

# Determining SUSY Lagrangian Parameters

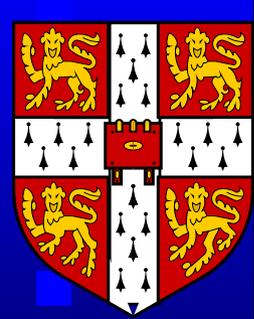
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## Talk outline

- LHC SUSY measurements
- Tools
- SUSY model fits

*Please ask questions while I'm talking*



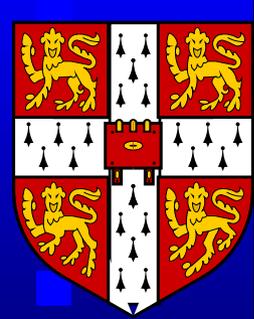
# The MSSM Lagrangian

$$W \supseteq (Y_E)_{ij} L_i H_1 \bar{E}_j + (Y_D)_{ij} Q_i H_1 \bar{D}_j + (Y_U)_{ij} Q_i H_2 \bar{U}_j + \mu H_2 H_1$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \tilde{Q}_{iL} (U_A)_{ij} \tilde{u}_j H_2 + \tilde{Q}_{iL} (D_A)_{ij} \tilde{d}_j H_1 + \tilde{L}_{iL} (E_A)_{ij} \tilde{e}_j H_1 + \\ & H.c. + m_{H_1}^2 H_1^* H_1 + m_{H_2}^2 H_2^* H_2 + \tilde{Q}_i^* (m_{\tilde{Q}}^2)_{ij} \tilde{Q}_j + \\ & \tilde{L}_i^* (m_{\tilde{L}}^2)_{ij} \tilde{L}_j + \tilde{u}_i (m_{\tilde{u}}^2)_{ij} \tilde{u}_j^* + \tilde{d}_i (m_{\tilde{d}}^2)_{ij} \tilde{d}_j^* + \tilde{e}_i (m_{\tilde{e}}^2)_{ij} \tilde{e}_j^* + \\ & [m_3^2 H_2 H_1 + \frac{1}{2} (M_1 \tilde{b} \tilde{b} + M_2 \tilde{w} \tilde{w} + M_3 \tilde{g} \tilde{g}) + H.c.] \end{aligned}$$

**Q:** How many parameters including  $g_{1,2,3}$ ?

**A:**  $\sim 105$

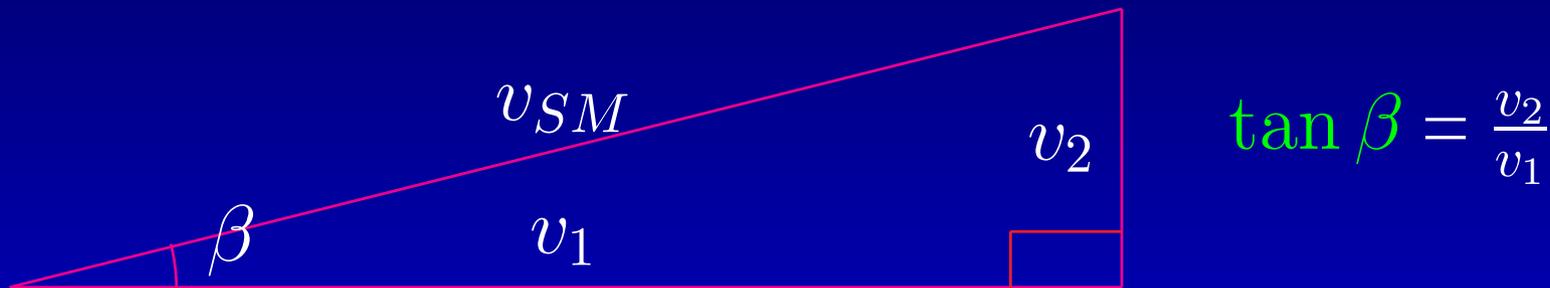


# Electroweak Breaking

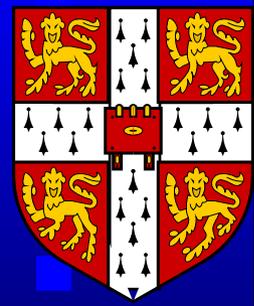
Both Higgs get vacuum expectation values:

$$\begin{pmatrix} H_1^0 \\ H_1^- \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} v_1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \begin{pmatrix} H_2^+ \\ H_2^0 \end{pmatrix} \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ v_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

and to get  $M_W$  correct, match with  $v_{SM} = 246$  GeV:



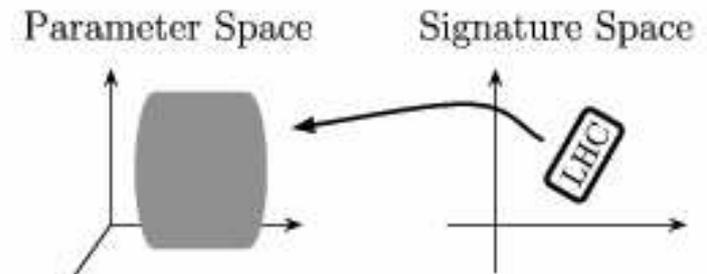
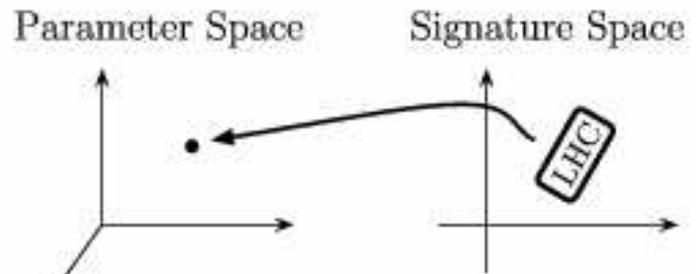
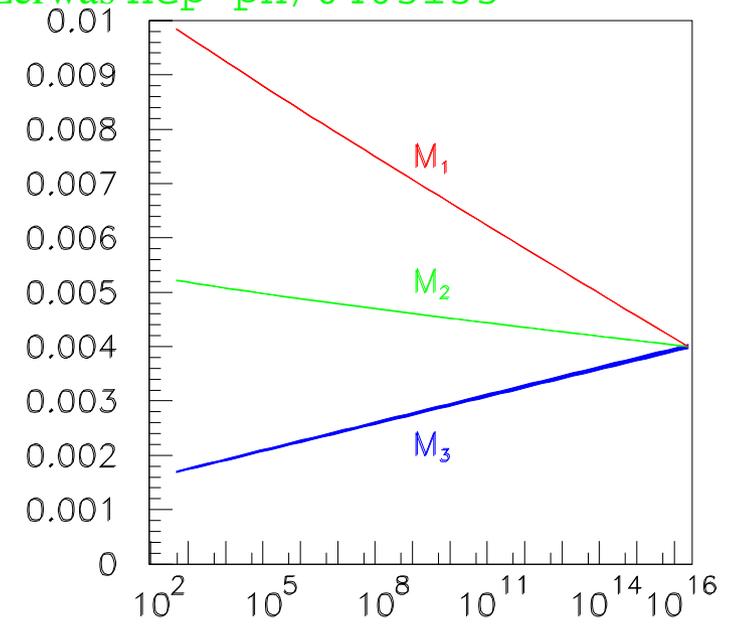
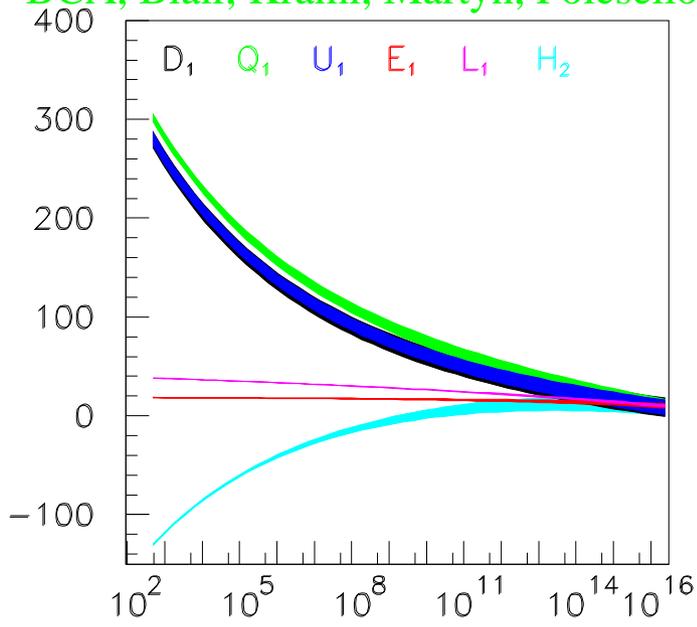
$$\mathcal{L} = h_t \bar{t}_L H_2^0 t_R + h_b \bar{b}_L H_1^0 b_R + h_\tau \bar{\tau}_L H_1^0 \tau_R$$
$$\Rightarrow \frac{m_t}{\sin \beta} = \frac{h_t v_{SM}}{\sqrt{2}}, \quad \frac{m_{b,\tau}}{\cos \beta} = \frac{h_{b,\tau} v_{SM}}{\sqrt{2}}.$$



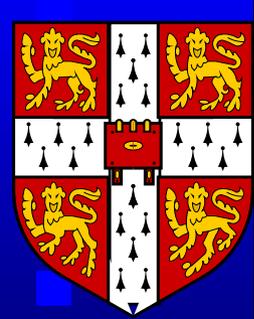
# The Inverse Problem

Want to do this with LHC+ILC data:

BCA, Blair, Kraml, Martyn, Polesello, Porod, Zerwas [hep-ph/0403133](http://hep-ph/0403133)



Arkani-Hamed, Kane, Thaler, Wang, [hep-ph/05120190](http://hep-ph/05120190)



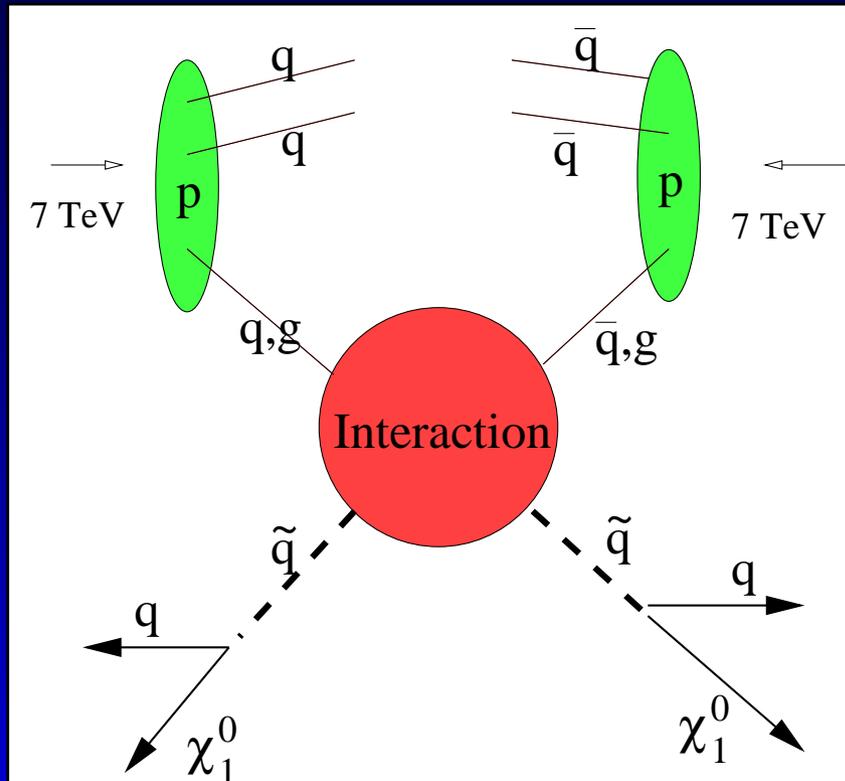
# What the LHC can do

One can constrain some MSSM sparticle masses using *kinematic endpoints*. Since the mass spectrum depends on the SUSY breaking  $\mathcal{L}_{soft}$ , very difficult to constrain things in general. Each pattern of  $\mathcal{L}_{soft}$  leads to very different decays of sparticles: many different possibilities. So: making the model constrained and doing a **top-down fit** is much easier.

