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# Simplifying life with simplified models

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|  | Model   | $e, \mu, \tau, \gamma$ | Jets           | $E_T^{\text{miss}}$ | $\int \mathcal{L} dt [\text{fb}^{-1}]$ | Mass limit                                   | Reference   |
|--|---|------------------------|----------------|---------------------|--|--|---|
| Inclusive Searches                             | MSUGRA/CMSSM  | 0                      | 2-6 jets       | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{q}, \tilde{g}$ 1.7 TeV               | $m(\tilde{q})=m(\tilde{g})$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-047   |
|  | MSUGRA/CMSSM  | 1 $e, \mu$             | 3-6 jets       | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 1.2 TeV                          | any $m(\tilde{q})$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-062  |
|  | MSUGRA/CMSSM  | 0                      | 7-10 jets      | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 1.1 TeV                          | any $m(\tilde{q})$ 1308.1841  |
|  | $\tilde{q}\tilde{q}, \tilde{q}\rightarrow q\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  | 0                      | 2-6 jets       | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{q}$ 740 GeV                          | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-047   |
|  | $\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\rightarrow q\tilde{q}\tilde{\chi}_1^0$   | 0                      | 2-6 jets       | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 1.3 TeV                          | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-047   |
|  | $\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\rightarrow q\tilde{q}\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow q\tilde{q}W^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^0$   | 1 $e, \mu$             | 3-6 jets       | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 1.18 TeV                         | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)<200 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\chi}^\pm)=0.5(m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)+m(\tilde{g}))$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-062  |
|  | $\tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\rightarrow q\tilde{q}(\ell\ell/\ell\nu/\nu\nu)\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  | 2 $e, \mu$             | 0-3 jets       | -                   | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 1.12 TeV                         | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-089   |
|  | GMSB ( $\tilde{\ell}$ NLSP)   | 2 $e, \mu$             | 2-4 jets       | Yes                 | 4.7                                    | $\tilde{g}$ 1.24 TeV                         | $\tan\beta<15$ 1208.4688  |
|  | GMSB ( $\tilde{\ell}$ NLSP)   | 1-2 $\tau$             | 0-2 jets       | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 1.4 TeV                          | $\tan\beta>18$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-026  |
|  | GGM (bino NLSP)   | 2 $\gamma$             | -              | Yes                 | 4.8                                    | $\tilde{g}$ 1.07 TeV                         | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)>50 \text{ GeV}$ 1209.0753  |
|  | GGM (wino NLSP)   | 1 $e, \mu + \gamma$    | -              | Yes                 | 4.8                                    | $\tilde{g}$ 619 GeV                          | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)>50 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2012-144  |
|  | GGM (higgsino-bino NLSP)  | $\gamma$               | 1 $b$          | Yes                 | 4.8                                    | $\tilde{g}$ 900 GeV                          | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)>220 \text{ GeV}$ 1211.1167   |
|  | GGM (higgsino NLSP)   | 2 $e, \mu (Z)$         | 0-3 jets       | Yes                 | 5.8                                    | $\tilde{g}$ 690 GeV                          | $m(\tilde{H})>200 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2012-152  |
|  | Gravitino LSP   | 0                      | mono-jet       | Yes                 | 10.5                                   | $F^{1/2}$ scale 645 GeV                      | $m(\tilde{g})>10^{-4} \text{ eV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2012-147   |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> gen. $\tilde{g}$ med.          | $\tilde{g}\rightarrow b\tilde{b}\tilde{\chi}_1^0$   | 0                      | 3 $b$          | Yes                 | 20.1                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 1.2 TeV                          | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)<600 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-061   |
|  | $\tilde{g}\rightarrow t\tilde{t}\tilde{\chi}_1^0$   | 0                      | 7-10 jets      | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 1.1 TeV                          | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)<350 \text{ GeV}$ 1308.1841   |
|  | $\tilde{g}\rightarrow t\tilde{t}\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$   | 0-1 $e, \mu$           | 3 $b$          | Yes                 | 20.1                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 1.34 TeV                         | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)<400 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-061   |
|  | $\tilde{g}\rightarrow b\tilde{t}\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$   | 0-1 $e, \mu$           | 3 $b$          | Yes                 | 20.1                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 1.3 TeV                          | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)<300 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-061   |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> gen. squarks direct production | $\tilde{b}_1\tilde{b}_1, \tilde{b}_1\rightarrow b\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  | 0                      | 2 $b$          | Yes                 | 20.1                                   | $\tilde{b}_1$ 100-620 GeV                    | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)<90 \text{ GeV}$ 1308.2631  |
|  | $\tilde{b}_1\tilde{b}_1, \tilde{b}_1\rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$  | 2 $e, \mu$ (SS)        | 0-3 $b$        | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{b}_1$ 275-430 GeV                    | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)=2 m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-007   |
|  | $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (light), $\tilde{t}_1\rightarrow b\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$  | 1-2 $e, \mu$           | 1-2 $b$        | Yes                 | 4.7                                    | $\tilde{t}_1$ 110-167 GeV                    | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=55 \text{ GeV}$ 1208.4305, 1209.2102   |
|  | $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (light), $\tilde{t}_1\rightarrow Wb\tilde{\chi}_1^0$   | 2 $e, \mu$             | 0-2 jets       | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{t}_1$ 130-220 GeV                    | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=m(\tilde{t}_1)-m(W)-50 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{t}_1)<m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-048  |
|  | $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (medium), $\tilde{t}_1\rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_1^0$   | 2 $e, \mu$             | 2 jets         | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{t}_1$ 225-525 GeV                    | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-065   |
|  | $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (medium), $\tilde{t}_1\rightarrow b\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$   | 0                      | 2 $b$          | Yes                 | 20.1                                   | $\tilde{t}_1$ 150-580 GeV                    | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)<200 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)-m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=5 \text{ GeV}$ 1308.2631  |
|  | $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (heavy), $\tilde{t}_1\rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  | 1 $e, \mu$             | 1 $b$          | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{t}_1$ 200-610 GeV                    | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-037   |
|  | $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (heavy), $\tilde{t}_1\rightarrow t\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$  | 0                      | 2 $b$          | Yes                 | 20.5                                   | $\tilde{t}_1$ 320-660 GeV                    | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-024   |
|  | $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1, \tilde{t}_1\rightarrow c\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  | 0                      | mono-jet/c-tag | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{t}_1$ 90-200 GeV                     | $m(\tilde{t}_1)-m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)<85 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-068   |
|  | $\tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1$ (natural GMSB)   | 2 $e, \mu (Z)$         | 1 $b$          | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{t}_1$ 500 GeV                        | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)>150 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-025   |
|  | $\tilde{t}_2\tilde{t}_2, \tilde{t}_2\rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 + Z$  | 3 $e, \mu (Z)$         | 1 $b$          | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{t}_2$ 271-520 GeV                    | $m(\tilde{t}_1)=m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)+180 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-025  |
| EW direct                                      | $\tilde{\ell}_L\tilde{\ell}_L, \tilde{\ell}\rightarrow \ell\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  | 2 $e, \mu$             | 0              | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{\ell}$ 85-315 GeV                    | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-049   |
|  | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+\tilde{\chi}_1^-, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\rightarrow \tilde{\ell}\nu(\ell\bar{\nu})$  | 2 $e, \mu$             | 0              | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 125-450 GeV             | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\ell}, \bar{\nu})=0.5(m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)+m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0))$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-049                                |
|  | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+\tilde{\chi}_1^-, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\rightarrow \tilde{\tau}\nu(\tau\bar{\nu})$  | 2 $\tau$               | -              | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 180-330 GeV             | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0 \text{ GeV}, m(\tilde{\tau}, \bar{\nu})=0.5(m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)+m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0))$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-028                                |
|  | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+\tilde{\chi}_2^0\rightarrow \tilde{\ell}_L\nu\tilde{\ell}_L(\ell\bar{\nu}), \ell\tilde{\nu}\tilde{\ell}_L(\ell\bar{\nu})$                      | 3 $e, \mu$             | 0              | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+, \tilde{\chi}_2^0$ 600 GeV | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)=m(\tilde{\chi}_2^0), m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0, m(\tilde{\ell}, \bar{\nu})=0.5(m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)+m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0))$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-035 |
|  | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+\tilde{\chi}_2^0\rightarrow W\tilde{\chi}_1^0Z\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  | 3 $e, \mu$             | 0              | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+, \tilde{\chi}_2^0$ 315 GeV | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)=m(\tilde{\chi}_2^0), m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0$ , sleptons decoupled ATLAS-CONF-2013-035   |
|  | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+\tilde{\chi}_2^0\rightarrow W\tilde{\chi}_1^0h\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  | 1 $e, \mu$             | 2 $b$          | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+, \tilde{\chi}_2^0$ 285 GeV | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)=m(\tilde{\chi}_2^0), m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=0$ , sleptons decoupled ATLAS-CONF-2013-093   |
| Long-lived particles                           | Direct $\tilde{\chi}_1^+\tilde{\chi}_1^-$ prod., long-lived $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$  | Disapp. trk            | 1 jet          | Yes                 | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 270 GeV                 | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)-m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=160 \text{ MeV}, \tau(\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm)=0.2 \text{ ns}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-069  |
|  | Stable, stopped $\tilde{g}$ R-hadron  | 0                      | 1-5 jets       | Yes                 | 22.9                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 832 GeV                          | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=100 \text{ GeV}, 10 \mu\text{s}<\tau(\tilde{g})<1000 \text{ s}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-057  |
|  | GMSB, stable $\tilde{\tau}, \tilde{\chi}_1^0\rightarrow \tilde{\tau}(\tilde{e}, \tilde{\mu})+\tau(e, \mu)$  | 1-2 $\mu$              | -              | -                   | 15.9                                   | $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ 475 GeV                   | $10<\tan\beta<50$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-058   |
|  | GMSB, $\tilde{\chi}_1^0\rightarrow \gamma\tilde{G}$ , long-lived $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$   | 2 $\gamma$             | -              | Yes                 | 4.7                                    | $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ 230 GeV                   | $0.4<\tau(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)<2 \text{ ns}$ 1304.6310   |
| RPV  | $\tilde{q}\tilde{q}, \tilde{\chi}_1^0\rightarrow q\tilde{q}\mu$ (RPV)   | 1 $\mu$ , displ. vtx   | -              | -                   | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{q}$ 1.0 TeV                          | $1.5<c\tau<156 \text{ mm}, \text{BR}(\mu)=1, m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)=108 \text{ GeV}$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-092   |
|  | LFV $pp\rightarrow \tilde{\nu}_\tau + X, \tilde{\nu}_\tau\rightarrow e + \mu$   | 2 $e, \mu$             | -              | -                   | 4.6                                    | $\tilde{\nu}_\tau$ 1.61 TeV                  | $\lambda'_{311}=0.10, \lambda_{132}=0.05$ 1212.1272   |
|  | LFV $pp\rightarrow \tilde{\nu}_\tau + X, \tilde{\nu}_\tau\rightarrow e(\mu) + \tau$   | 1 $e, \mu + \tau$      | -              | -                   | 4.6                                    | $\tilde{\nu}_\tau$ 1.1 TeV                   | $\lambda'_{311}=0.10, \lambda_{1(2)33}=0.05$ 1212.1272  |
|  | Bilinear RPV CMSSM  | 1 $e, \mu$             | 7 jets         | Yes                 | 4.7                                    | $\tilde{q}, \tilde{g}$ 1.2 TeV               | $m(\tilde{q})=m(\tilde{g}), c\tau_{\text{LSP}}<1 \text{ mm}$ ATLAS-CONF-2012-140  |
|  | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+\tilde{\chi}_1^-, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\rightarrow W\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\rightarrow ee\tilde{\nu}_\mu, e\mu\tilde{\nu}_e$         | 4 $e, \mu$             | -              | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 760 GeV                 | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)>300 \text{ GeV}, \lambda_{121}>0$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-036  |
|  | $\tilde{\chi}_1^+\tilde{\chi}_1^-, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\rightarrow W\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\rightarrow \tau\tau\tilde{\nu}_e, e\tau\tilde{\nu}_\tau$ | 3 $e, \mu + \tau$      | -              | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ 350 GeV                 | $m(\tilde{\chi}_1^0)>80 \text{ GeV}, \lambda_{133}>0$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-036   |
|  | $\tilde{g}\rightarrow q\tilde{q}q$  | 0                      | 6-7 jets       | -                   | 20.3                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 916 GeV                          | $\text{BR}(t)=\text{BR}(b)=\text{BR}(c)=0\%$ ATLAS-CONF-2013-091  |
|  | $\tilde{g}\rightarrow \tilde{t}_1 t, \tilde{t}_1\rightarrow b s$  | 2 $e, \mu$ (SS)        | 0-3 $b$        | Yes                 | 20.7                                   | $\tilde{g}$ 880 GeV                          | ATLAS-CONF-2013-007   |
| Other  | Scalar gluon pair, sgluon $\rightarrow q\tilde{q}$  | 0                      | 4 jets         | -                   | 4.6                                    | sgluon 100-287 GeV                           | incl. limit from 1110.2693 1210.4826  |
|  | Scalar gluon pair, sgluon $\rightarrow t\tilde{t}$  | 2 $e, \mu$ (SS)        | 1 $b$          | Yes                 | 14.3                                   | sgluon 800 GeV                               | ATLAS-CONF-2013-051   |
|  | WIMP interaction (D5, Dirac $\chi$ )  | 0                      | mono-jet       | Yes                 | 10.5                                   | $M^*$ scale 704 GeV                          | $m(\chi)<80 \text{ GeV}$ , limit of $<687 \text{ GeV}$ for D8 ATLAS-CONF-2012-147   |

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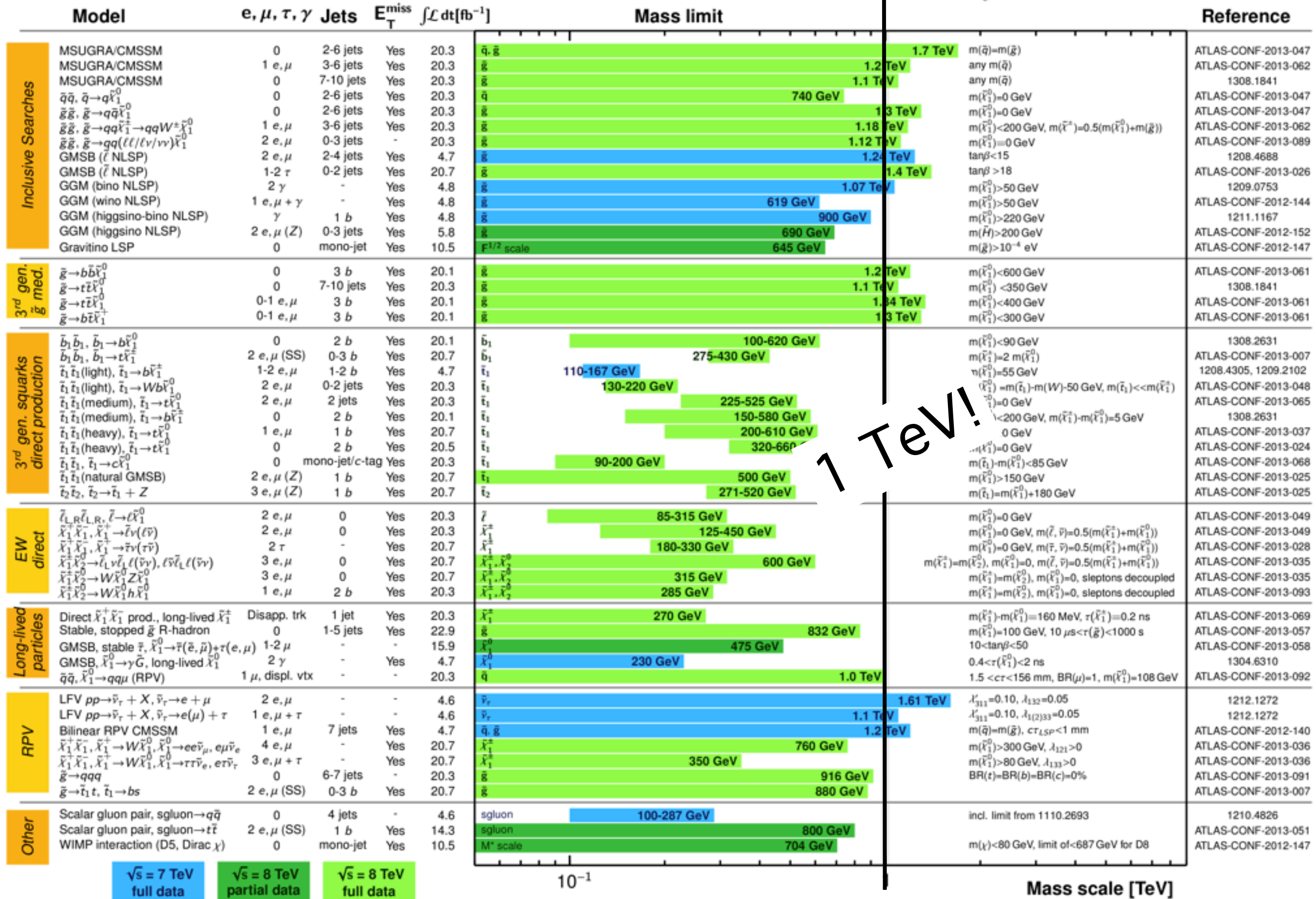


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# The LHC frontier

- Theoretical model development is influenced by conclusions at 8 TeV, e.g. GUT scale SUSY models like cMSSM are pushed to higher scales and we are thinking of more non-minimal models
- The strategies for 13 TeV results depend on the conclusions at 8 TeV
- It is necessary to interpret the results in the most generic fashion and test as many models as possible

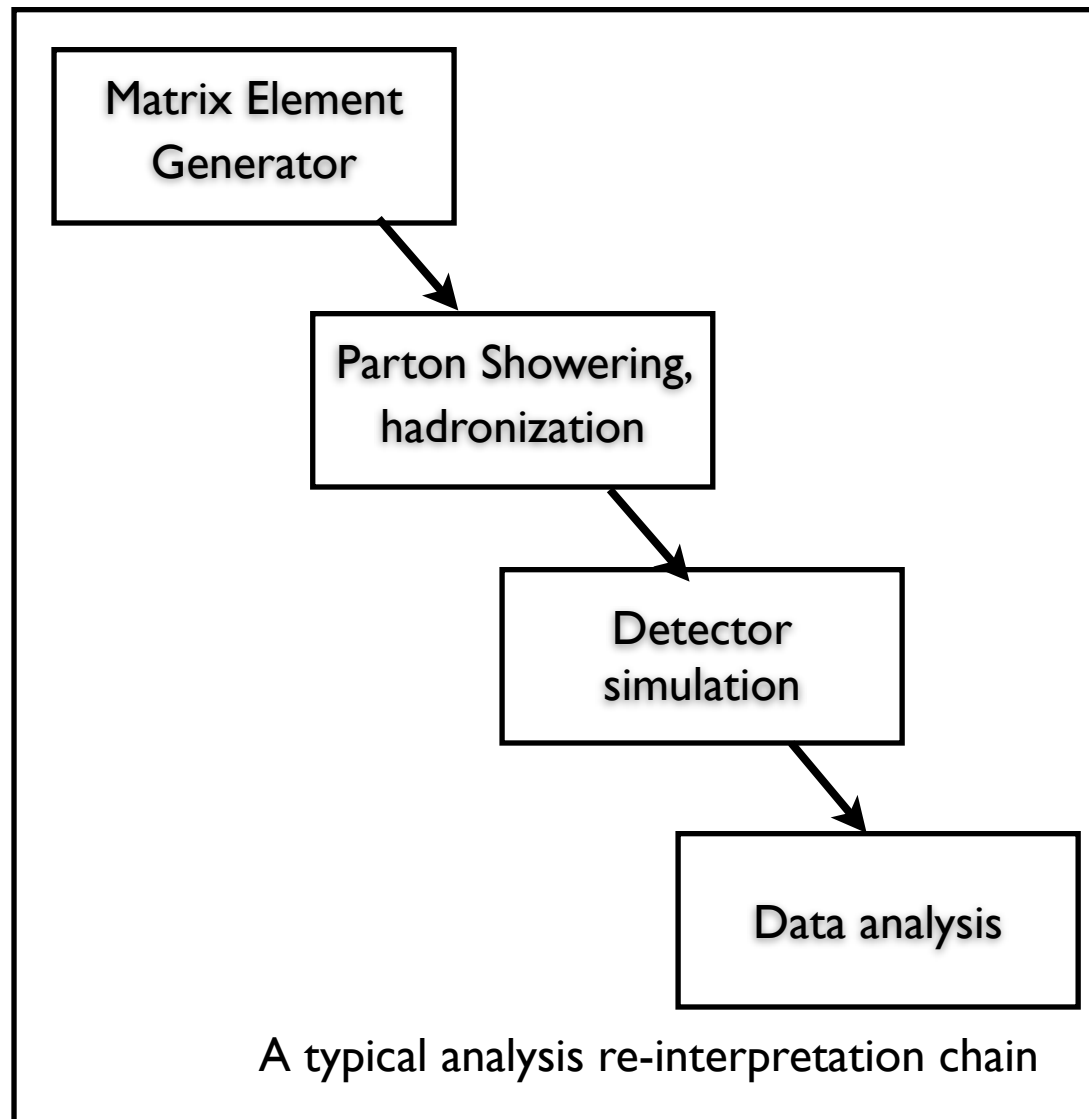
Analyses statistics (SUSY searches only)

|       | 8 TeV<br>(Any luminosity) | 8 TeV<br>(20 fb <sup>-1</sup> ) |
|-------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|
| ATLAS | 39                        | 23                              |
| CMS   | 28                        | 20                              |

Huge number of searches  
Easier said than done!

- A way to test our favorite BSM model against LHC results should exist

# Traditional approach



- Interpretation of LHC searches are model dependent
  - Model dependence comes while converting the number of events observed to a limit on particle masses
  - For a more generic case:
    1. Re-interpret the results yourself
    2. Use simplified model spectra
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- Re-interpreting the results yourself involves re-implementing the analysis, requires expertise, large computing power, time consuming
  - We stick to simplified models results

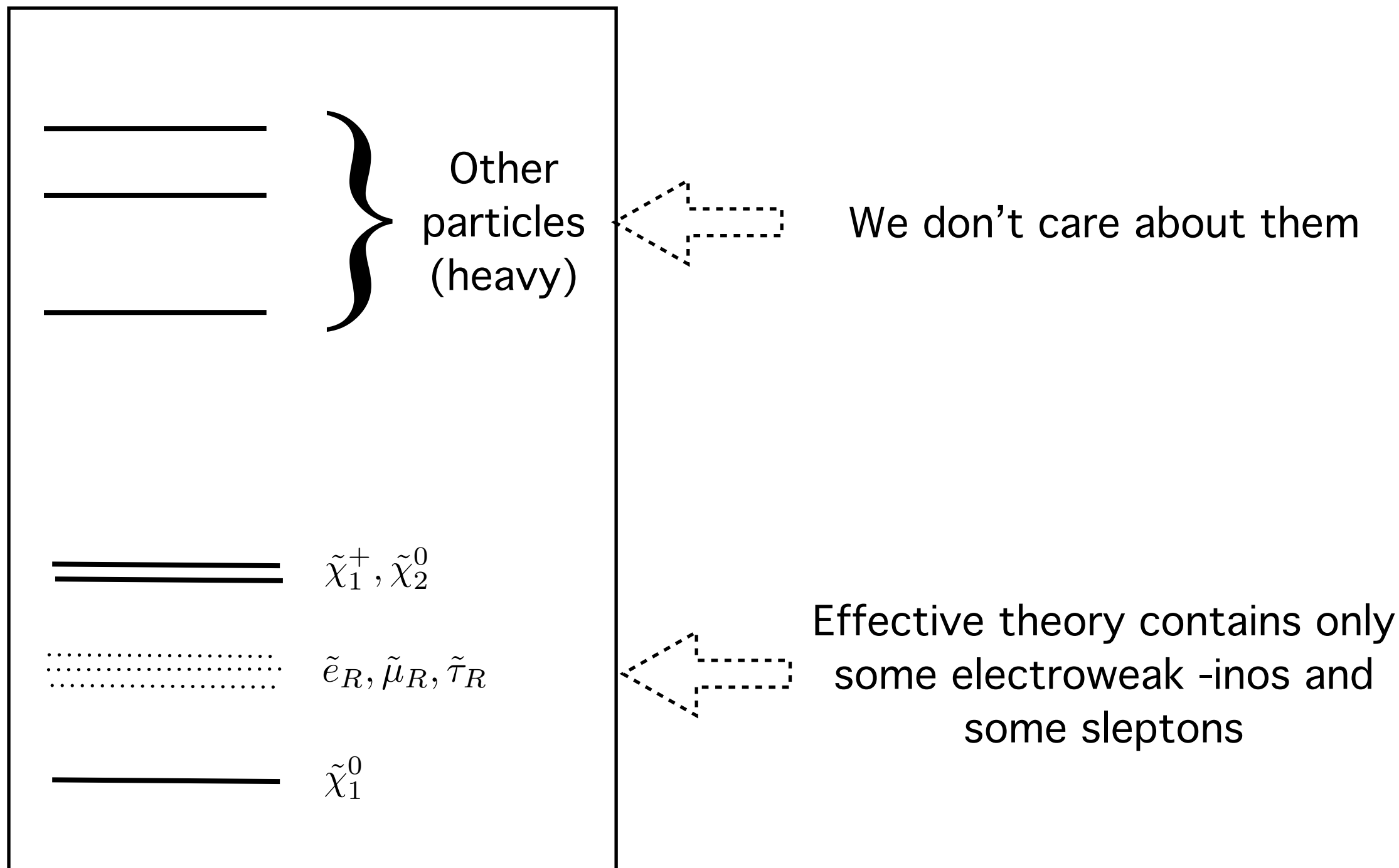
# What is an SMS result?

- All SMS results exist for SUSY searches, I stick to SUSY scenario

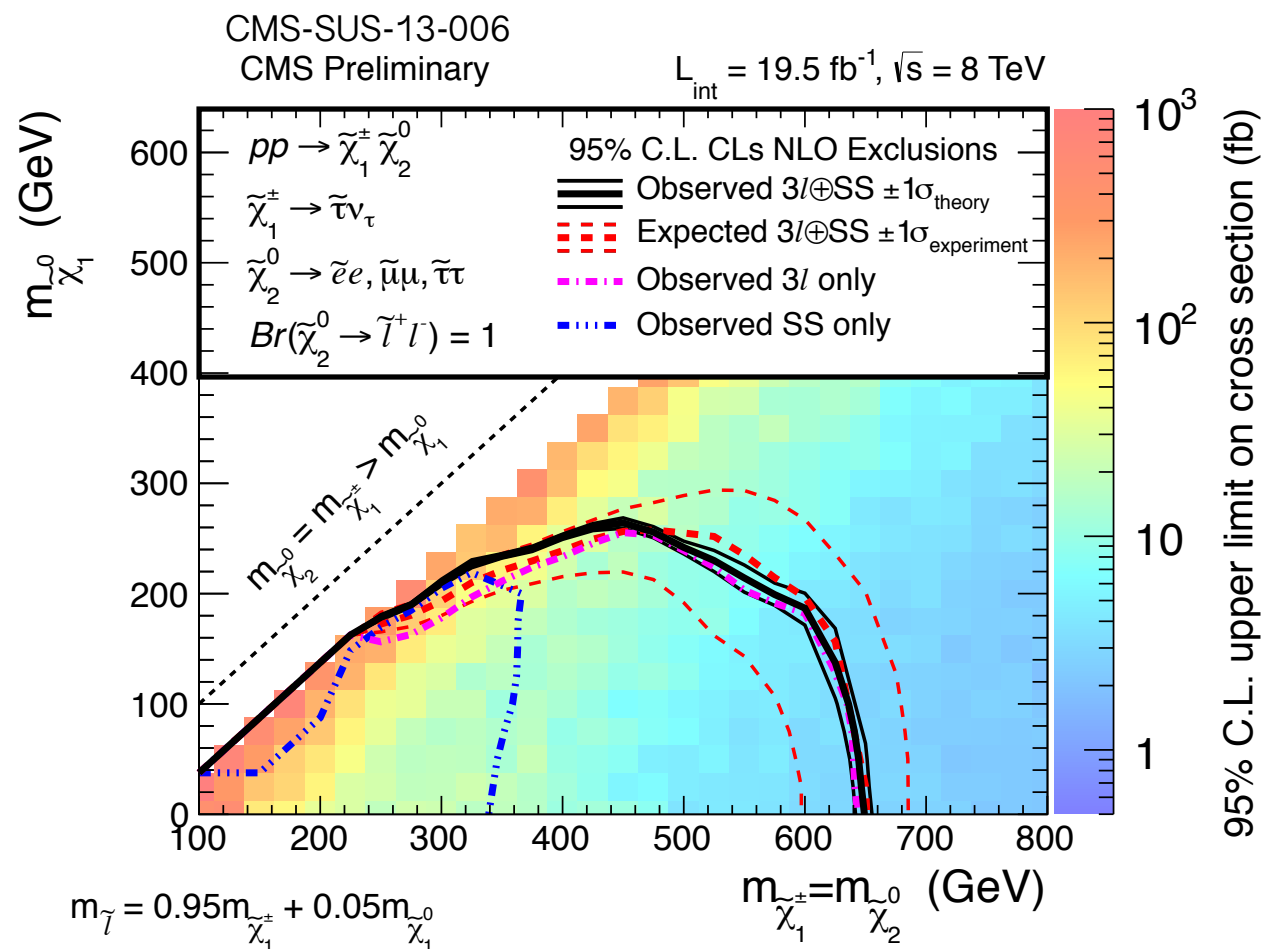
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- Simplified Model Spectra (SMS) are an effective-Lagrangian description of BSM involving a limited set of new particles.

