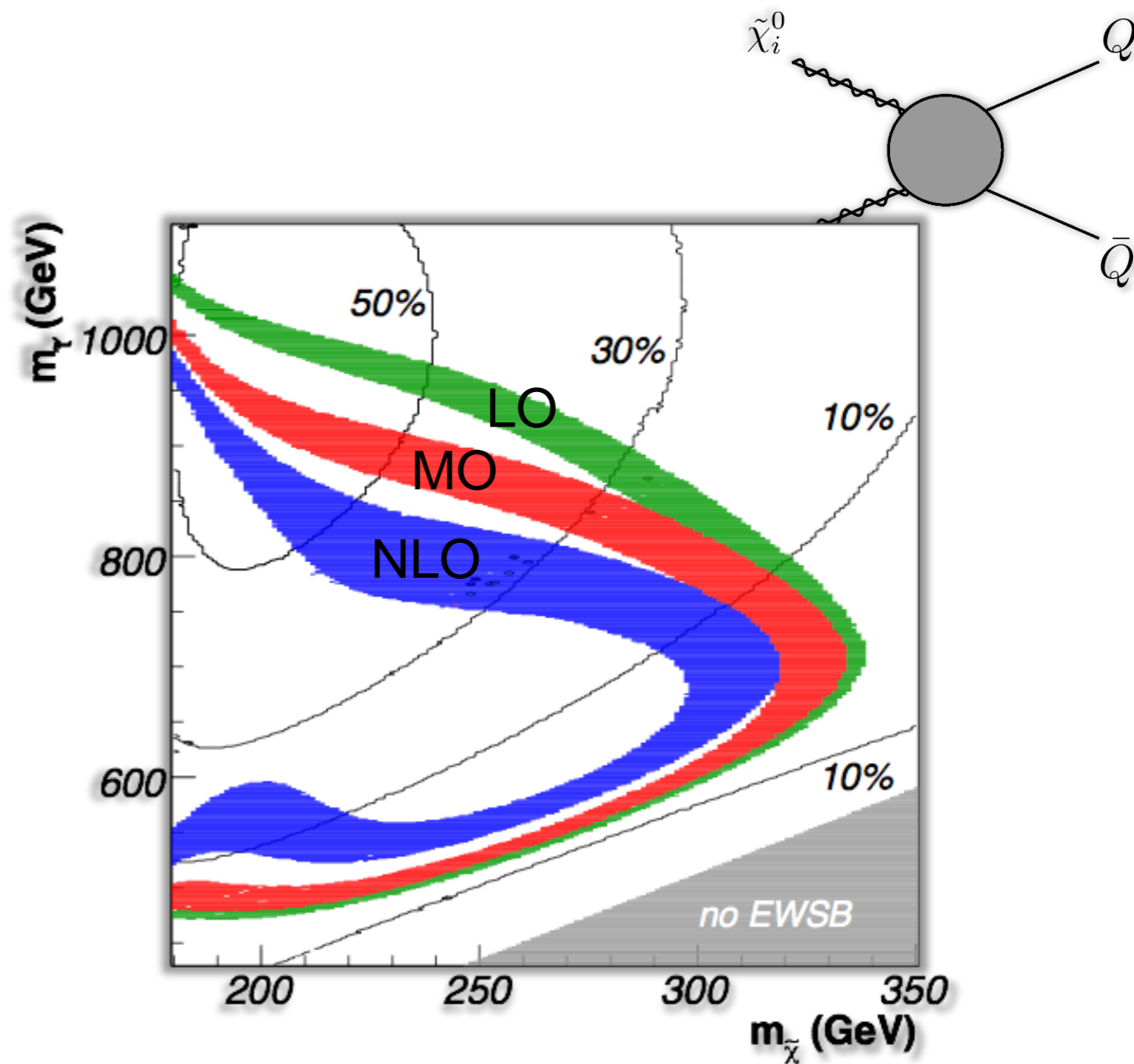
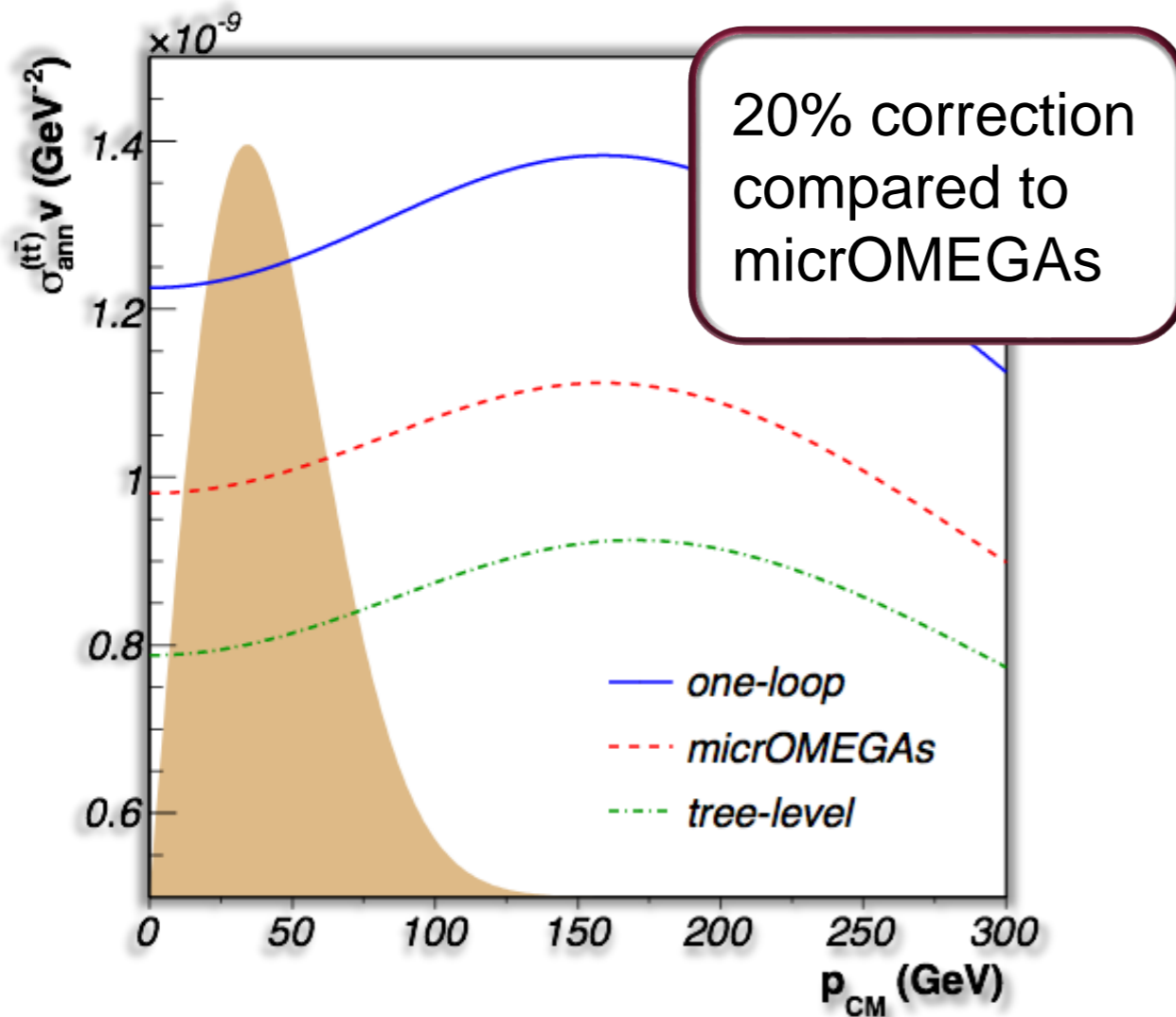
## Virtual Corrections



## Real Emission Processes

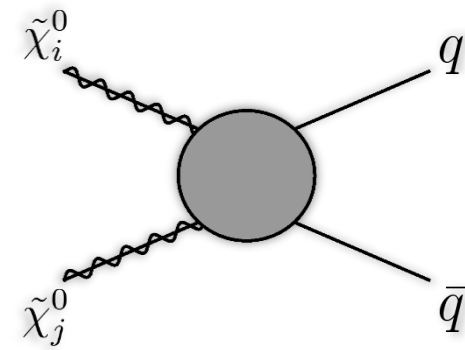
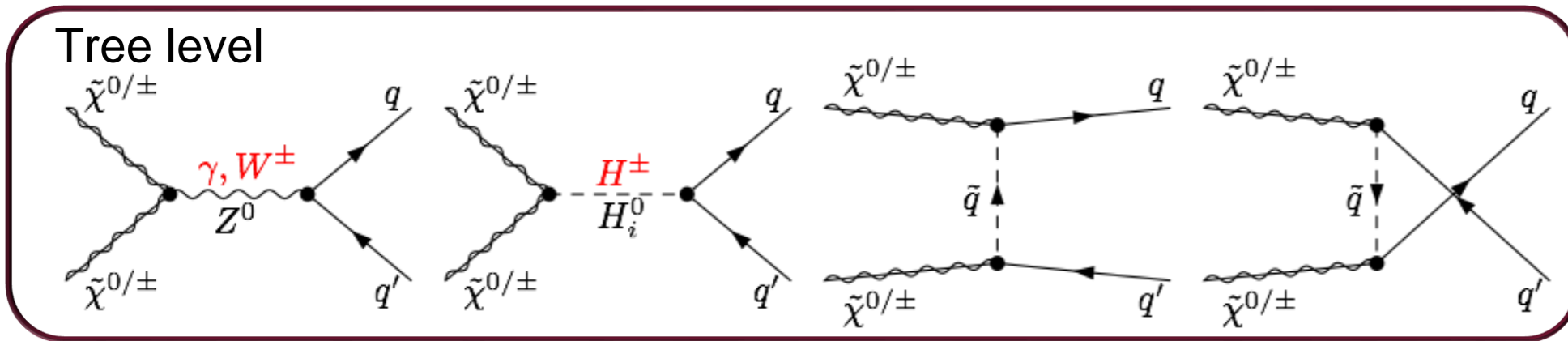


- Example: Dominant Z-exchange



- effective Yukawa couplings not always sufficient, e.g. for dominant Z-exchange
- shift of about 100 GeV in physical mass plane

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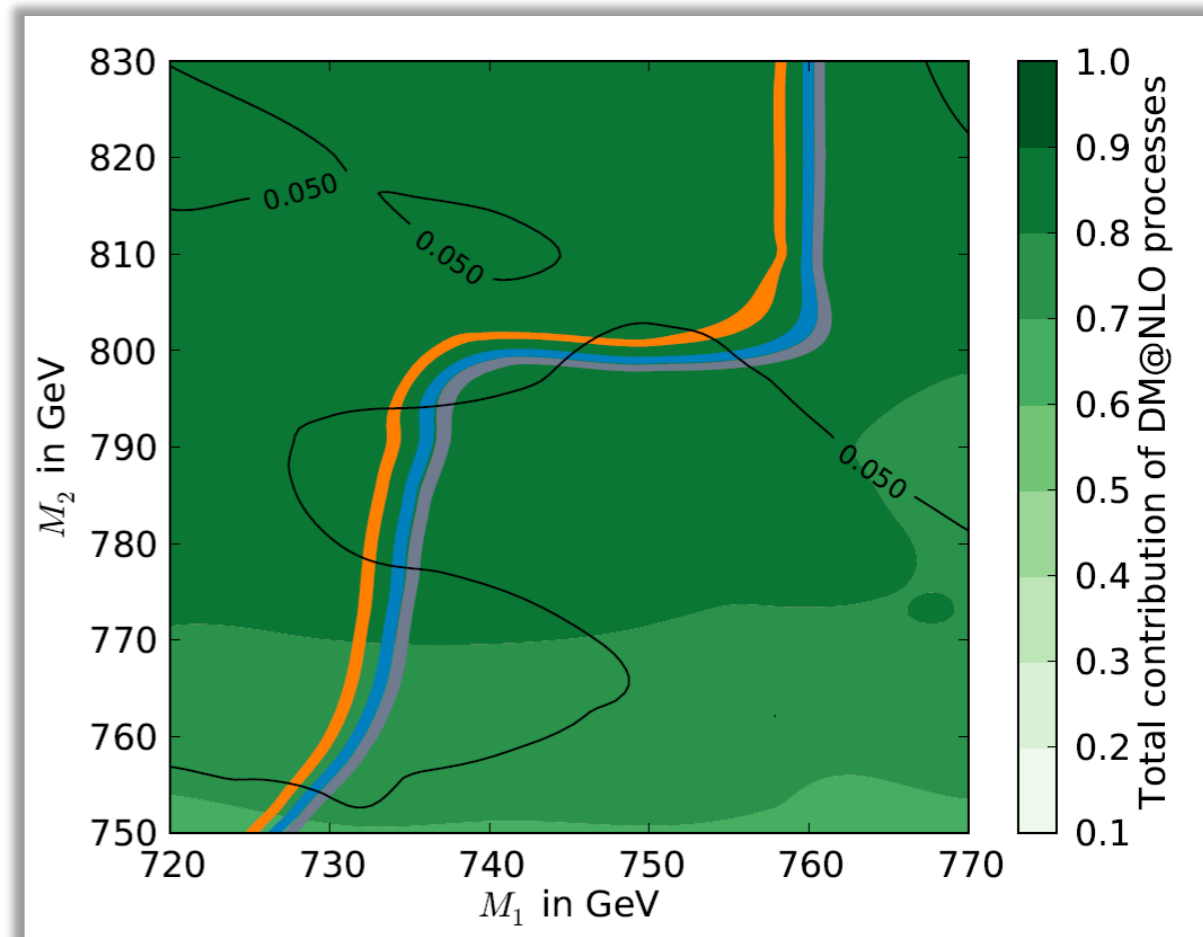


$m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$	$m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0}$	$m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0}$	$m_{\tilde{\chi}_4^0}$	$m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$	$m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm}$	$Z_{1\tilde{B}}$	$Z_{1\tilde{W}}$	$Z_{1\tilde{H}_1}$	$Z_{1\tilde{H}_2}$	$m_{h^0}$	$\Omega_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} h^2$	$\text{BR}(b \rightarrow s\gamma)$
738.2	802.4	1288.4	1294.5	802.3	1295.1	-0.996	0.049	-0.059	0.037	126.3	0.1243	$3.0 \cdot 10^{-4}$

- pMSSM with relaxed GUT assumption

$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow t\bar{b}$	43.0%
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	23.0%
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	9.1%

- Shift of relic density band by about 10 % with respect to micrOMEGAs

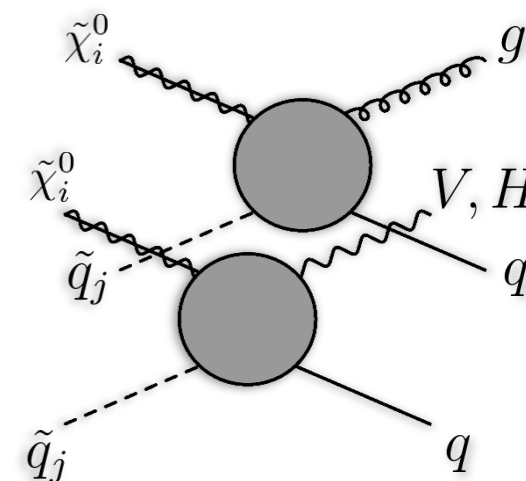


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# Neutralino-Stop Coannihilation

Light stop scenarios motivated by plenty of reasons:

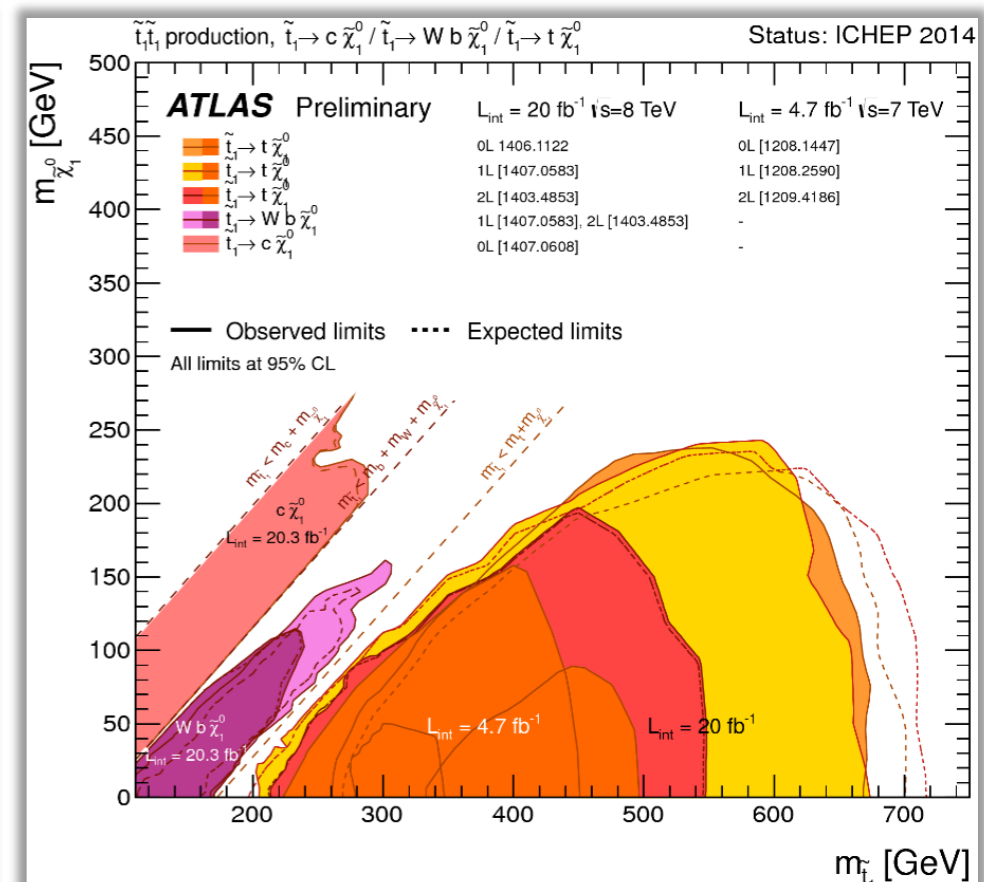
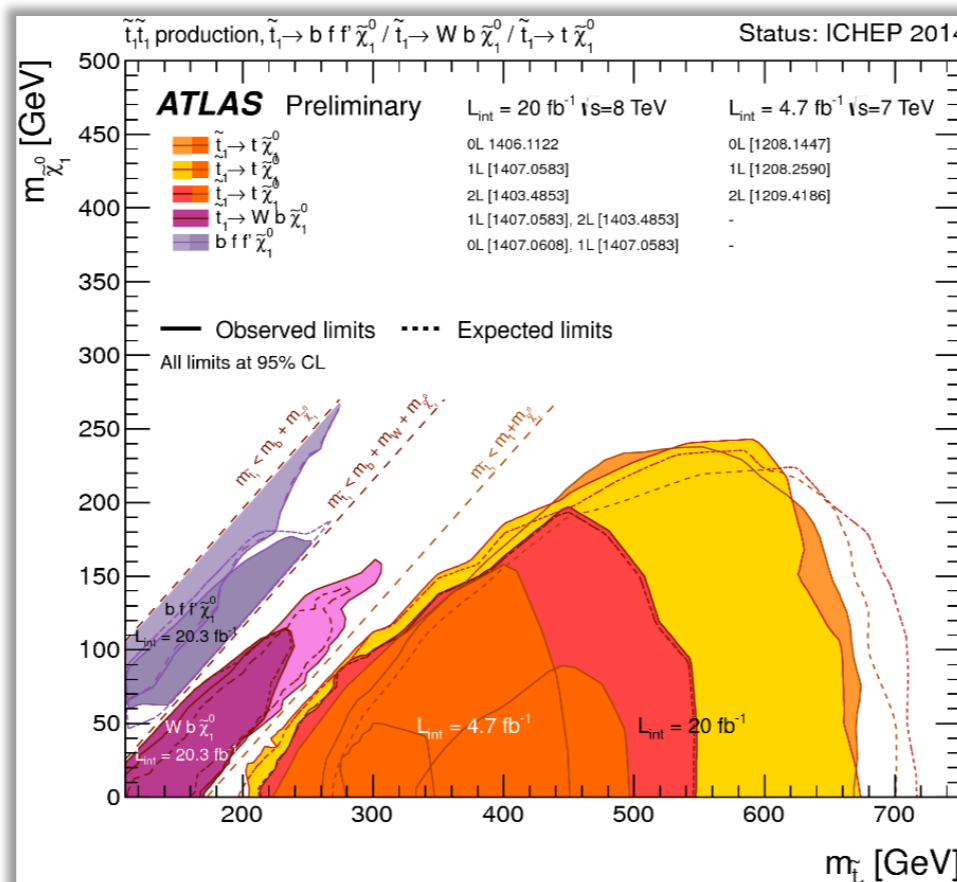
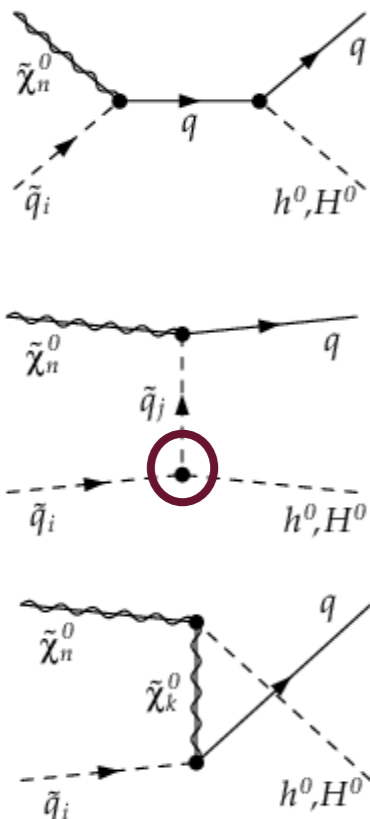
- for meeting the “right” relic density
- favoured scenario for electroweak baryogenesis
- large stop mass splitting favoured by Higgs mass



$$m_{h^0}^2 \approx m_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta + \frac{3g^2 m_t^4}{8\pi^2 m_W^2} \left[ \ln \frac{M_{\text{SUSY}}^2}{m_t^2} + \frac{X_t^2}{M_{\text{SUSY}}^2} \left( 1 - \frac{X_t^2}{12M_{\text{SUSY}}^2} \right) \right]$$

$$X_t = A_t - \mu / \tan \beta$$

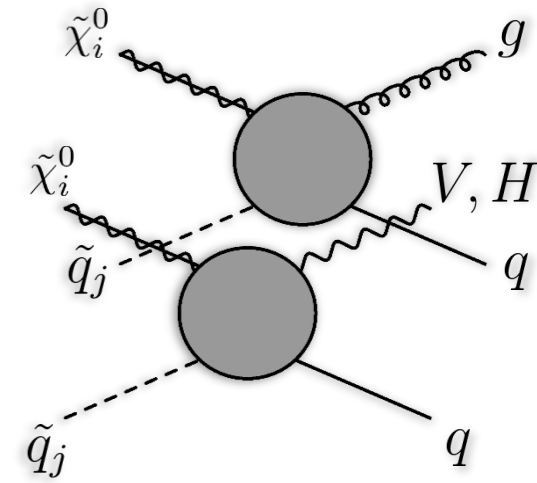
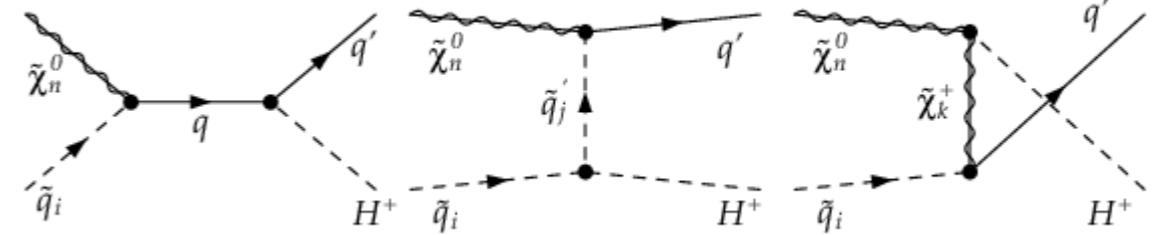
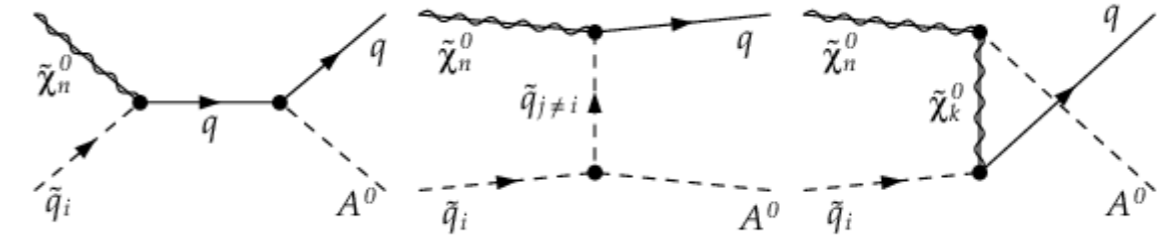
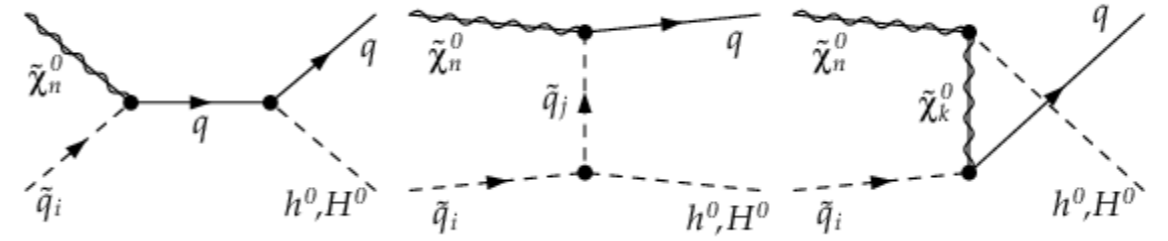
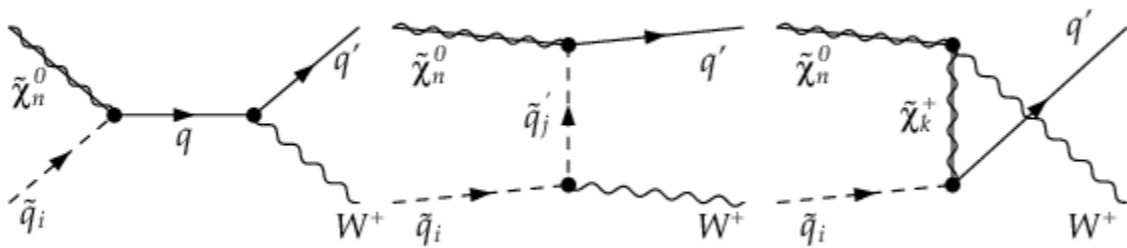
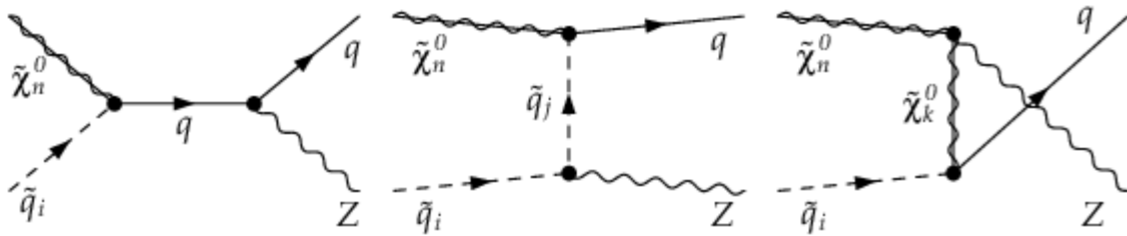
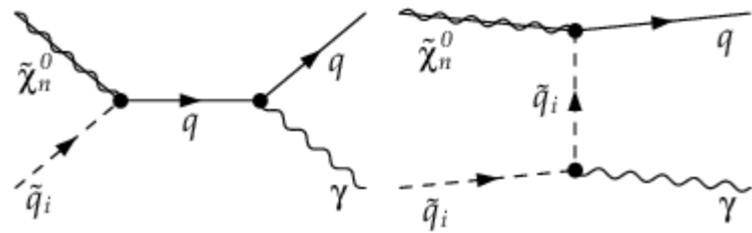
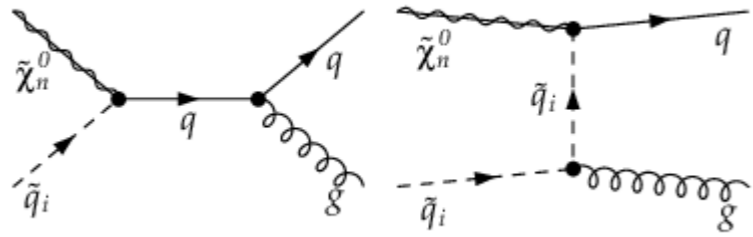
$$M_{\text{SUSY}} = \sqrt{m_{\tilde{t}_1} m_{\tilde{t}_2}}$$





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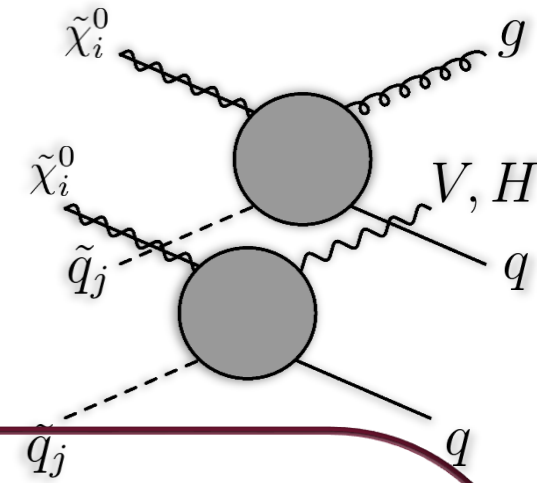
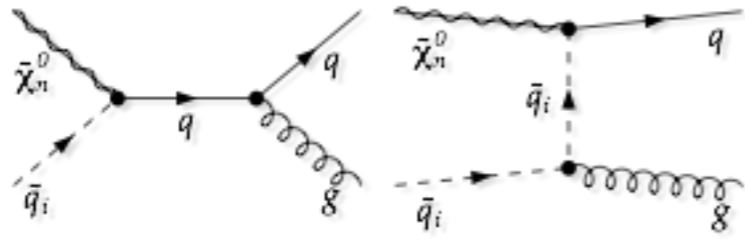
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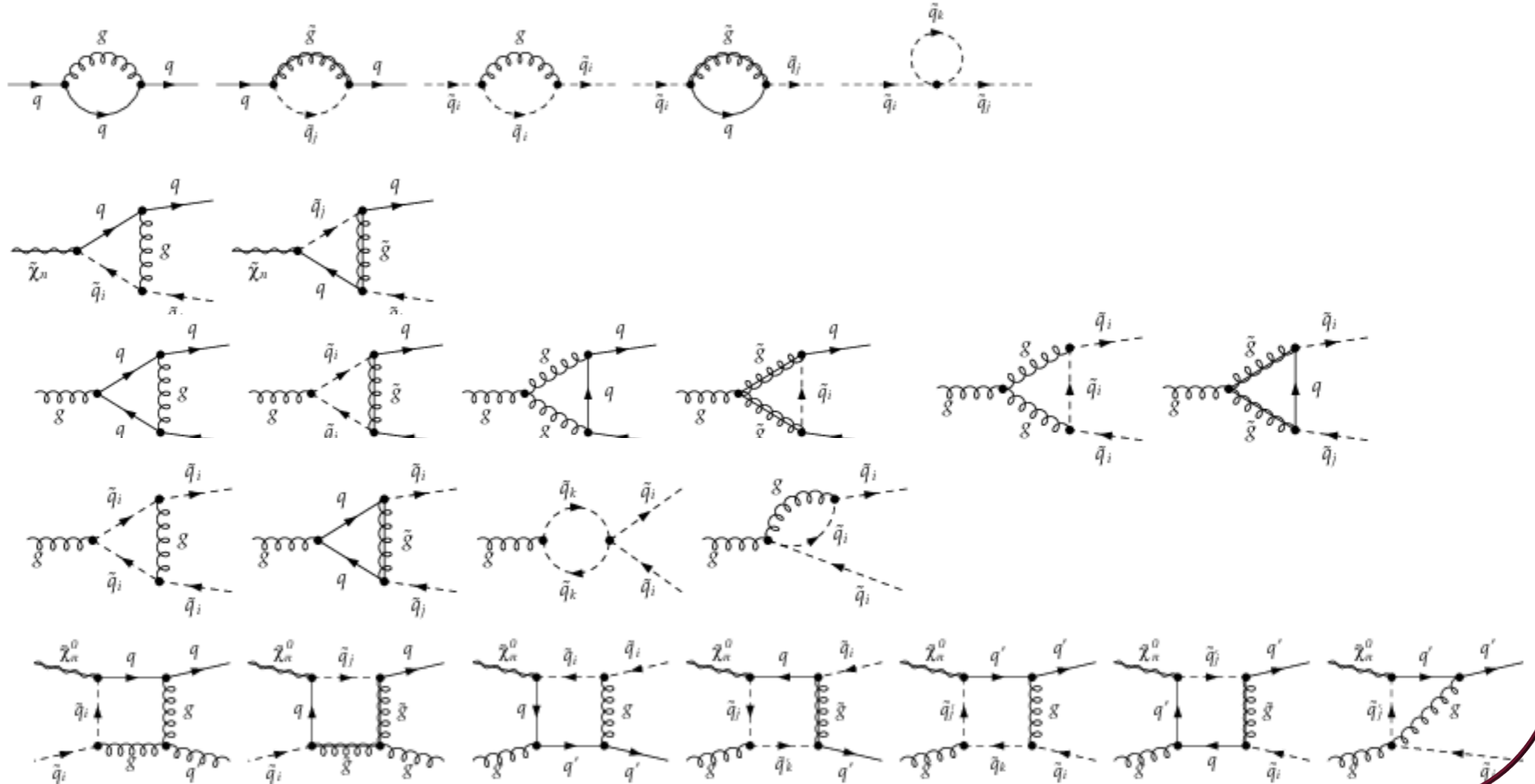
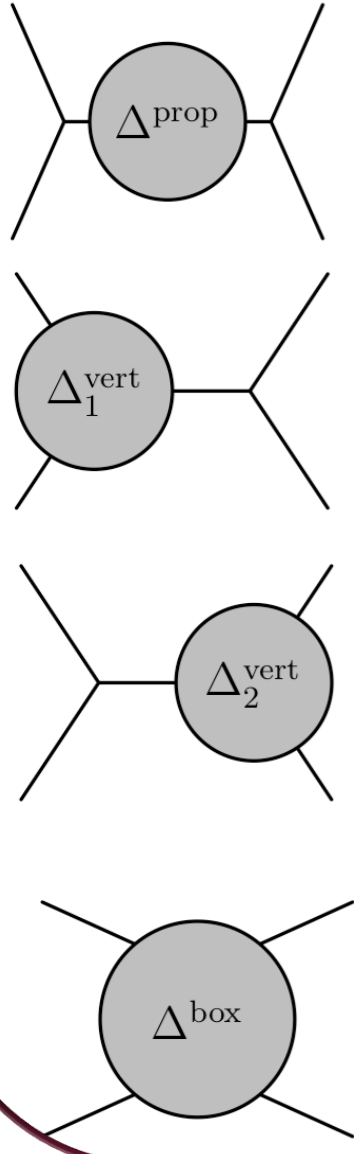
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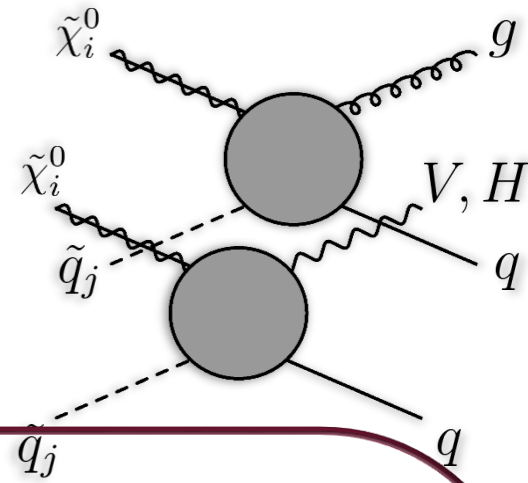
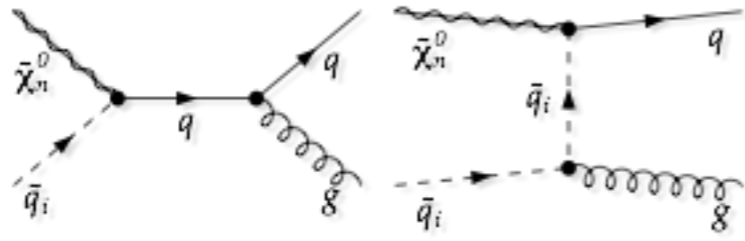