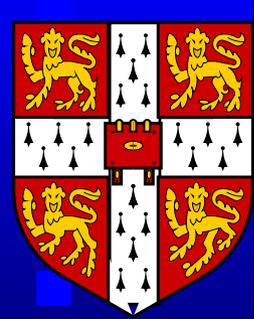
Alternatively, one only considers a couple of sparticles (see later) and attempts to constrain these simple scenarios.

# Collider SUSY Dark Matter Production

Strong sparticle production and decay to dark matter particles.

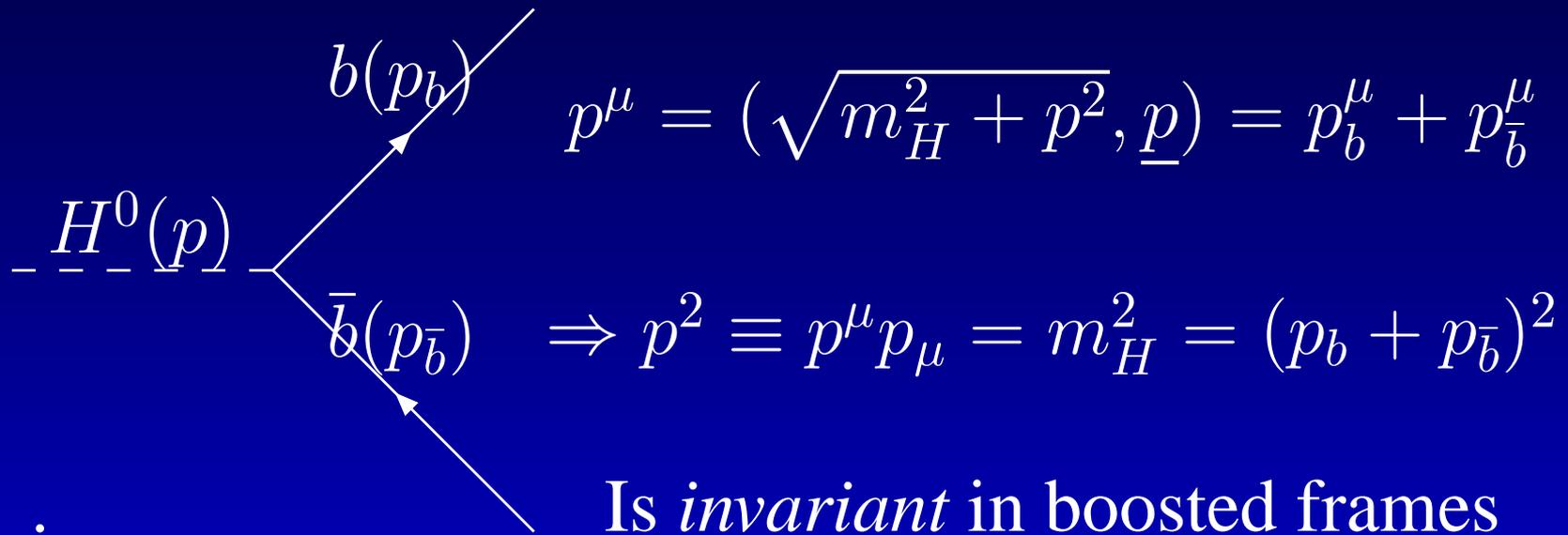


*Any (light enough) dark matter candidate that couples to hadrons can be produced at the LHC*

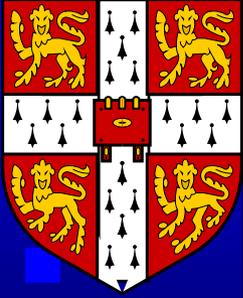


# SUSY Kinematics: a Reminder

Take an *on-shell* particle decaying into 2 particles, eg  $H^0 \rightarrow b\bar{b}$ . We define the **invariant mass** of the  $b\bar{b}$  pair such that:



*Question:* What happens to invariant mass in SUSY cascade decays, where we miss the final particle?



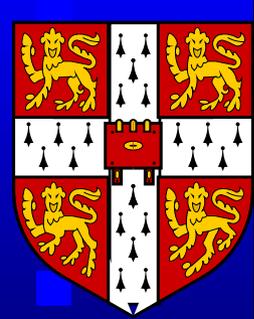
# Narrow Width Approximation

Take some scalar propagator mod-squared:

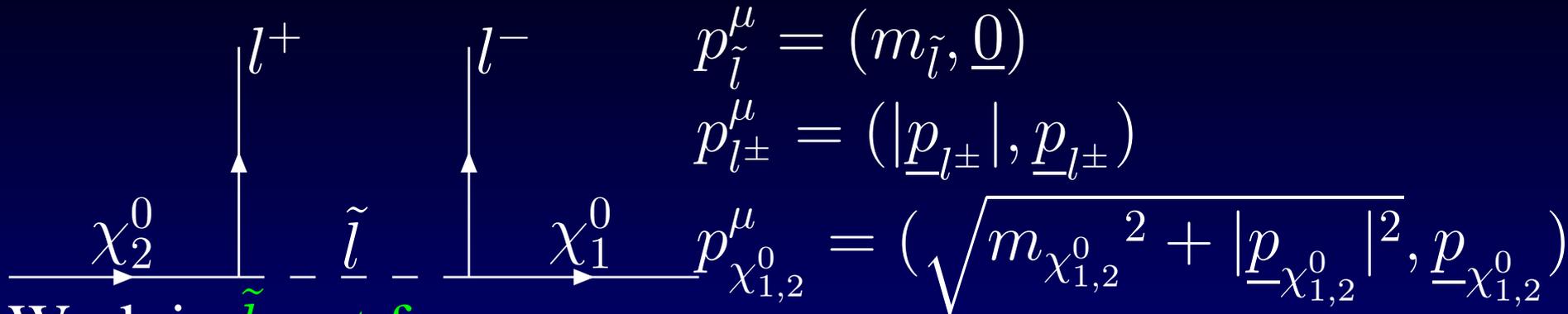
$$D(p^2) = \frac{1}{(p^2 - m^2)^2 + m^2\Gamma^2}.$$