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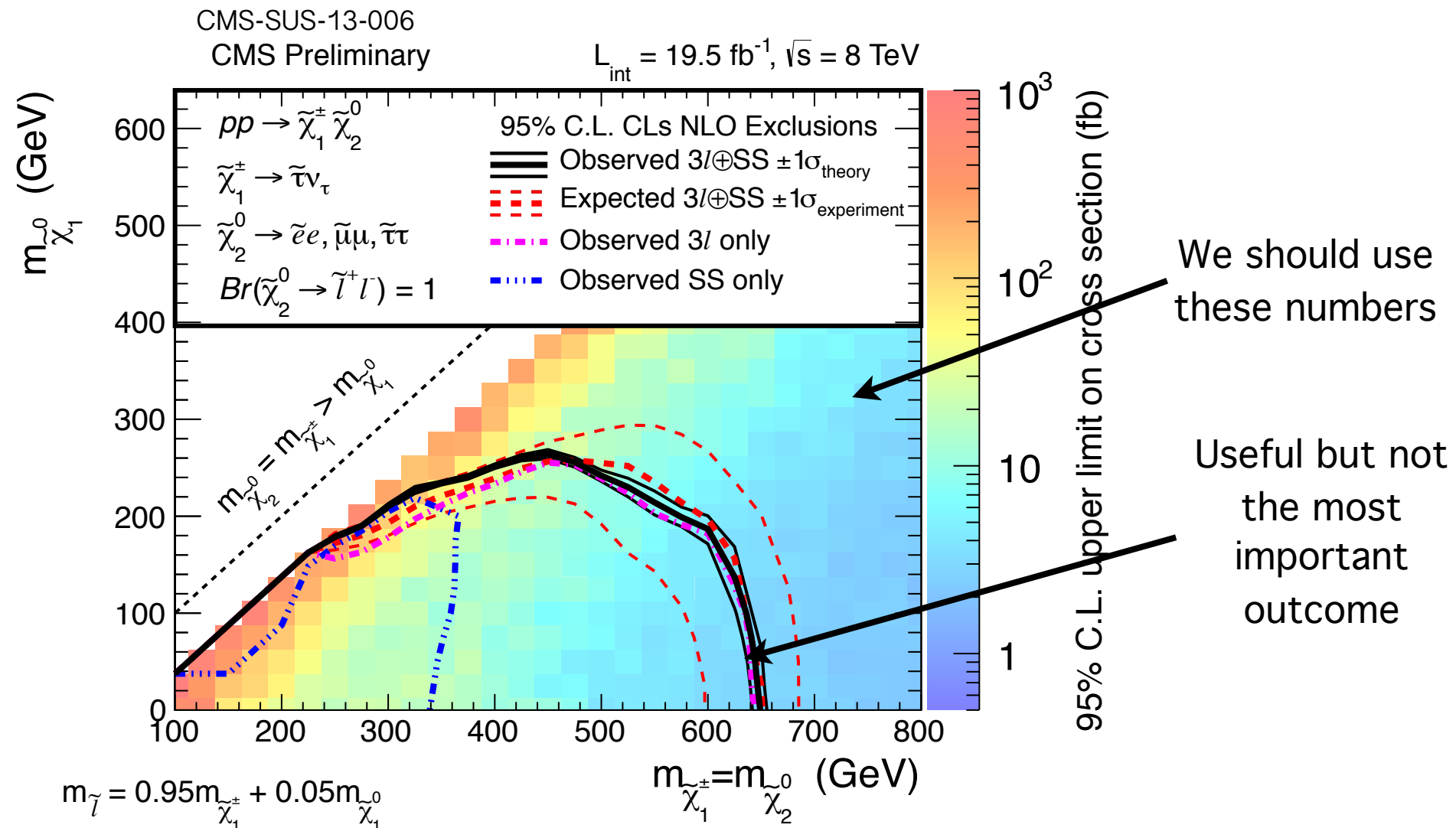
Note: the grid numbers on the plot are more important than the exclusion lines

- Assume all the leptons in this search originate only because of electroweak -ino decays
- Convert the number of events into limit on the cross-section, involves computing acceptance and efficiency

$$N_{\text{events}} = L \times A \times \epsilon \times \sigma \times BR$$

- Every SMS interpretation is based on a set of assumptions and is applicable for specific topologies

# How to read an SMS result



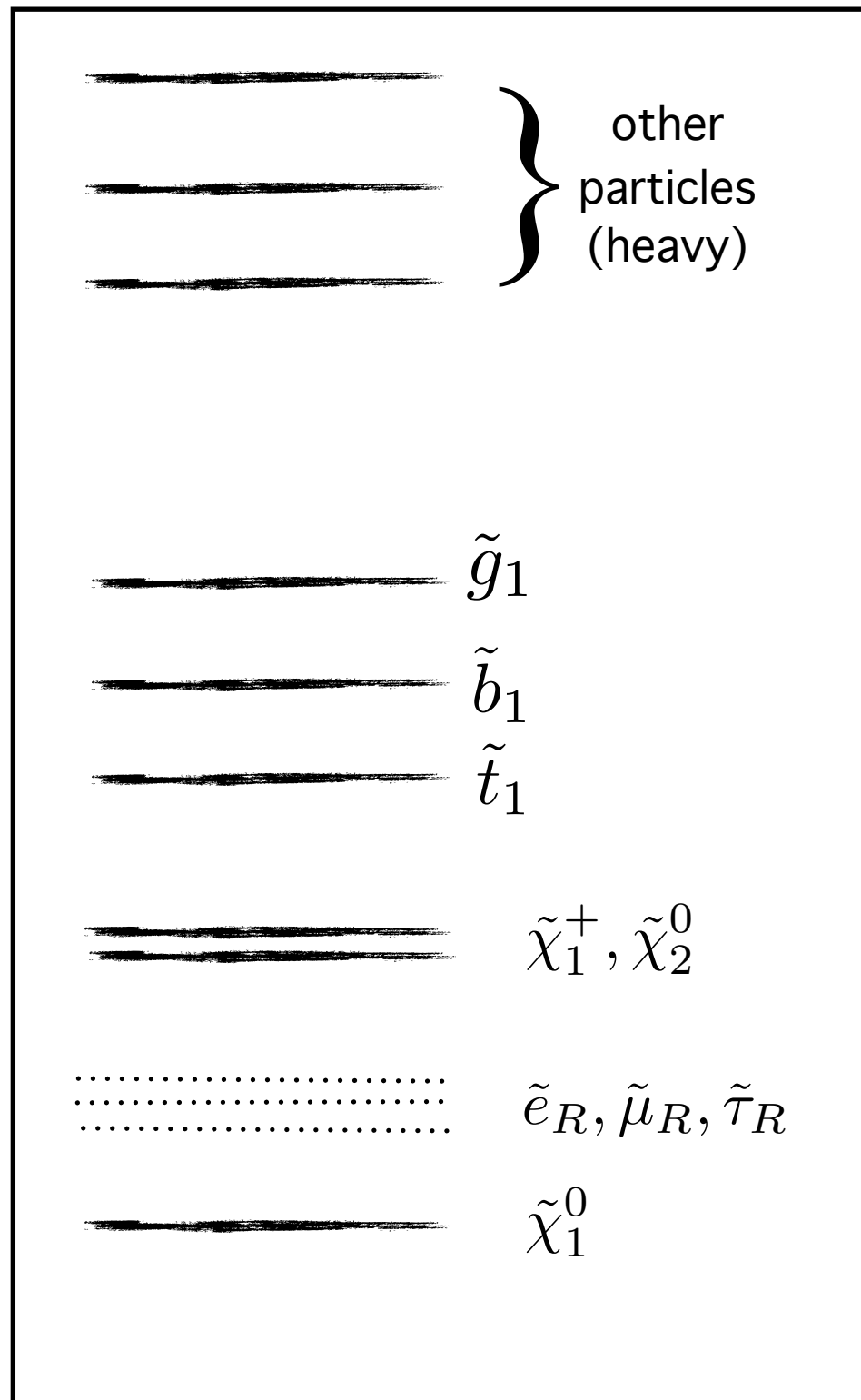
- 95% CL UL is the maximum visible cross-section allowed for a specific decay chain and a mass combination

Is  $\sigma_{\text{XBR}}(\text{ttbar} + \text{MET}, \text{Mother mass}, \text{LSP mass})$  of your model  $>$  the number on the plot? -- Yes, point excluded; No, point allowed

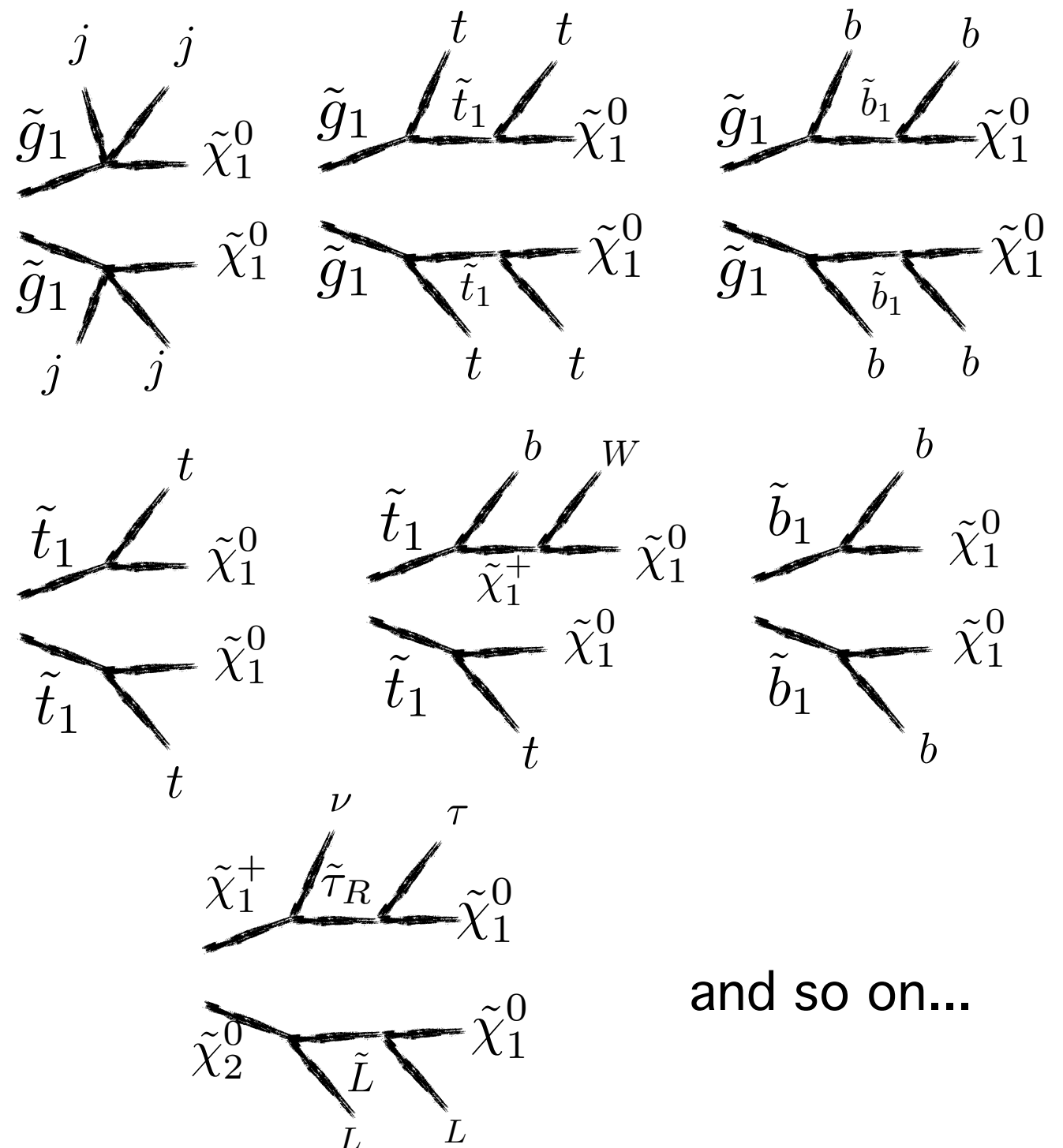


# Theory space

Arbitrary SUSY spectrum



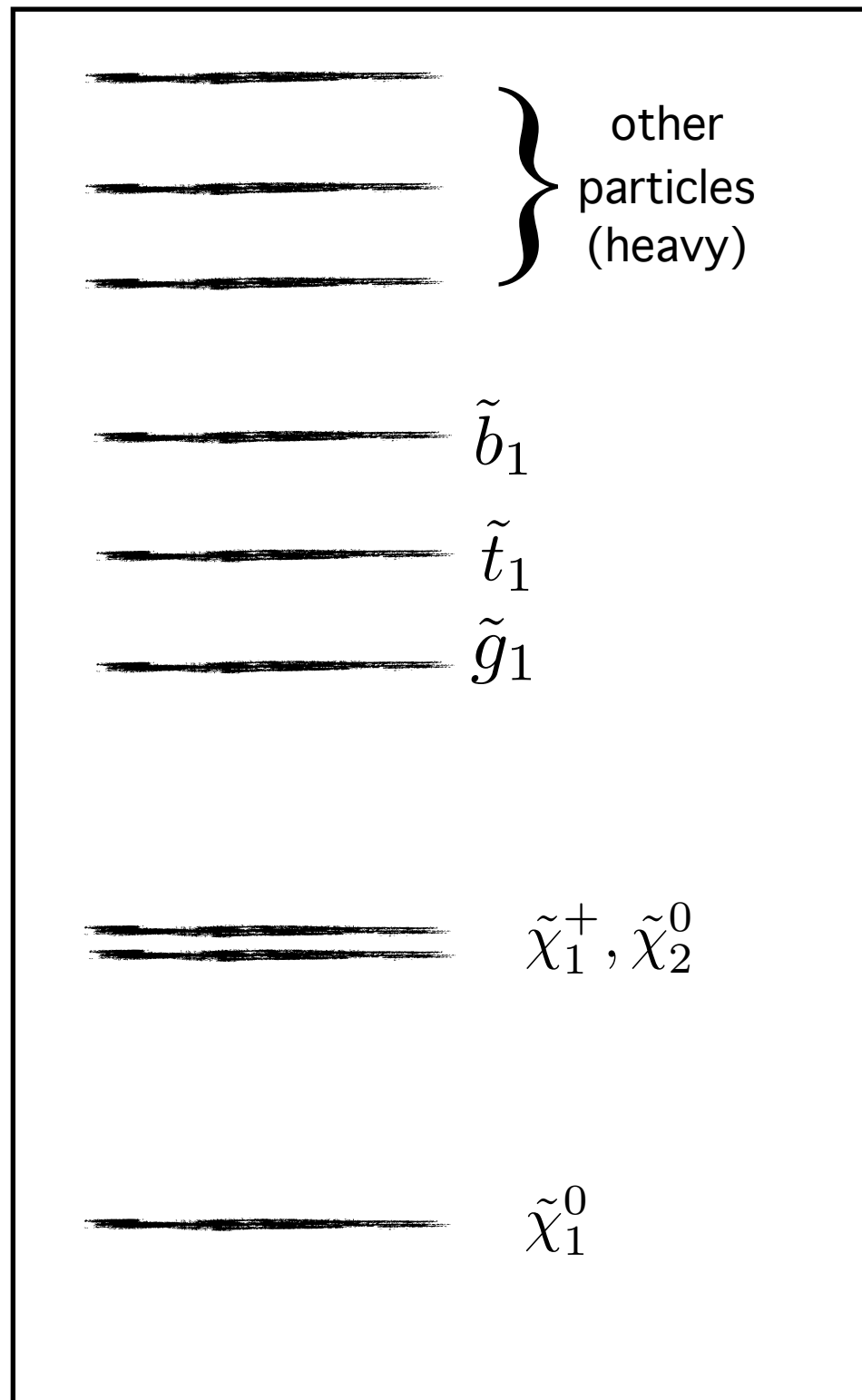
Contains many such topologies



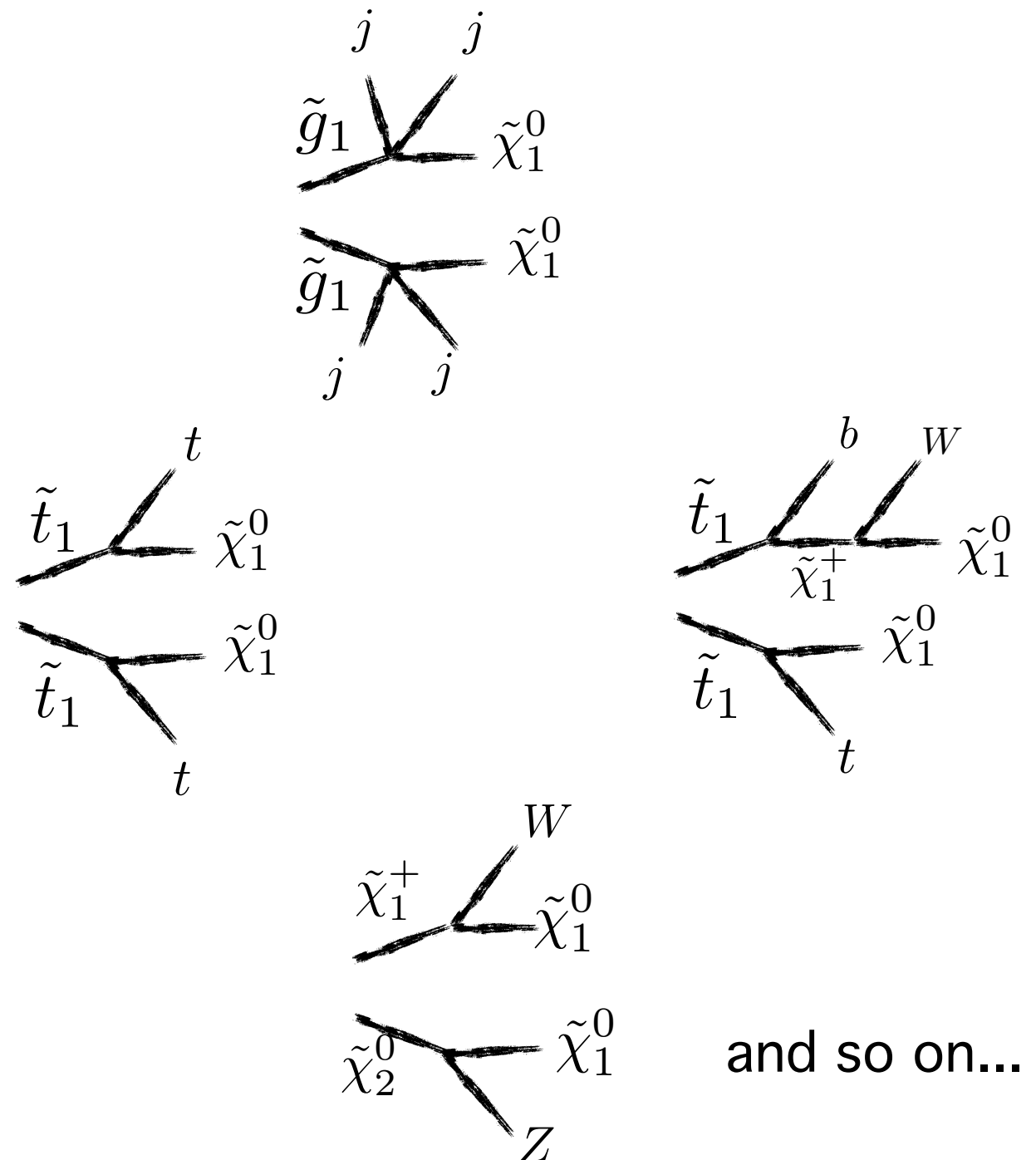
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# Theory space

Arbitrary SUSY spectrum - II



Contains many such topologies



and so on...

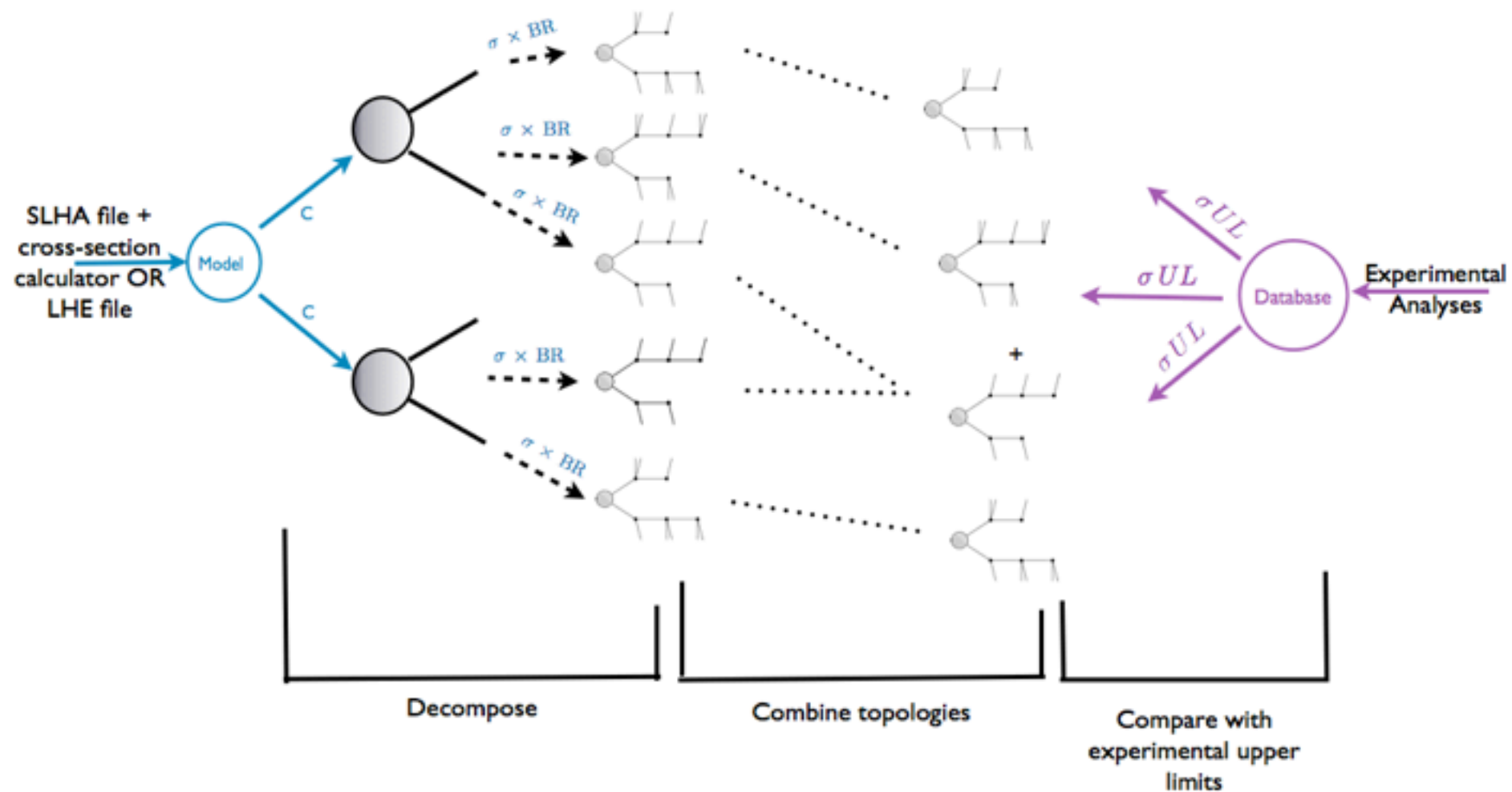
Can we have a centralized database of all the SMS results to check a given SUSY point in parameter space by decomposing it into SMS topologies?