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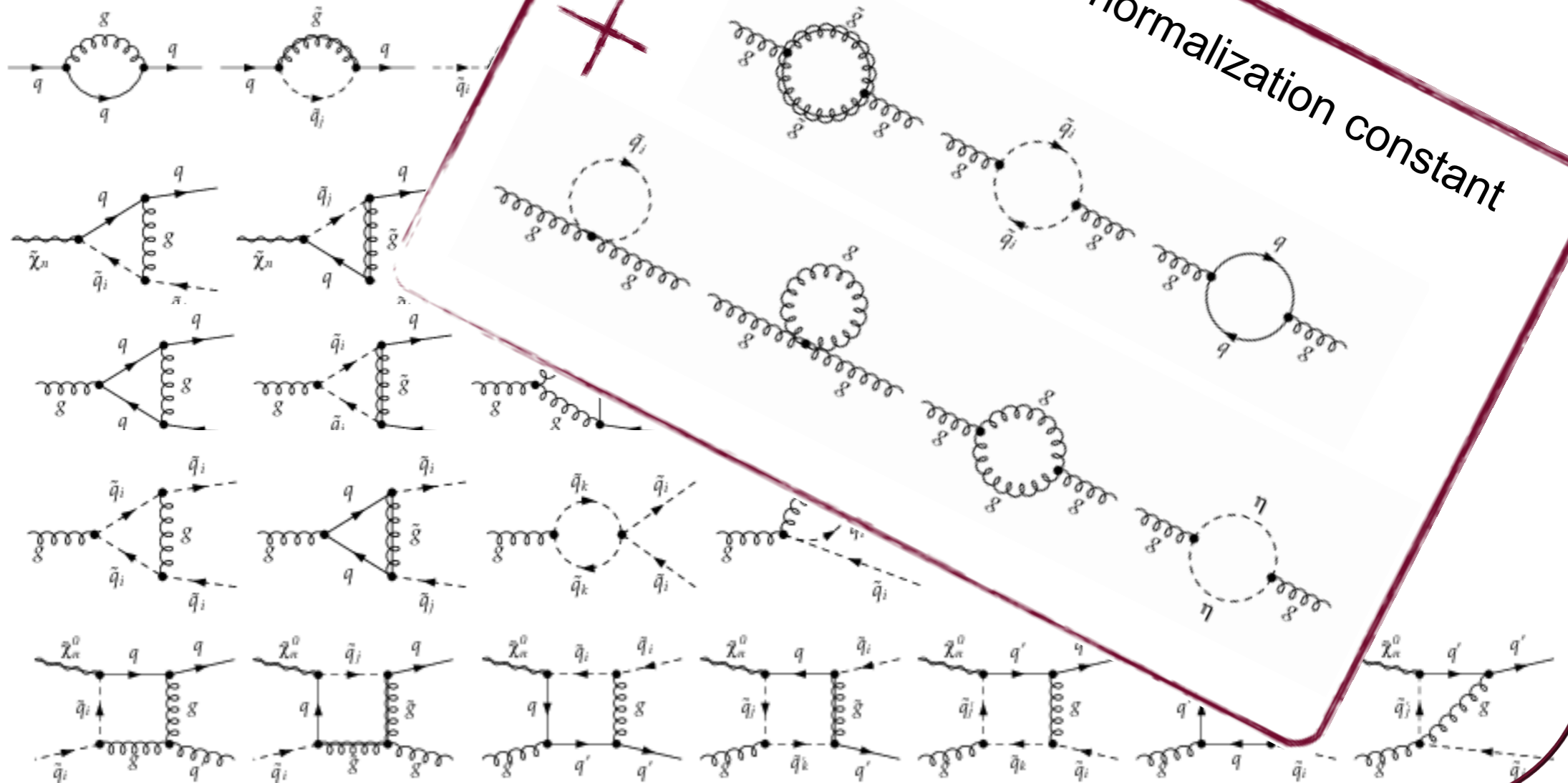
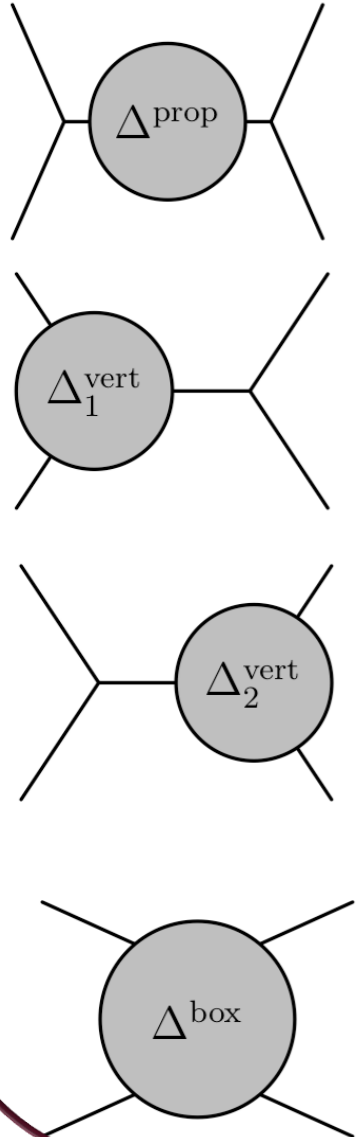


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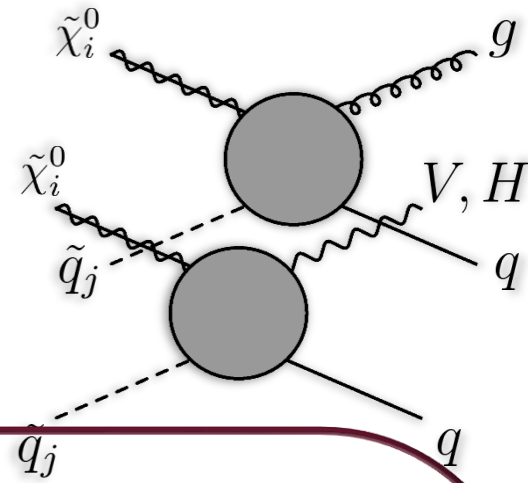
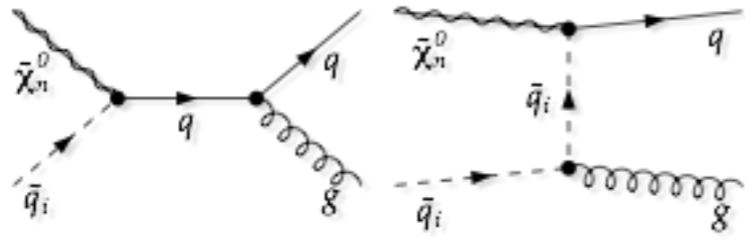
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Gluon wave function renormalization constant

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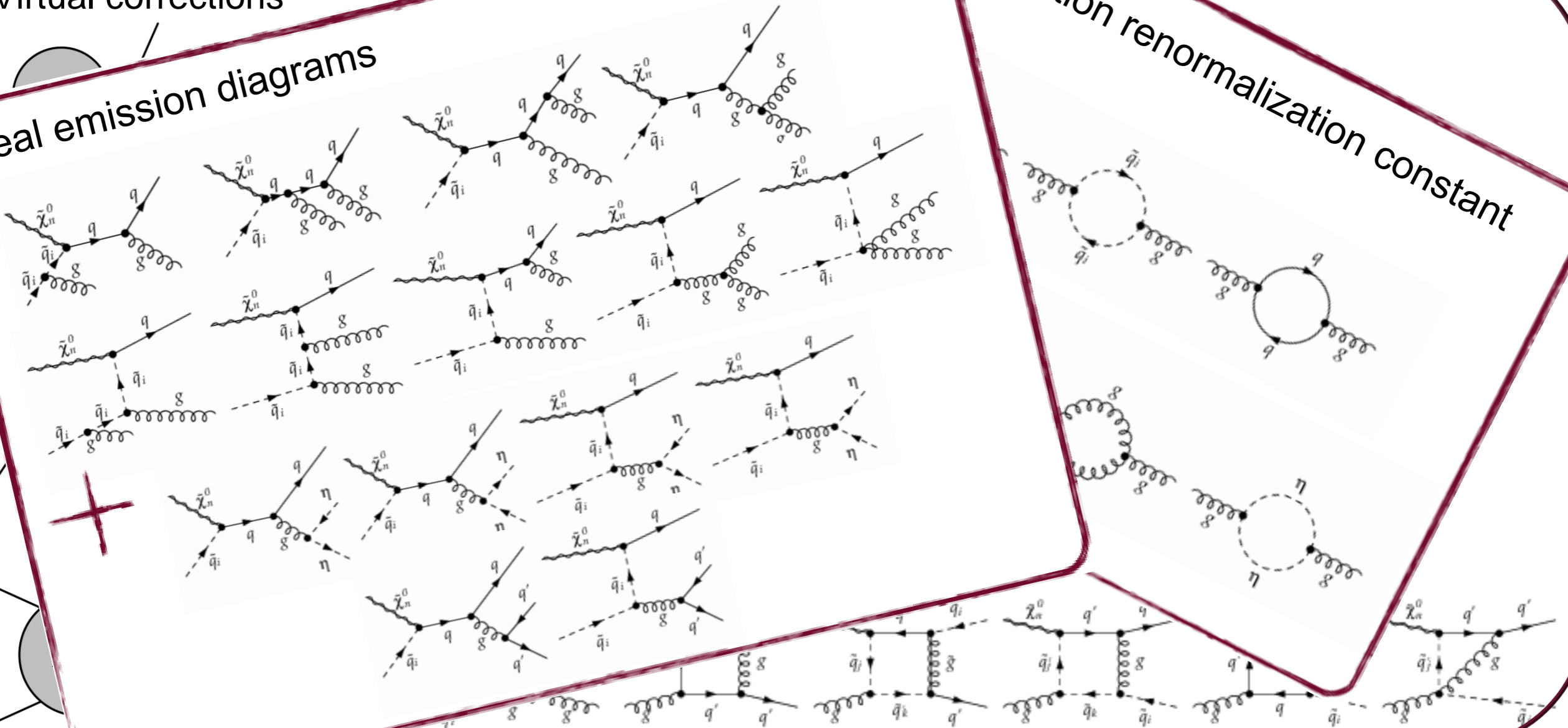
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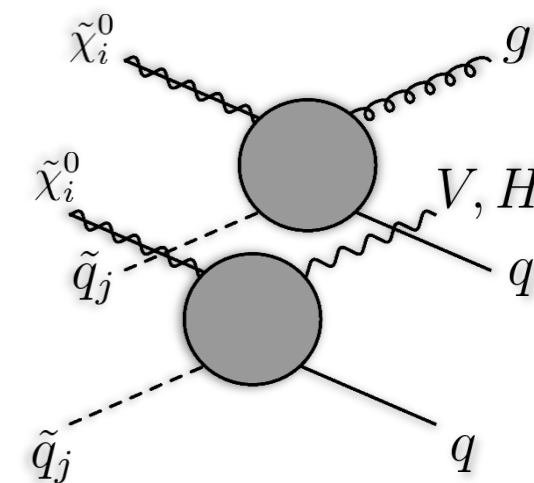
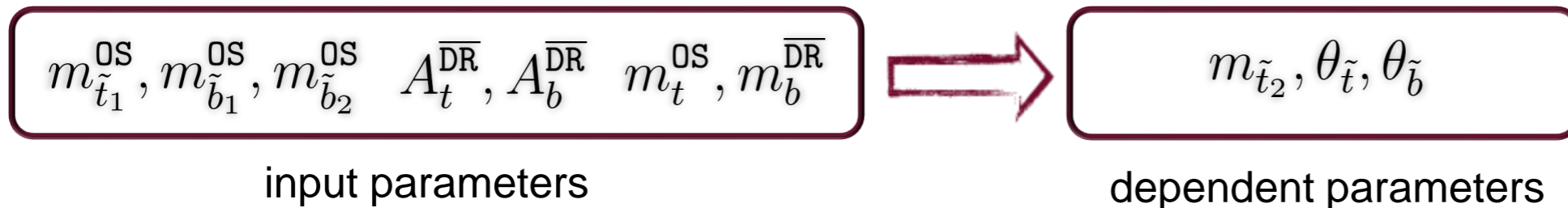
real emission diagrams

