

Singlet-like Higgs bosons at present and future colliders

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- Twin Higgs
- Supersymmetry
- Electroweak Baryogenesis (independent of naturalness)

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Other particles? Either $M \gtrsim 4\pi f$ or very weakly coupled

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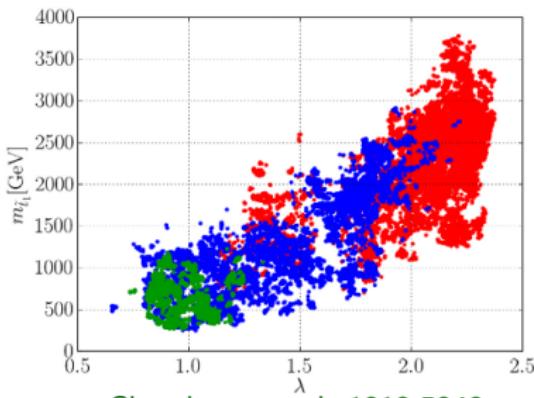
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NMSSM = MSSM + singlet S

$$W = W_{\text{MSSM}} + \lambda S H_u H_d + f(S)$$

Fine tuning better than 5%

[green points, $\tan \beta \lesssim 5$, $\Lambda = 20$ TeV]



Gherghetta et al. 1212.5243

see also Gherghetta et al. 1401.8291

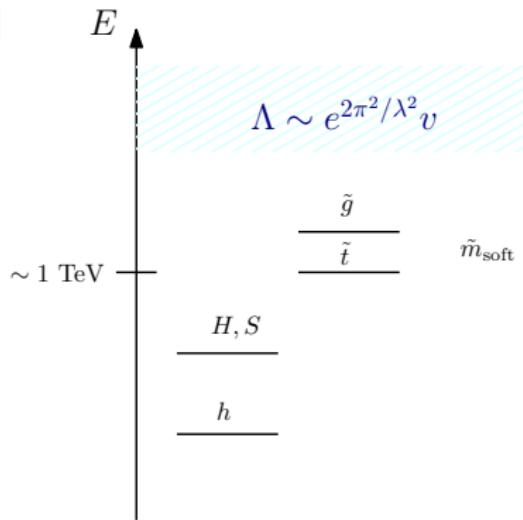
Cao et al. 1409.8431

Given a fixed tuning, \tilde{t} and \tilde{g} heavier by $\sim \lambda/g$ than in MSSM

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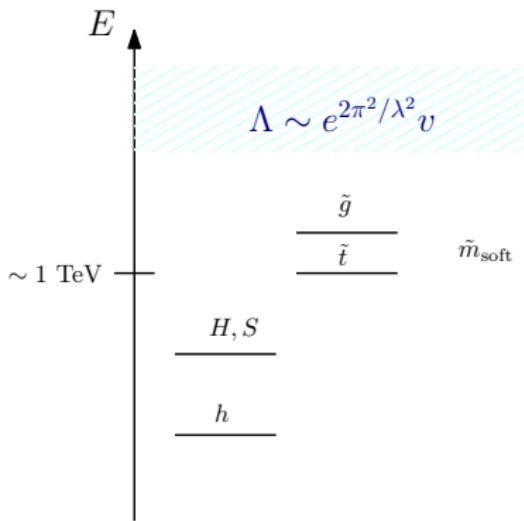
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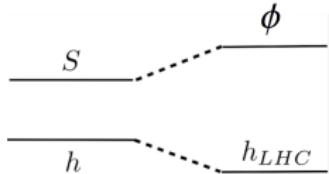
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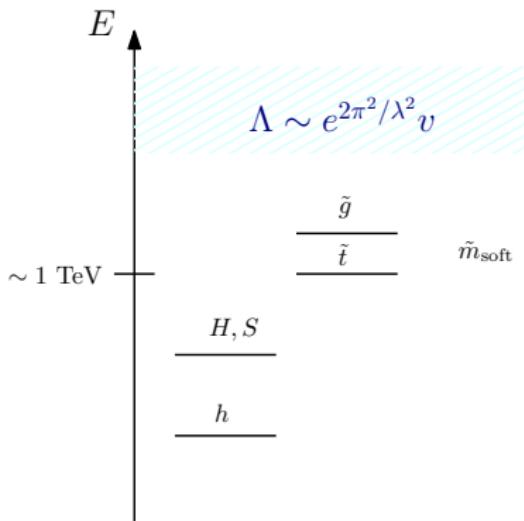
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$$\mathcal{H}_{\text{ph}} \equiv \begin{pmatrix} h_3 \\ h \\ \phi \end{pmatrix} = R^T \begin{pmatrix} H \\ h_\nu \\ S \end{pmatrix}, \quad R = \boxed{R_\delta^{12} R_\gamma^{23} R_\sigma^{13}}$$



$\gamma = h_\nu - S$ mixing



A motivated limiting case

$m_{h_3} \gg m_{h,\phi}$ and $\sigma, \delta \rightarrow 0$

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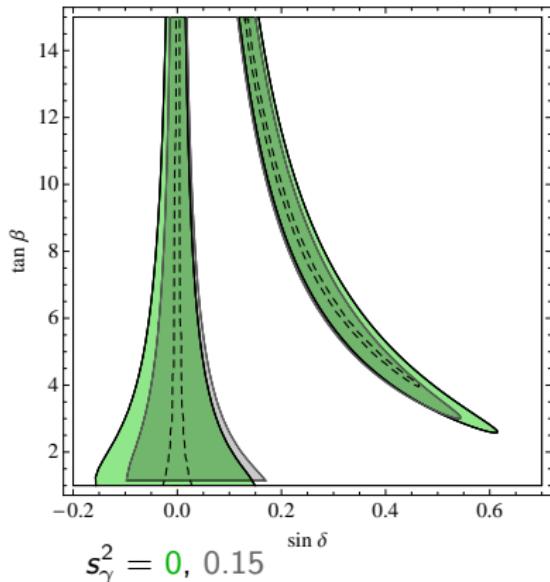
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$$h_{\text{LHC}} = h = c_\gamma(c_\delta h_\nu - s_\delta H) + s_\gamma S$$