Central concept of



# SModelS framework

- It assumes, for most experimental searches, the BSM model can be approximated by a sum over effective simplified models



- Current implementation assumes R-parity is conserved

Given  
Spectra

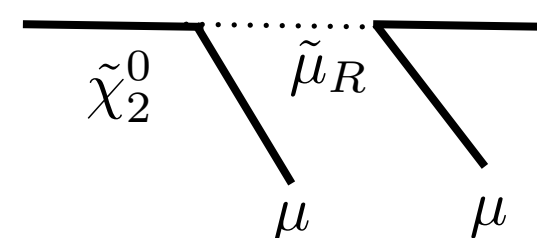
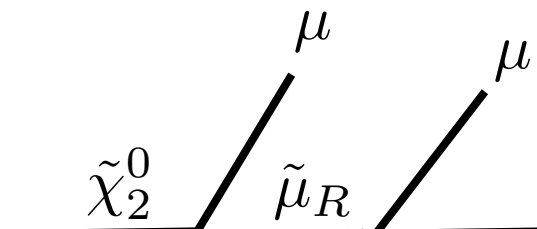
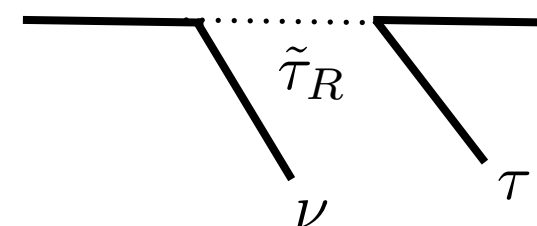
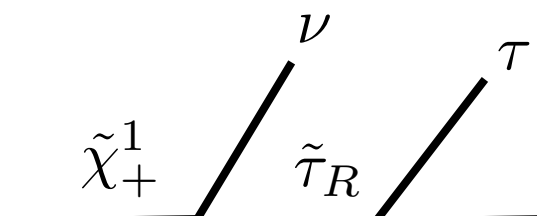
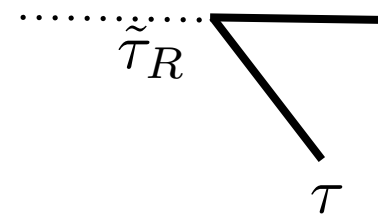
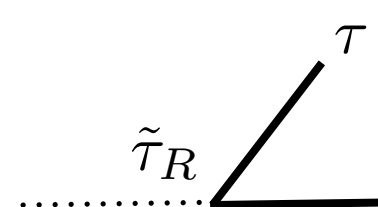
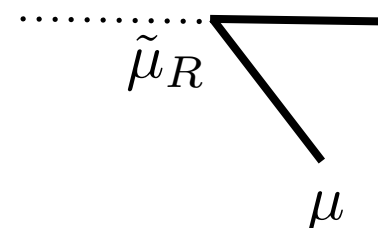
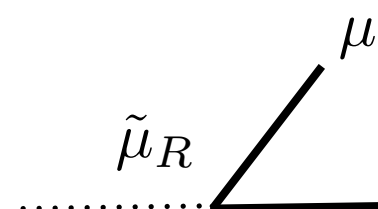
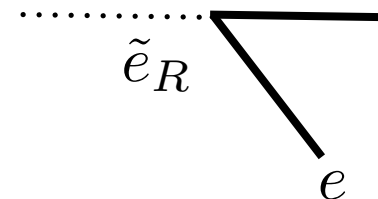
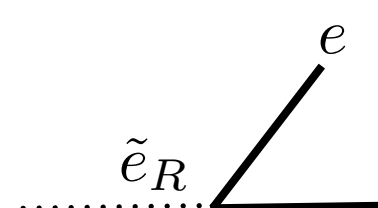
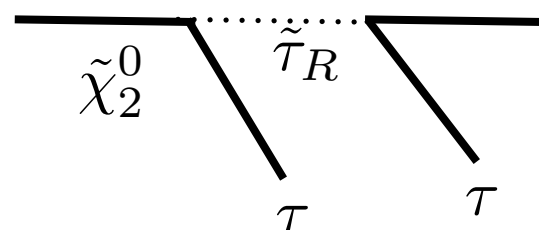
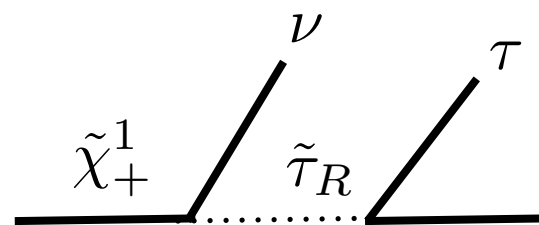
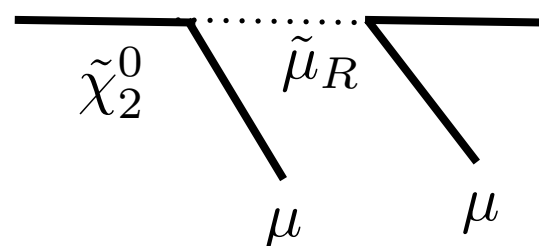
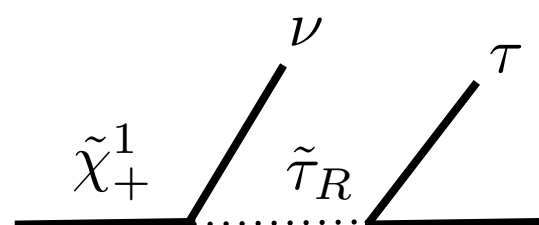
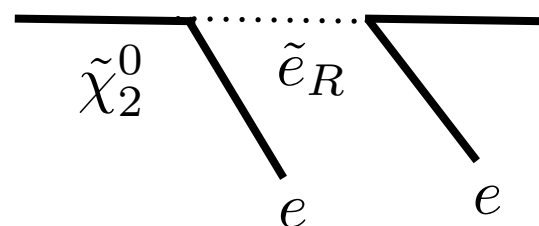
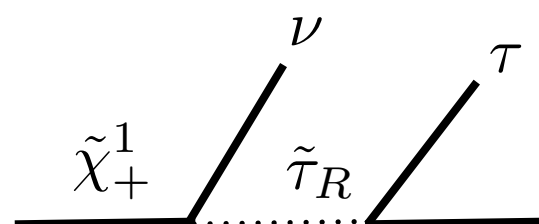
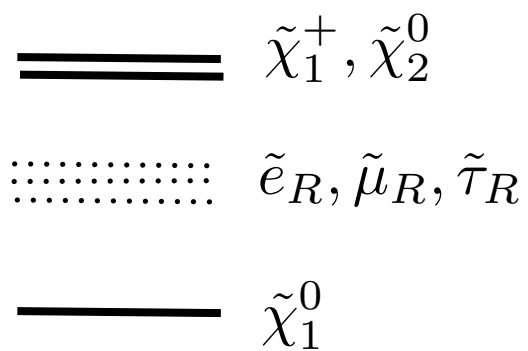
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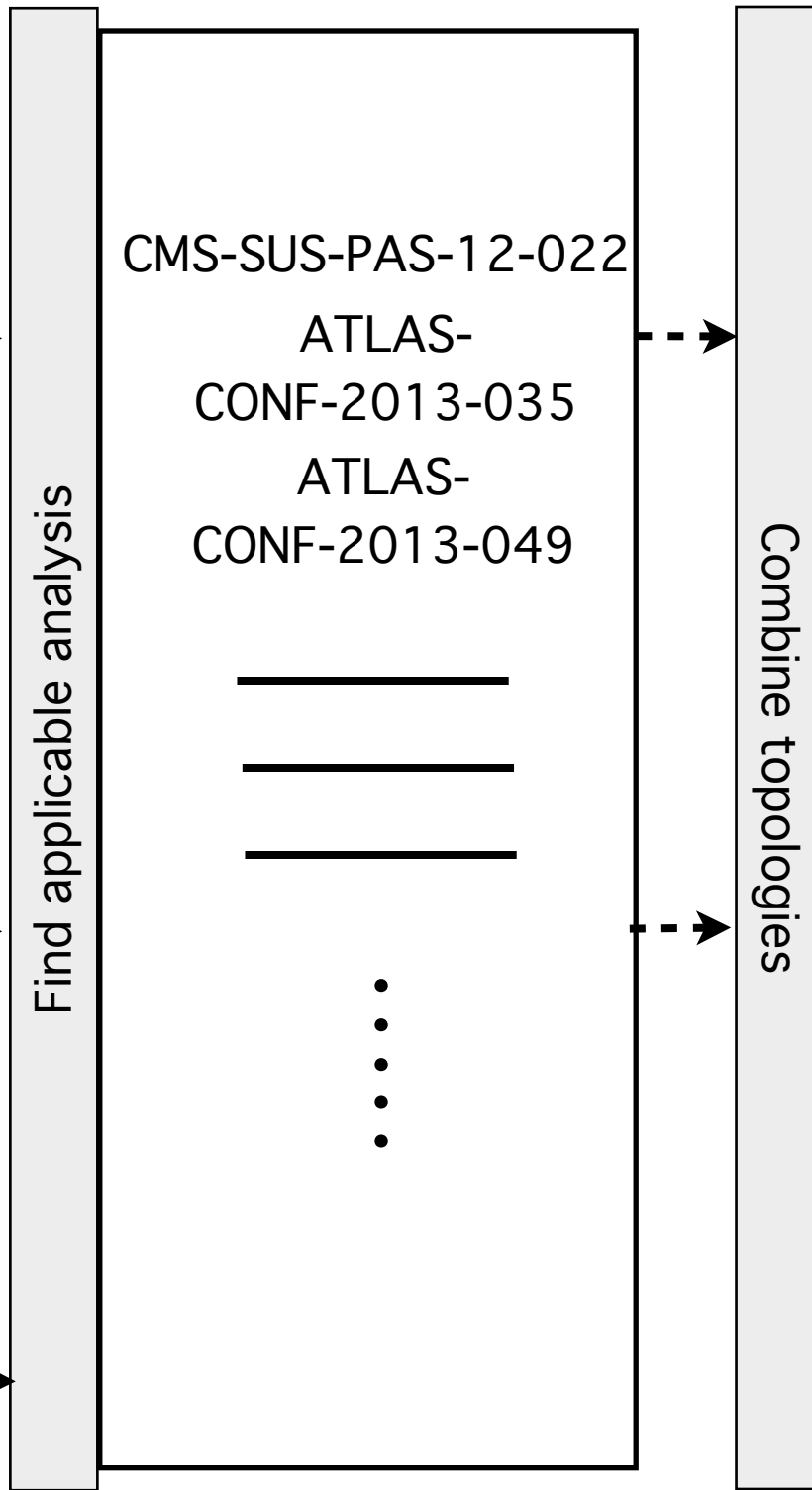
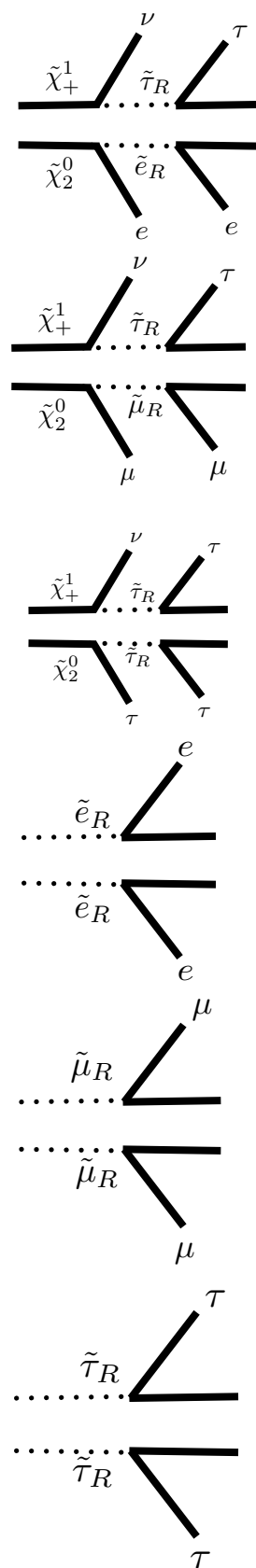
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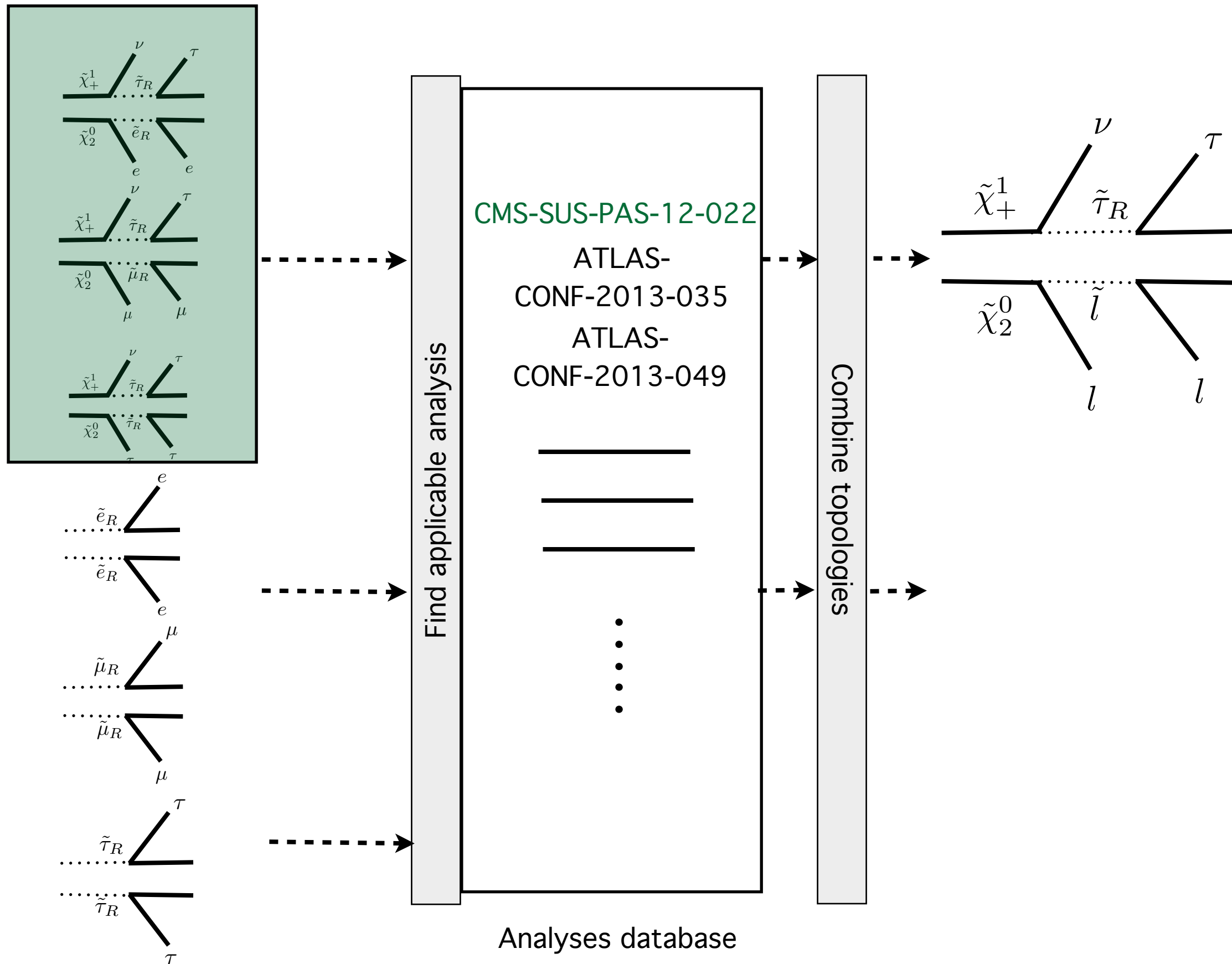
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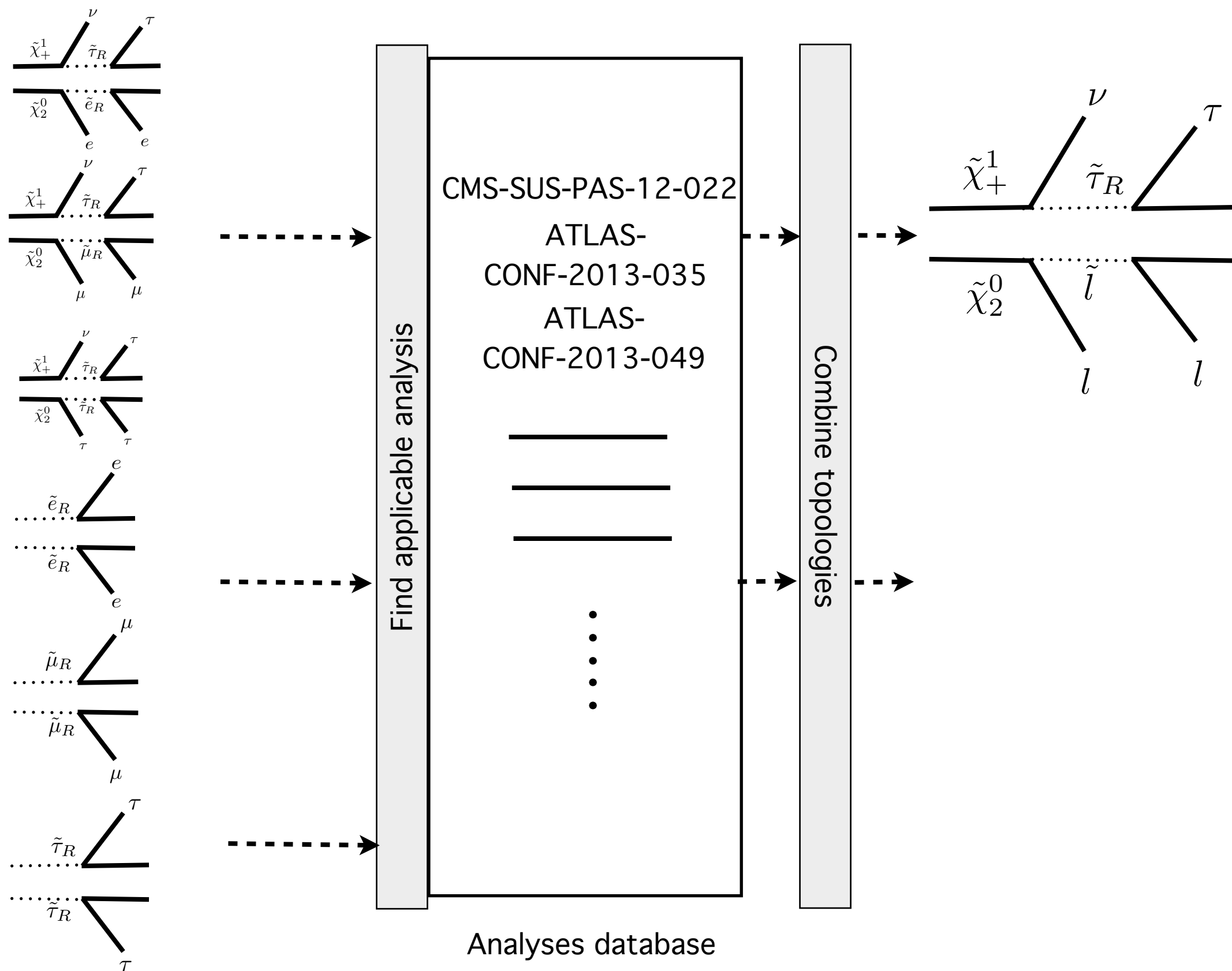


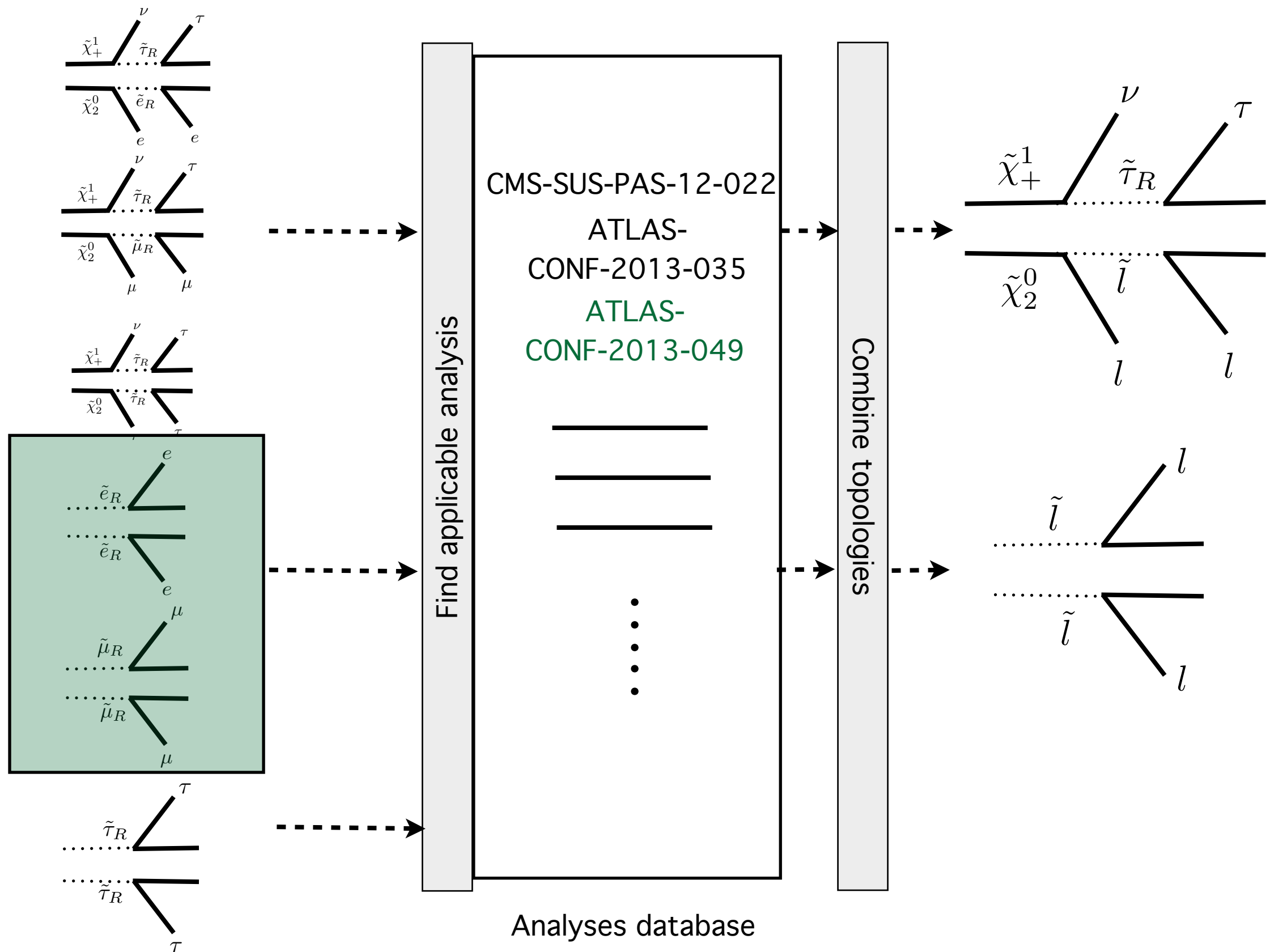
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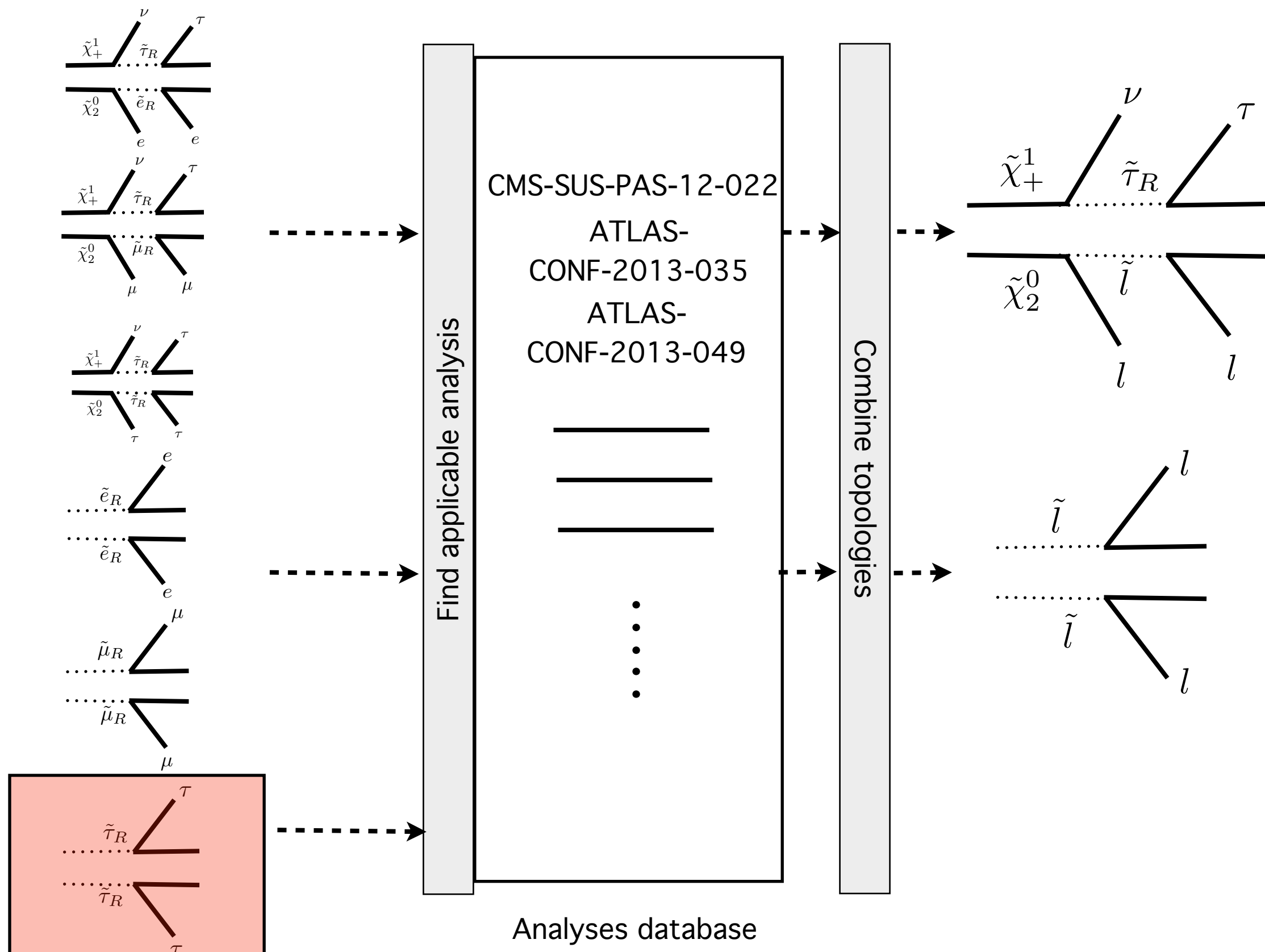
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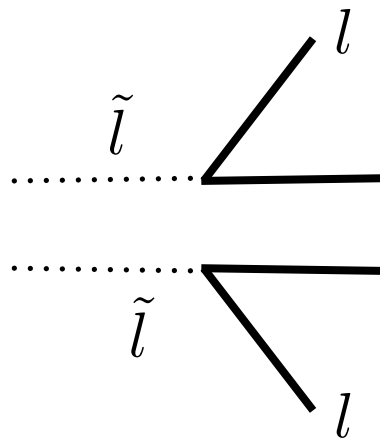
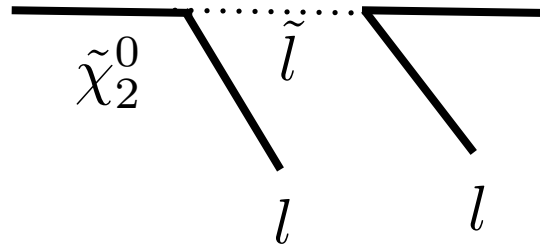
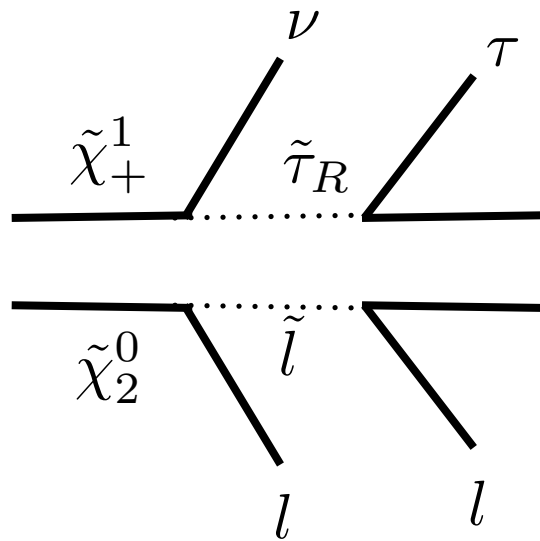






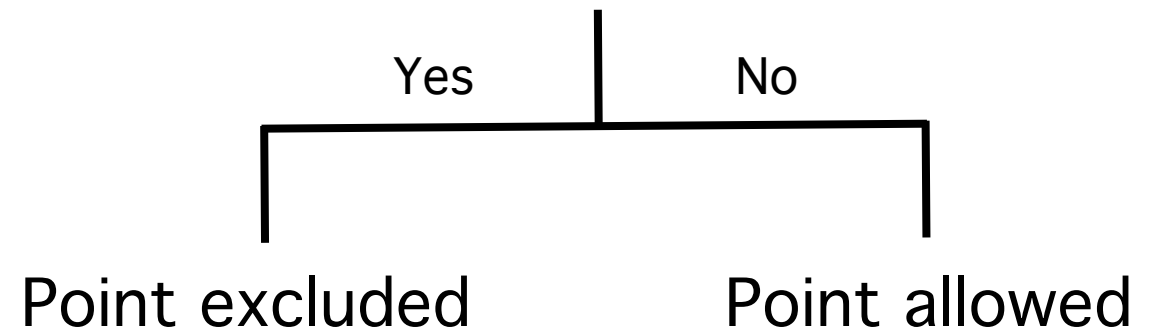






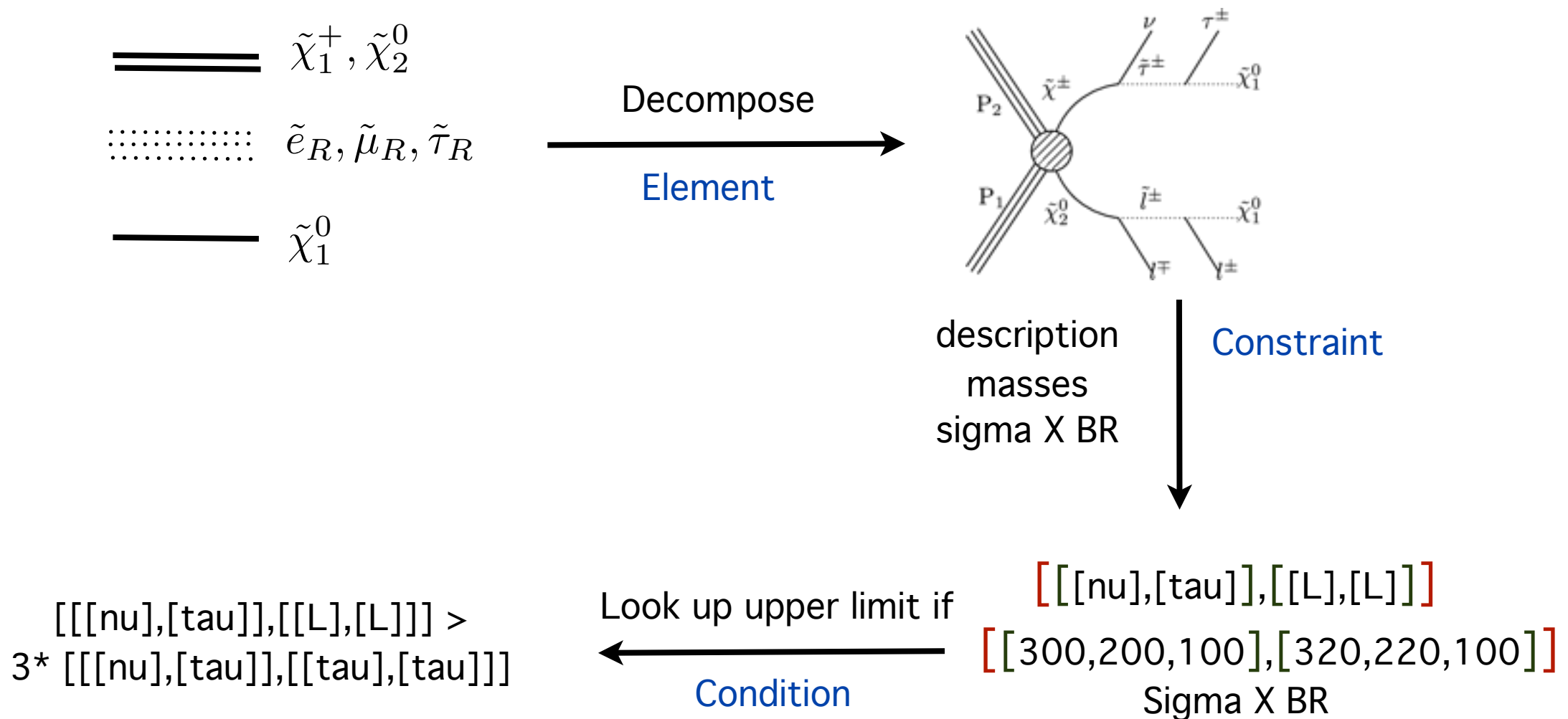
Look-up experimental limits

Is theory prediction > experimental limit?