Gluon vertex function renormalization constant



# A few technicalities...

- hybrid on-shell /  $\overline{\text{DR}}$  renormalisation scheme



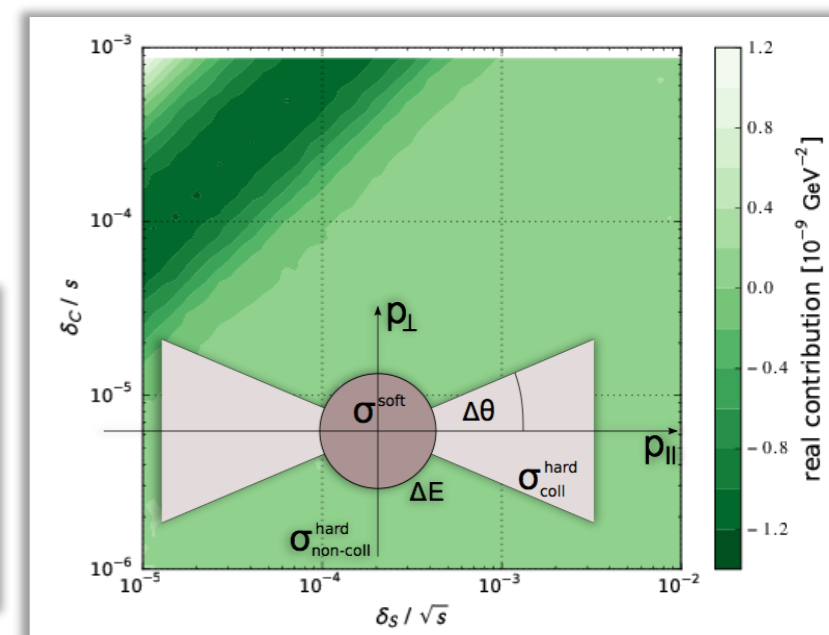
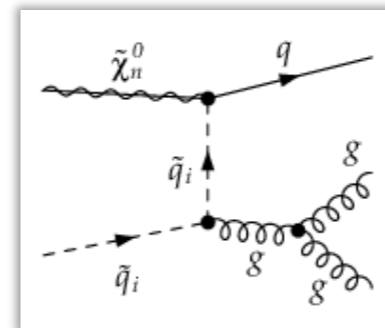
- 2-cutoff phase space slicing B. W. Harris, J. F. Owens, Phys. Rev. D65 (2002)

$$\sigma^{real} = \sigma^{soft}(\Delta E) + \sigma^{hard}_{coll}(\Delta E, \Delta\theta) + \sigma^{hard}_{non-coll}(\Delta E, \Delta\theta)$$

eikonal approximation

hard-collinear approximation

pure 2  $\rightarrow$  3 processes

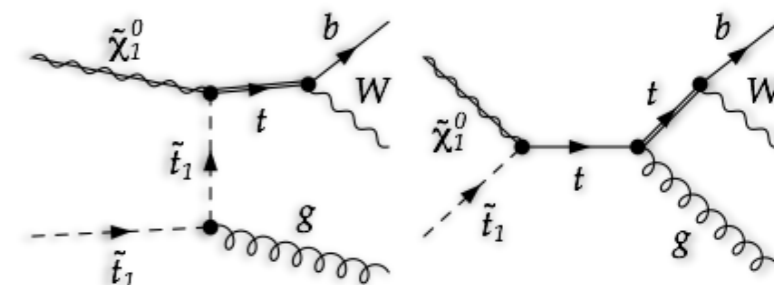


- local on-shell subtraction (DS) / “Prospino” scheme

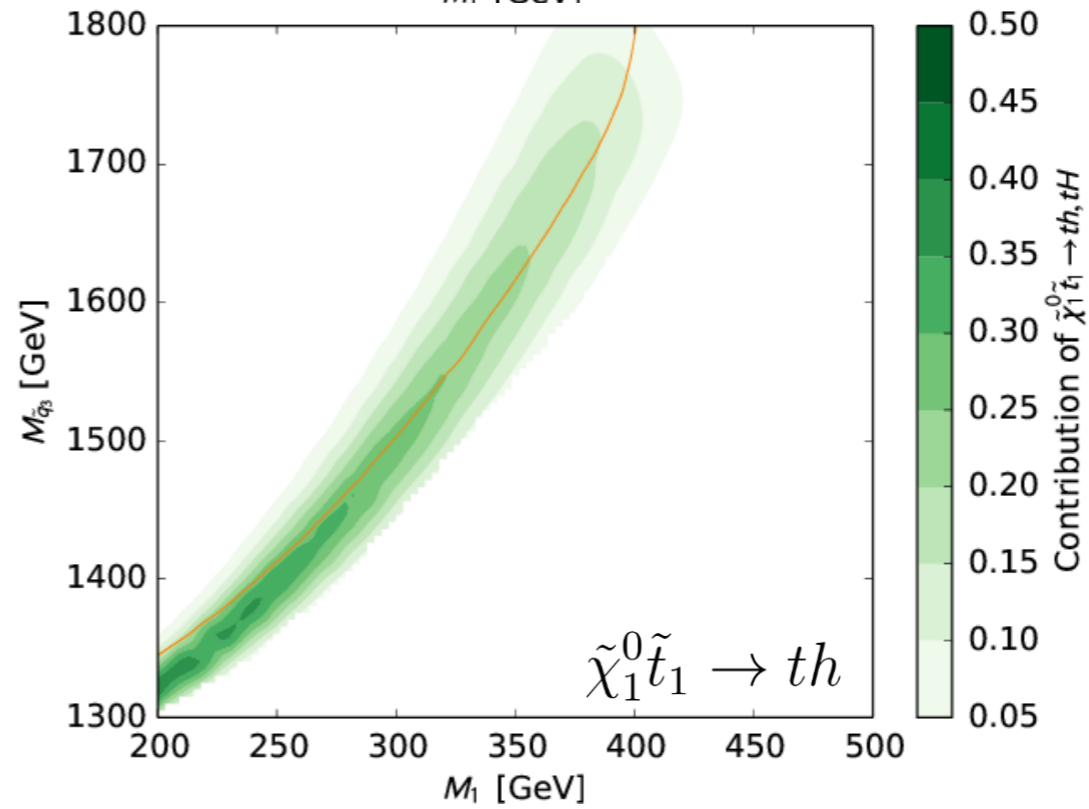
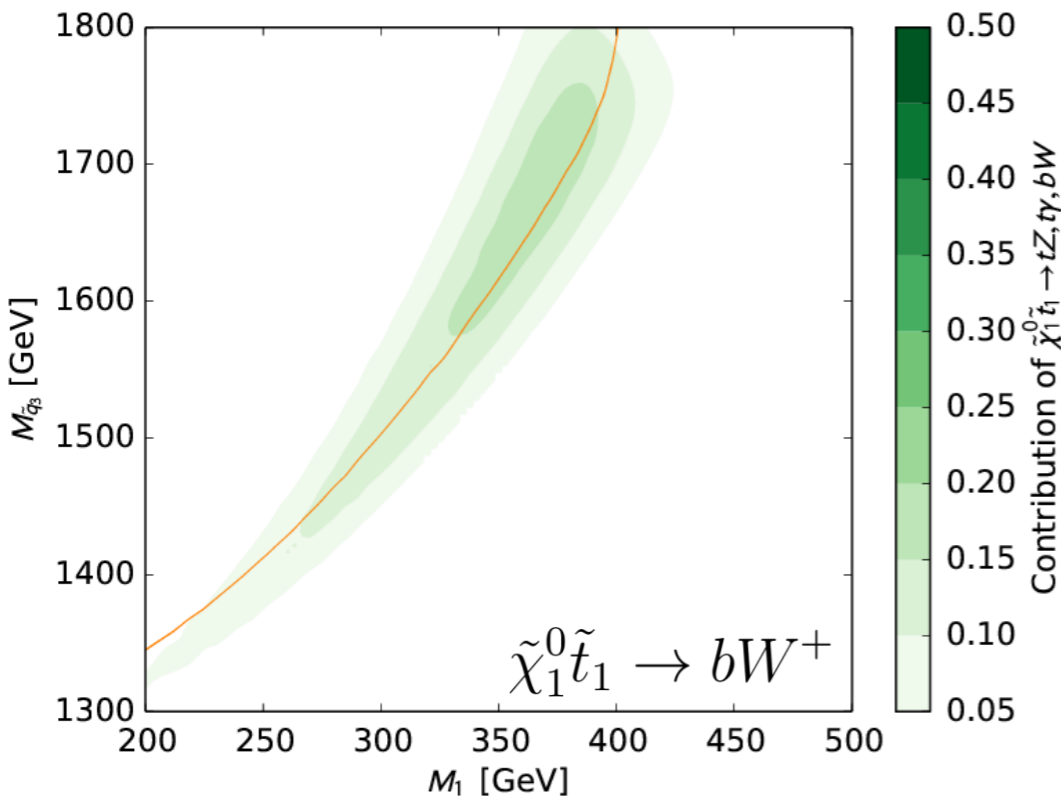
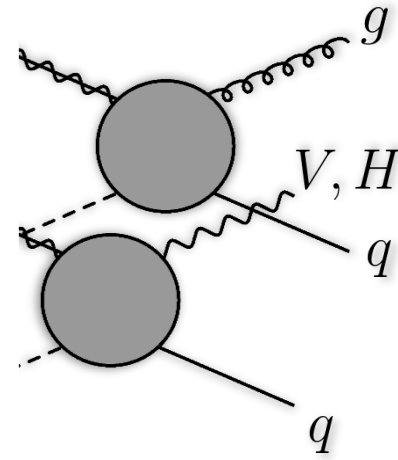
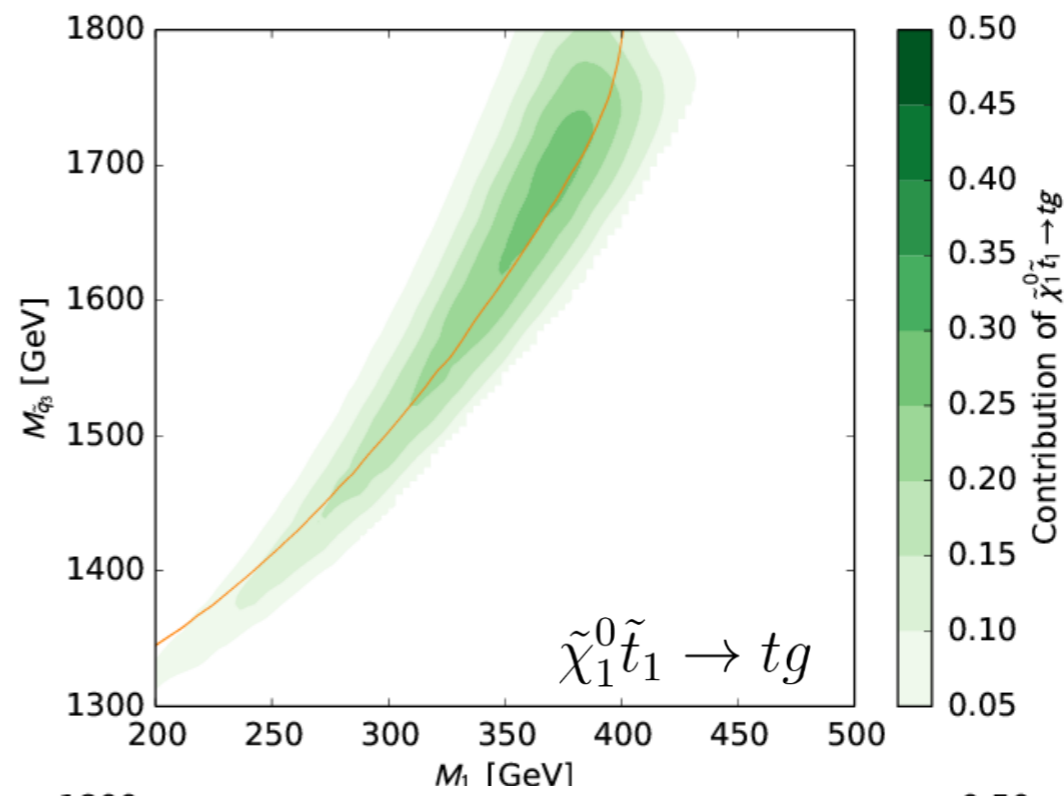
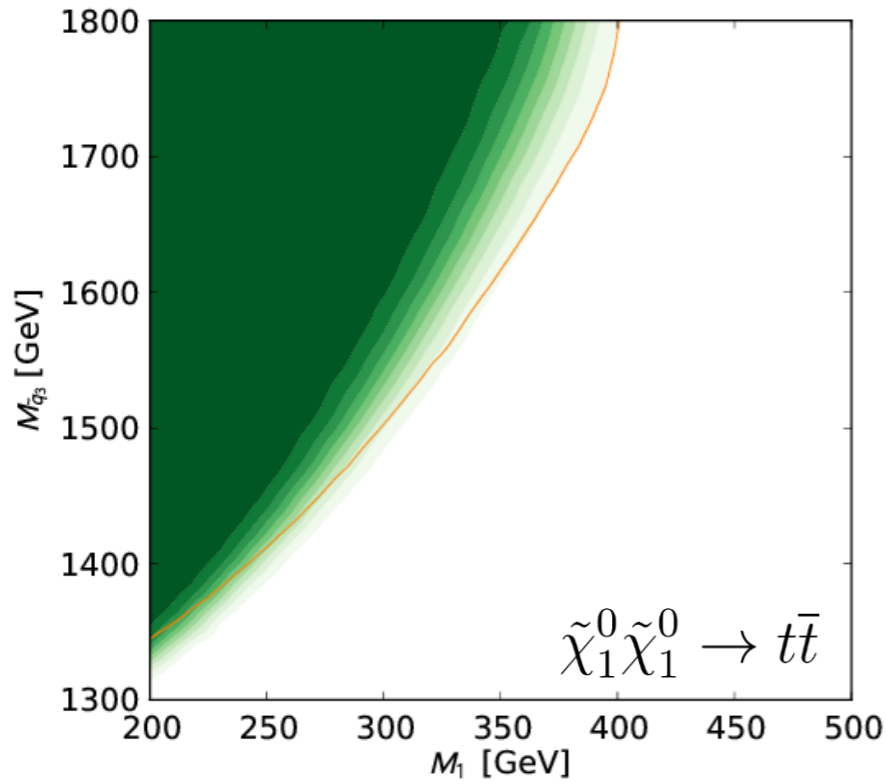
W. Beenakker, R. Hoepker, M. Spira, P.M. Zerwas, Nuclear Physics B 492 (1997)

$$|\mathcal{M}|^2 = |\mathcal{M}_{res}|^2 - |\mathcal{M}_{res}^{sub}|^2 + 2\text{Re}(\mathcal{M}_{res}^* \mathcal{M}_{rem}) + |\mathcal{M}_{rem}|^2$$

$$|\mathcal{M}_{res}^{sub}|^2 = \frac{m_t^2 \Gamma_t^2}{(p_t^2 - m_t^2)^2 + m_t^2 \Gamma_t^2} |\mathcal{M}_{res}|^2_{p_t^2 = m_t^2}$$

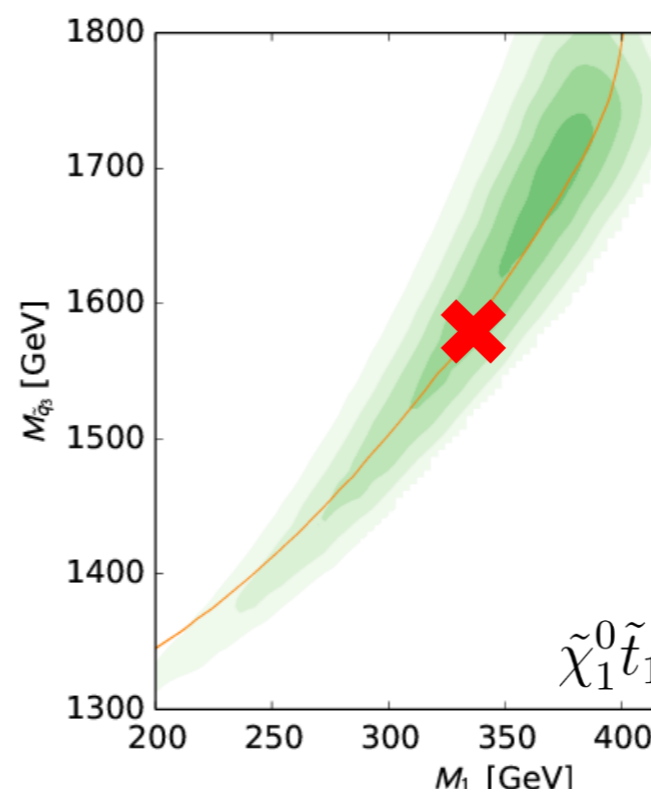
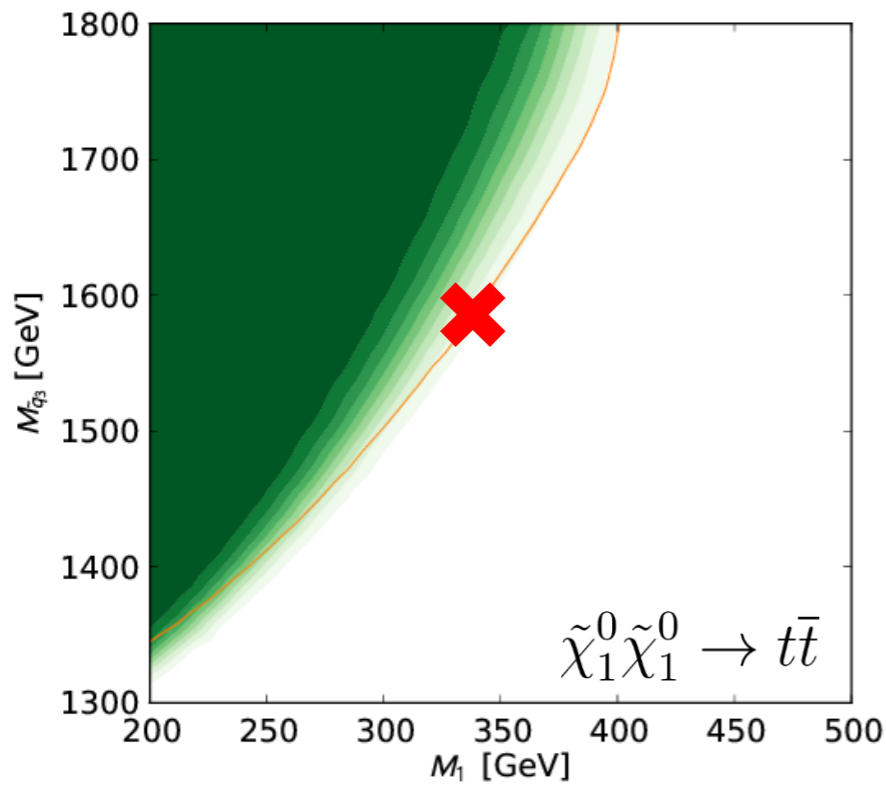