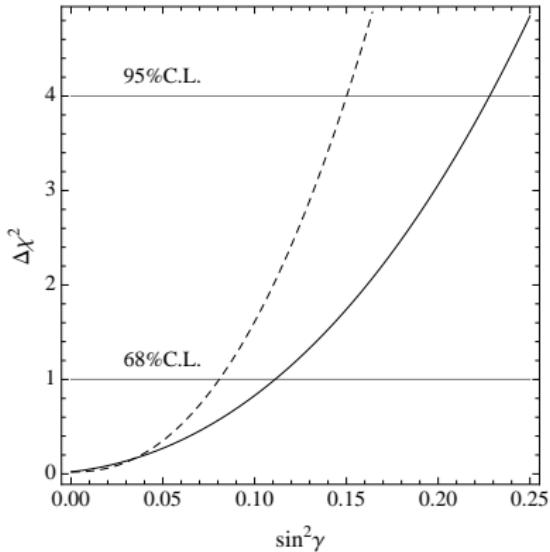
$$\left[\frac{g_{htt}}{g_{htt}^{\text{SM}}} = c_\gamma(c_\delta + \frac{s_\delta}{\tan \beta}), \quad \frac{g_{hbb}}{g_{hbb}^{\text{SM}}} = c_\gamma(c_\delta - s_\delta \tan \beta), \quad \frac{g_{hVV}}{g_{hVV}^{\text{SM}}} = c_\gamma c_\delta \right]$$

cont: LHC8 status

dashed: LHC14 projections (300 fb⁻¹)



$$s_\gamma^2 = 0, 0.15$$



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What does one learn from the potential $f(S)$?

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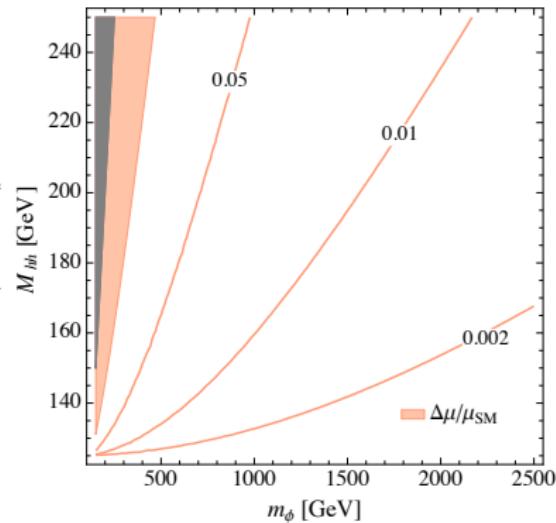
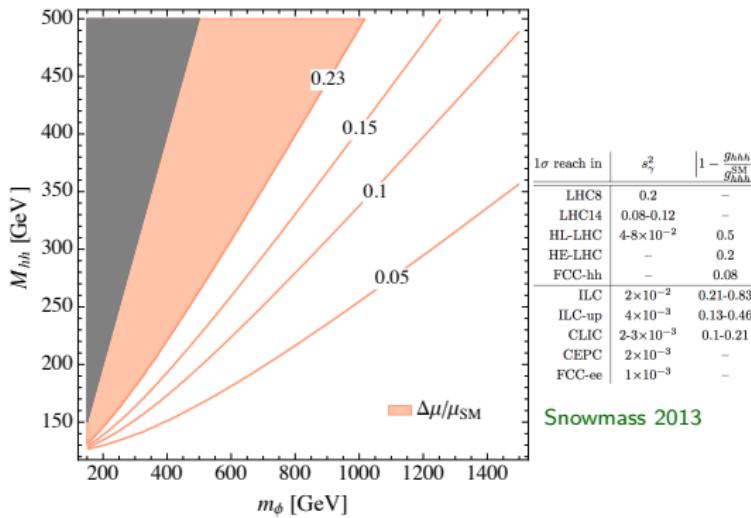
$$\frac{g_{h^3}}{g_{h^3}^{\text{SM}}} = 1 + \frac{2}{3} \frac{\nu}{v_s} \frac{\sqrt{M_{hh}^2 - m_h^2}}{m_\phi} \left(\frac{M_{hh}^2}{m_h^2} - 1 \right) + O\left(\frac{\nu^2}{m_\phi^2}\right)$$

Valid for **any** potential!! v_s leading new parameter

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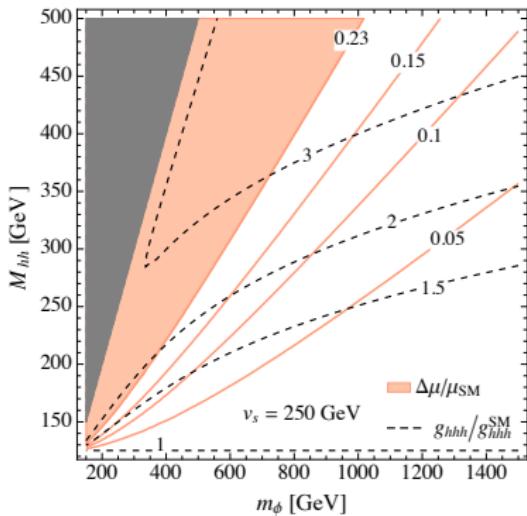


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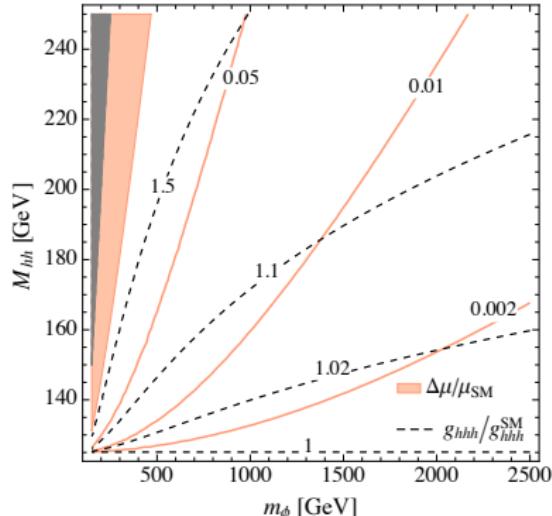
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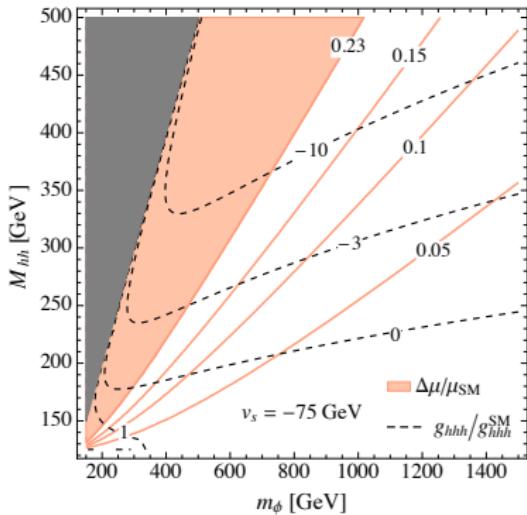