# SModelS framework

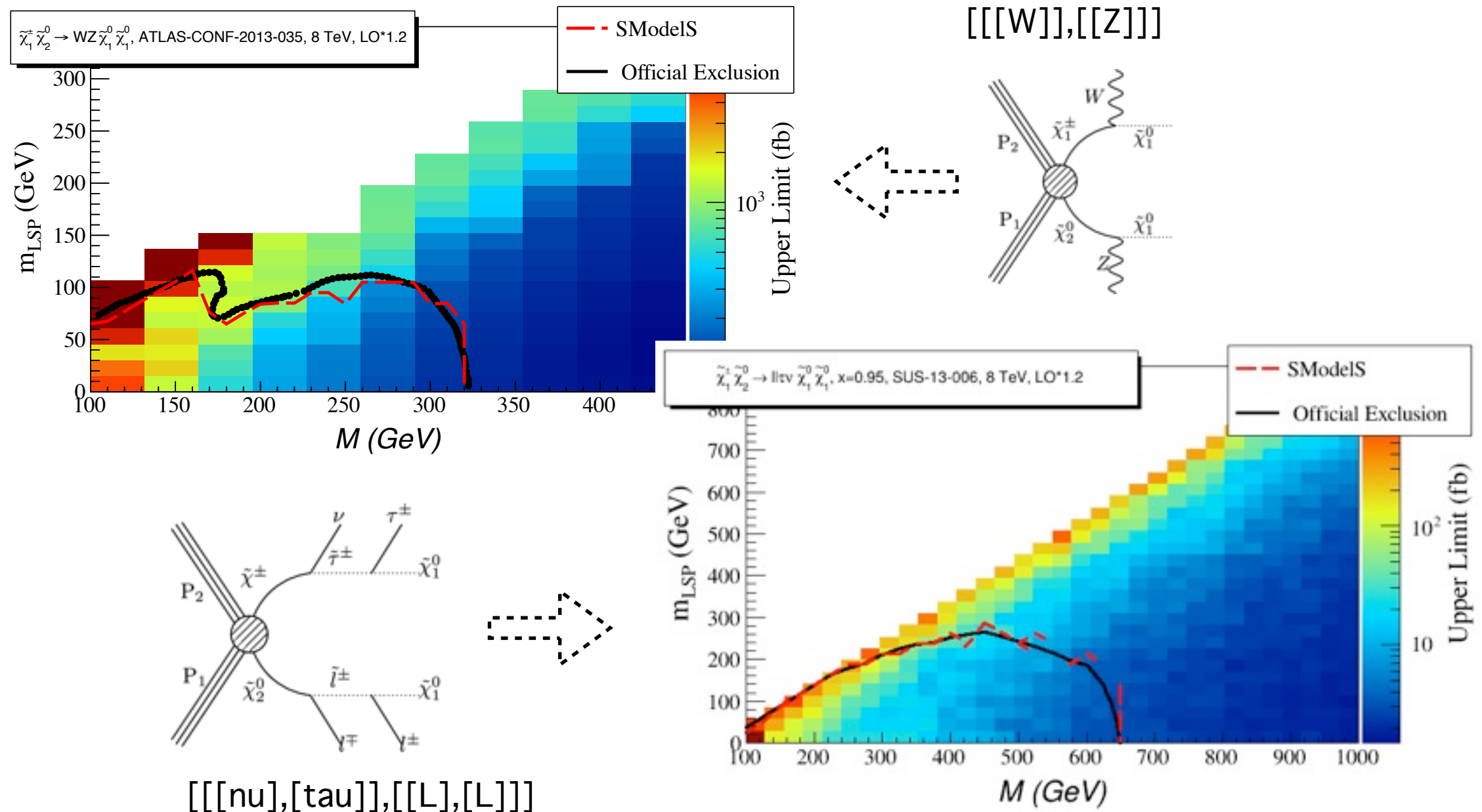
- Consider:



- The framework does not depend on characteristics of SUSY particles, can also be applied to decompose any BSM spectra of arbitrary complexity

# How do we know it works?

- The code has been validated through the reproduction of various SMS exclusion curves



Typical examples of validation plot



# Salient features

- Code is equipped to decompose any BSM model with a  $Z_2$  symmetry
- It can handle compressed topologies
- It can take care of invisible decays
- It has the most comprehensive database of simplified model results, 22 CMS, 24 ATLAS (7 + 8 TeV)
- Now a web SLHA interface is available to check your point

<http://smodels.hephy.at/online/pmssm.py>

Good, so what do you learn out of it?

based on:  
arXiv: 1312.4175 [hep-ph]

# SUSY scan - weak sector

- pMSSM scan over 6 parameters

- |       |       |              |                 |                 |          |
|-------|-------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|----------|
| $M_2$ | $\mu$ | $\tan \beta$ | $M_{\tilde{L}}$ | $M_{\tilde{E}}$ | $A_\tau$ |
| 0.1–1 | 0.1–1 | 3–60         | 0.1–1           | 0.1–1           | $\pm 1$  |

- Gaugino masses obey GUT relation

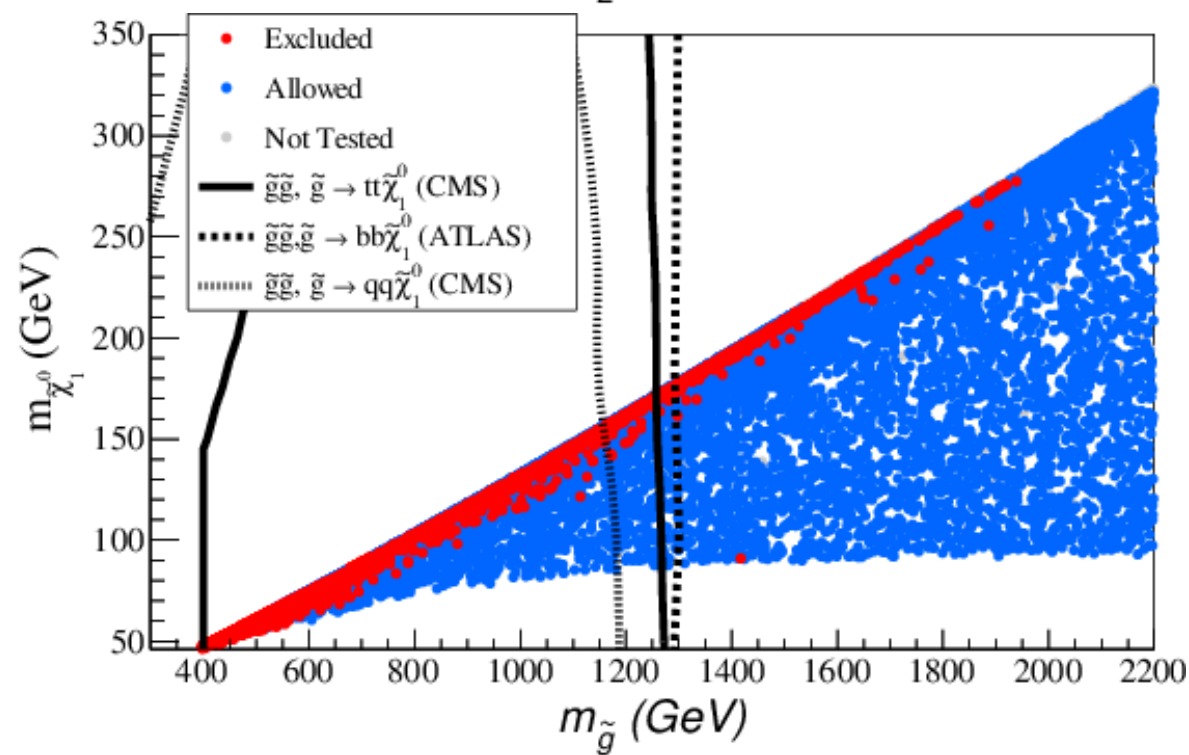
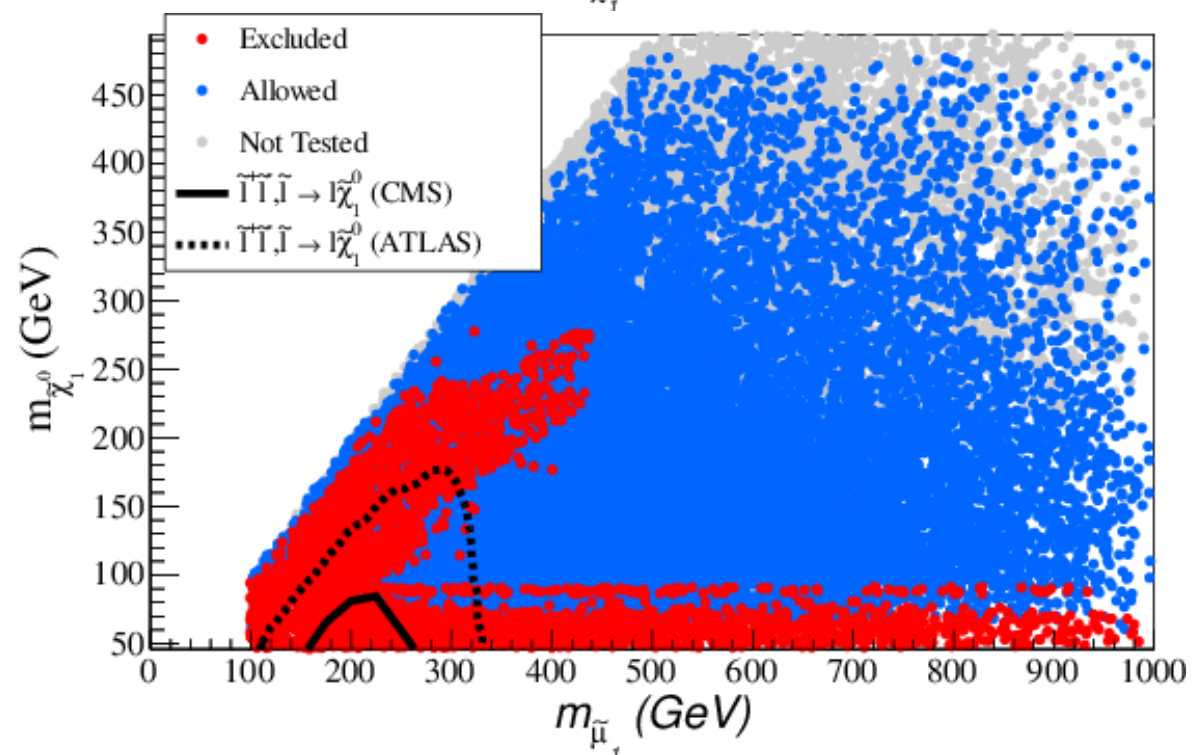
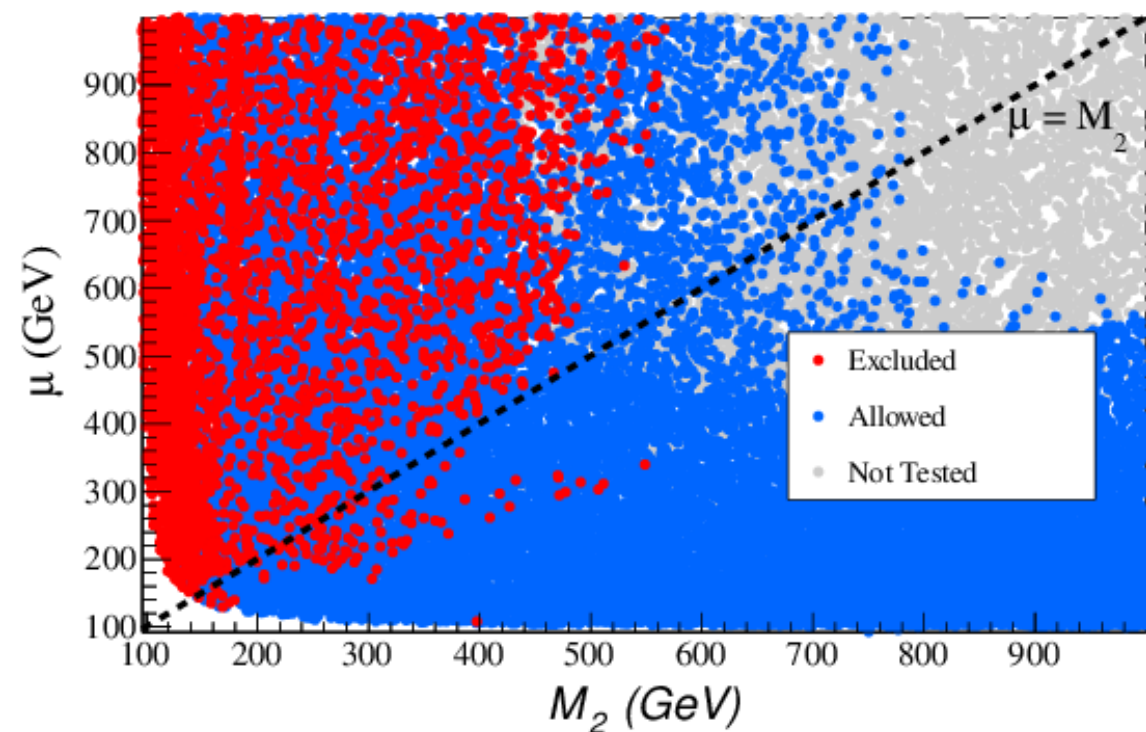
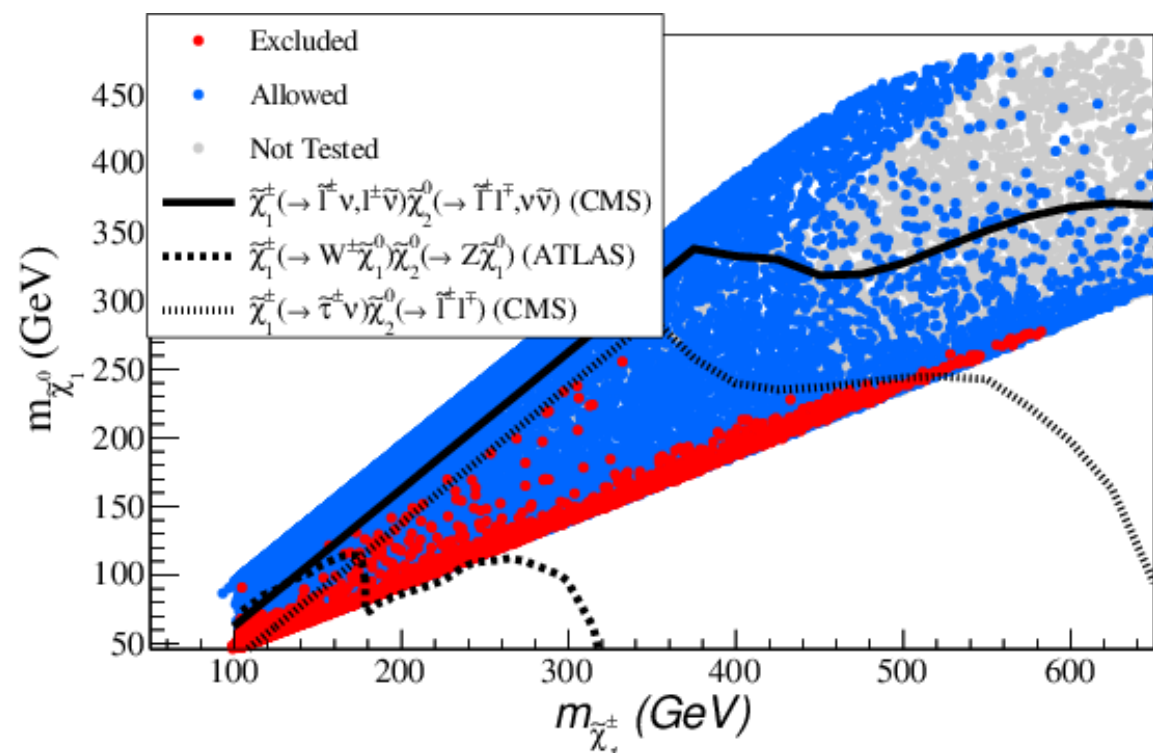
- Flavor constraints, invisible Z width, Higgs mass, LEP limits imposed

- Limits obtained will always be conservative

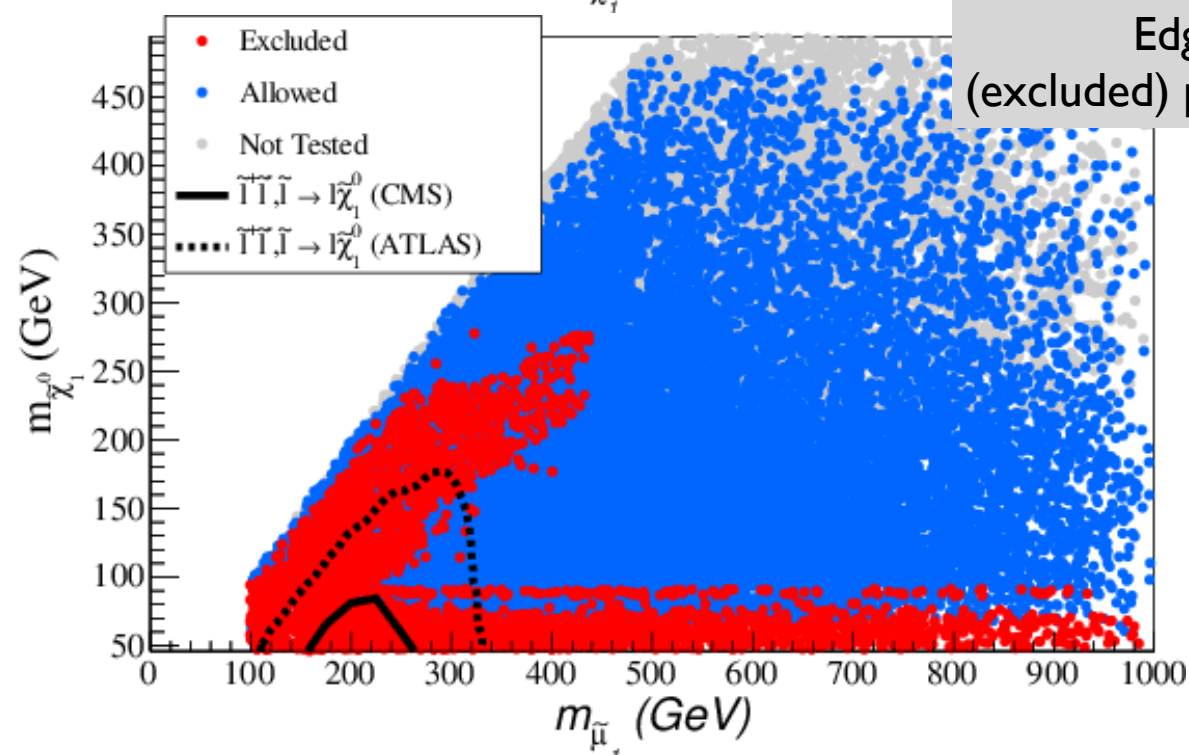
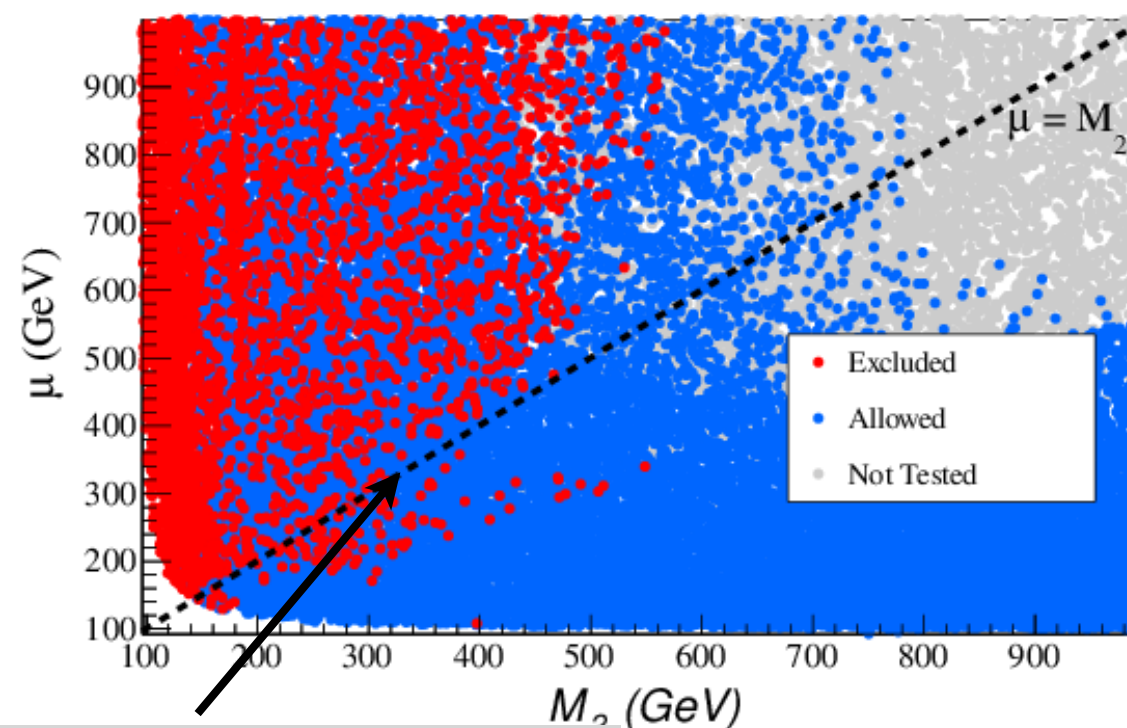
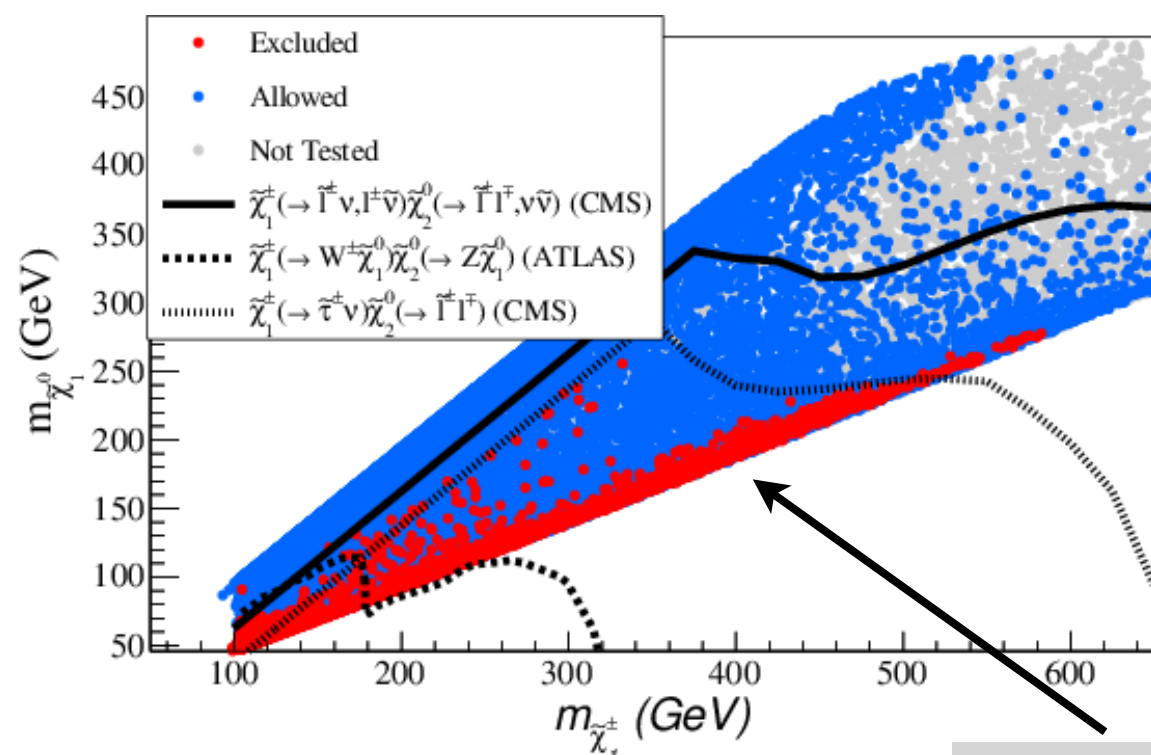
- We probe electroweak -ino decays via WZ and sleptons, direct slepton production and gluino decays