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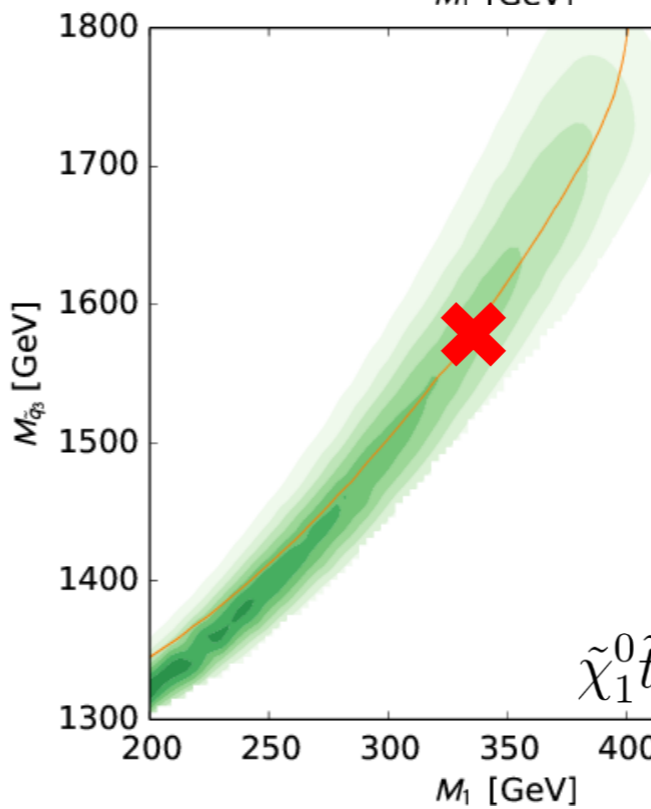
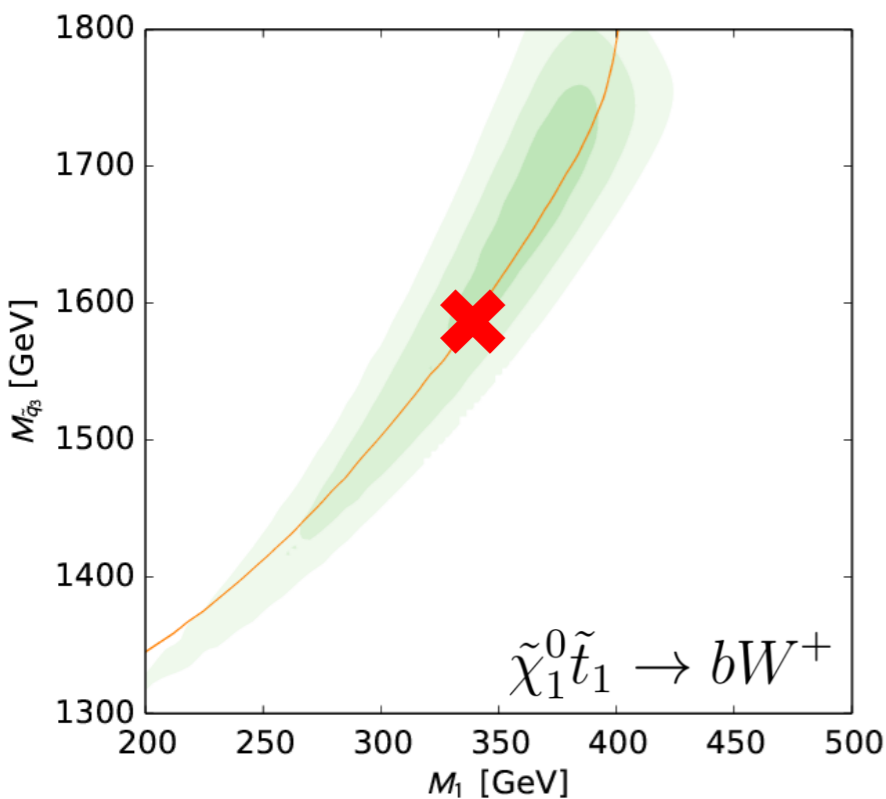
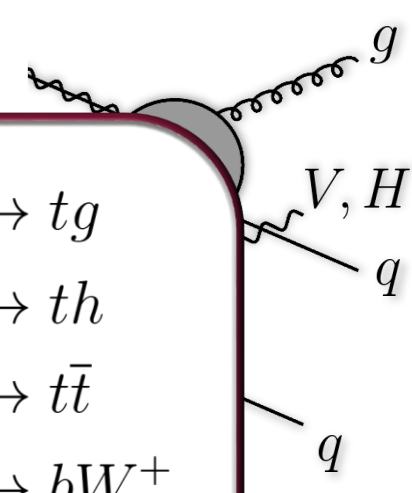


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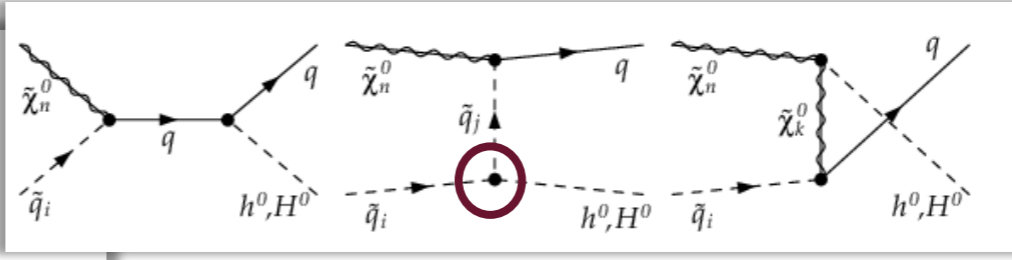
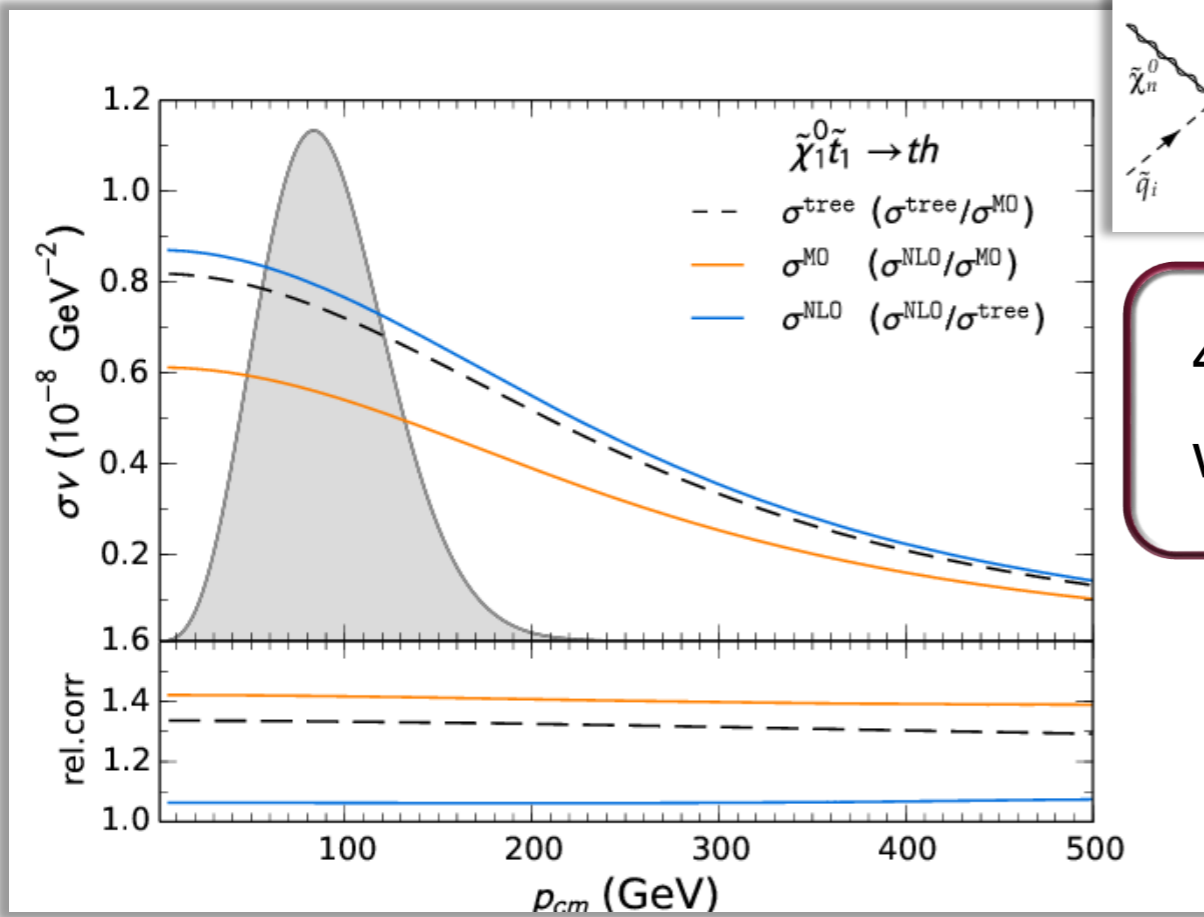
23%	$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow tg$
23%	$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow th$
15%	$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow t \bar{t}$
10%	$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow bW^+$
5%	$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow tZ$
76%	$\Sigma$



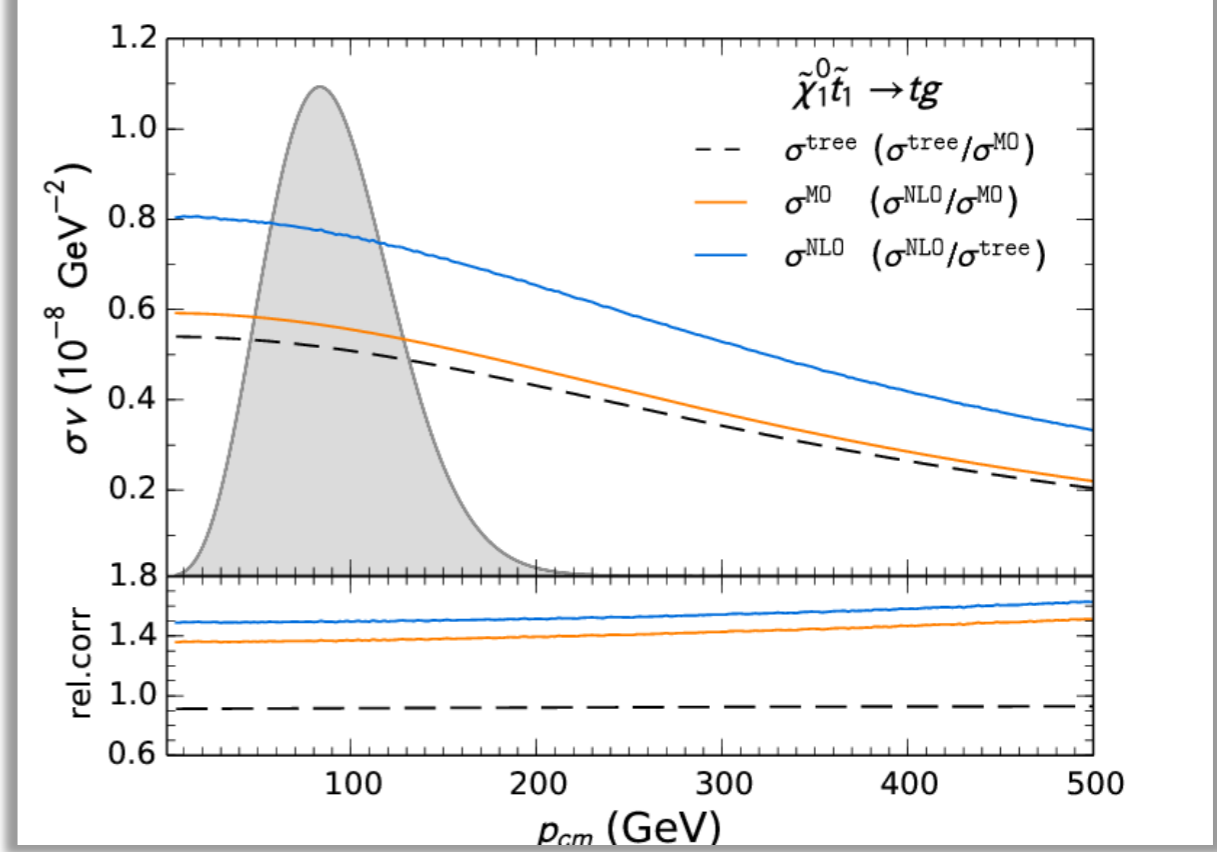
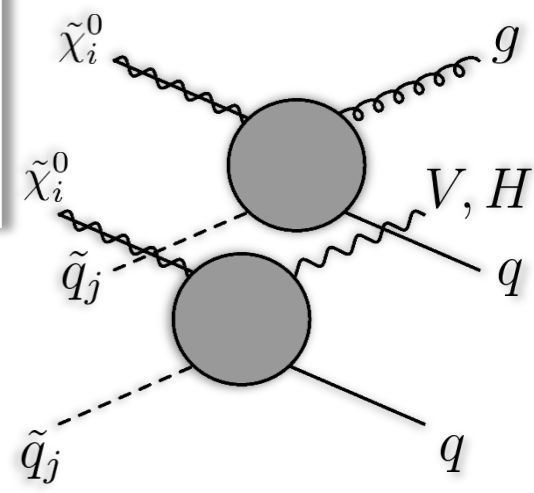
$\Omega h^2 = 0.1136$
$m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} = 338.3 \text{ GeV}$
$m_{\tilde{t}_1} = 375.6 \text{ GeV}$
$m_h = 122.0 \text{ GeV}$

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# Neutralino-Stop Coannihilation