$$\lim_{\Gamma/m \rightarrow 0} D(p^2) = \pi/(m\Gamma)\delta(p^2 - m^2).$$

Thus (as is often the case in the MSSM), for particles with narrow widths, we may approximate them assuming they have  $p^2 = m^2$ , ie they are *on-shell*. The next order in perturbation theory is  $\mathcal{O}(m/\Gamma)$ .



# Cascade Decay



Work in  $\tilde{l}$  rest frame.

The invariant mass of the  $l^+l^-$  pair is

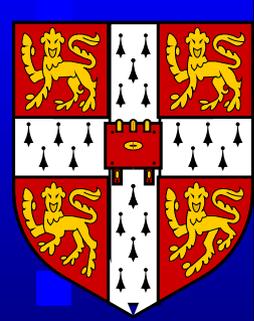
$$m_{ll}^2 = (p_{l^+} + p_{l^-})^\mu (p_{l^+} + p_{l^-})_\mu = p_{l^+}^2 + p_{l^-}^2 + 2p_{l^+} \cdot p_{l^-} \\ = 2|\underline{p}_{l^+}||\underline{p}_{l^-}|(1 - \cos \theta) \leq 4|\underline{p}_{l^+}||\underline{p}_{l^-}|.$$

**Momentum conservation:**

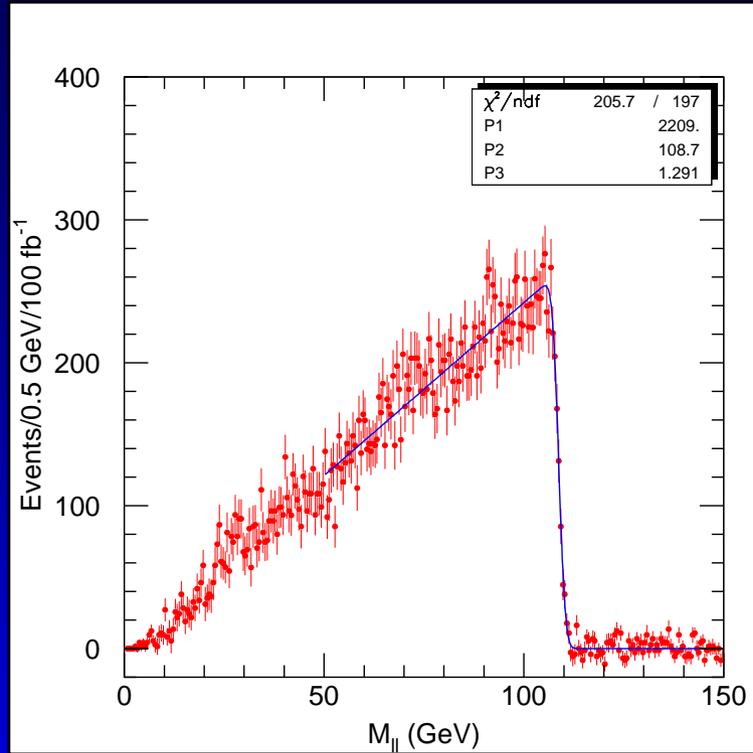
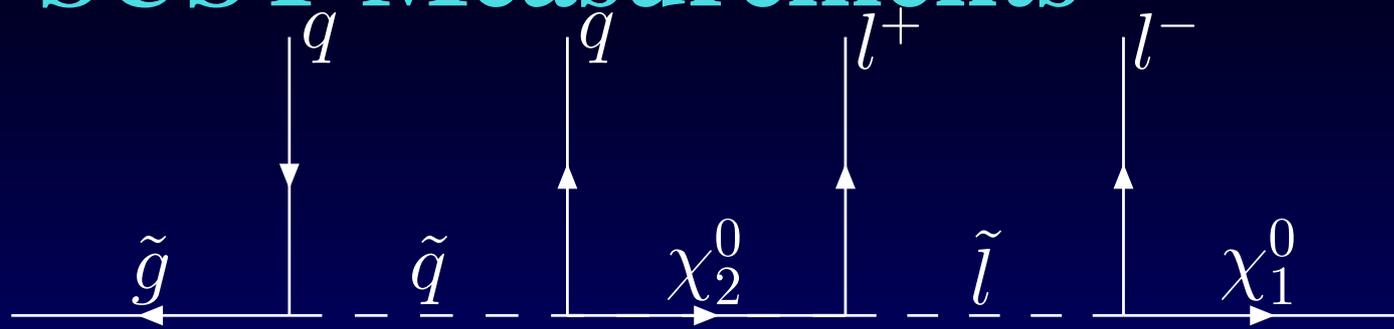
$$\Rightarrow \underline{p}_{\chi_2^0} + \underline{p}_{l^+} = \underline{0}, \quad \underline{p}_{l^-} + \underline{p}_{\chi_1^0} = \underline{0}.$$

**Energy conservation:**  $\sqrt{m_{\chi_2^0}^2 + |\underline{p}_{\chi_2^0}|^2} = m_{\tilde{l}} + |\underline{p}_{l^+}|,$

$$\Rightarrow |\underline{p}_{l^+}| = \frac{m_{\chi_2^0}^2 - m_{\tilde{l}}^2}{2m_{\tilde{l}}}. \text{ Similarly } |\underline{p}_{l^-}| = \frac{m_{\tilde{l}}^2 - m_{\chi_1^0}^2}{2m_{\tilde{l}}}.$$