NB: A similar scan was also performed for strong sector particles

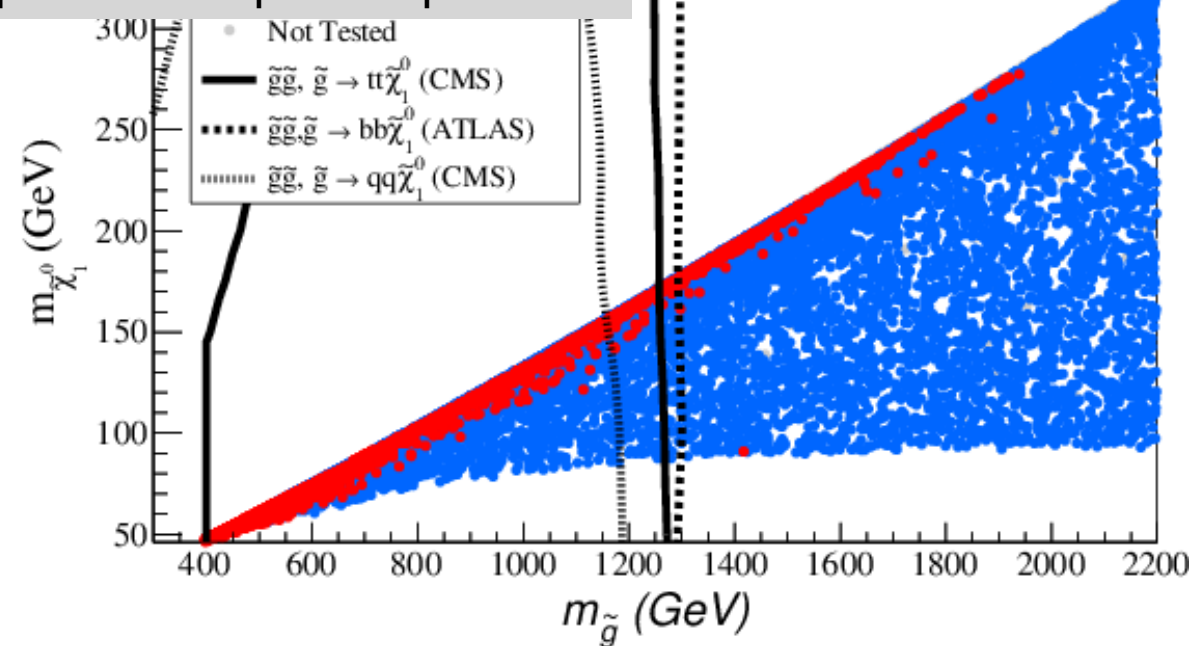
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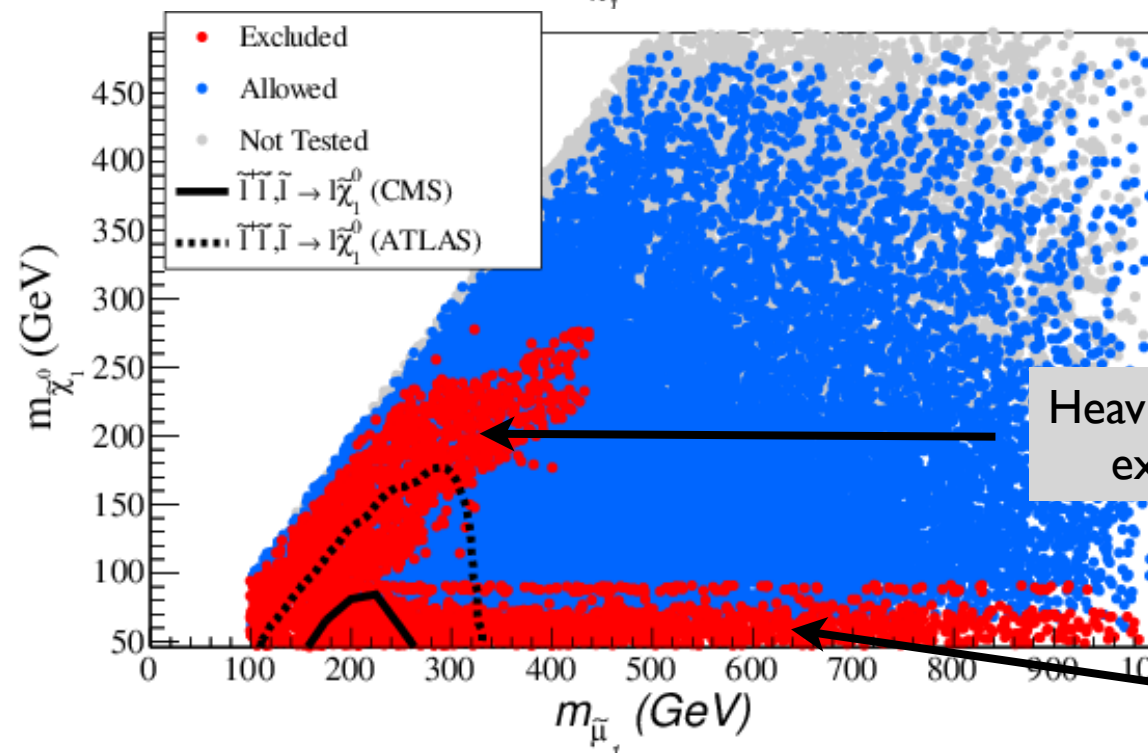
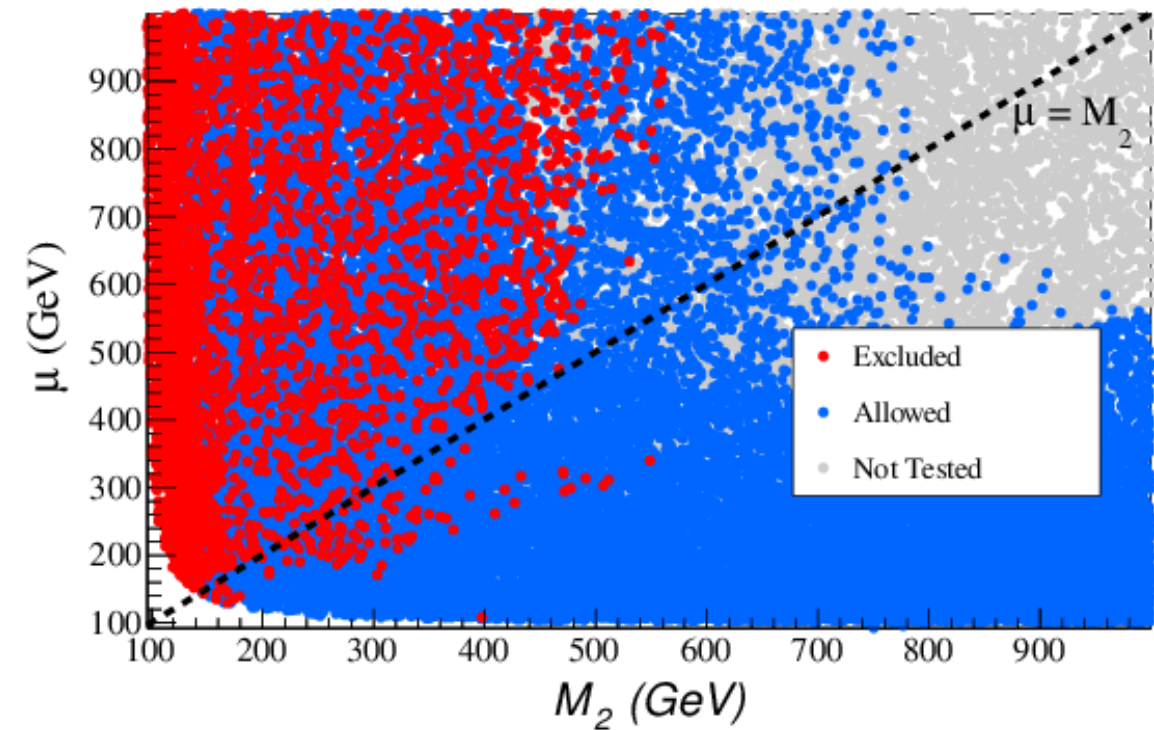
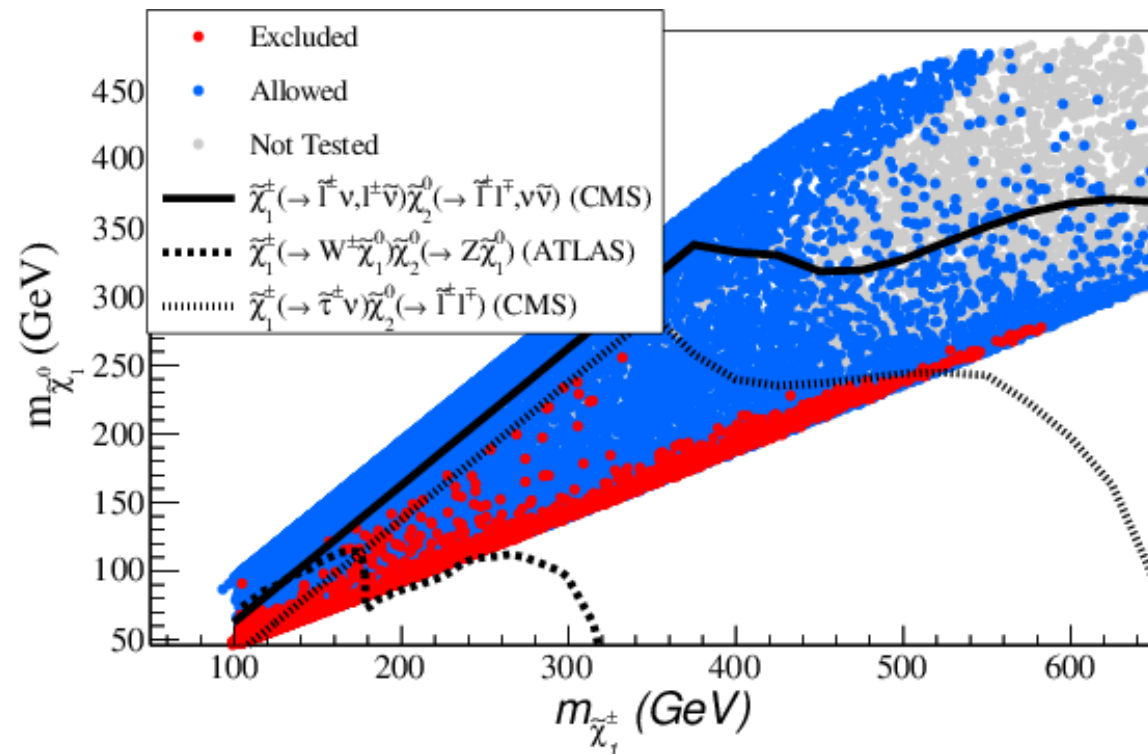


Edge due to GUT relation  
(excluded) points correspond to pure wino

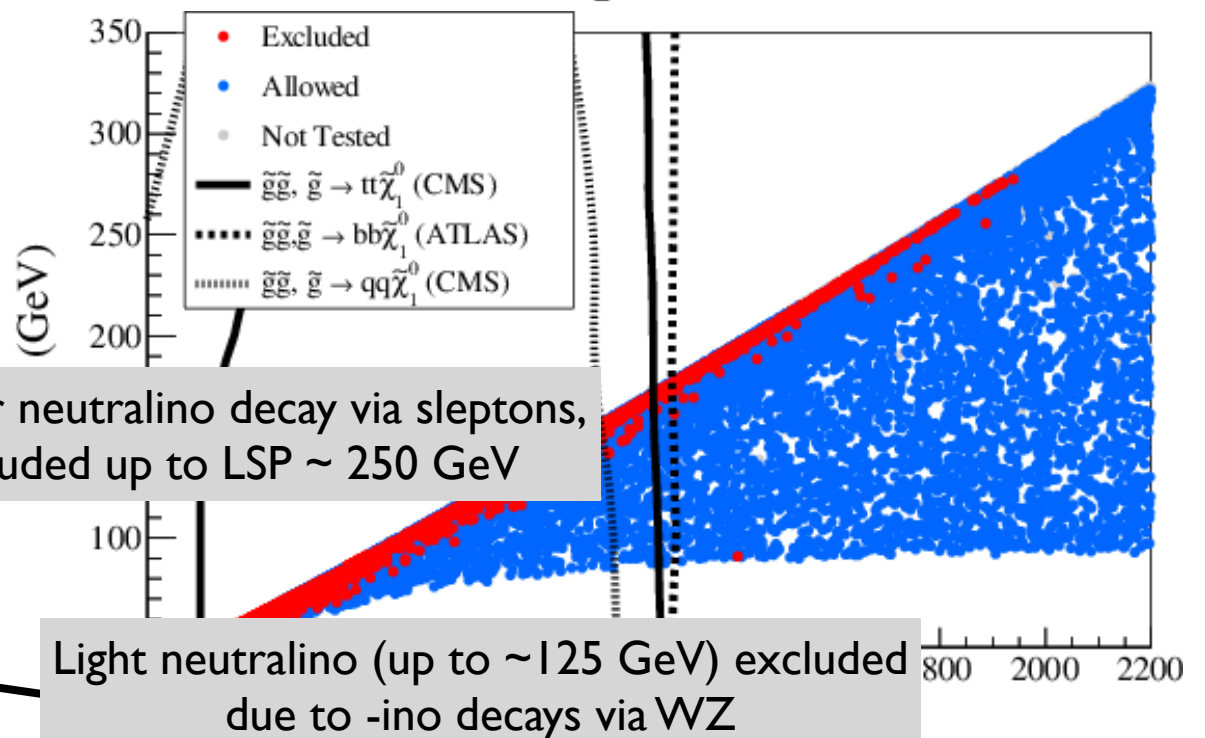




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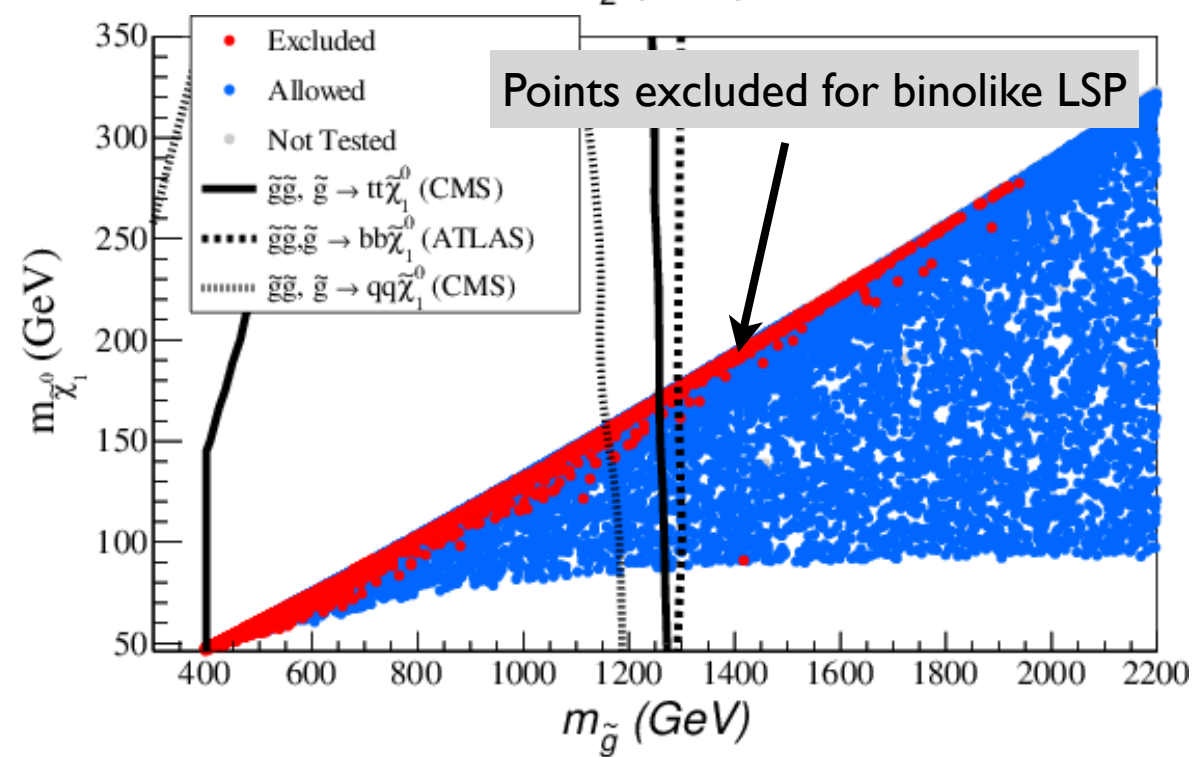
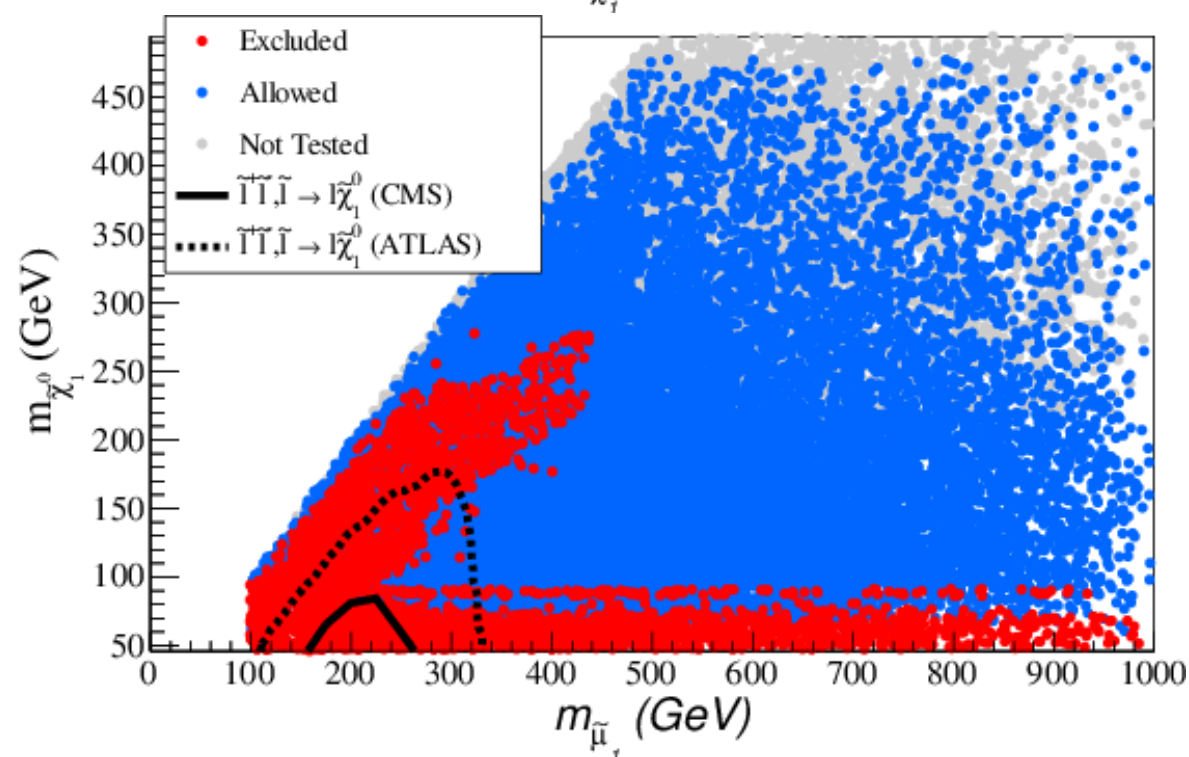
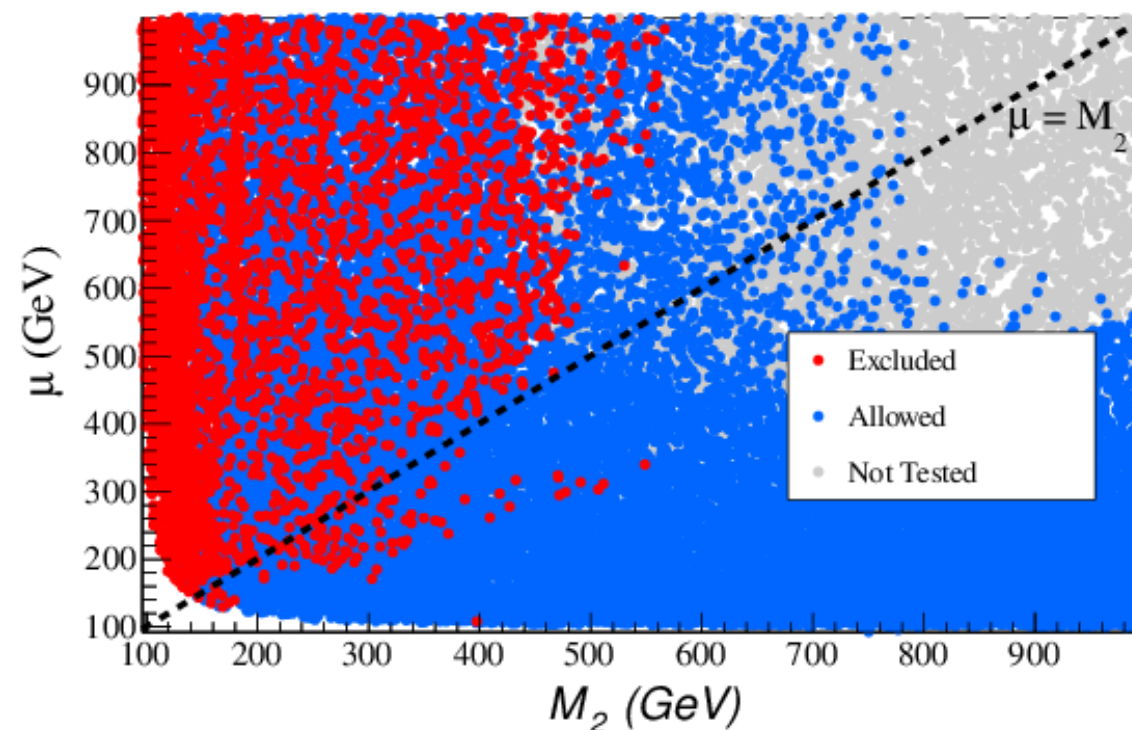
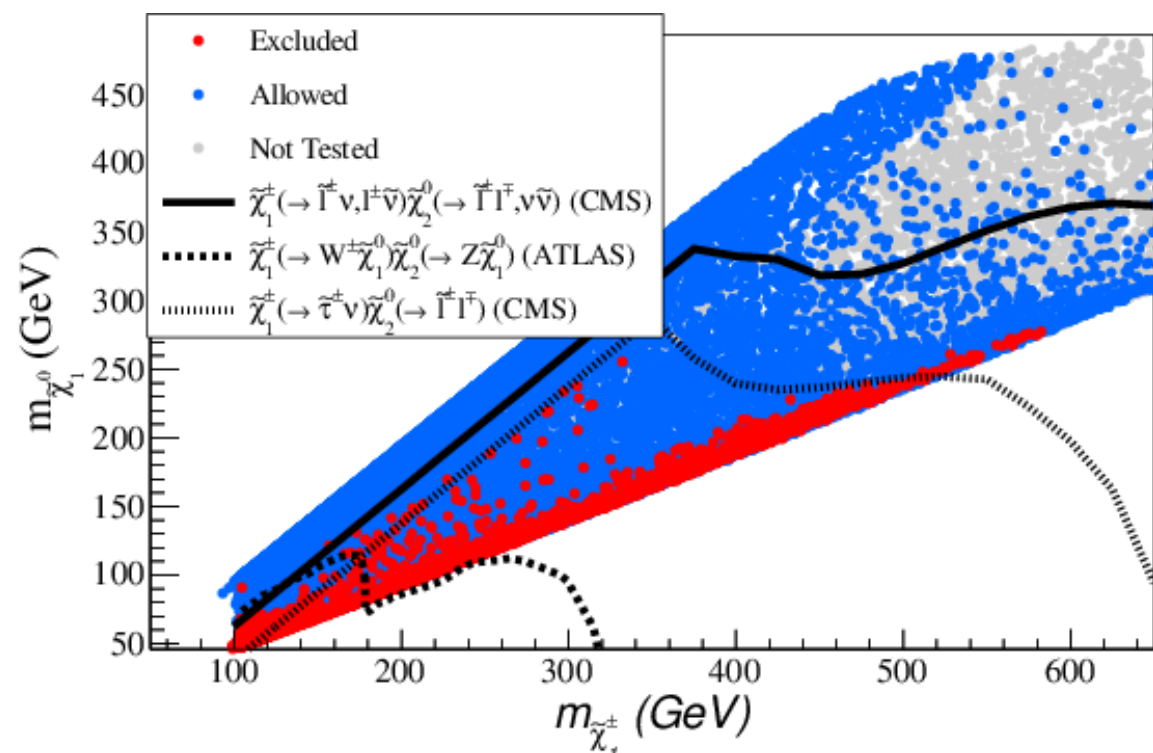