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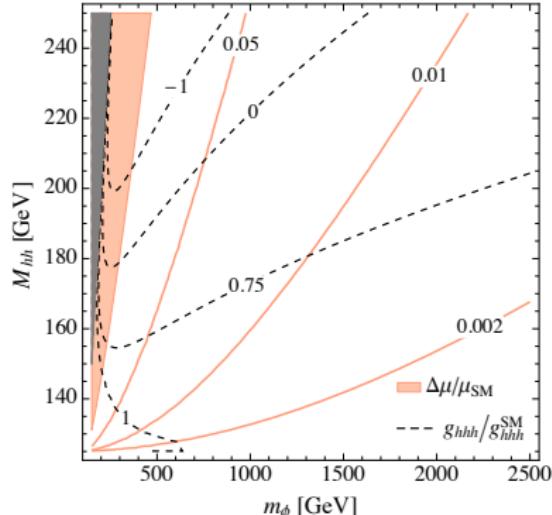
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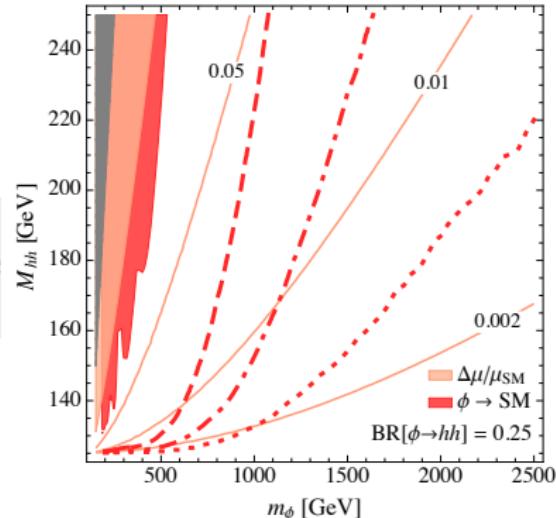
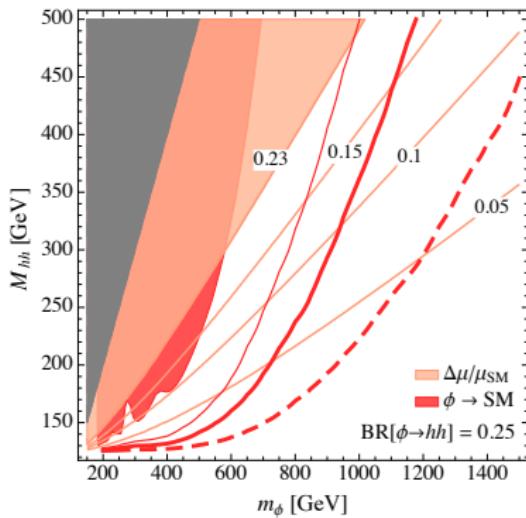
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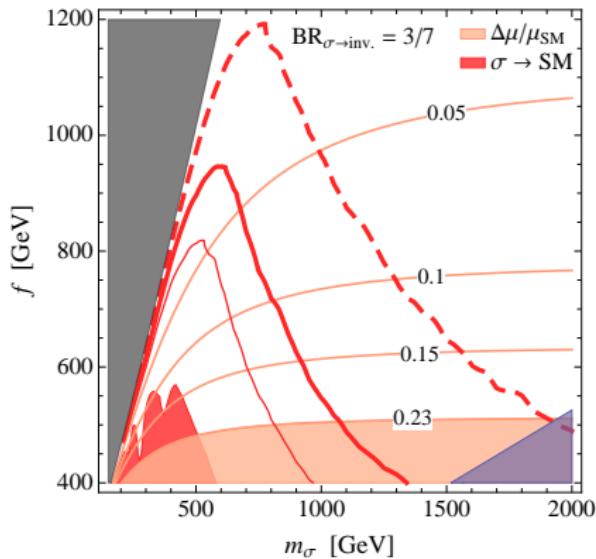
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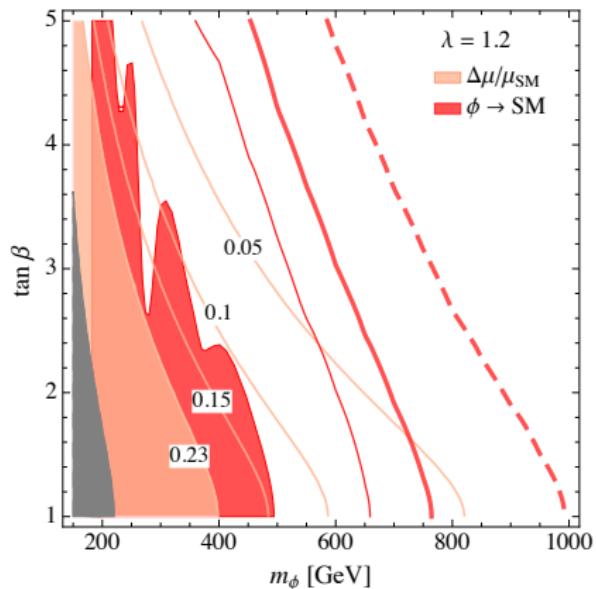
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- g_{hhh} could show significant deviations

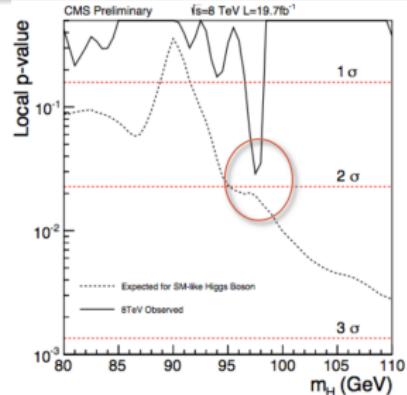


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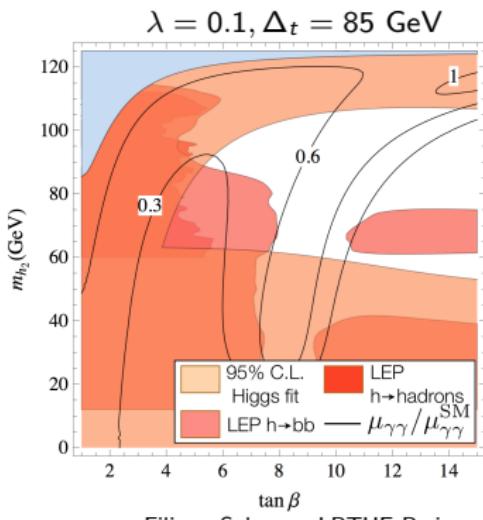
Barbieri et al 1304.3670, 1307.4937