40 % correction with respect to micrOMEGAs

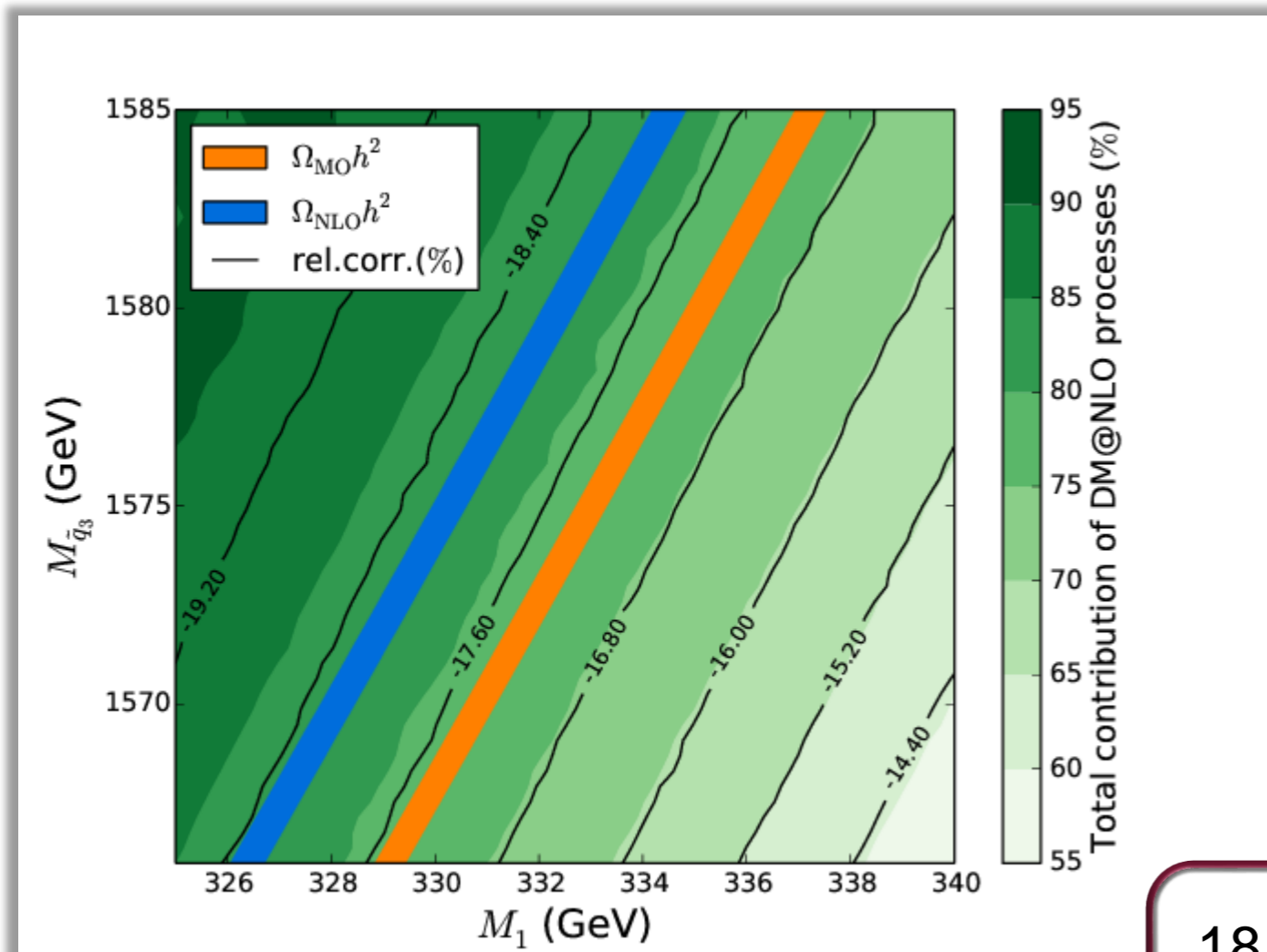


$m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$	338.3 GeV
$m_{\tilde{t}_1}$	375.6 GeV
$m_{h^0}$	122.0 GeV
$\Omega_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} h^2$	0.1136
$\text{BR}(b \rightarrow s\gamma)$	$3.25 \cdot 10^{-4}$

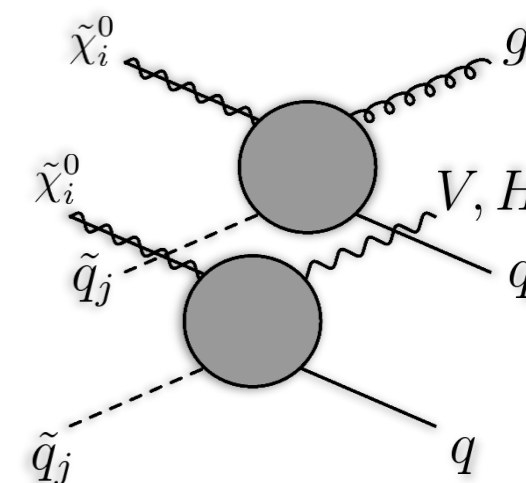
$\tan \beta$	$\mu$	$m_A$	$M_1$	$M_2$	$M_3$	$M_{\tilde{q}_{1,2}}$	$M_{\tilde{q}_3}$	$M_{\tilde{u}_3}$	$M_{\tilde{\ell}}$	$T_t$
5.8	2925.8	948.8	335.0	1954.1	1945.6	3215.1	1578.0	609.2	3263.9	2704.1

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$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow tg$	23%
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow th^0$	23%
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow tZ^0$	5%
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{t}_1 \rightarrow bW^+$	10%
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow t\bar{t}$	15%
$\Sigma_{\text{corr}}$	76%

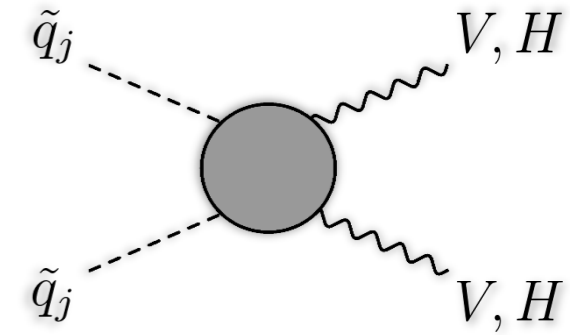
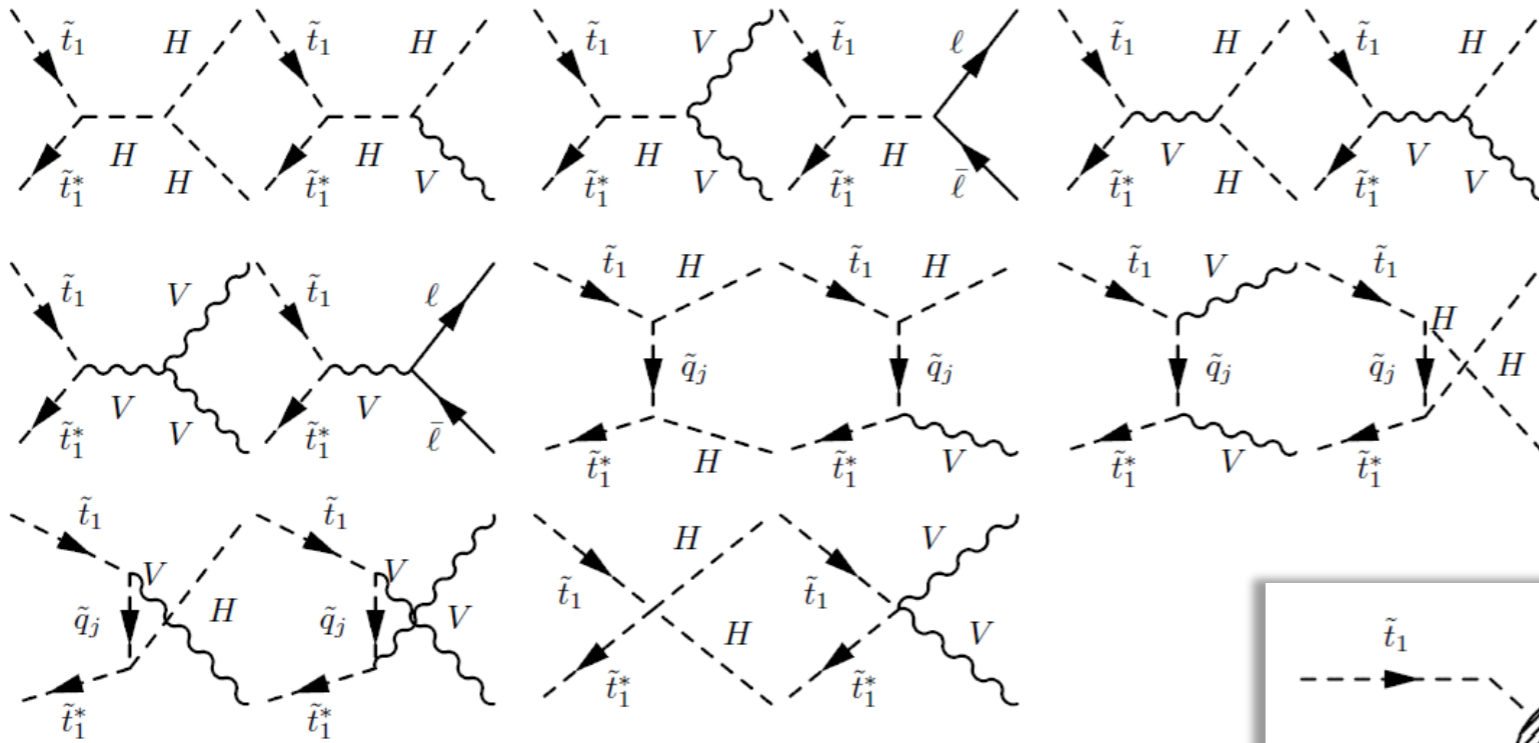


18 % correction  
with respect to micrOMEGAs

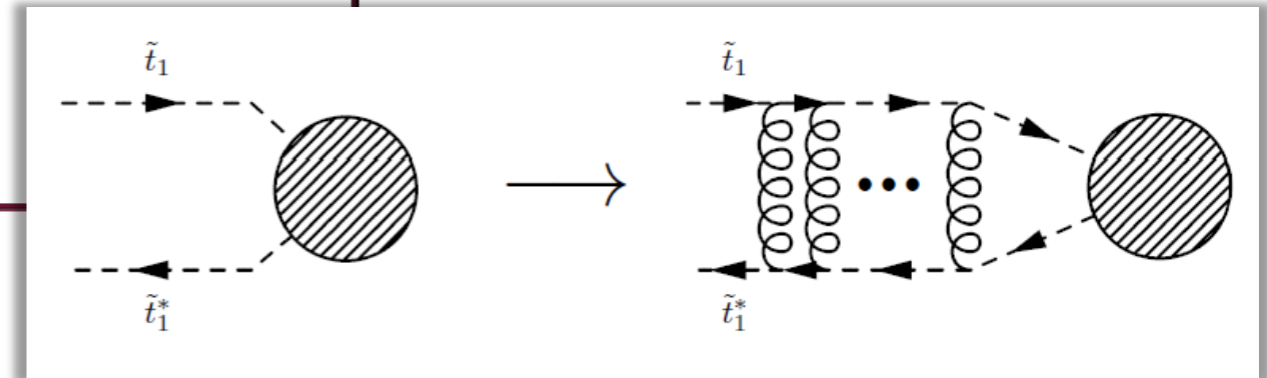
- correction of 80 % of all processes, 65% of them are coannihilation processes
- shift of the cosmologically preferred region of parameter space

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Tree level



+ NLO corrections



+ Coulomb enhancement

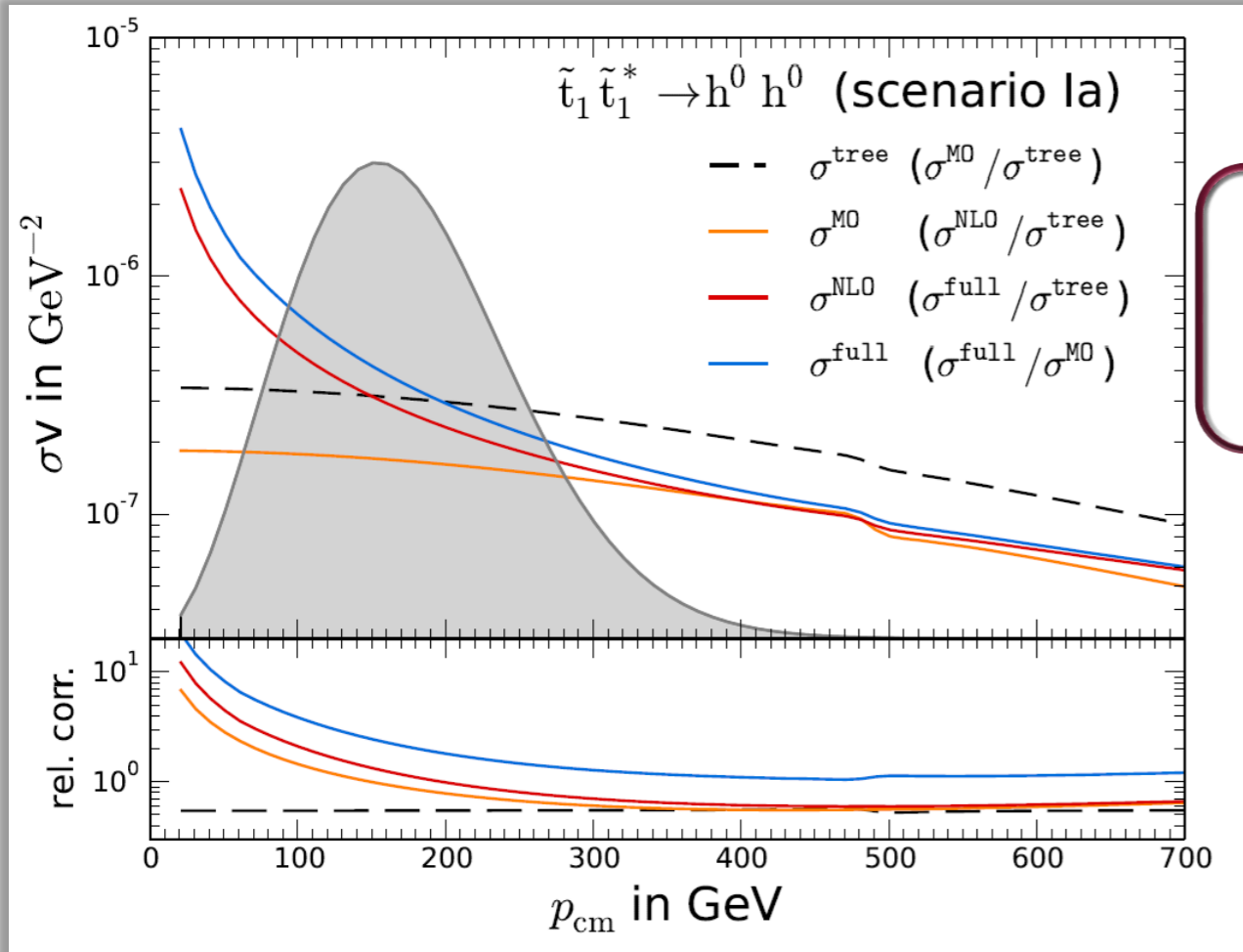
during freeze-out stops are moving slowly