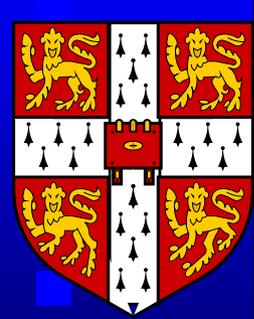
# LHC SUSY Measurements



$$m_{ll}^2(max) = \frac{(m_{\chi_2^0}^2 - m_{\tilde{l}}^2)(m_{\tilde{l}}^2 - m_{\chi_1^0}^2)}{m_{\tilde{l}}^2}$$

**Q:** Can we measure enough of these to pin SUSY<sup>a</sup> down?

<sup>a</sup> BCA, Lester, Parker, Webber, JHEP 0009 (2000) 004



# Other Observables

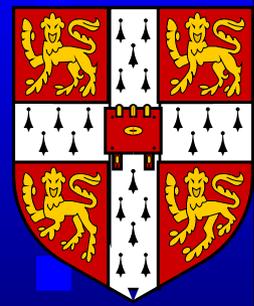
Often more complicated, eg  $m_{llq}$  edge:

$$\max \left[ \frac{(m_{\tilde{q}}^2 - m_{\chi_2^0}^2)(m_{\chi_2^0}^2 - m_{\chi_1^0}^2)}{m_{\chi_2^0}^2}, \frac{(m_{\tilde{q}}^2 - m_{\tilde{l}}^2)(m_{\tilde{l}}^2 - m_{\chi_1^0}^2)}{m_{\tilde{l}}^2}, \frac{(m_{\tilde{q}}m_{\tilde{l}} - m_{\chi_2^0}m_{\chi_1^0})(m_{\chi_2^0}^2 - m_{\tilde{l}}^2)}{m_{\chi_2^0}m_{\tilde{l}}} \right]$$

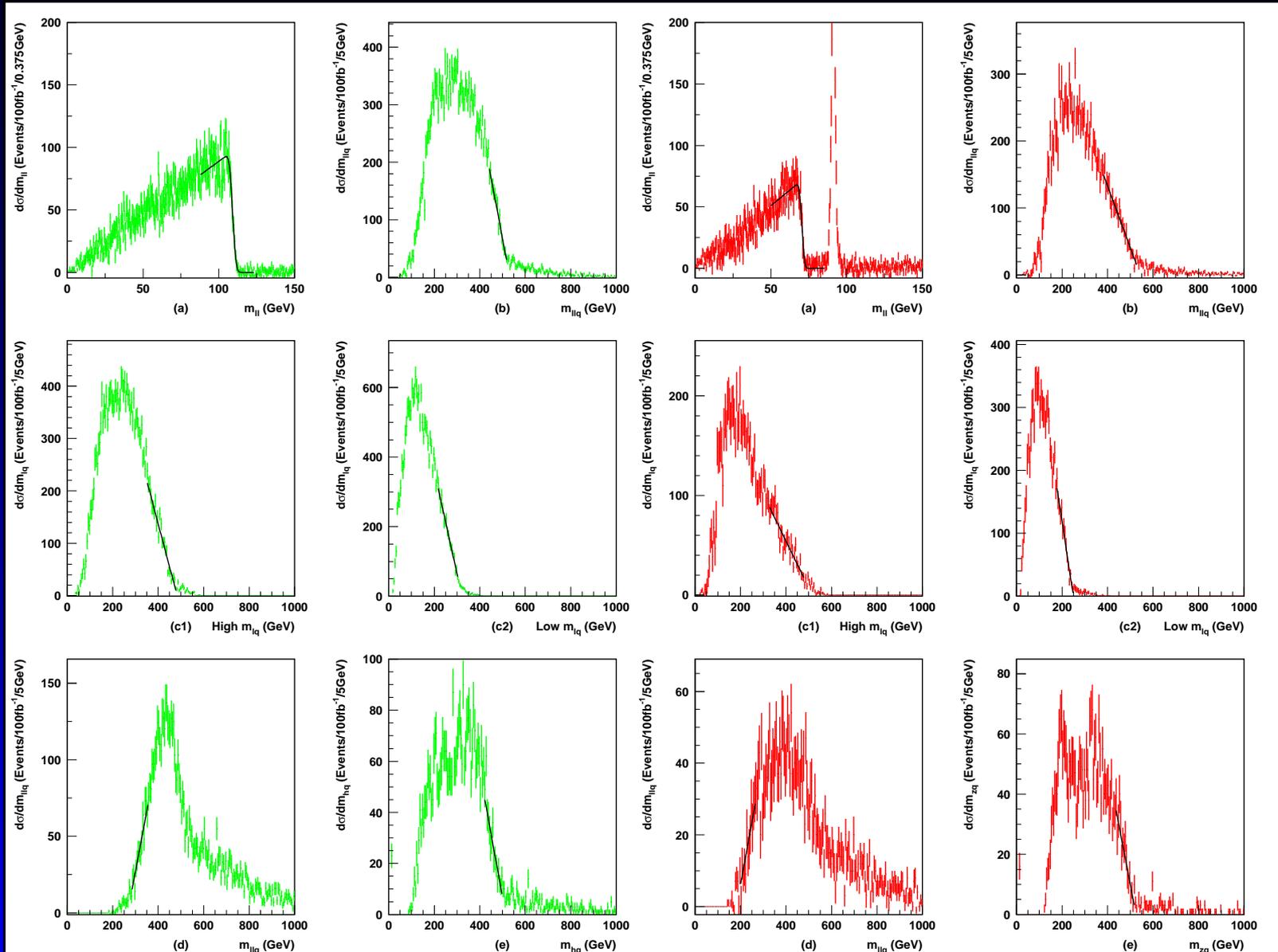
Also  $m_{lq}^{high}$ ,  $m_{lq}^{low}$ ,  $llq$  *threshold*<sup>a</sup>,  $M_{T_2}^2(m) =$

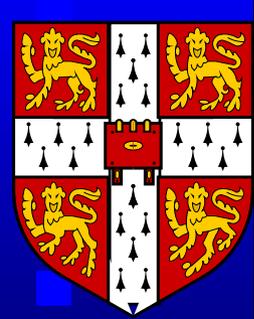
$$\min_{\not{p}_1 + \not{p}_2 = \not{p}_T} \left[ \max \left\{ m_T^2(p_T^{l_1}, \not{p}_1, m), m_T^2(p_T^{l_2}, \not{p}_2, m) \right\} \right],$$

$\max[M_{T_2}(m_{\chi_1^0})] = m_{\tilde{l}}$  for dilepton production.