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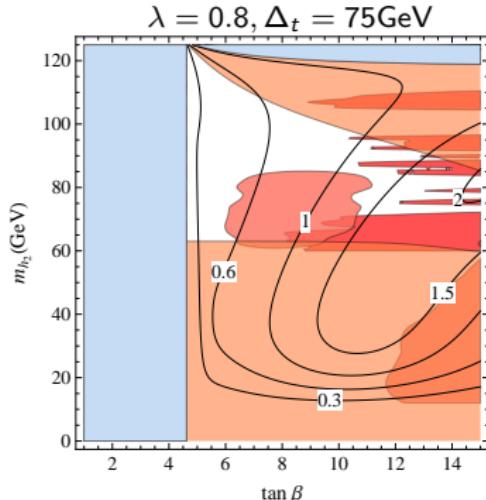
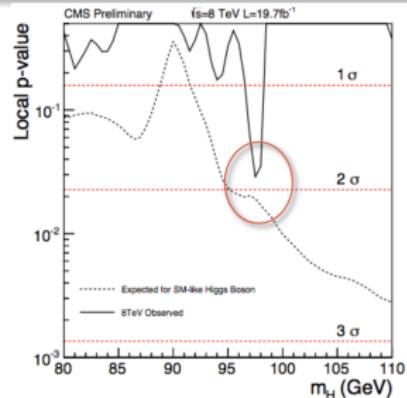
[see also Badziak et al. 1304.5437,...]

$$[m_{h_3} = 500 \text{ GeV}, s_\sigma^2 = 10^{-3}, v_s = v]$$



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A (necessary) input to plan future HEP strategy

$\phi \rightarrow VV, hh, h$ couplings, g_{hhh}, \dots

Very relevant for natural theories

NMSSM with $\lambda \sim 1$

singlet-like ϕ could show up before \tilde{t}, \tilde{g}

Twin Higgs (weakly coupled)

radial mode could be first particle seen

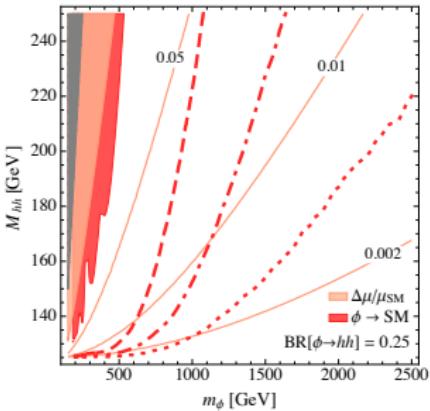
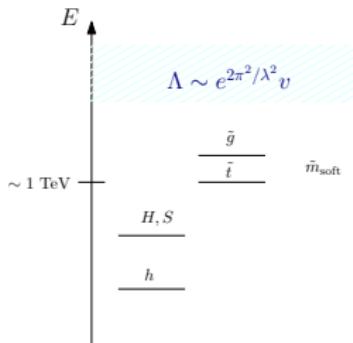
What Next?

more on extra doublet, e.g. $f\bar{f}$ prospects

CP-odd scalars

UV model for Twin Higgs with light σ

for extra Higgses see also F.S. 1509.08655

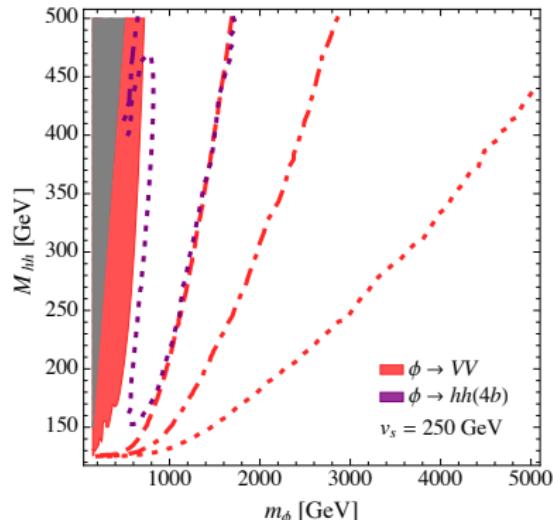
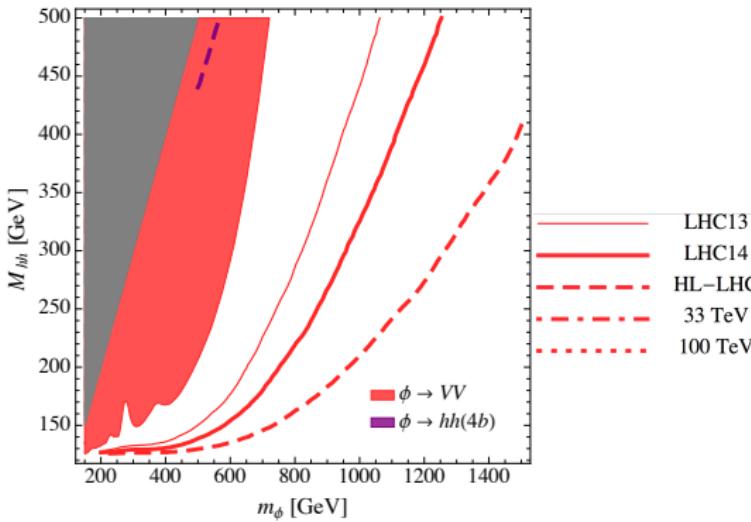


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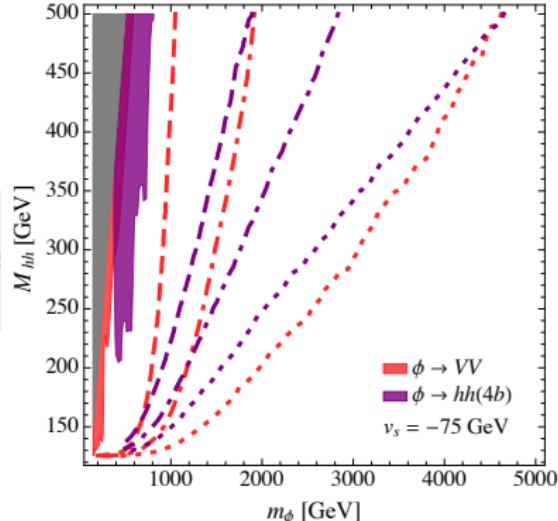
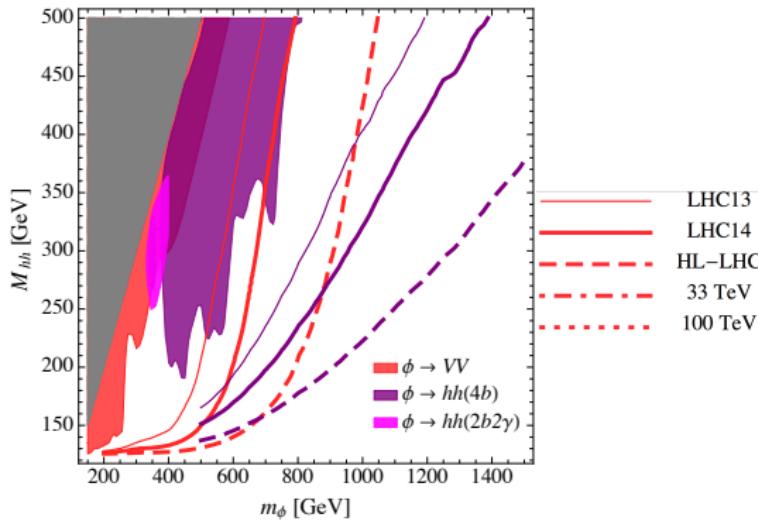