Heavier neutralino decay via sleptons, excluded up to LSP  $\sim 250$  GeV



Light neutralino (up to  $\sim 125$  GeV) excluded due to -ino decays via WZ

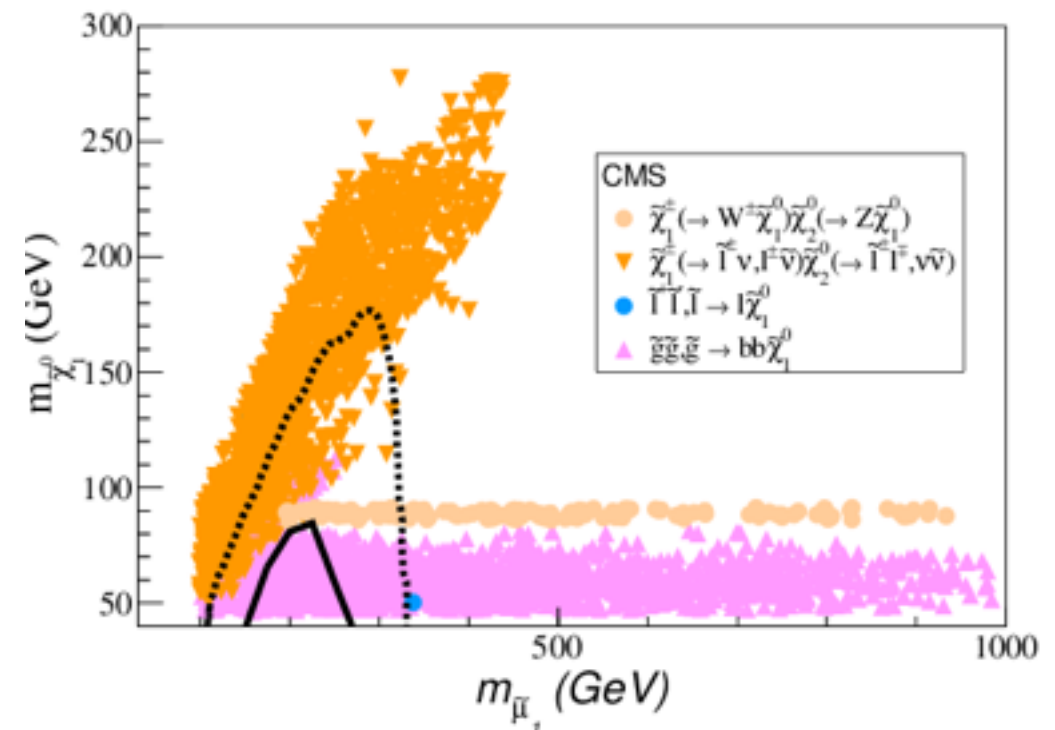
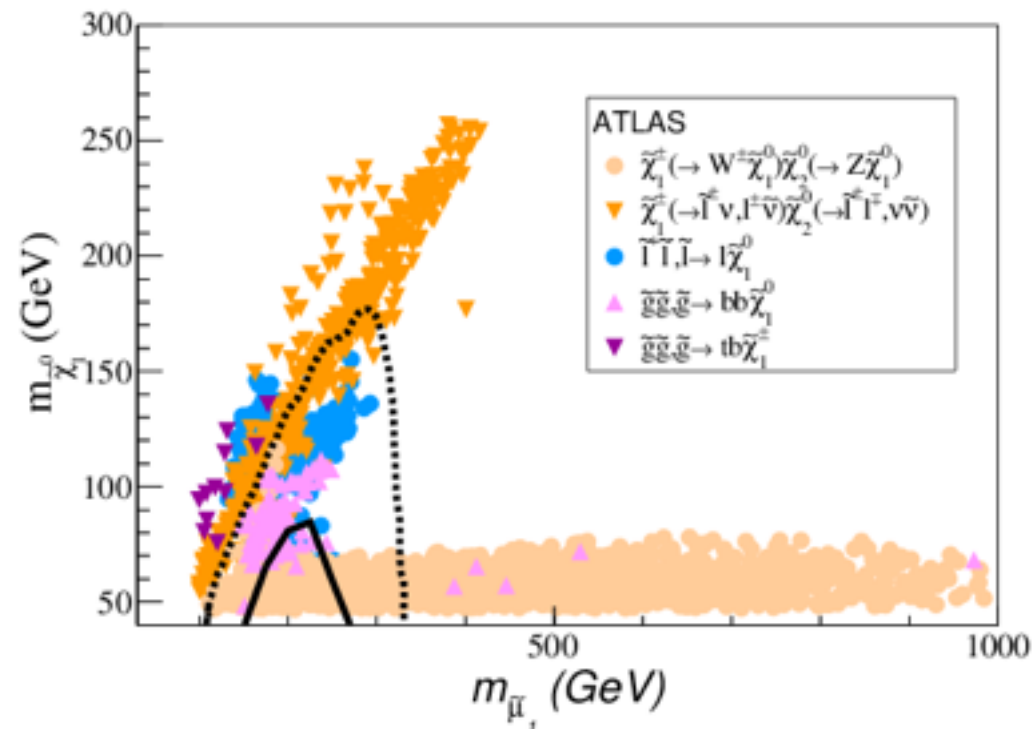
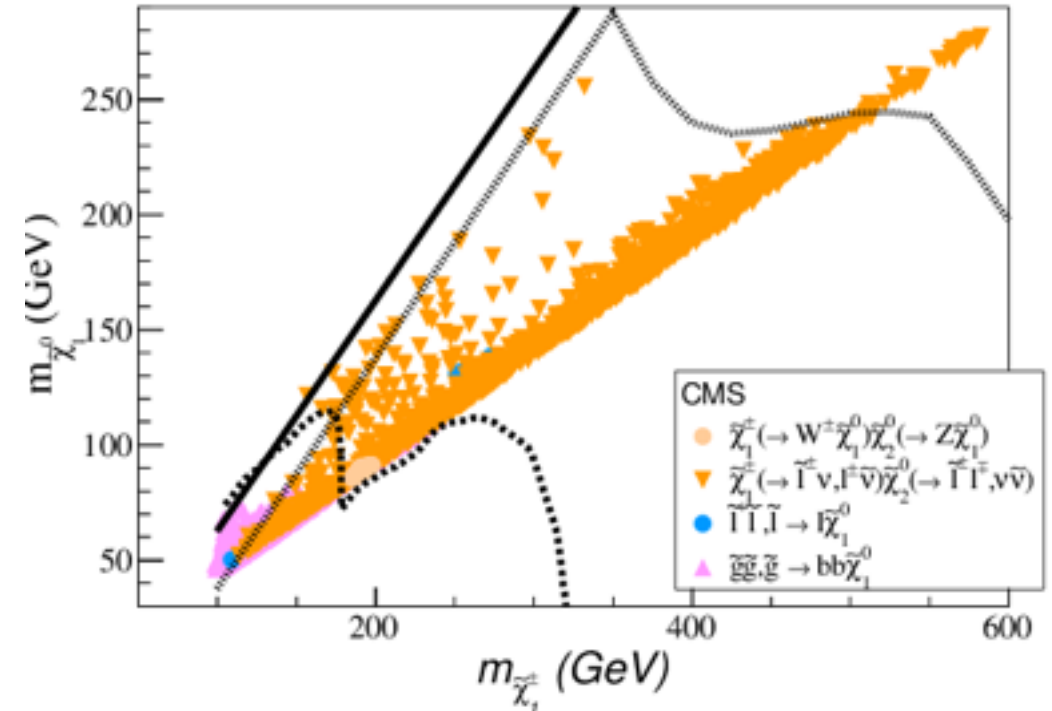
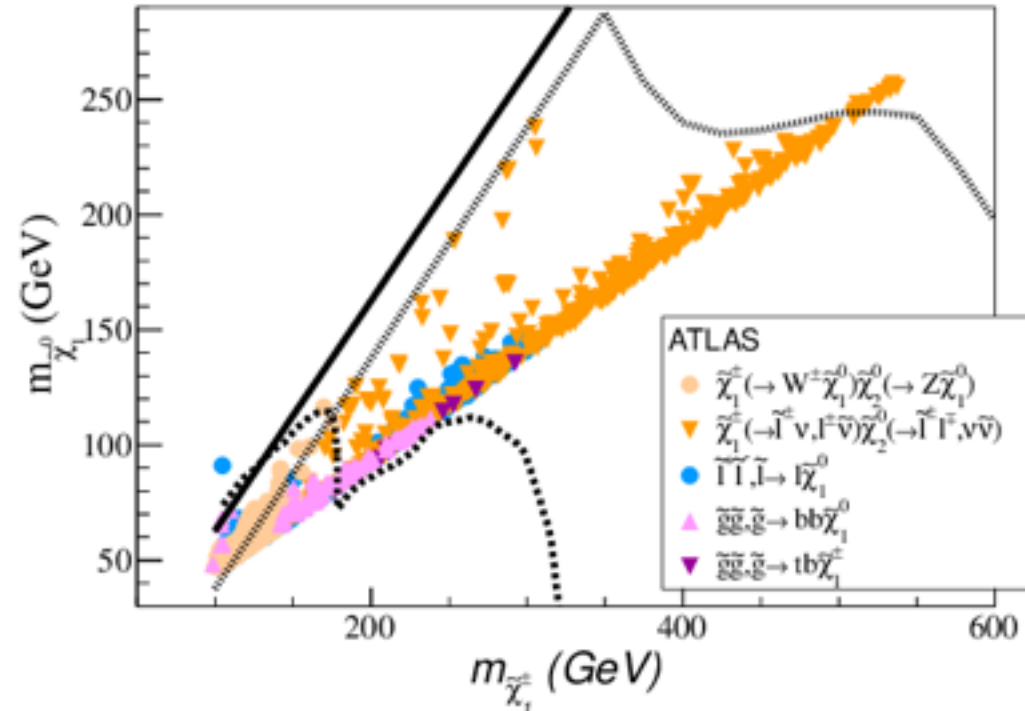
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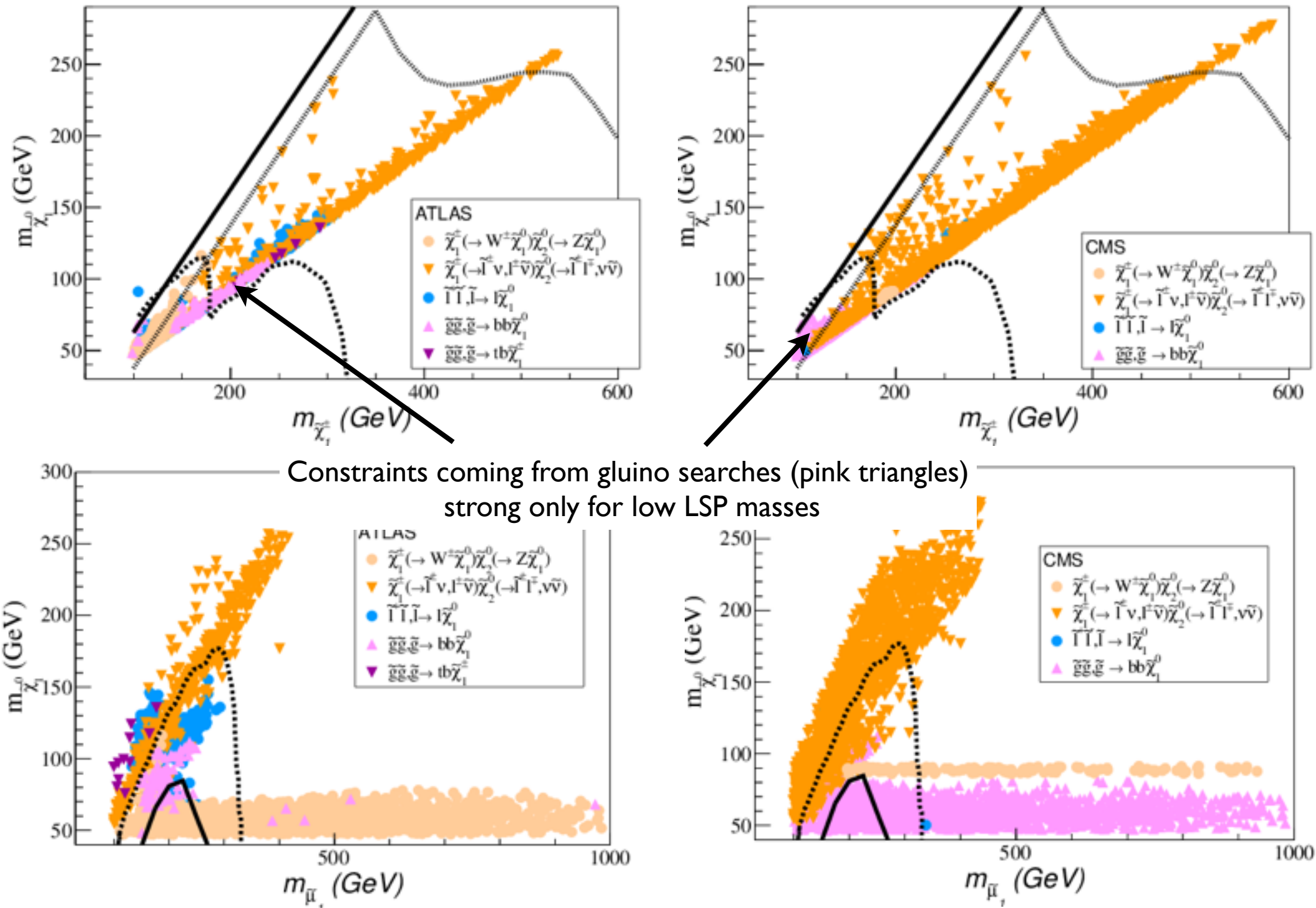
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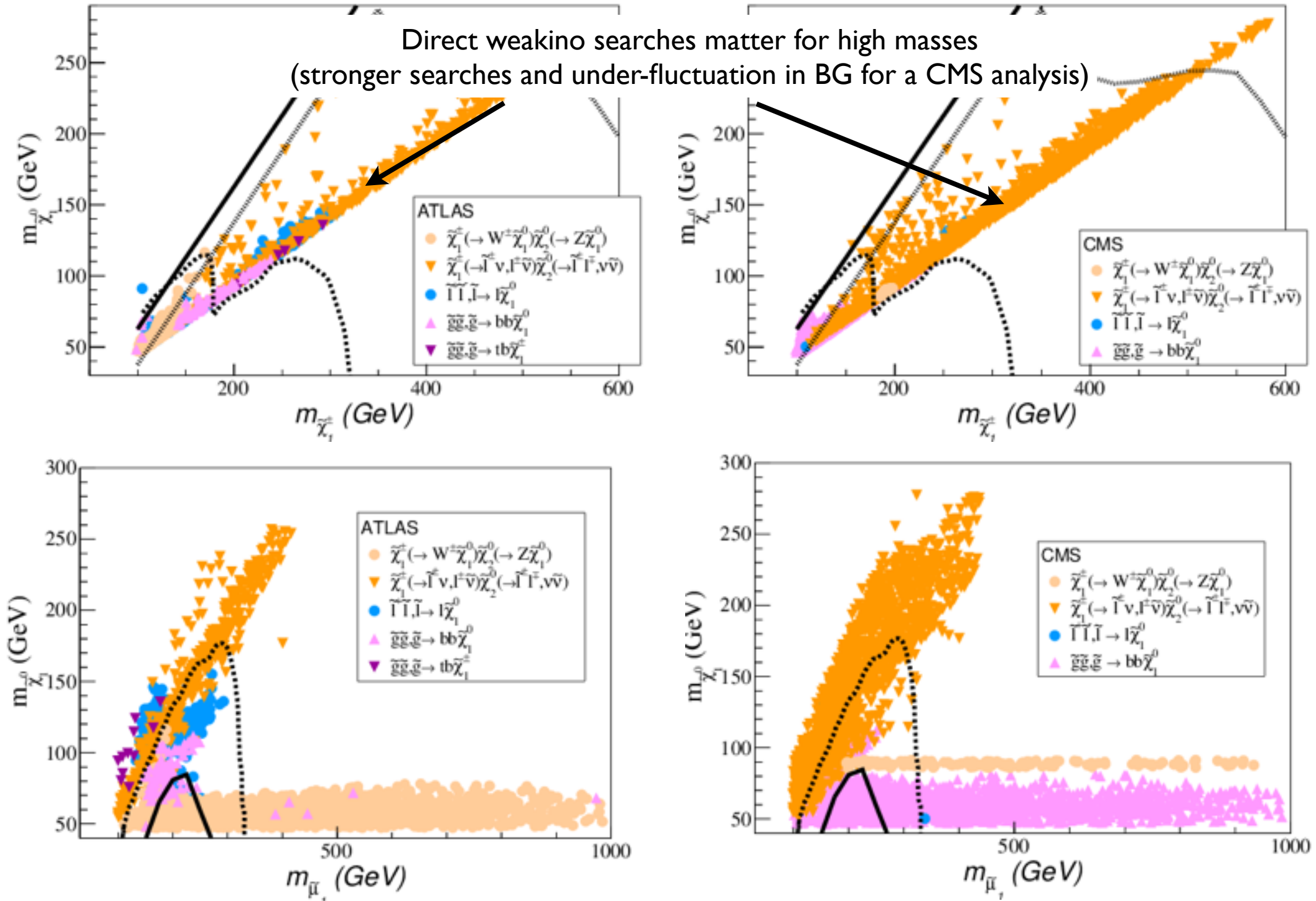
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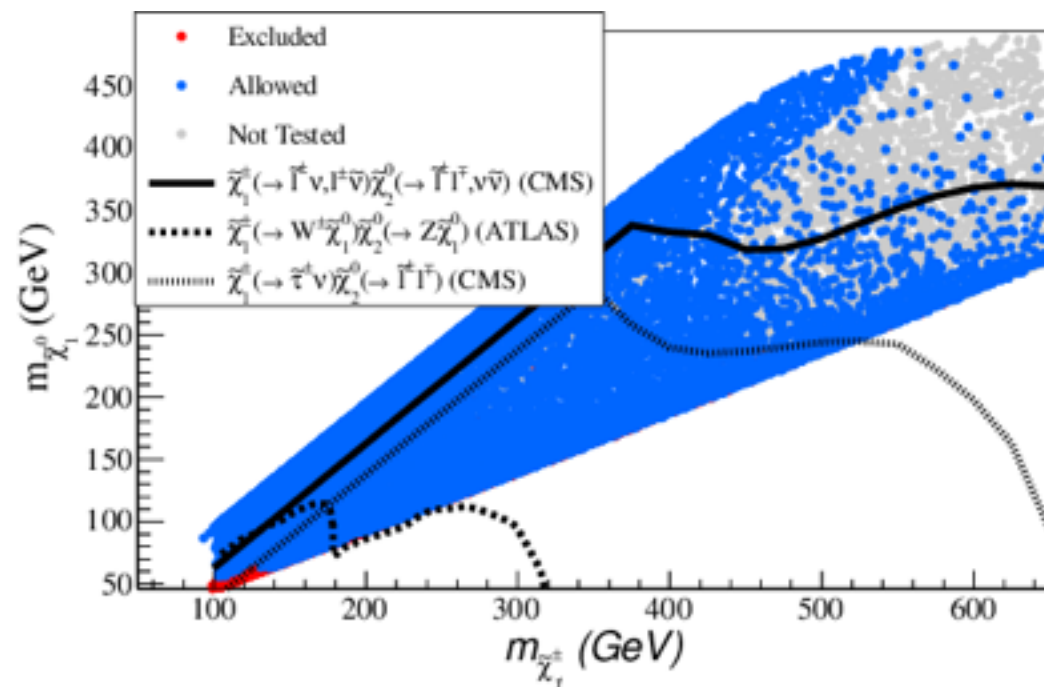
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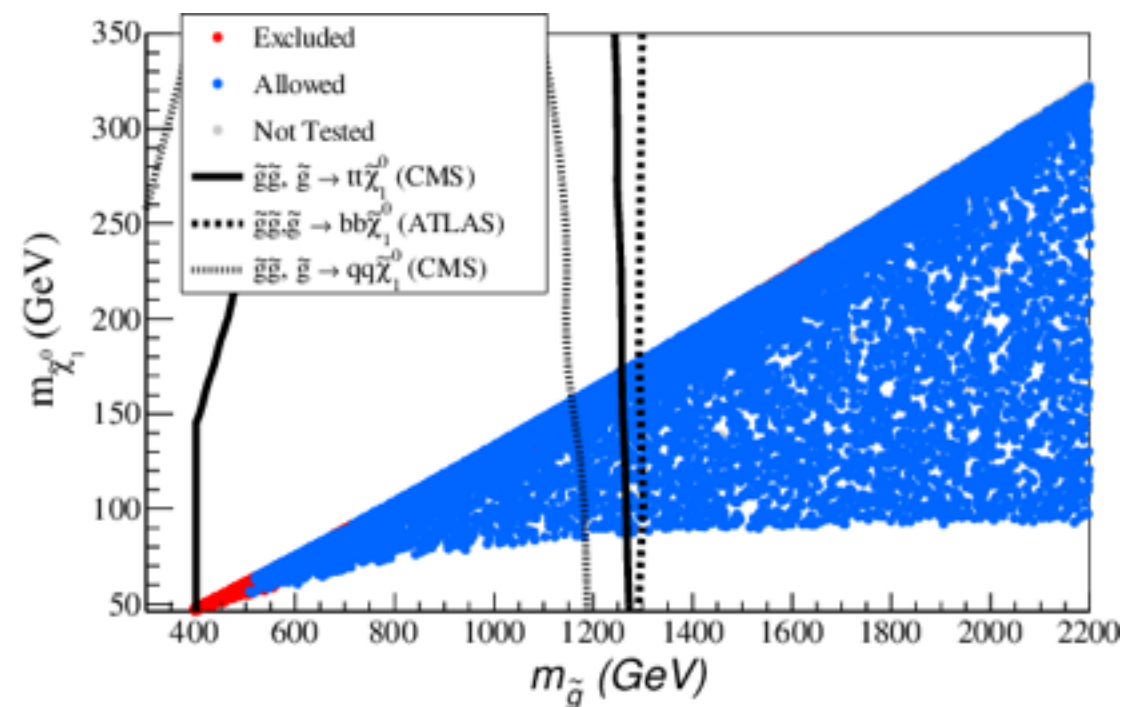
# SUSY scan - weak sector

- Some allowed points may lie below excluded points



- Gluino decays via on-shell squarks are kinematically forbidden for small masses
- Uncovered gluino decay topologies e.g.  $BR(\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}^\pm + tb)$

- Chargino - LSP nature, higgsino have smaller production cross-section
- Right handed sleptons have smaller production CS



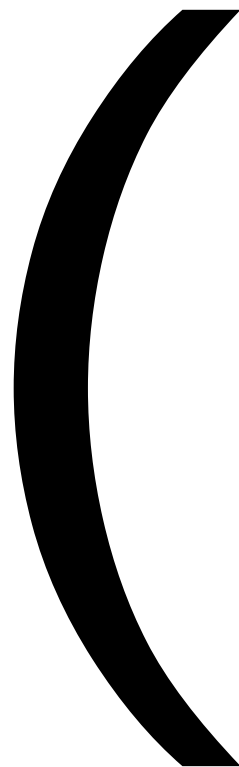
Can it be used to test parameter space for some interesting scenario?

# A real life application

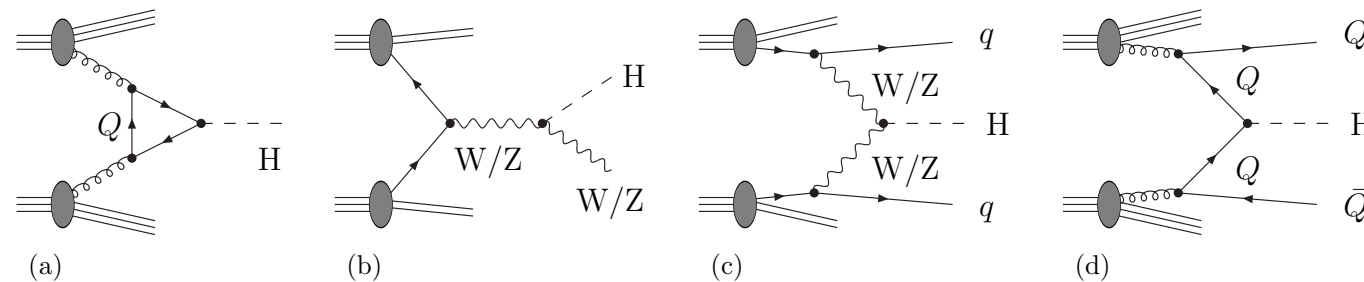
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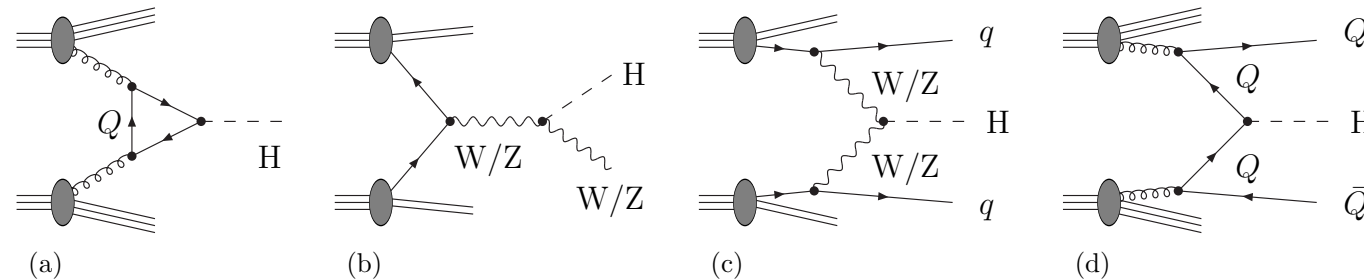


- Four production modes ggF, VH, VBF, and ttH
- Five final states:  $\gamma\gamma$ ,  $ZZ^{(*)}$ ,  $WW^{(*)}$ ,  $b\bar{b}$  and  $\tau\tau$ . only four are independent - ZZ and WW related by custodial symmetry
- Loop induced ggF production and  $\gamma\gamma$  final state are susceptible to BSM contributions - in case of SUSY light staus and neutralino contribute
- Experimentally we get information on the signal strengths

$$\mu_i \equiv (\sigma \times \text{BR})_i / (\sigma \times \text{BR})_i^{\text{SM}},$$

for each final state

# 126 GeV Higgs at the LHC



- Higgs effective Lagrangian:

$$\mathcal{L} = g \left[ C_V \left( M_W W_\mu W^\mu + \frac{M_Z}{\cos \theta_W} Z_\mu Z^\mu \right) - C_U \frac{m_t}{2M_W} \bar{t}t - C_D \frac{m_b}{2M_W} \bar{b}b - C_D \frac{m_\tau}{2M_W} \bar{\tau}\tau \right] H .$$

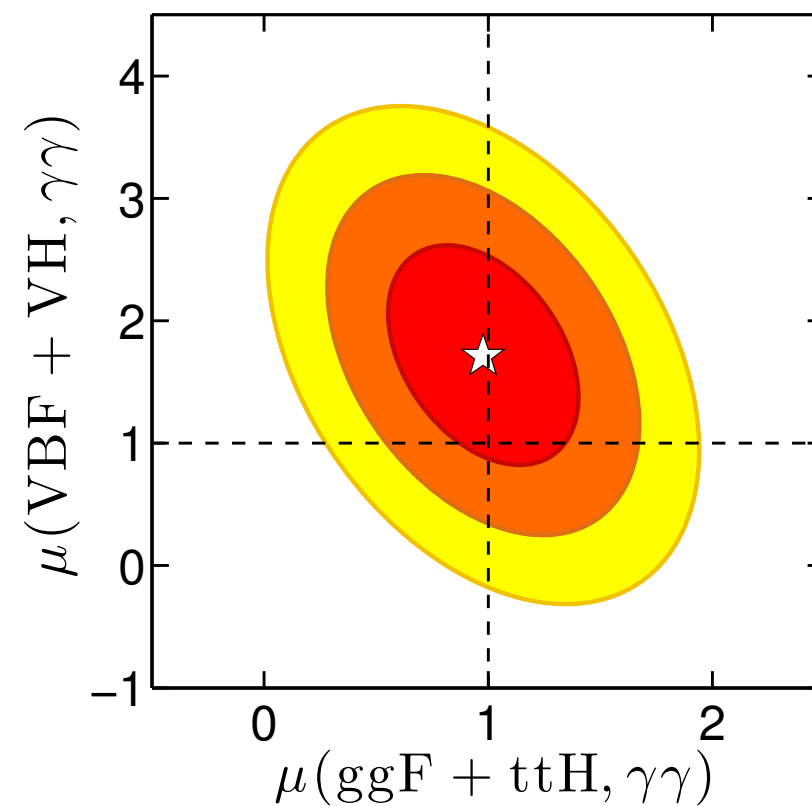
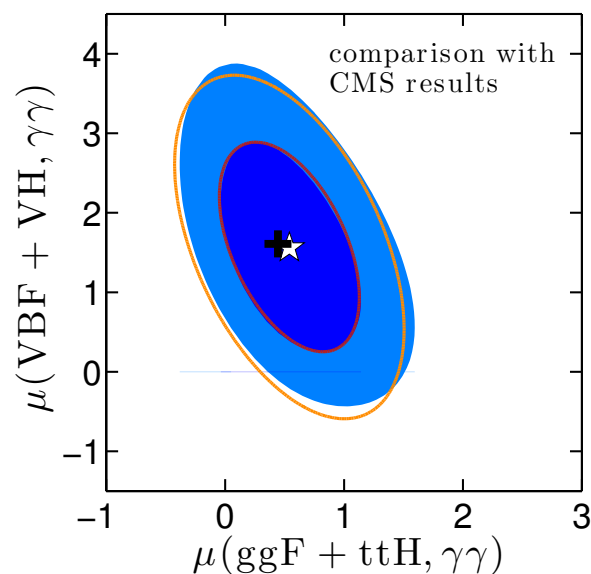
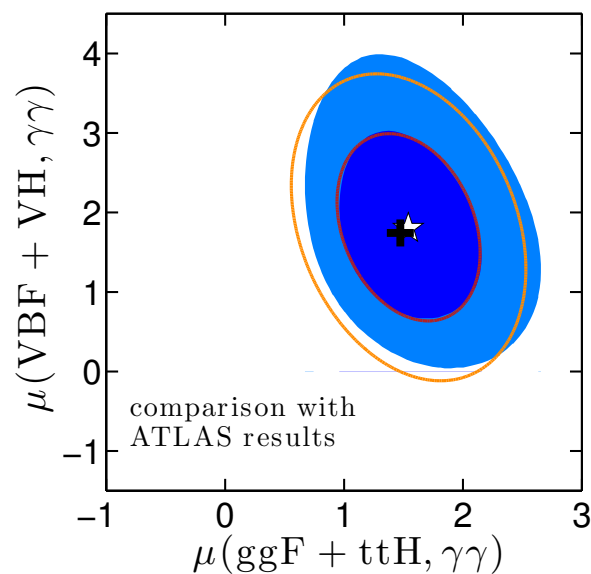
C's scale couplings relative to SM ones;  $C_U=C_D=C_V=1$  is SM.

- Additional loop contribution modify the couplings to gluons and photons



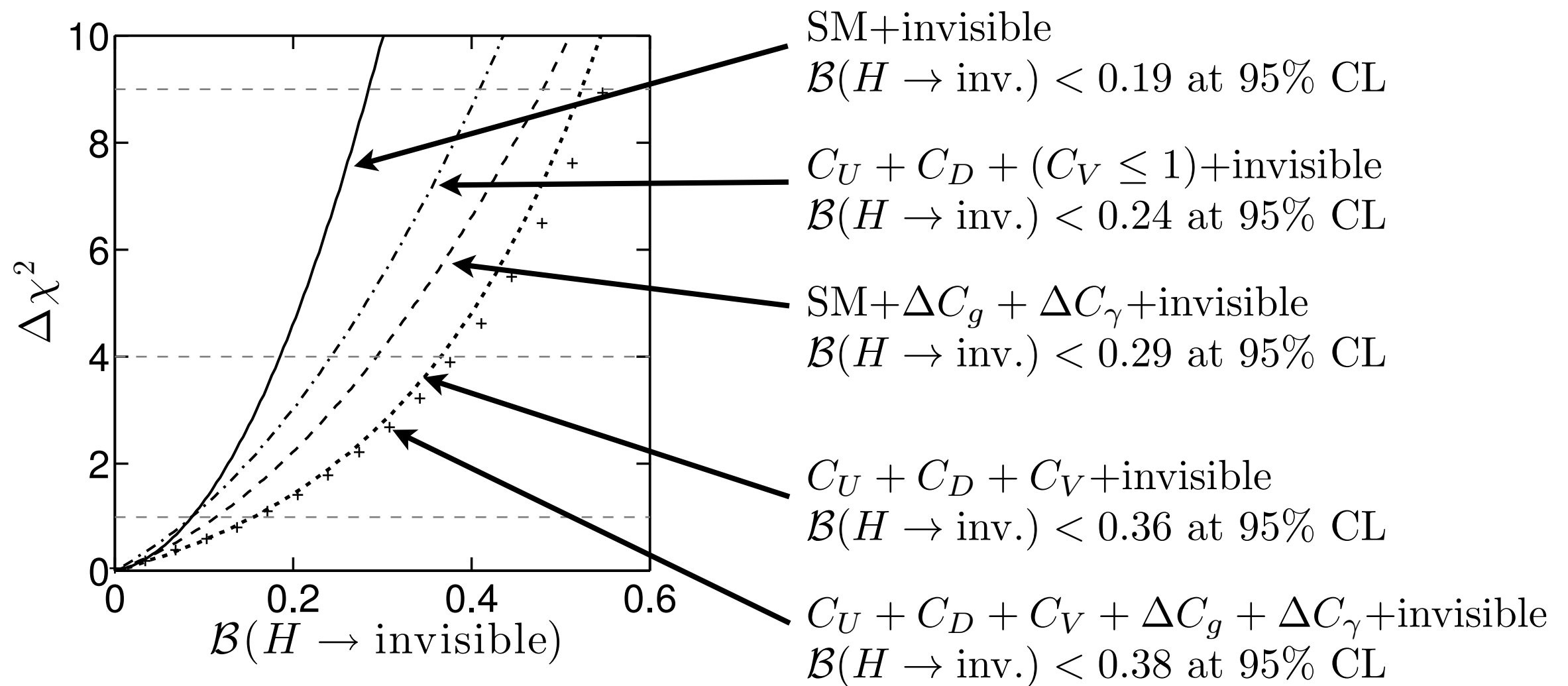
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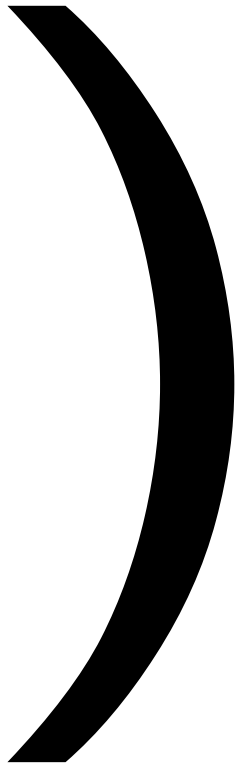
- A combined likelihood in (ggF+ttH) and (VBF+VH) planes was derived using ATLAS, CMS and Tevatron results



# 126 GeV Higgs at the LHC

- How much invisible Higgs decay is allowed?