# Edge Fitting at S5 and O1





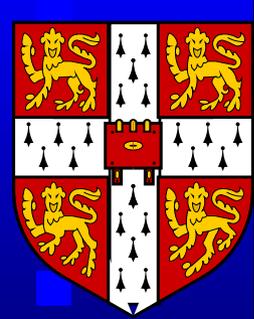
# Edge Positions

Do a fit: all scalars considered degenerate in mSUGRA at  $M_{GUT}$ , whereas for O1, squarks are massless there.

endpoint/GeV	S5 fit	O1 fit
$m_{ll}$	$109.10 \pm 0.13$	$70.47 \pm 0.15$
$m_{llq}$ edge	$532.1 \pm 3.2$	$544.1 \pm 4.0$
$lq$ high	$483.5 \pm 1.8$	$515.8 \pm 7.0$
$lq$ low	$321.5 \pm 2.3$	$249.8 \pm 1.5$
$llq$ thresh	$266.0 \pm 6.4$	$182.2 \pm 13.5$

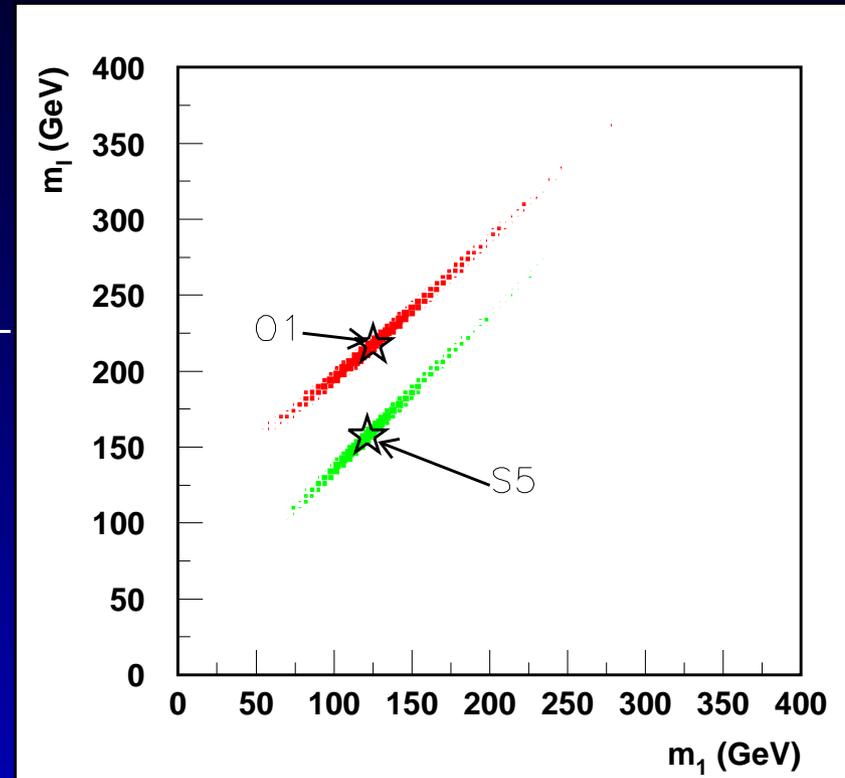
*Best case lepton mass measurements can be as accurate as 1 per mille, but jets are a few percent<sup>a</sup>*

<sup>a</sup> See Barr, Lester, arXiv:1004.2732 for a review of other mass measurement techniques



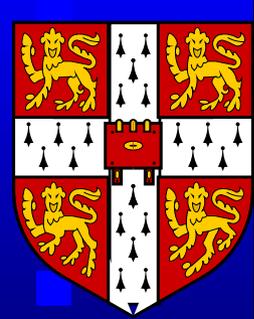
# Edge to Mass Measurements

	width <b>S5</b>	width <b>O1</b>
$\chi_1^0$	17	22
$\tilde{l}_R$	17	20
$\chi_2^0$	17	20
$\tilde{q}$	22	20