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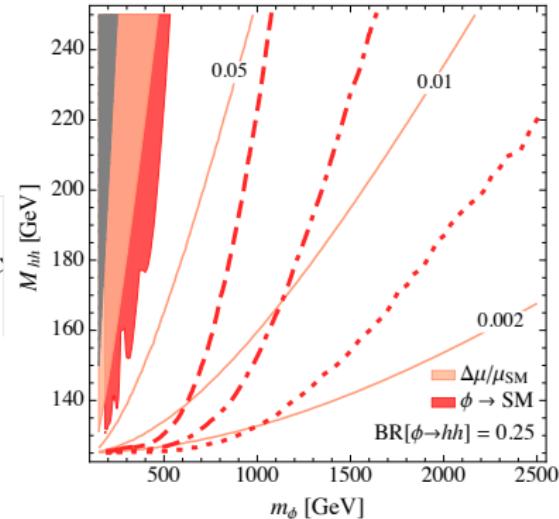
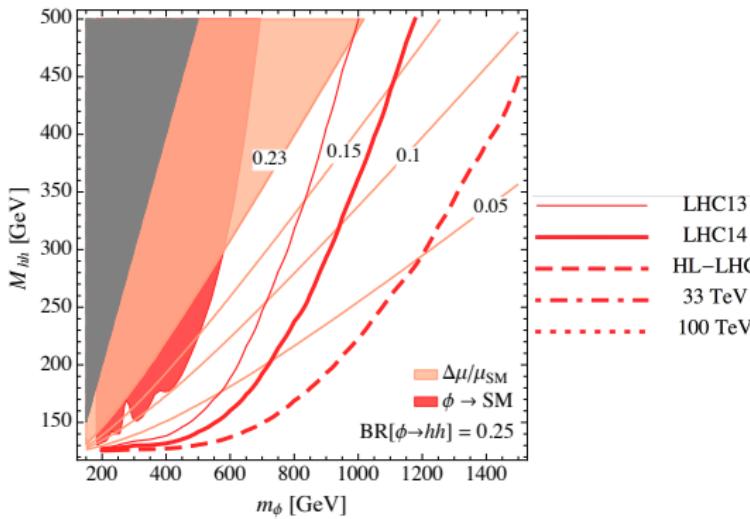


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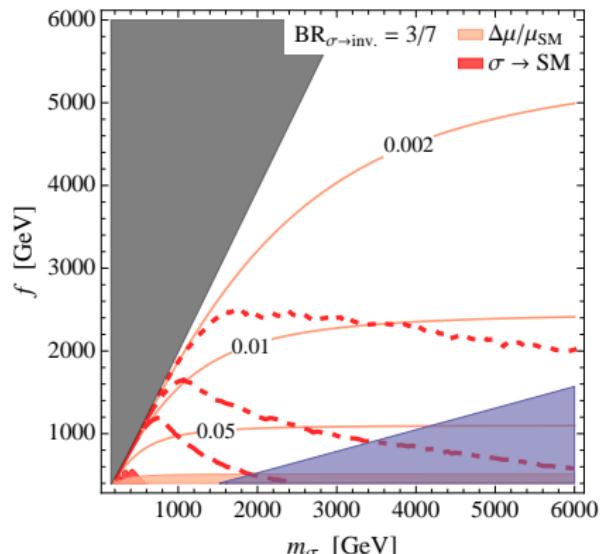
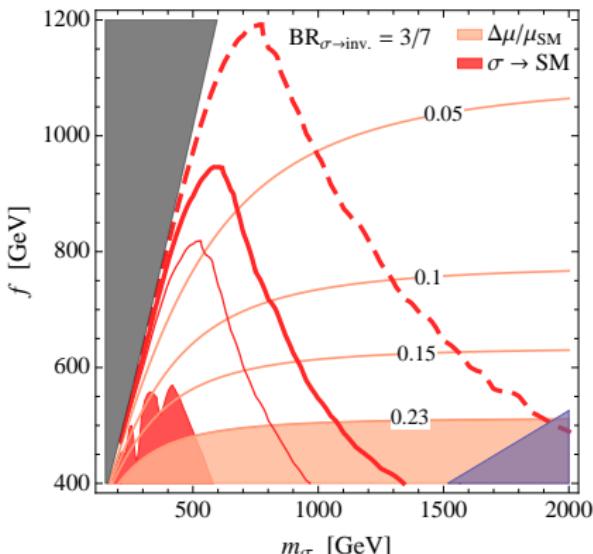
Higgs as a PNG boson: Twin Higgs

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Only two free parameters f and m_σ \Rightarrow $\text{BR}_{\sigma \rightarrow hh}$ fixed everywhere

Twin SM \Rightarrow $\text{BR}_{\sigma \rightarrow \text{inv.}} \neq 0$ [equivalence theorem: $\text{BR}_{\sigma \rightarrow \text{inv.}} \rightarrow 3/7$ for $m_\sigma > m_Z \times f/v$]