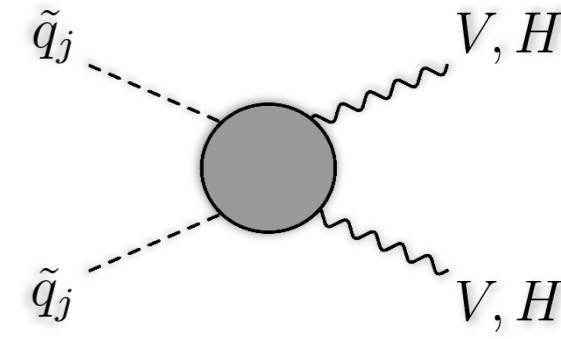
contributions can become large  
resummation necessary

exchange of n gluons generates

correction factor  $\propto \left(\frac{\alpha_s}{v}\right)^n$

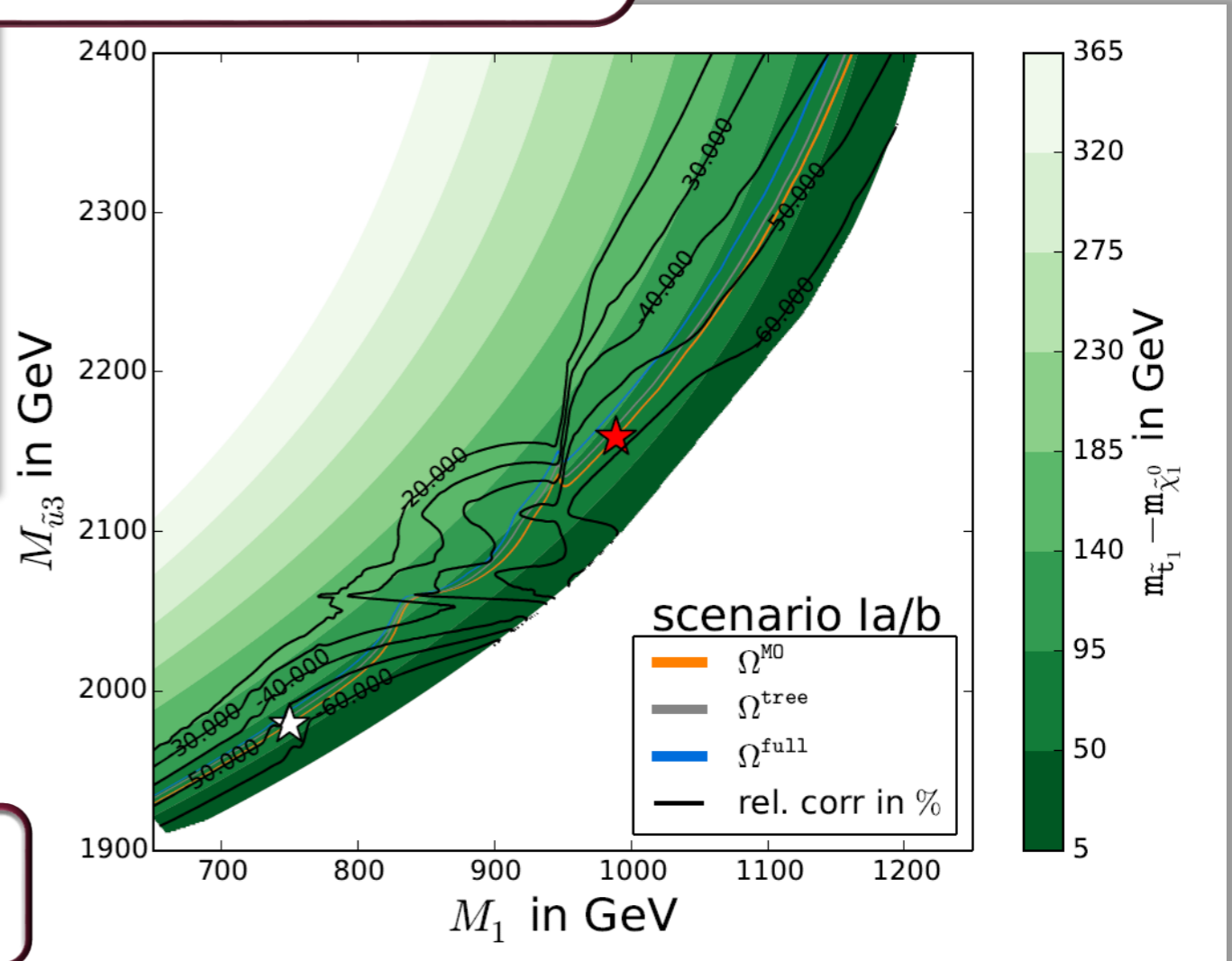


with 46.1 %  $\tilde{t}_1 \tilde{t}_1^* \rightarrow hh$   
dominant contribution



- small v: steep rise due to Coulomb corr.
- large corrections (~ 35% shift NLO/tree)

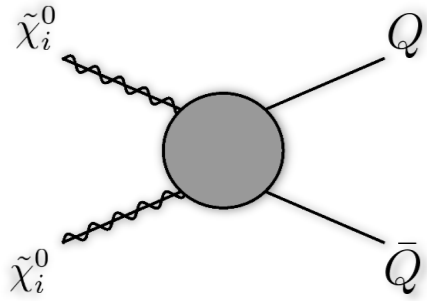
correction of ~ 50% on the relic density



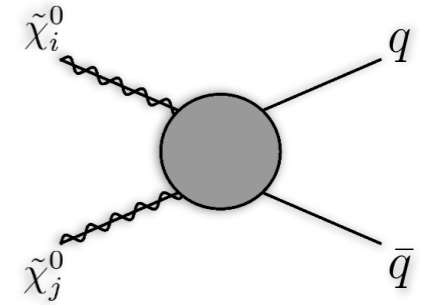
$m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$	$m_{\tilde{t}_1}$	$m_{\tilde{t}_2}$	$m_{\tilde{b}_1}$	$m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0}$	$m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$	$m_{h^0}$	$m_{H^0}$	$m_{H^\pm}$	$ Z_{\tilde{\chi}^0, 1\tilde{B}} ^2$	$ Z_{\tilde{t}, 1L} ^2$	$ Z_{\tilde{t}, 1R} ^2$	BR( $b \rightarrow s\gamma$ )	$\delta a_\mu$	$\Omega_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} h^2$
758.0	826.1	1435.1	1260.5	1986.7	1986.8	128.8	1917.4	1919.6	0.9996	0.27	0.74	$3.1 \cdot 10^{-4}$	$284 \cdot 10^{-11}$	0.1146

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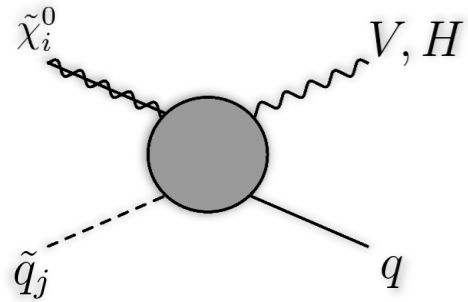
# IV. Conclusions



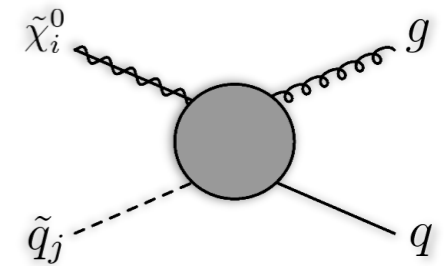
- current tools calculate relic density just on an (effective) tree level



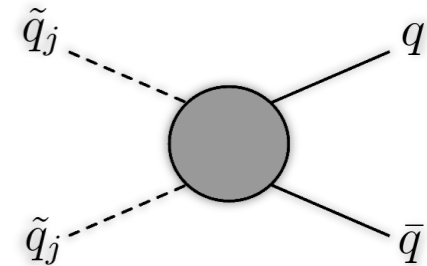
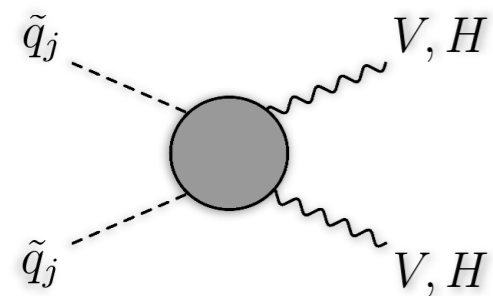
- we provide SUSY-QCD corrections to (almost) all processes



- significant corrections of 10% - 50% expected



- we provide tool linkable to MicrOMEGAs for precise parameter studies and global fits



## DM@NLO

<http://dmnlo.hepforge.org/>

*stay tuned :)*

Merci beaucoup!

Vielen Dank!

## Arising from cosmology

- choice of cosmological model  
Hamann, Hannestad, et al. , Phys. Rev. D (2007)
- variation in hubble expansion rate  
Arbey, Mahmoudi, Phys. Lett. B (2008)
- effective degrees of freedom of the universe  
Hindmarsh, Philipsen, Phys. Rev. D (2005)

## Arising from particle physics

- three-body processes  
Yaguna, Phys. Rev. D (2010)
- determination of mass parameters  
Allanach, Kraml, Porod, JHEP (2003)  
Allanach, Belanger, JHEP (2004)  
Belanger, Kraml, Porod, Phys. Rev. D (2005)
- precision of (co)annihilation cross
- section  $\sigma_{\text{eff}}$