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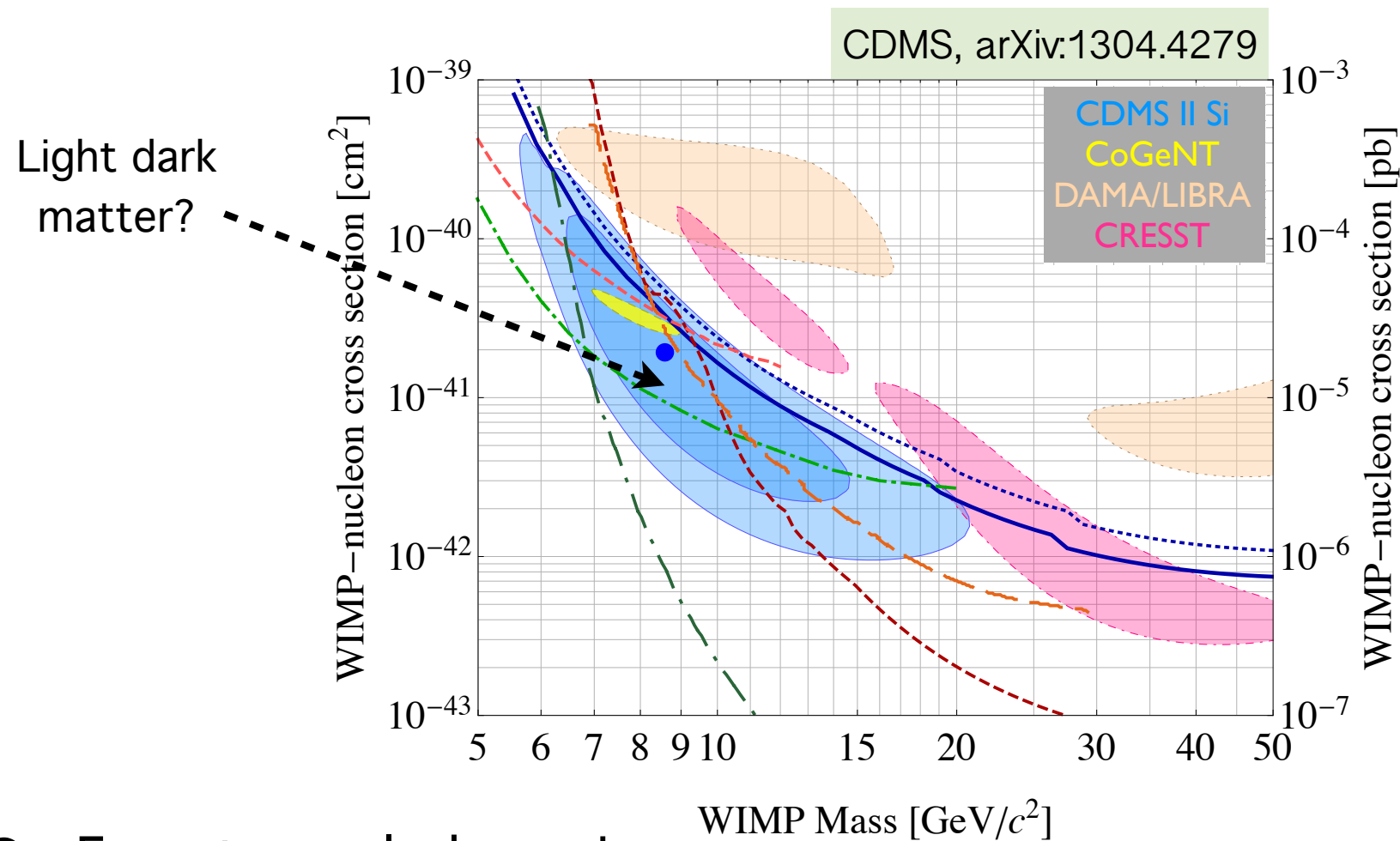
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# Why light neutralino?

- Light SUSY spectrum
- Hints from direct (and may be indirect detection)  $\sim 10$  GeV

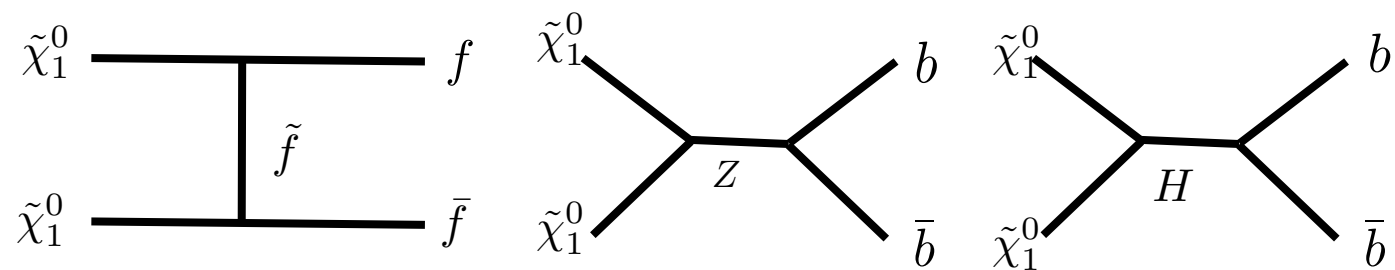


- Easy to exclude region
  - No resonance below 45 GeV ( $M_Z/2$ )
  - No co-annihilation under 100 GeV (LEP limits) (counter example light sbottoms) [arXiv:1308.2153](#)

# How light is light?

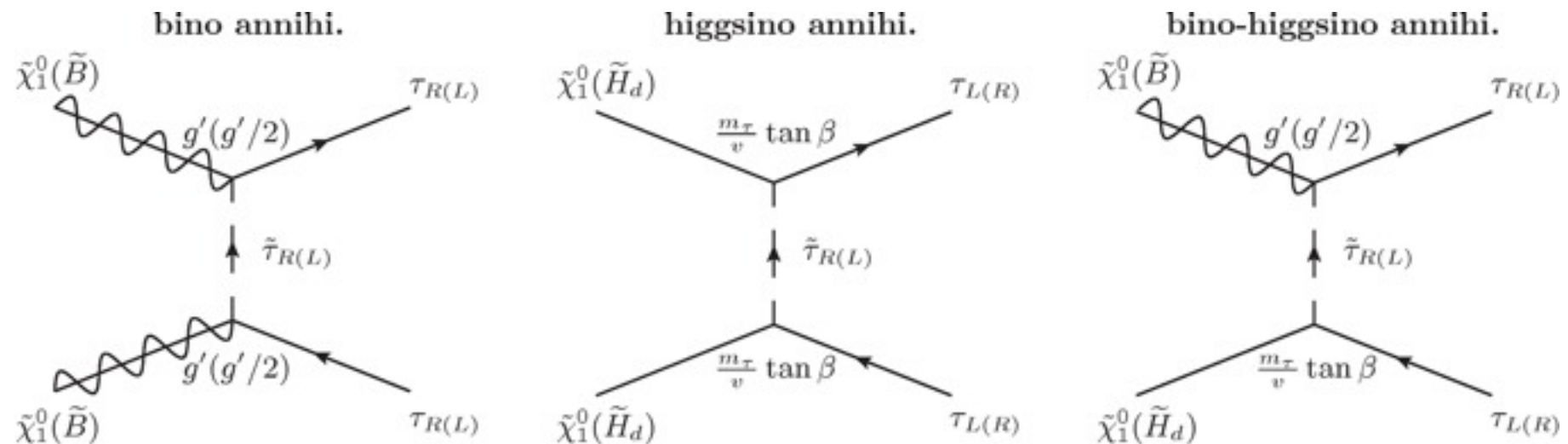
- Relaxing gaugino universality: few collider constraints
  - Z width, LEP bounds, invisible Higgs decays

- Most important annihilation channels:



- Region of interest:  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} < m_h/2$
- Light slepton exchange of interest to us here

# How light is light?

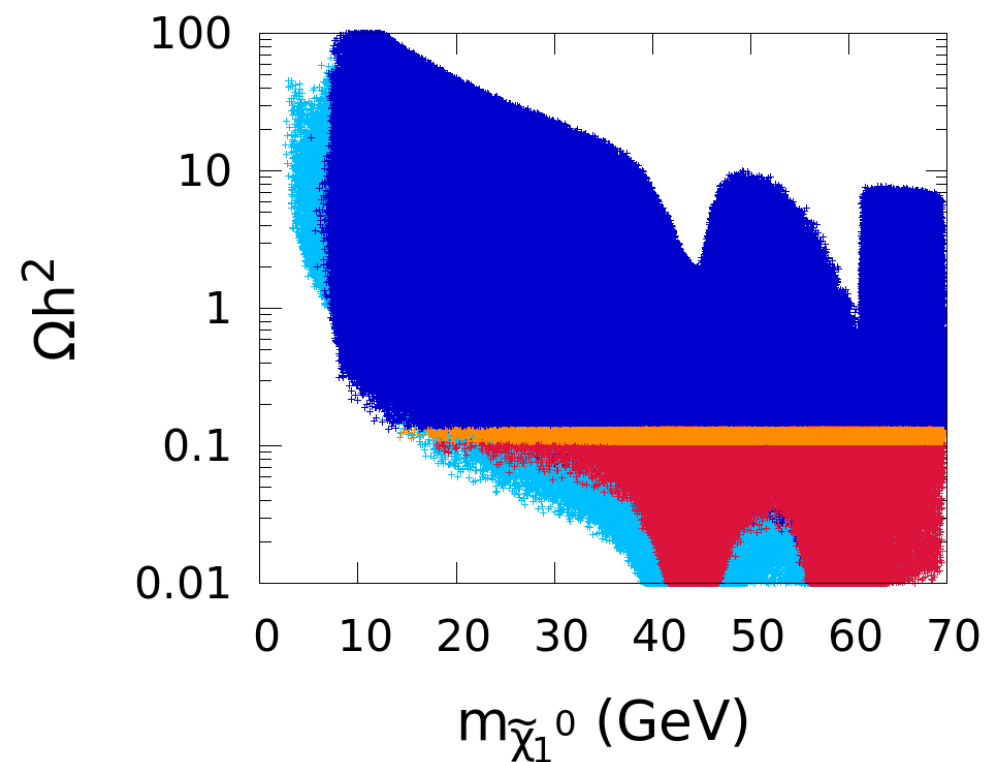


- RH stau annihilation is more efficient, also get enhancements for high  $\tan(\beta)$  and higgsino LSP

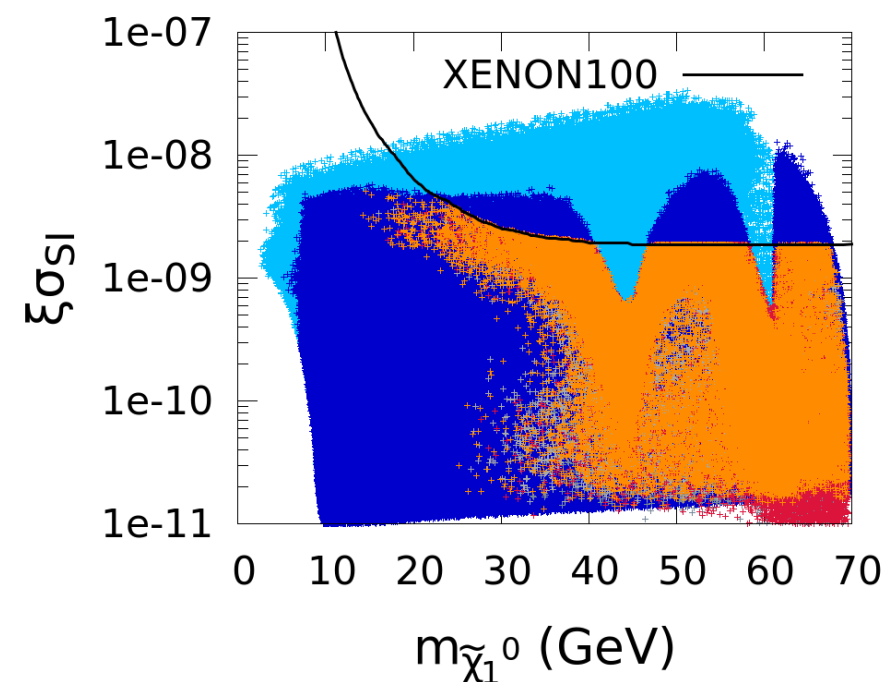
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|---------------------------|---|---|
| Light chargino            | LEP and LHC   | ✓ |
| Invisible Z, Higgs decays | LEP and LHC   | ✓ |
| Light neutralino 2        | $\text{LEP } \sigma(e^+ e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0)$ | ✓ |
| Slepton and stau          | LEP and LHC   | ✓ |

# How light is light?

- pMSSM scan over 11 parameters
  - $M_1, M_2, \mu, \tan\beta, M_A, A_t, M_{1L}, M_{1R}, M_{3L}, M_{3R}, A_\tau$
  - LEP limits, Z width, flavor physics, heavy Higgs searches @LHC, Higgs mass, Higgs couplings, Xenon100



Basic constraints  
Higgs couplings fits

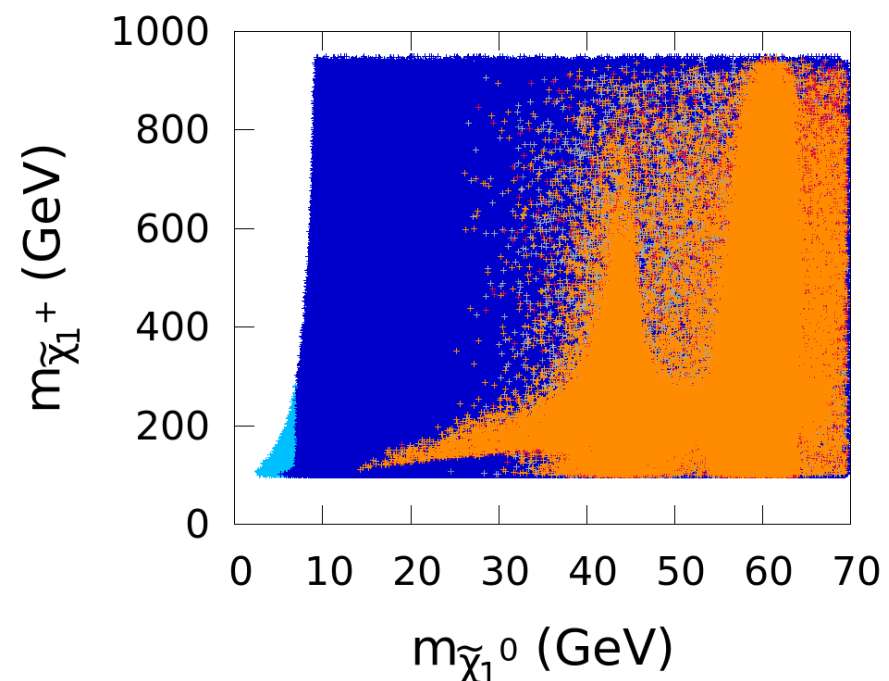
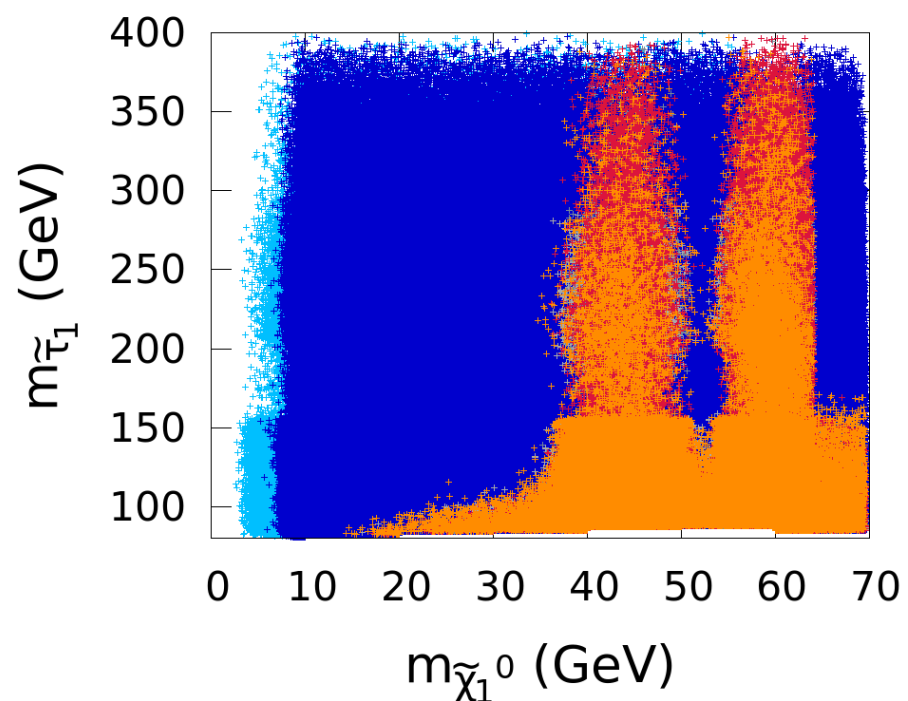


LHC results + upper limit of relic  
LHC results + exact relic



# How light is light?

- DM < 35 GeV associated with light stau + light chargino



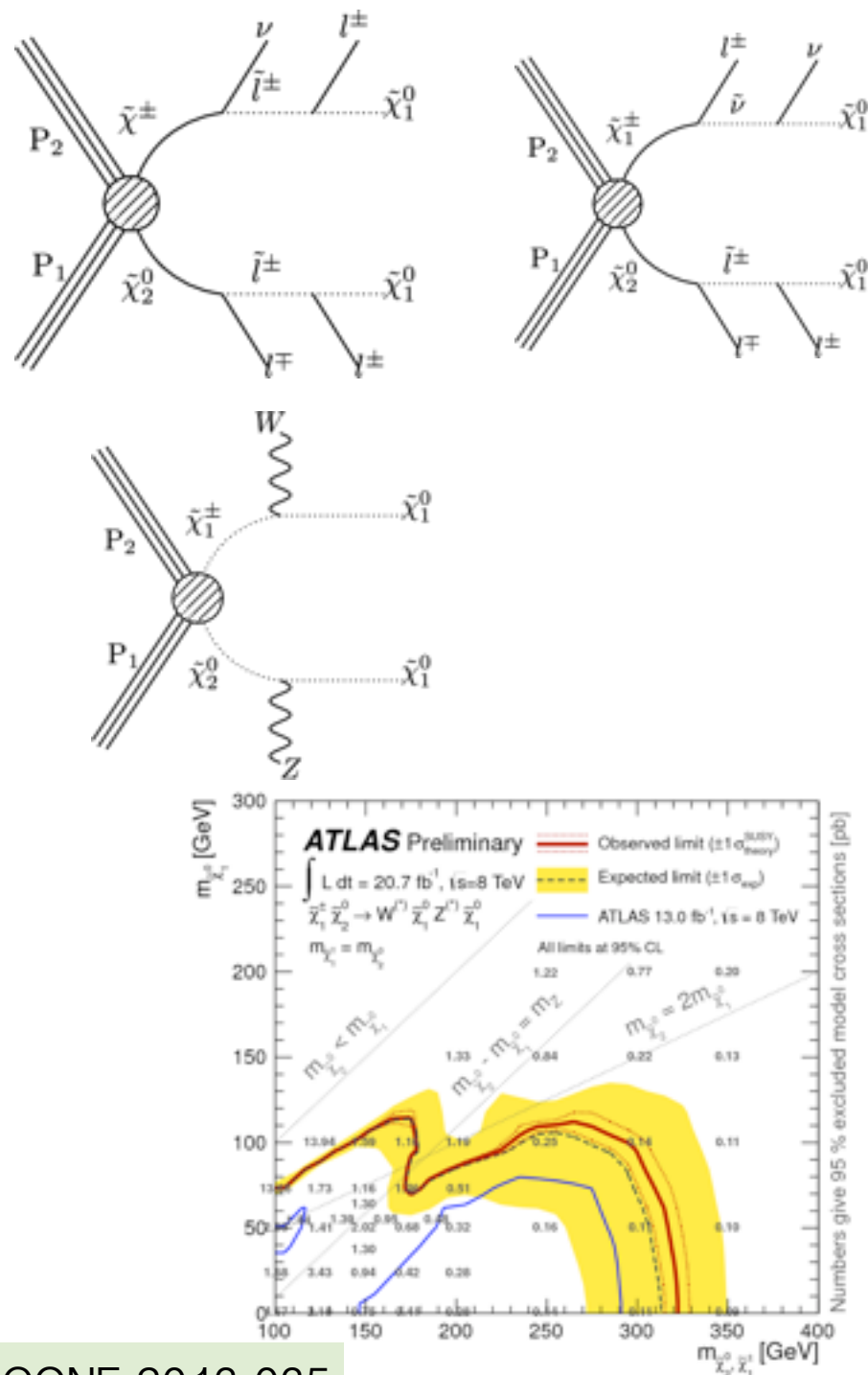
- LHC searches put constraints on light electroweak -ino and slepton production

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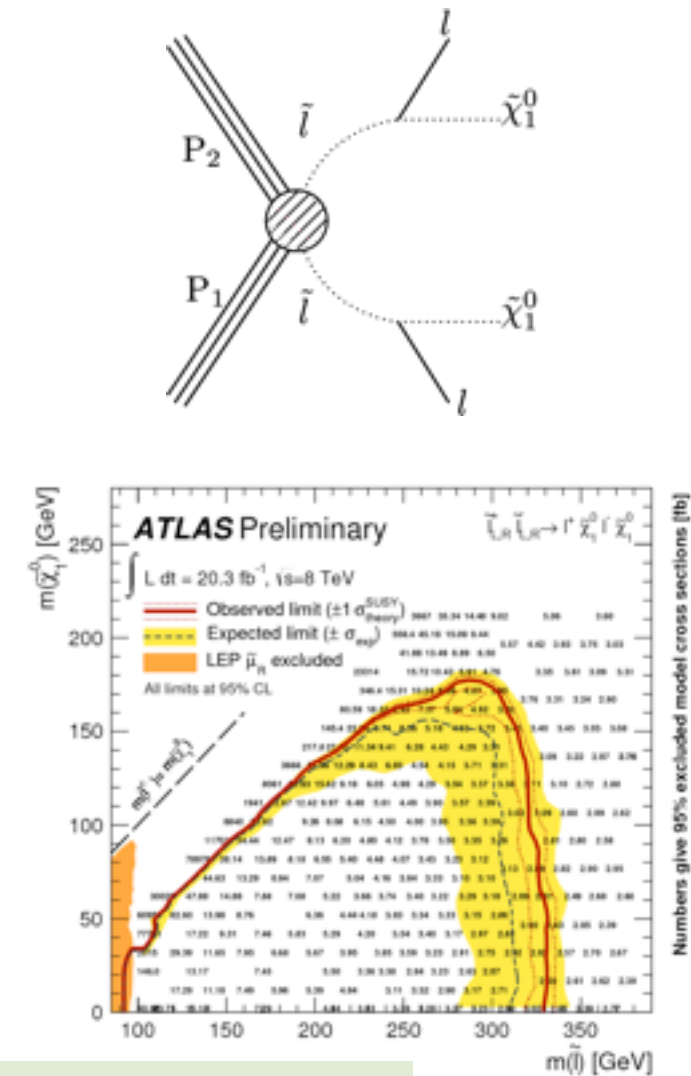
# LHC searches

## ● Direct electroweak -ino production



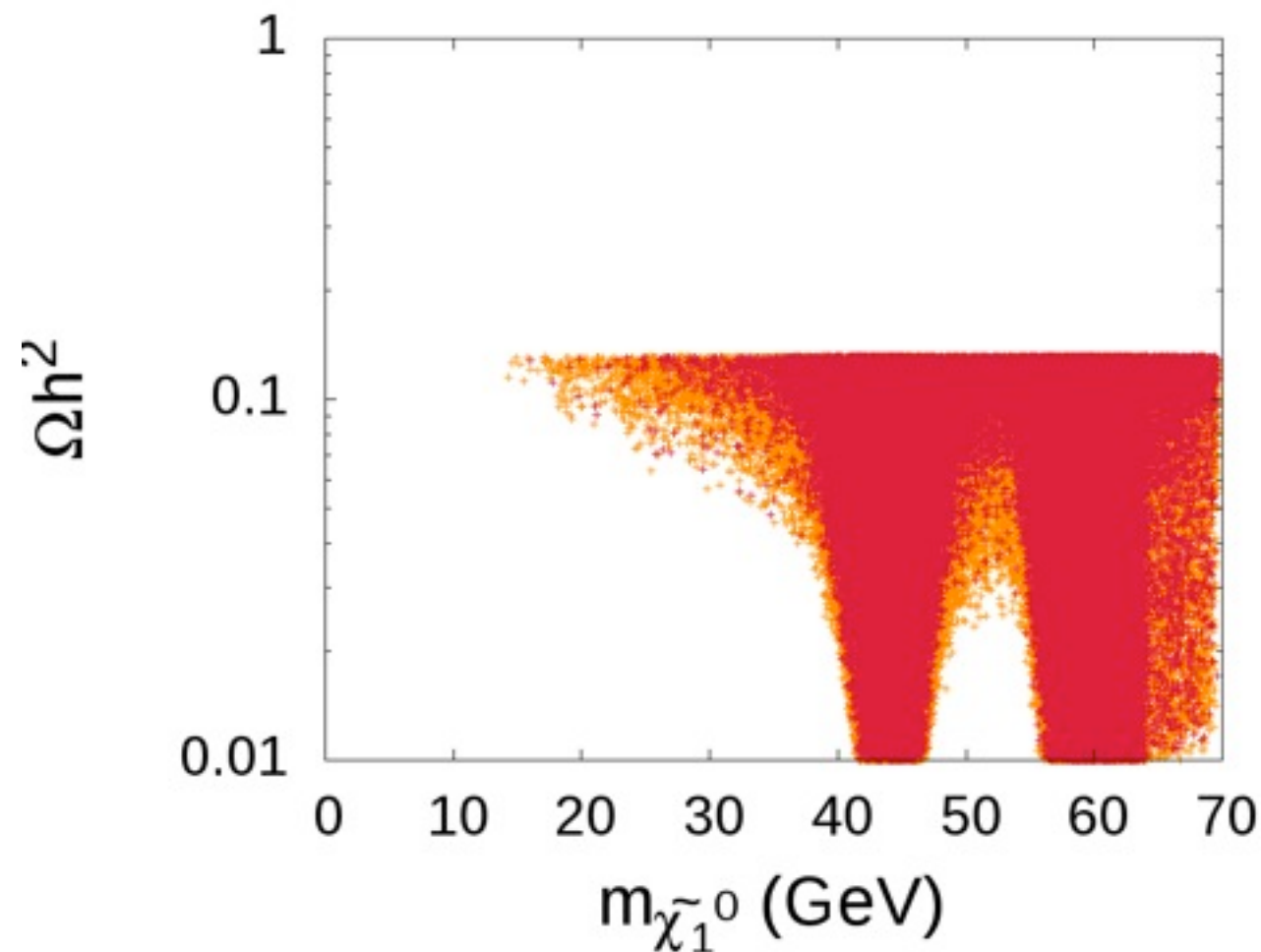
ATLAS-CONF-2013-035

## ● Direct slepton production



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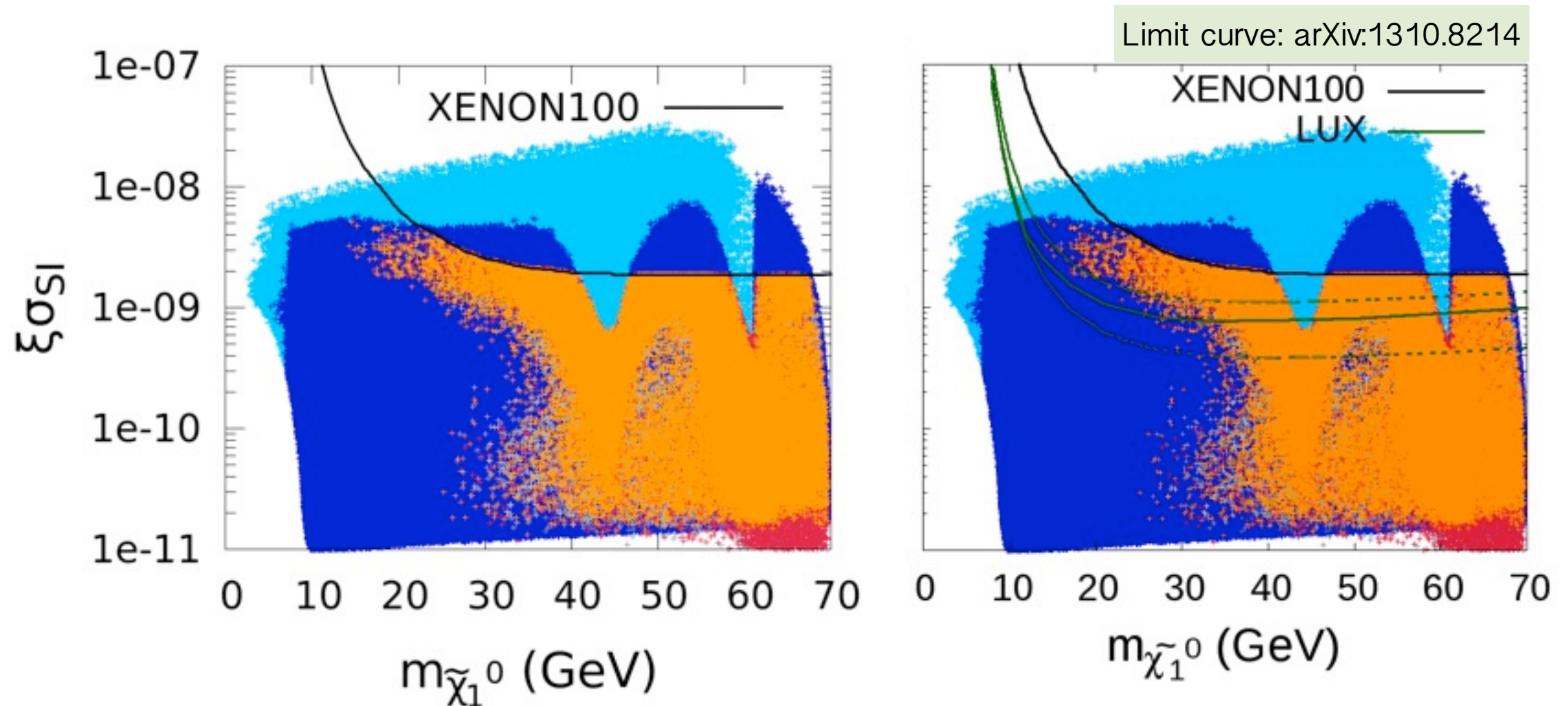
# Applying SModelS