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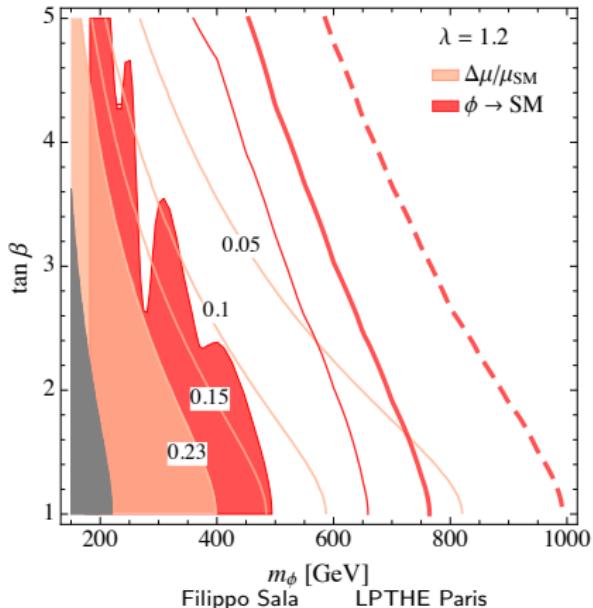
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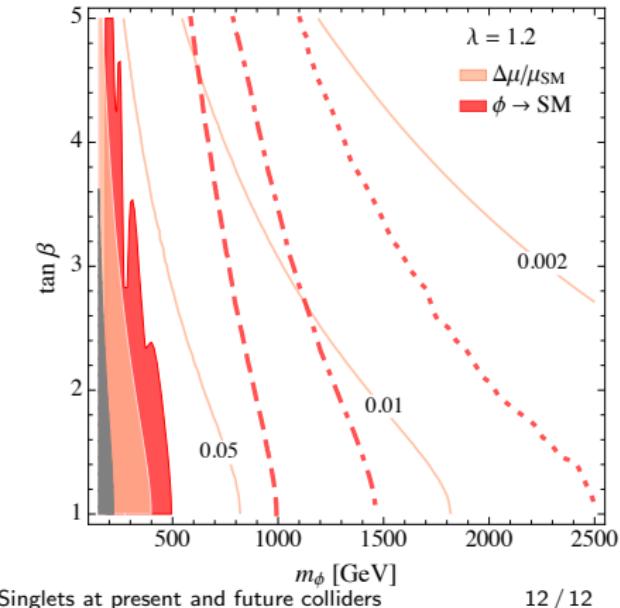
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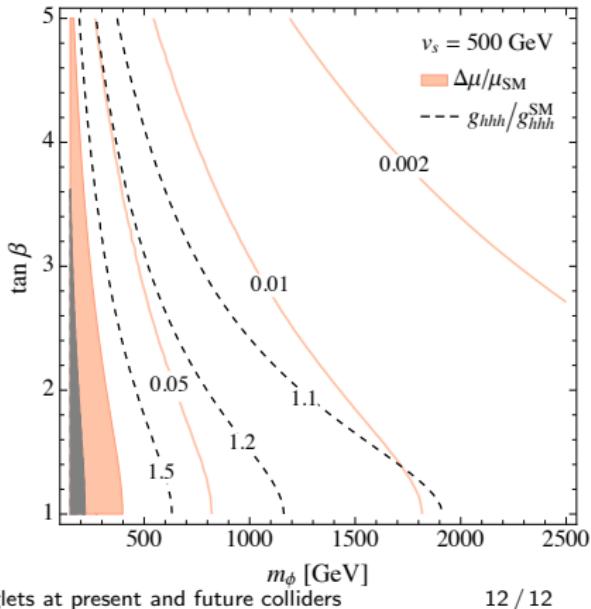
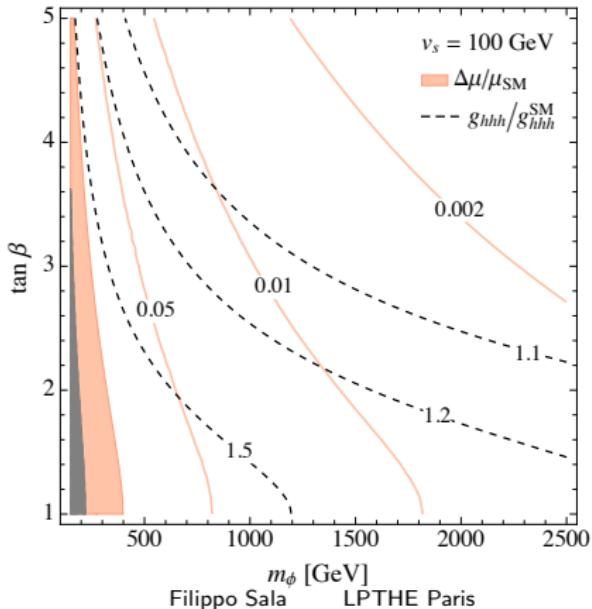
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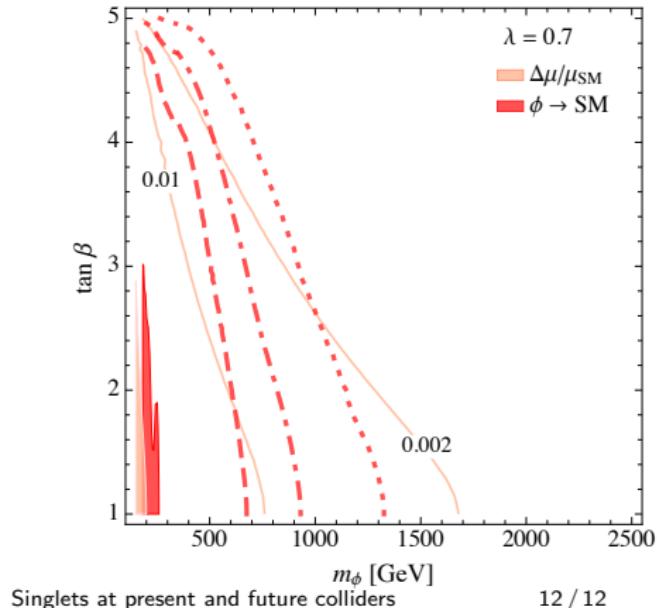
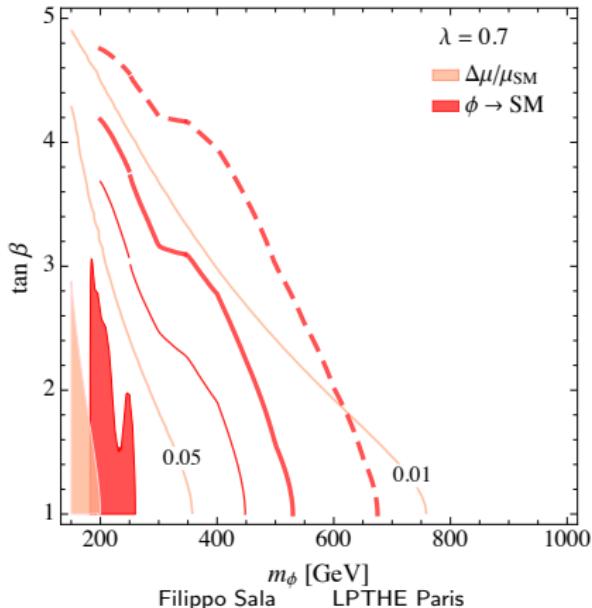
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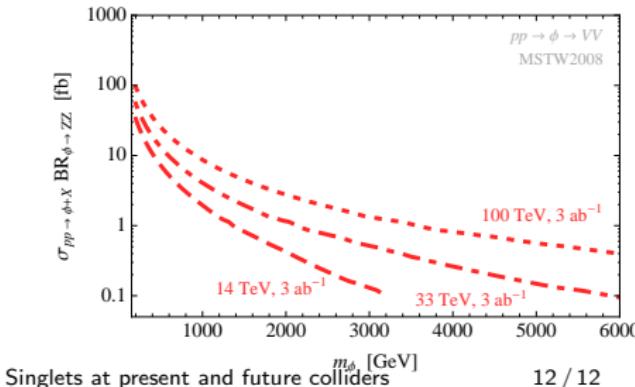