Precision data from CMB measurements

PLANCK: ~ 2% uncertainty

- number density of DM in early universe can be described by Boltzmann equation

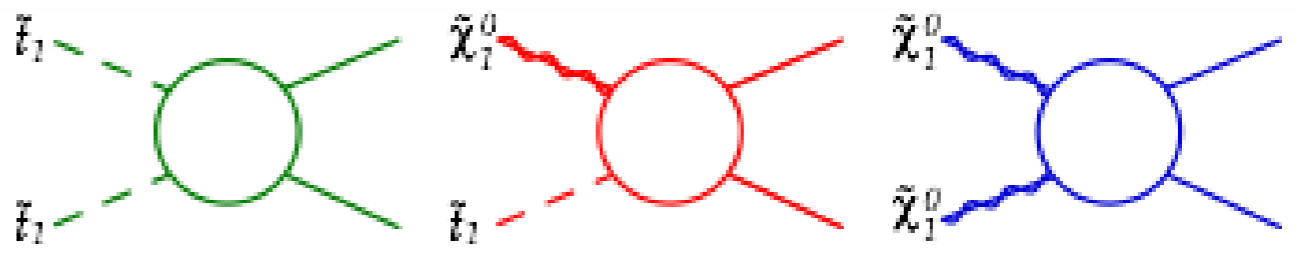
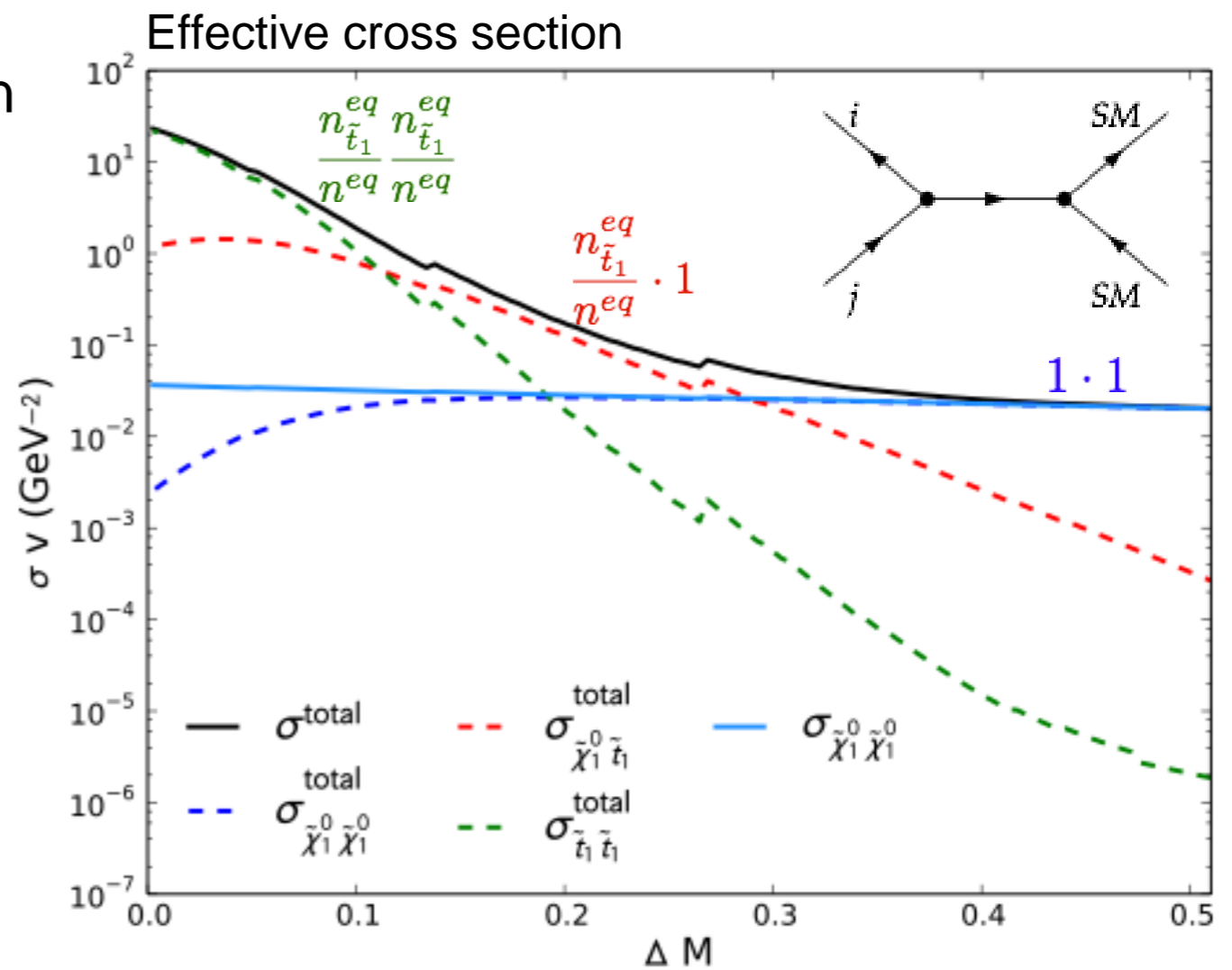
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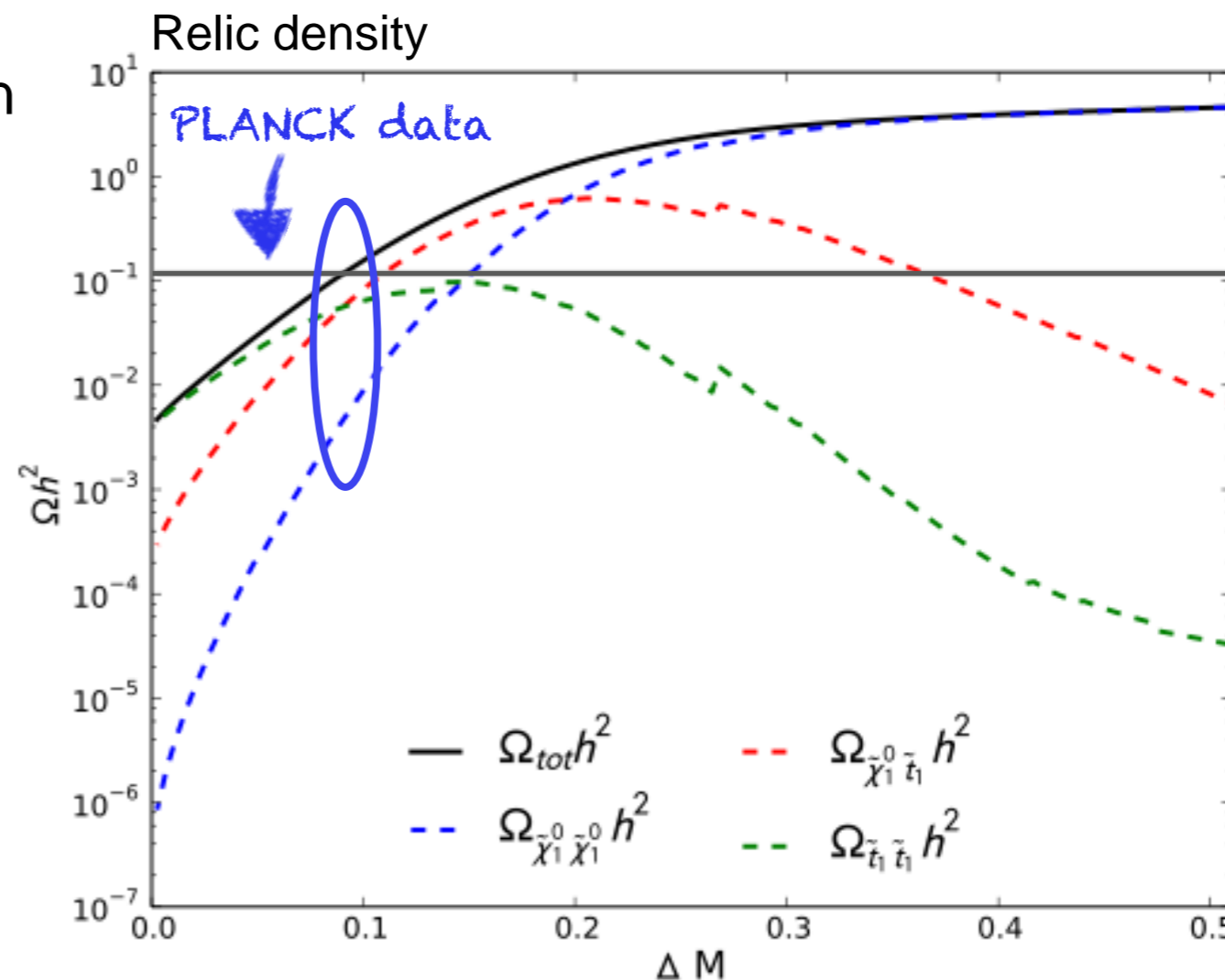
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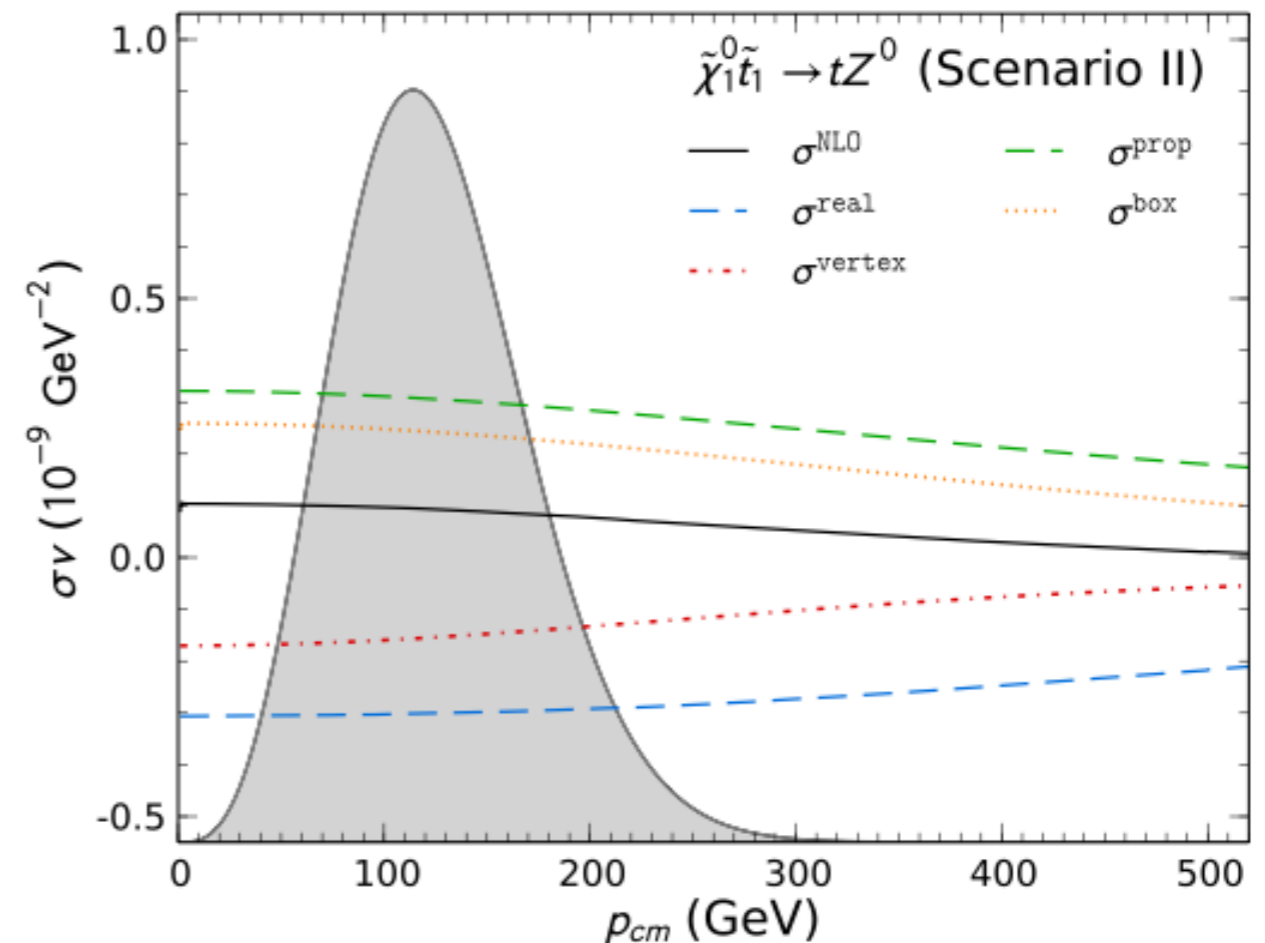
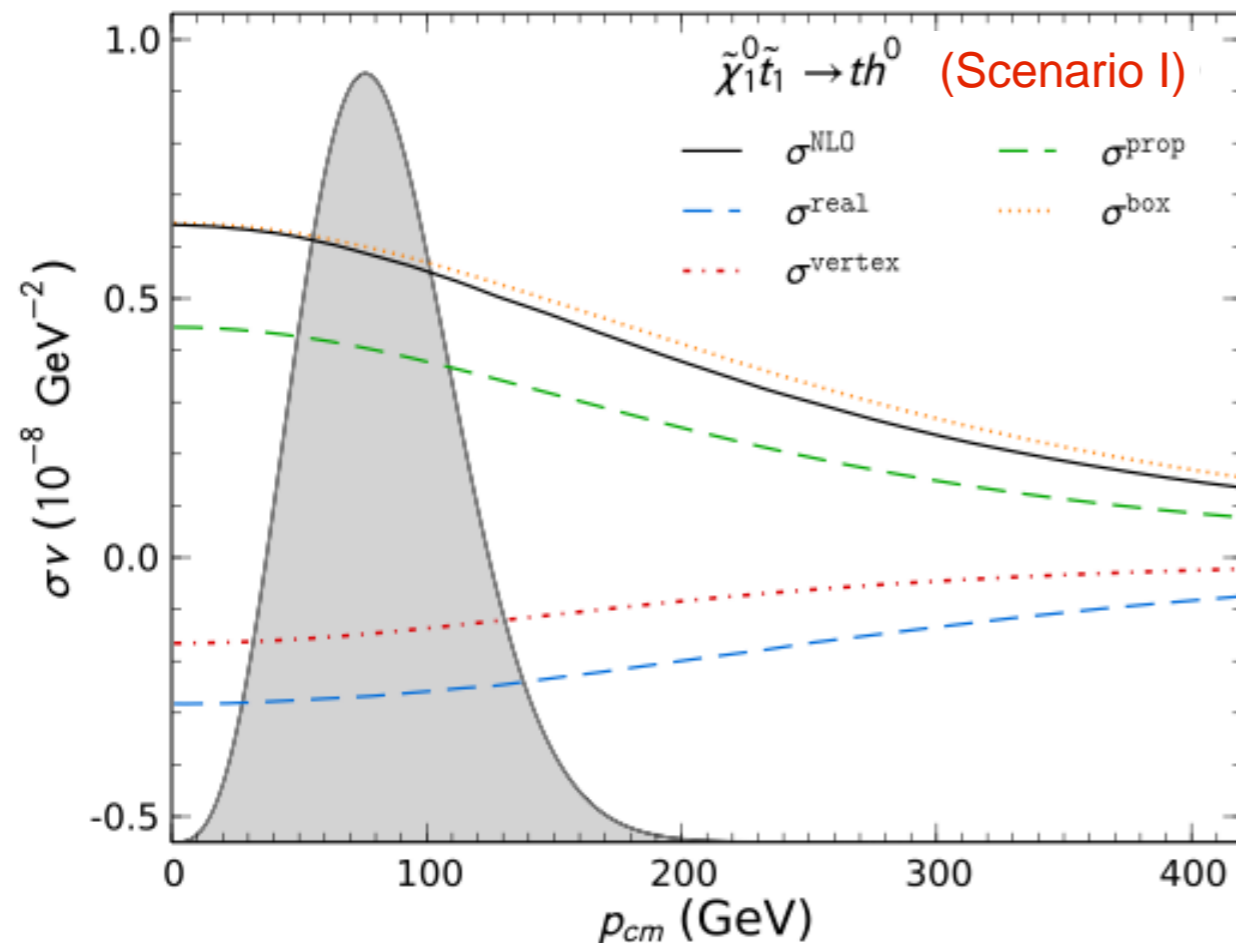
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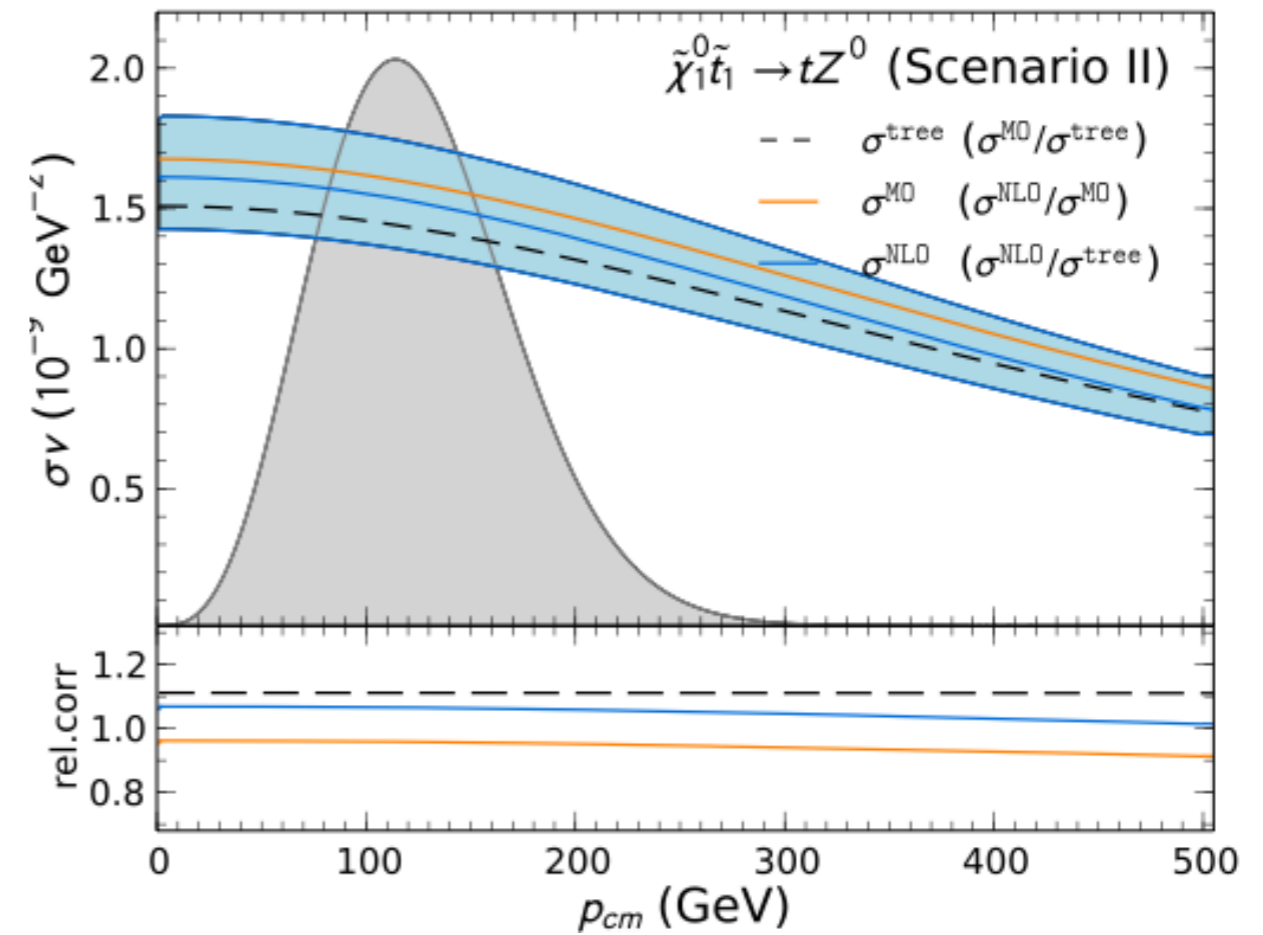
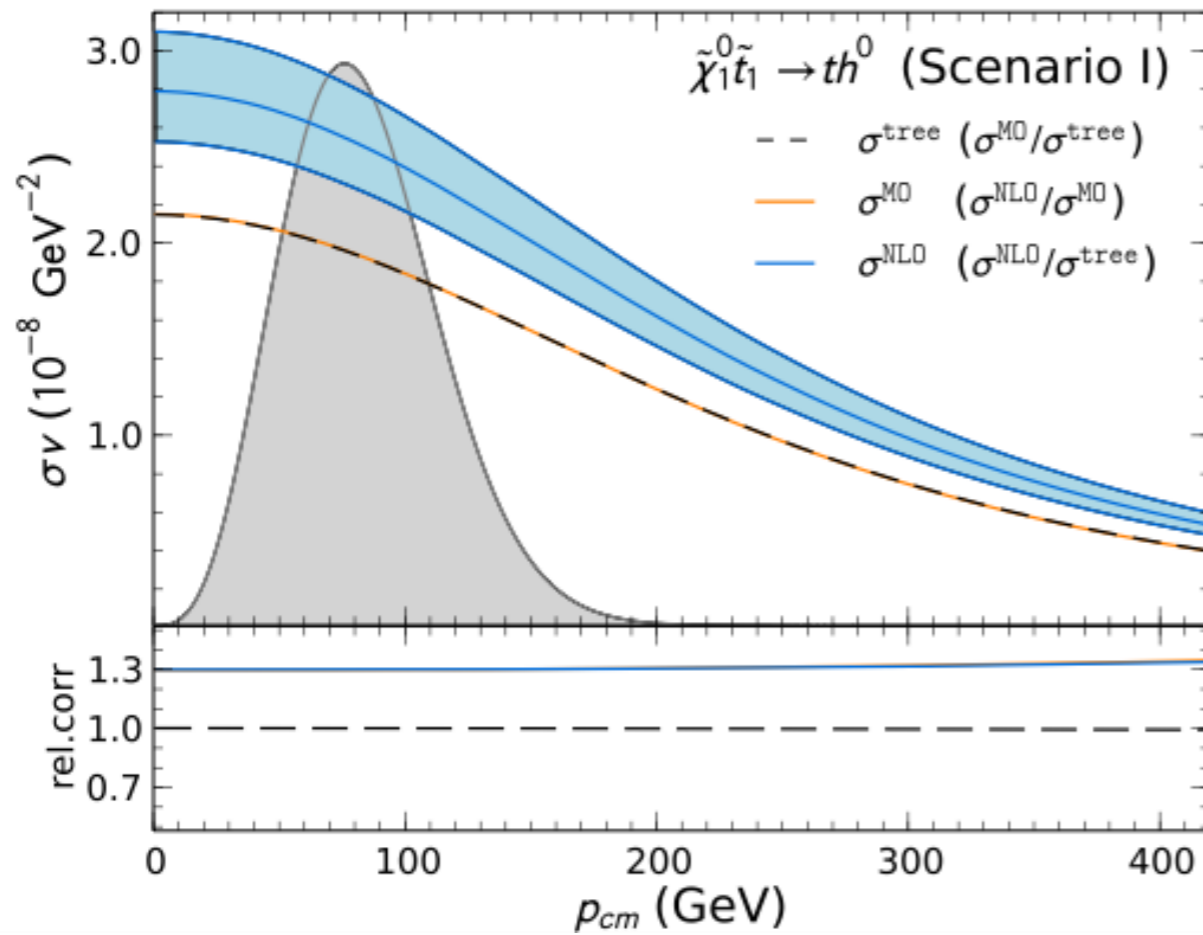
➔ admixture of neutralino-stop coannihilation processes can be important to achieve the right relic abundance and not to overclose the universe

- contribution of the different corrections to the total coannihilation cross section

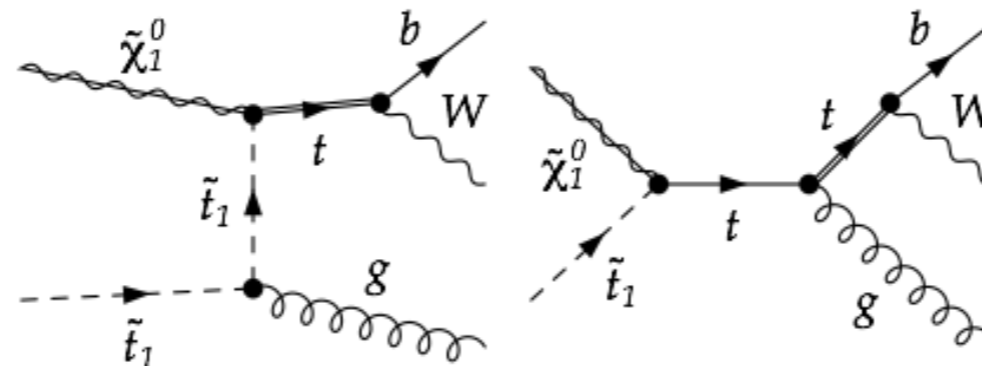


contributions still contain uncanceled logarithms

$$\frac{1}{2}\mu_R < \mu < 2\mu_R$$



- with  $m_t > m_b + m_W$  an intermediate on-shell state can occur as soon as  $\sqrt{s} > m_t$



- local on-shell subtraction (DS) / “Prospino” scheme

W. Beenakker, R. Hoepker, M. Spira, P.M. Zerwas, Nuclear Physics B 492 (1997)

$$|\mathcal{M}|^2 = |\mathcal{M}_{\text{res}}|^2 - |\mathcal{M}_{\text{res}}^{\text{sub}}|^2 + 2\text{Re}(\mathcal{M}_{\text{res}}^* \mathcal{M}_{\text{rem}}) + |\mathcal{M}_{\text{rem}}|^2$$

- “counterterm” consists of Breit-Wigner weighted on-shell squared matrix element

$$|\mathcal{M}_{\text{res}}^{\text{sub}}|^2 = \frac{m_t^2 \Gamma_t^2}{(p_t^2 - m_t^2)^2 + m_t^2 \Gamma_t^2} |\mathcal{M}_{\text{res}}|_{p_t^2 = m_t^2}^2$$

- resonant propagators are regularized by Breit-Wigner propagator



consistent, width independent, gauge invariant treatment  
retaining interference terms