All points passing relic  
density upper limits  
Points excluded by the  
LHC limits

- SMS results used from ATLAS-CONF-2013-049, CMS-PAS-SUS-12-022, ATLAS-CONF-2013-035
- Density of points reduced - LHC SMS results do rule out some scenarios
- In general light neutralino still possible

# LUX limits



- Neutralino DD CS is driven by higgsino component, suppressed when LSP has small higgsino component
- LUX disfavors the light neutralino DM region we had identified to be viable

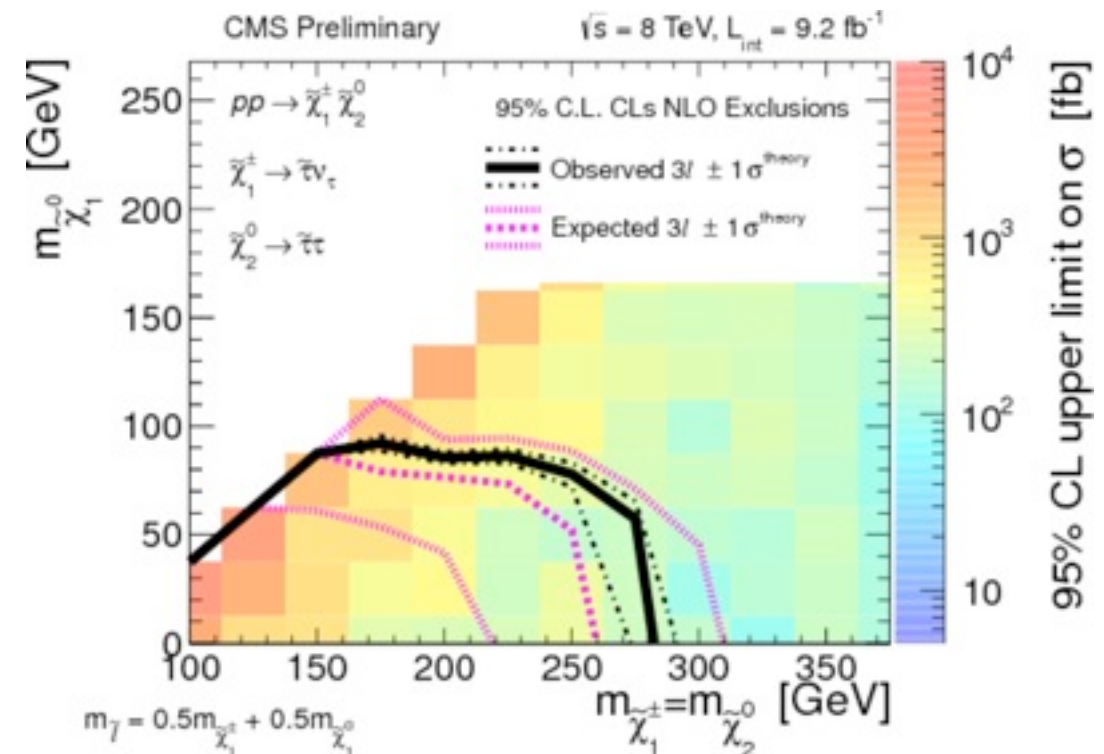
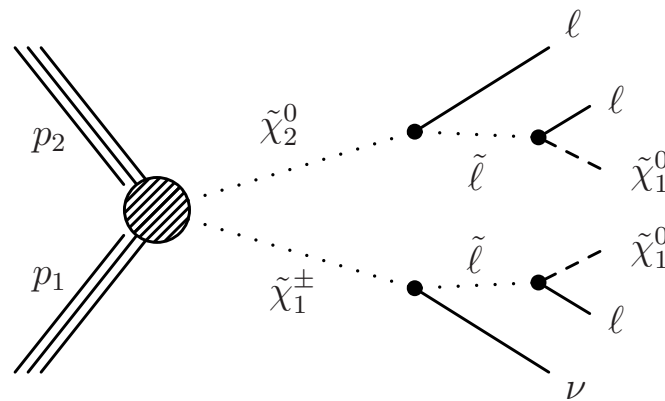
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# SMS approach - what's next?

- SMS approach is not perfect yet
- Not all SMS topologies are present
- It is not always possible to use experimental SMS results, sometimes the results have a coarse grid or in case of a one step decay, only one mass slice is given

CMS - SUS -12-022



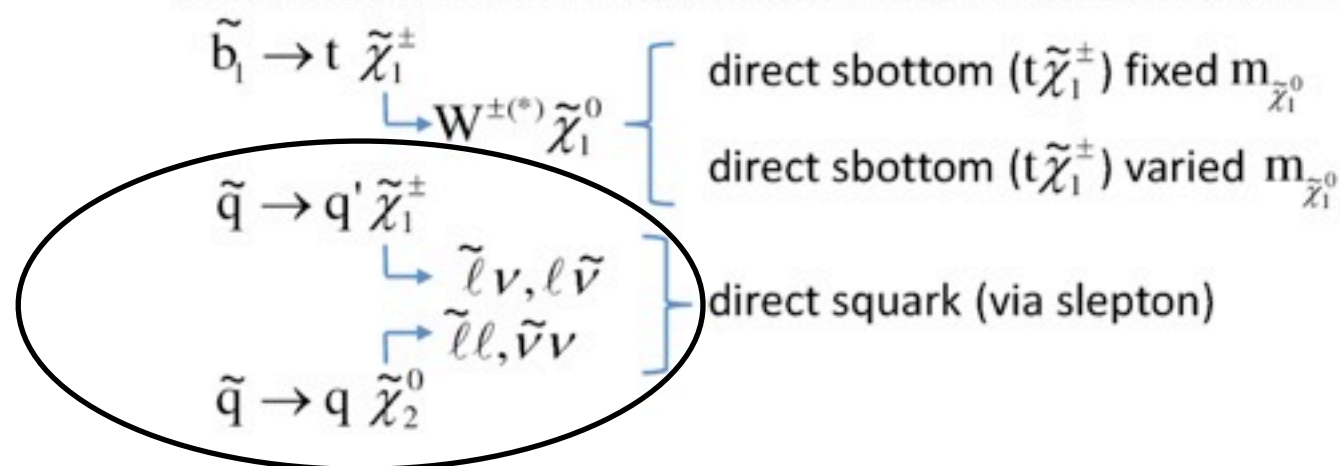
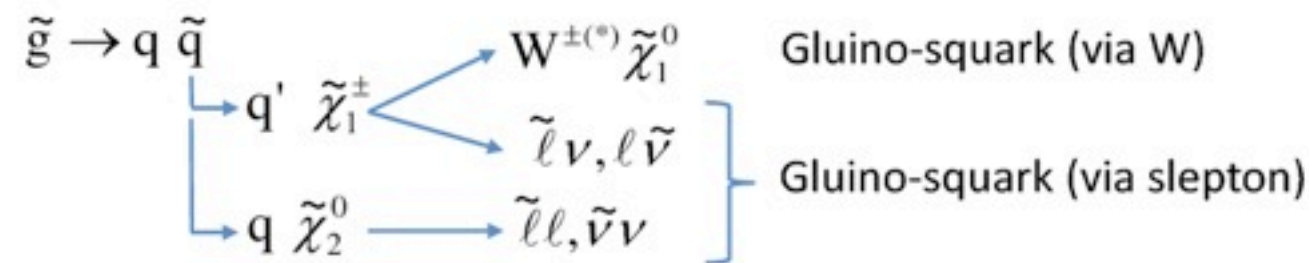
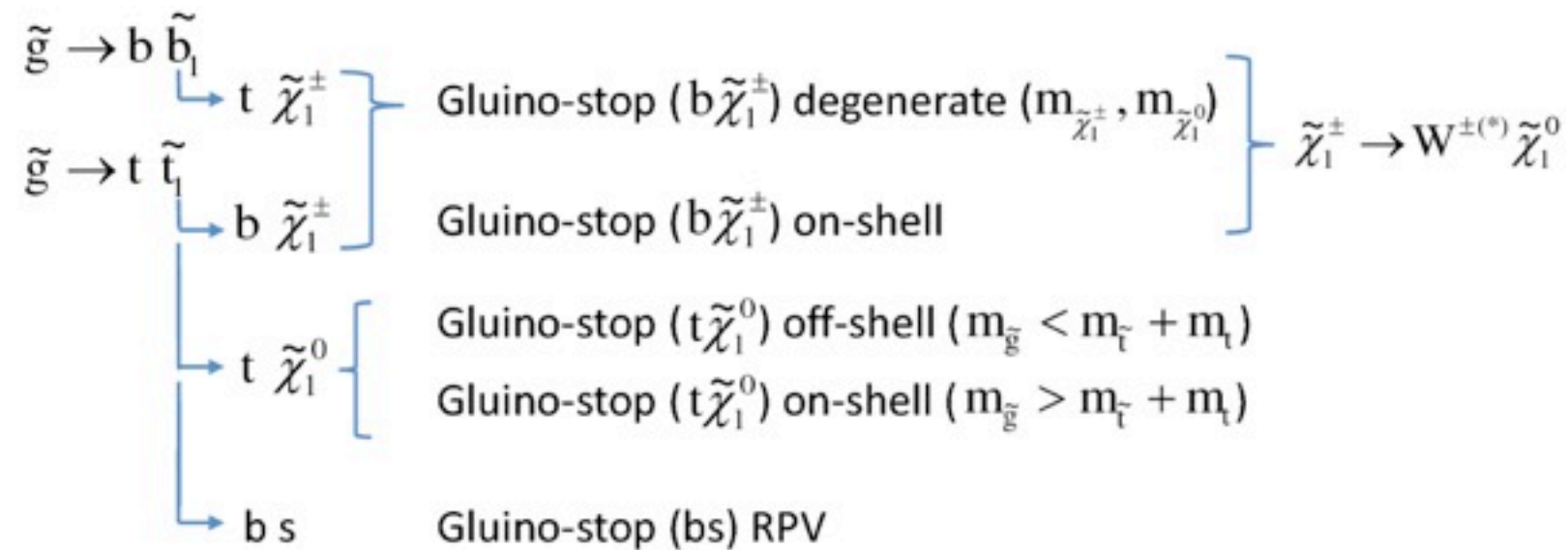


# SMS approach - what's next?

- Results presented are not always usable
- My nightmare SMS analysis: ATLAS-CONF-2013-007
  - Involves topologies with more than four SUSY particles
  - Plots often include strong assumptions on the masses involved
  - Binning is not uniform

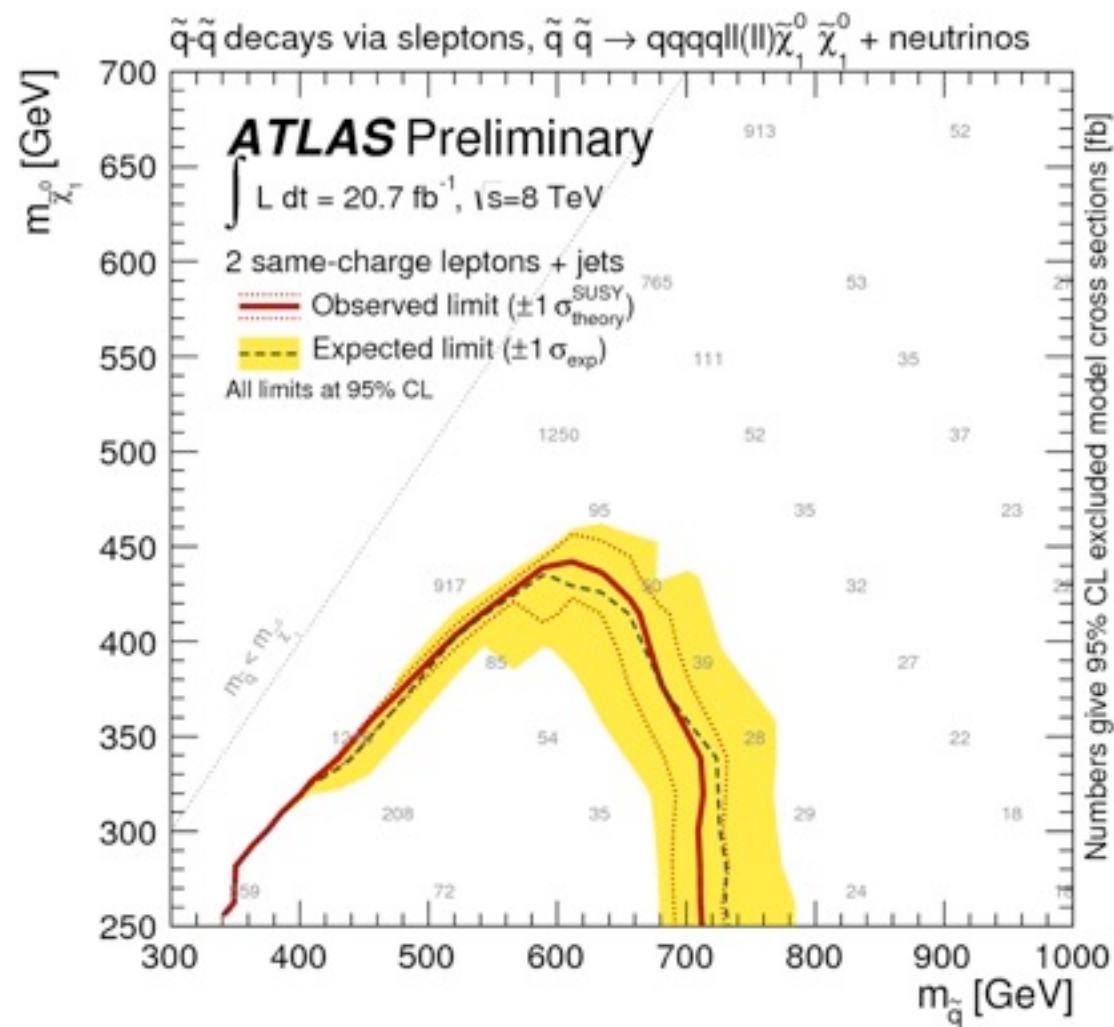
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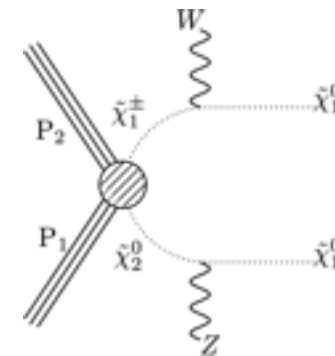
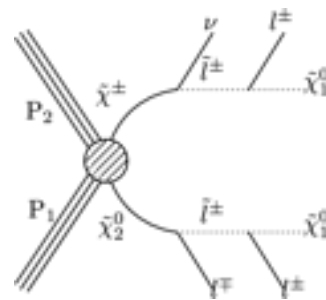
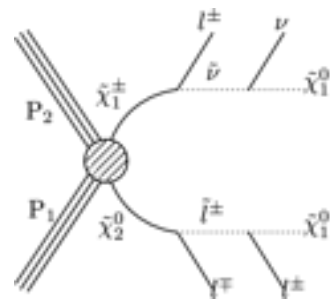
- Two of the four masses fixed
- Only democratic slepton decays
- Irregular binning (less severe)



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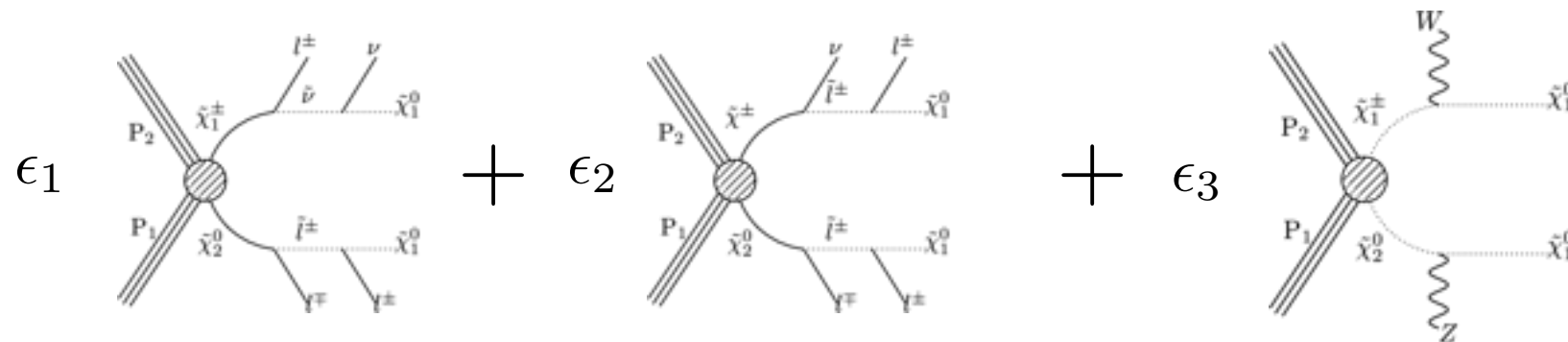


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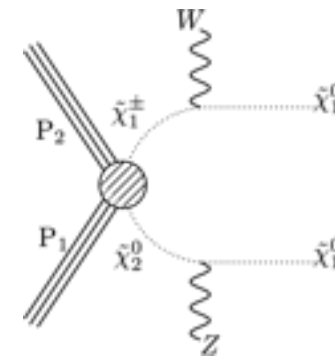
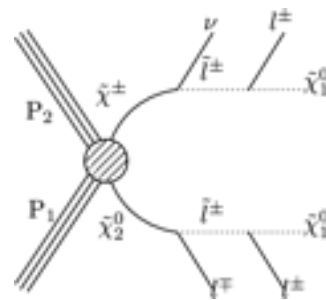
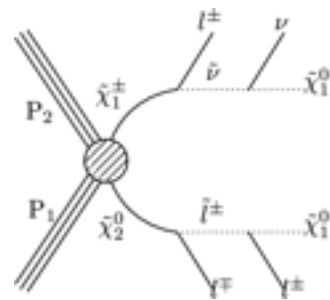
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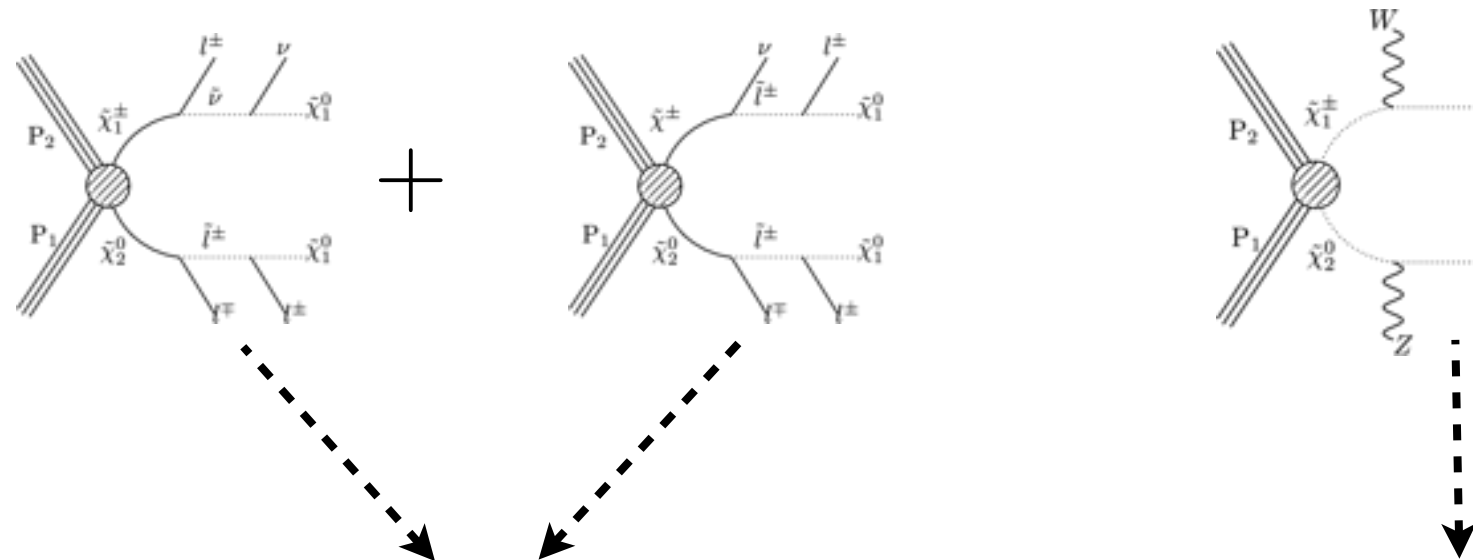
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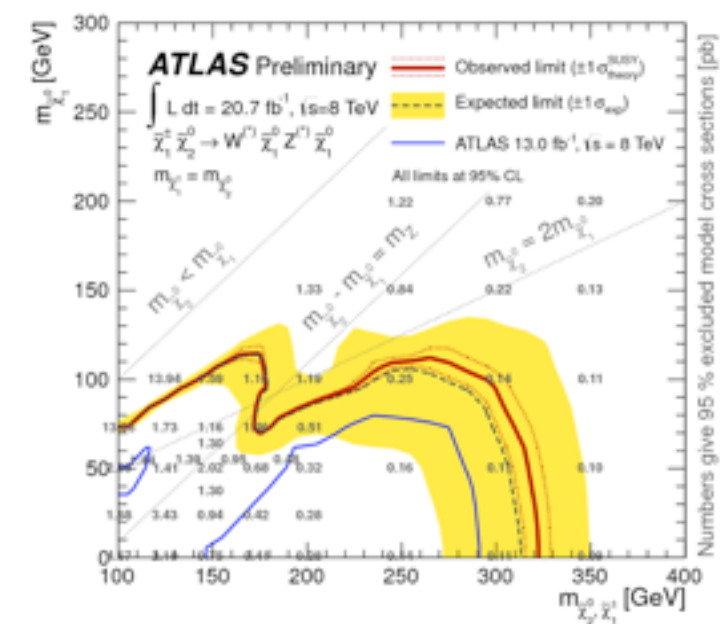
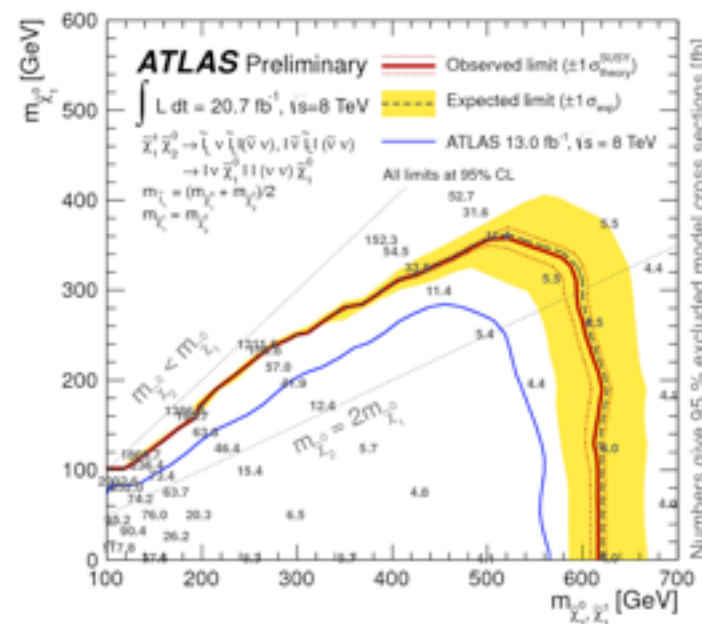
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Current SMS results



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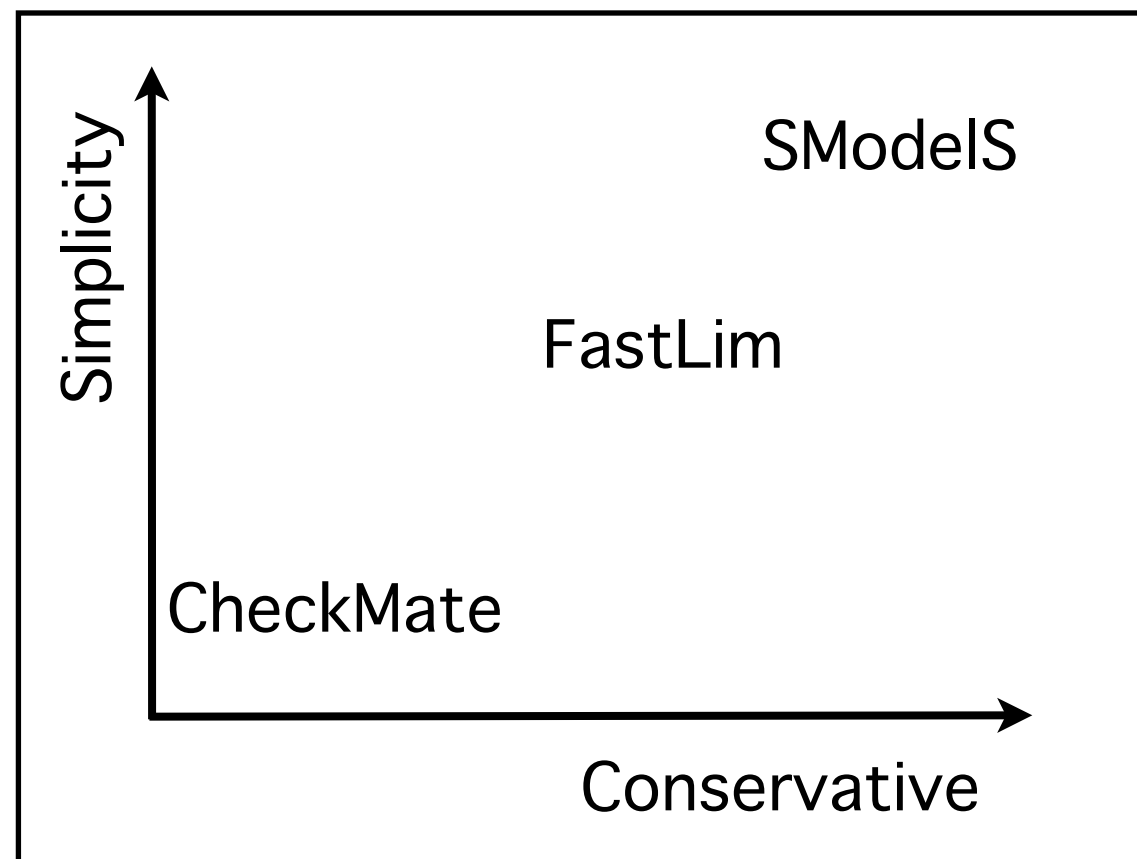
- To utilize this approach one needs to develop efficiency maps for each analysis and for each topology that can potentially contribute to the final state
- Need to re-implement the analysis - requires manpower and availability of information from experimental collaborations in a systematic manner
- FastLim is developing efficiency maps, aim is to reconstruct the number of events for each signal region
- SModelS is also capable of supporting efficiency maps approach, and in future we might consider exploiting this feature

# SMS approach - what's next?

- Generally the development will be slow - a community effort to contribute to the efficiency maps is underway, it will be useful to make the re-implemented analysis publicly available
- Also need to develop a reasonable likelihood in order to be able to combine several signal regions - e.g. CMS-SUS-PAS-13-011 has 16 signal regions

# SMS approach - what's next?

- It will be difficult to tackle long cascade decays with SMS approach
- A completely different approach is being taken by checkMATE
- The tool identifies the most sensitive topology and then tests it via Monte Carlo simulation





# Conclusions

- SMS results are a good way to test BSM theories and can have a good constraining power
- SModelS is designed to utilize this power and constrain BSM scenarios
- The formalism of the code is generic and can be applied to any BSM spectra for which SMS results are applicable
- Currently, the code can handle scenarios with  $Z_2$  parity
- It contains the most comprehensive database of SMS SUSY results
- It can be used in order to understand the features of parameter space under consideration, it can also be used to study viability of an interesting BSM scenario
- Stay tuned applying LHC searches to your favorite BSM model is being made easy!