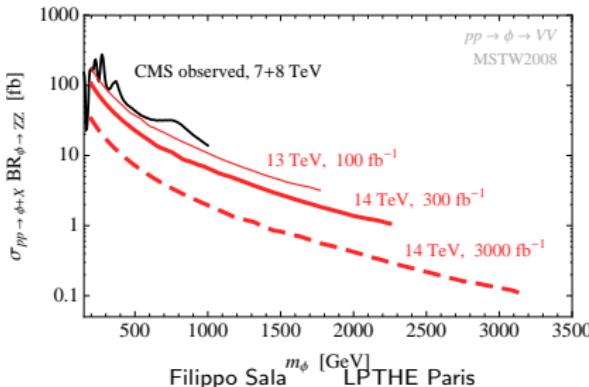
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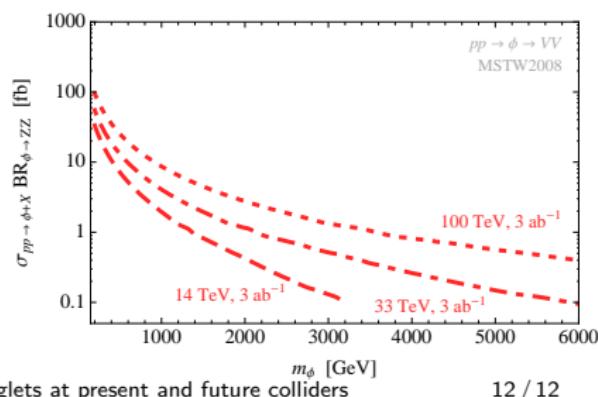
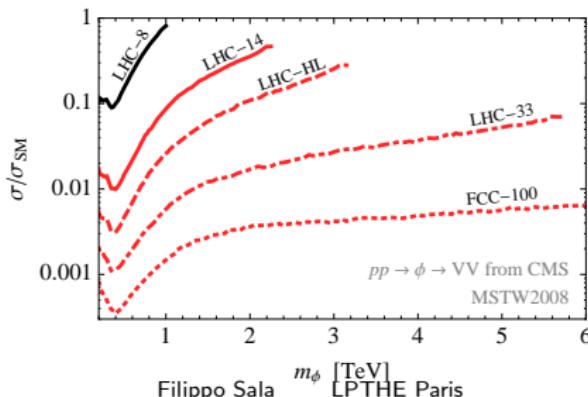
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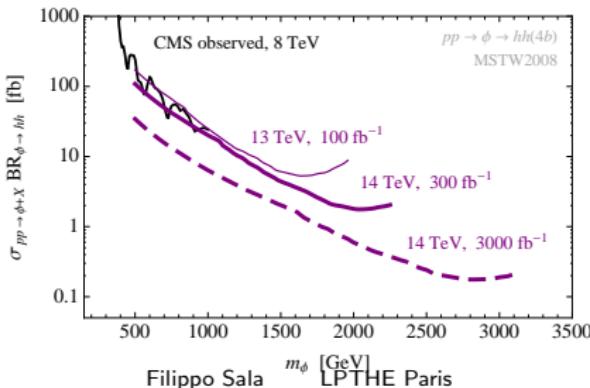
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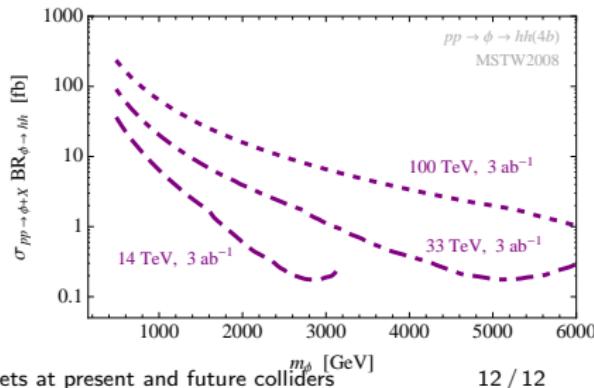
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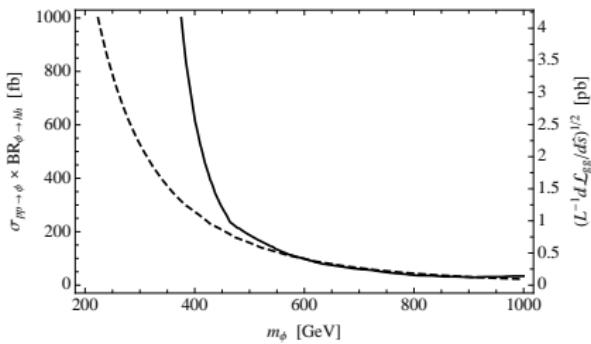
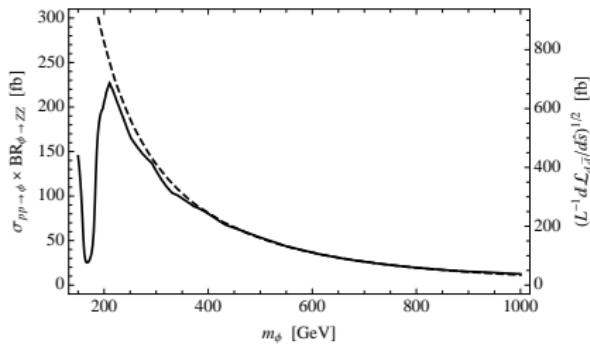