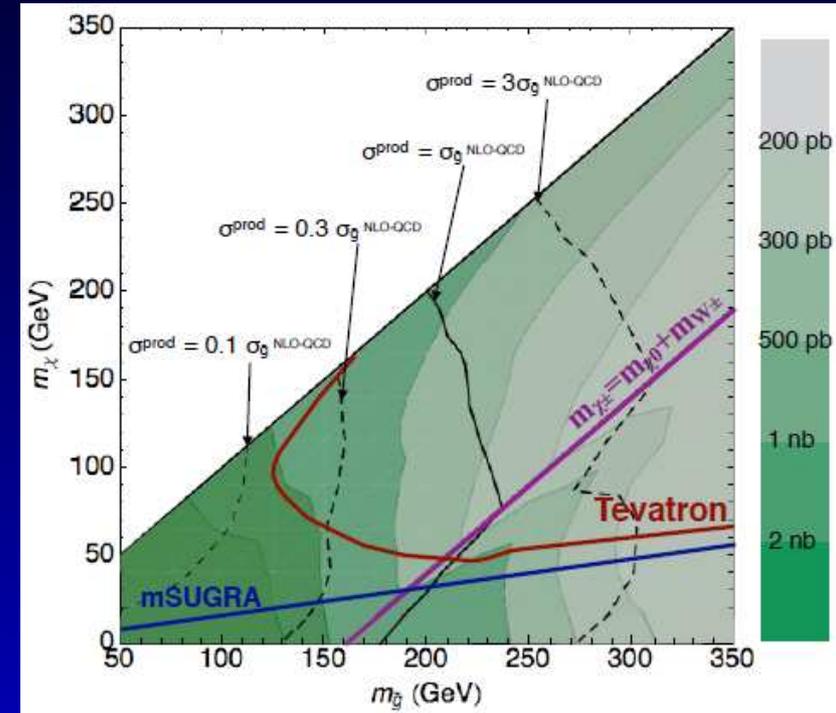
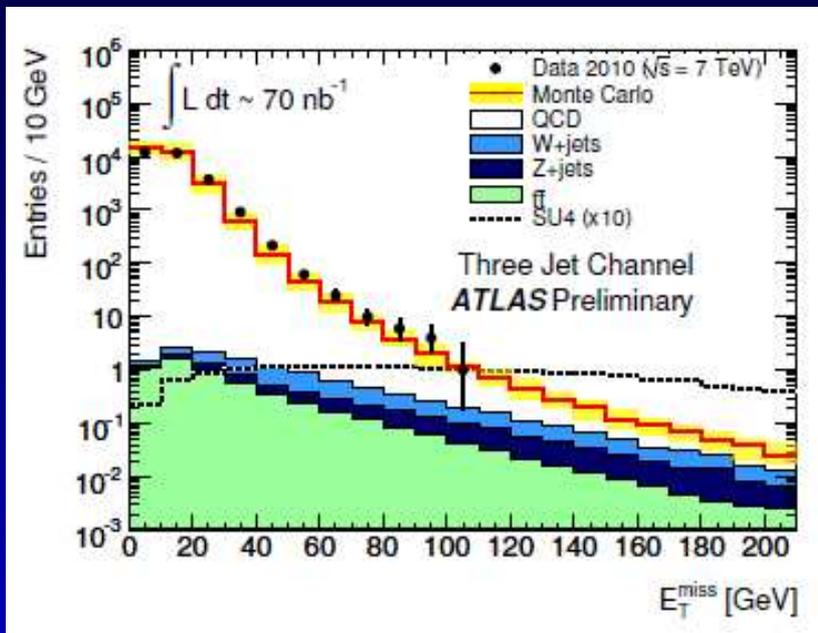
*Mass differences well constrained, but overall mass scale not so well constrained by LHC<sup>a</sup>*

<sup>a</sup>BCA, Lester, Parker, Webber, hep-ph/0007009



# Simple Study

Can bound<sup>a</sup>  $pp \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$ , with  $\tilde{g} \rightarrow 2j\cancel{E}_T$  from<sup>b</sup>:



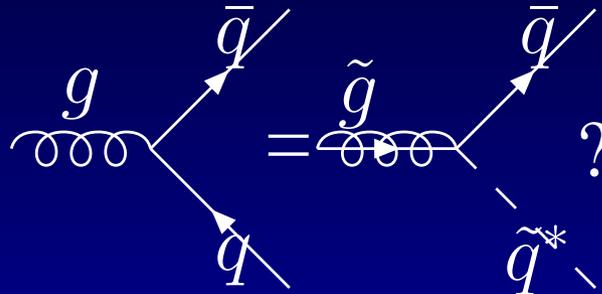
Very simple situation: depends only on  $m_{\tilde{g}}$ ,  $m_{\chi_1^0}$  and possibly  $m_{\tilde{q}}$  through production matrix elements.

<sup>a</sup> Alves, Izaguirre, Wacker, arXiv:1008.0407

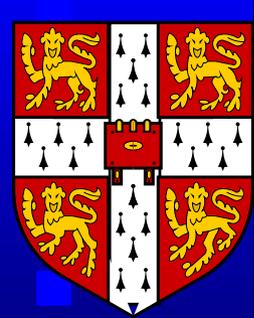
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# Other Things We Want to Check

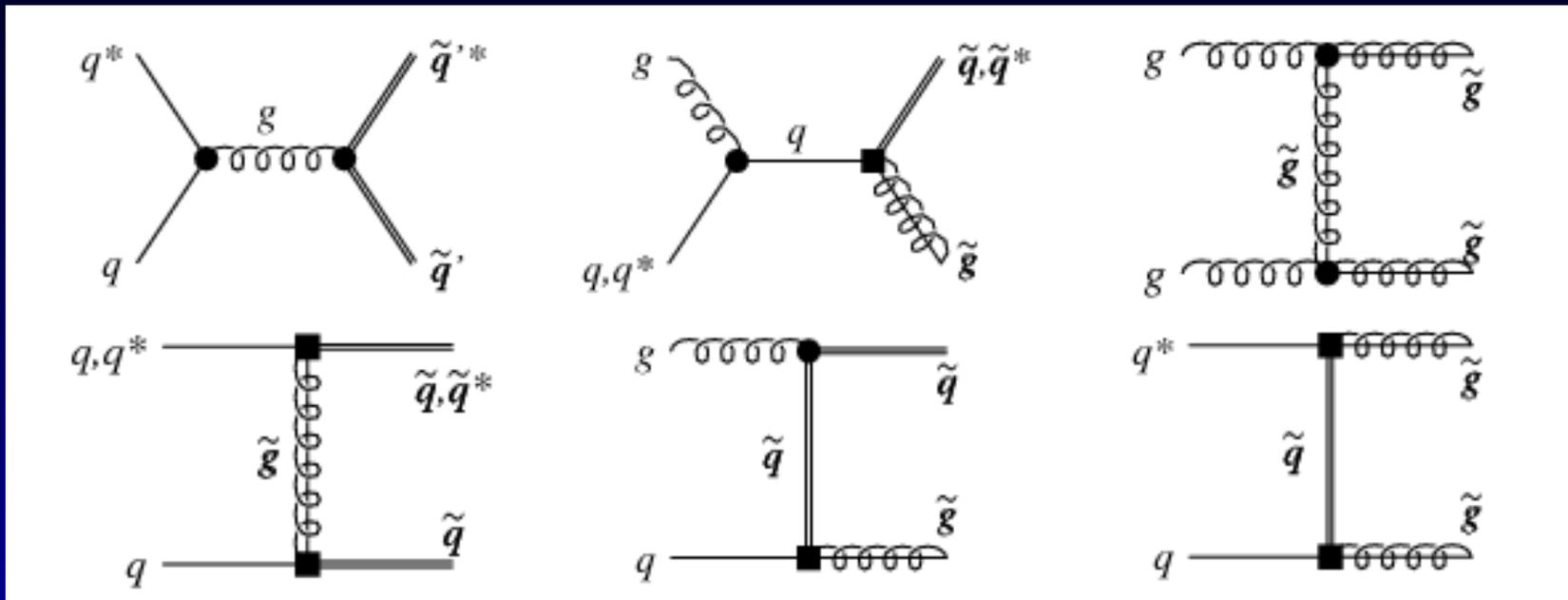
- Do the spins correspond to SUSY?
- Do the couplings correspond to SUSY? Eg