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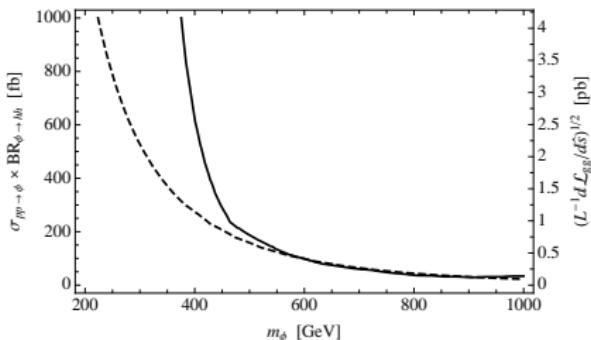
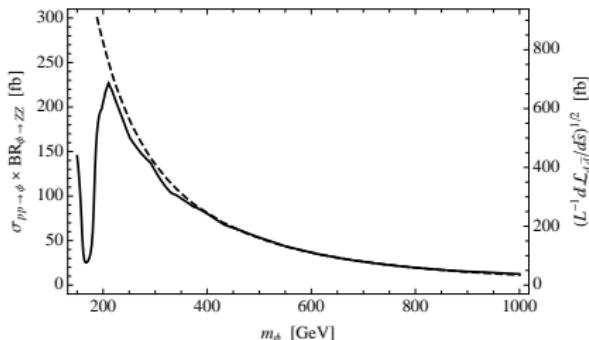
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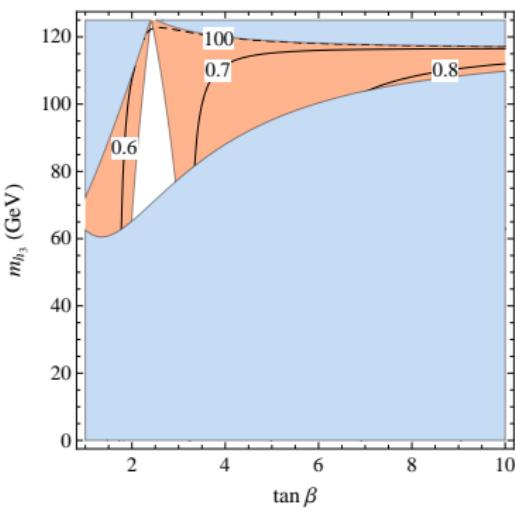
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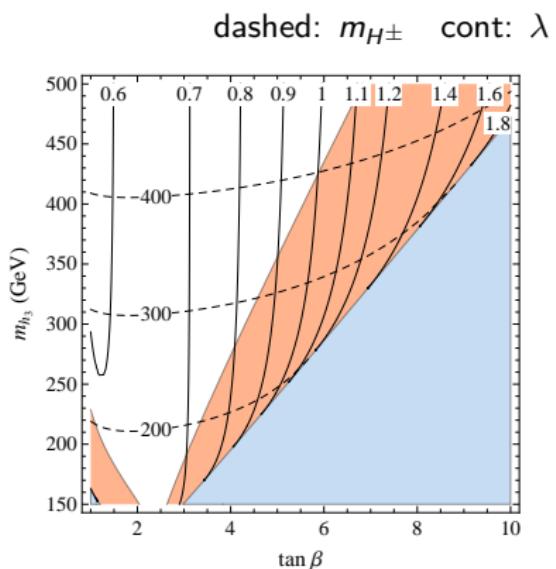
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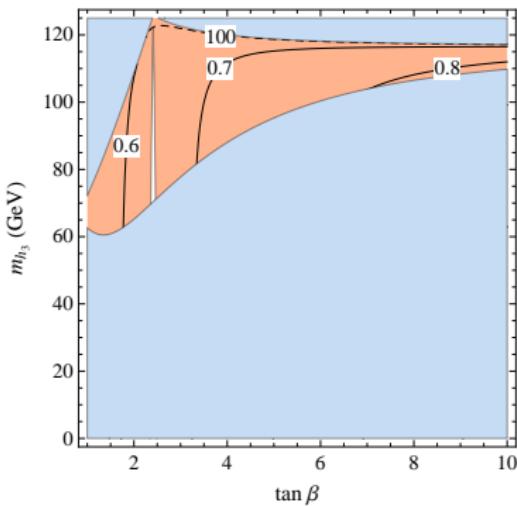
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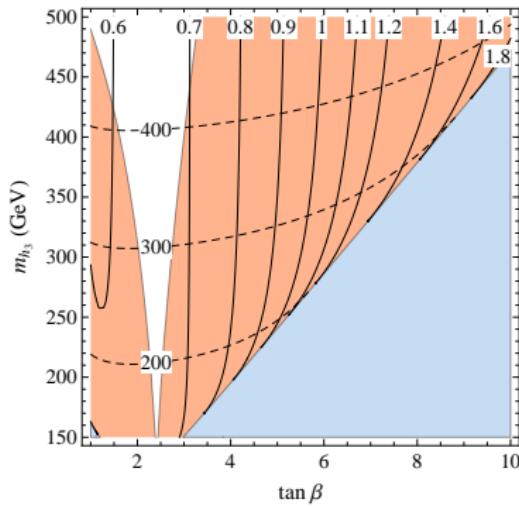
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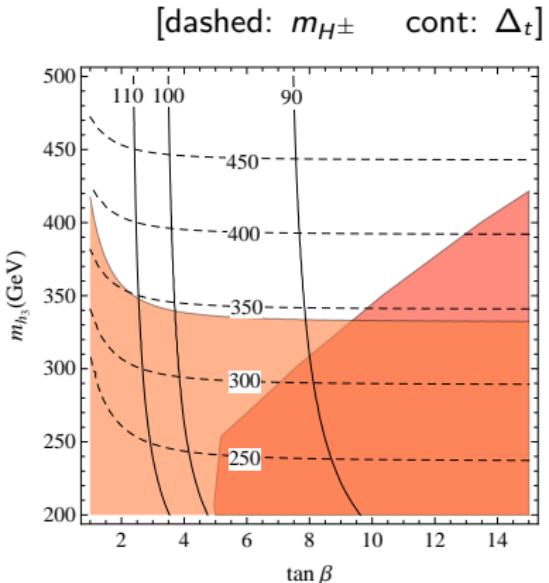
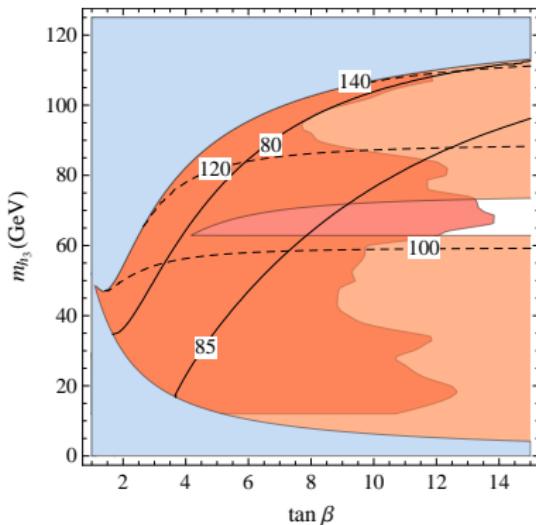
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Status fit LHC8:

Red regions excluded by direct searches at LEP and CMS

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[if $\frac{\mu A_t}{m_{\tilde{t}}^2}$ very large, conclusions could change...]