All of these detailed checks are very difficult to do at the LHC. Really, one needs a future **linear collider** to do these things: with enough energy to produce the relevant sparticles.



# Coupling Measurement

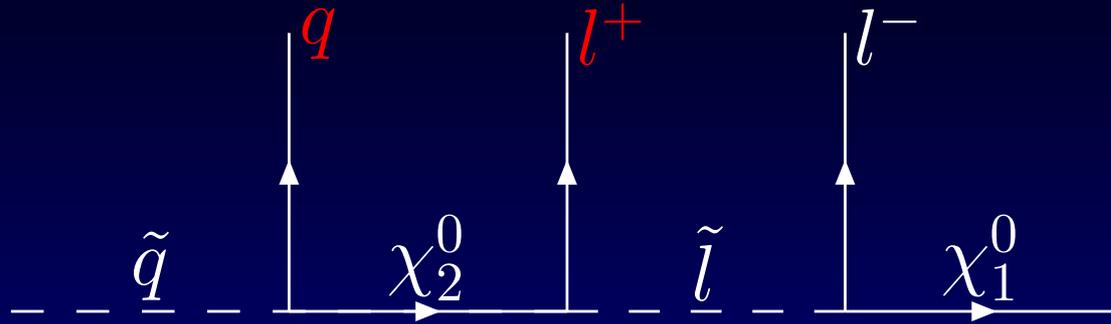


$$\tilde{u}_L \rightarrow d\chi_1^+ \rightarrow dl^+ \nu_l \chi_1^0, \quad \tilde{u}_L^* \rightarrow \bar{d}\chi_1^- \rightarrow dl^- \bar{\nu}_l \chi_1^0$$

The idea is to use the lepton charge to tag the charge of the initial quark and look for  $\tilde{q}_L \tilde{q}_L$  production.

Assuming ILC data on BRs, can get  $\sim 4\%$  accuracy for  $100 \text{ fb}^{-1a}$  at an easy point.

# Spins at LHC



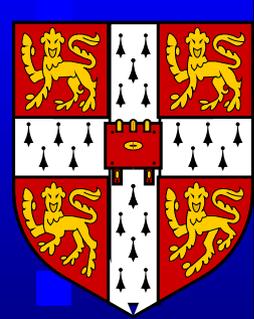
$$(m_{lq}^{\text{near}})^2 = 2|p_l||p_q|(1 - \cos \theta_{lq}) = (m_{lq}^{\text{near}})_{\text{max}}^2 \sin^2(\theta_{lq}/2).$$

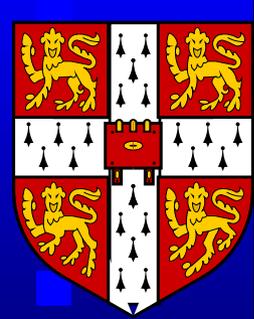
$$(m_{lq}^{\text{near}})_{\text{max}}^2 = \frac{(m_{\tilde{q}}^2 - m_{\chi_2^0}^2)(m_{\chi_2^0}^2 - m_{\tilde{l}}^2)}{m_{\chi_2^0}^2}$$

Consider  $m \equiv m_{ql}/m_{ql}(\text{max}) = \sin \theta_{lq}/2$ , for PS

$$\frac{dP_{PS}}{dm} = 2m.$$

Spin correlations give different distributions!



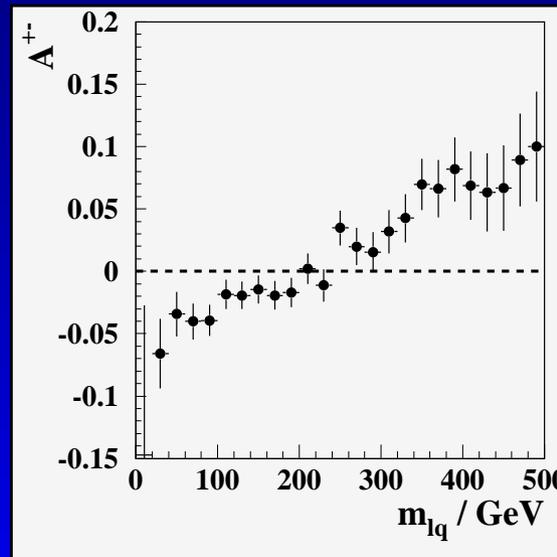


# Spins II

$$\frac{dP(l^+ q / l^- \bar{q})}{dm} = 4m^3, \quad \frac{dP(l^- q / l^+ \bar{q})}{dm} = 4m(1-m^2),$$

Seems hopeless, since we cannot tag quarks vs anti-quarks (average is PS). But  $pp$  gives more  $\bar{q}$  than  $\tilde{q}^*$ ! which leads to spin-generated lepton charge asymmetry

Barr, hep-ph/0405052



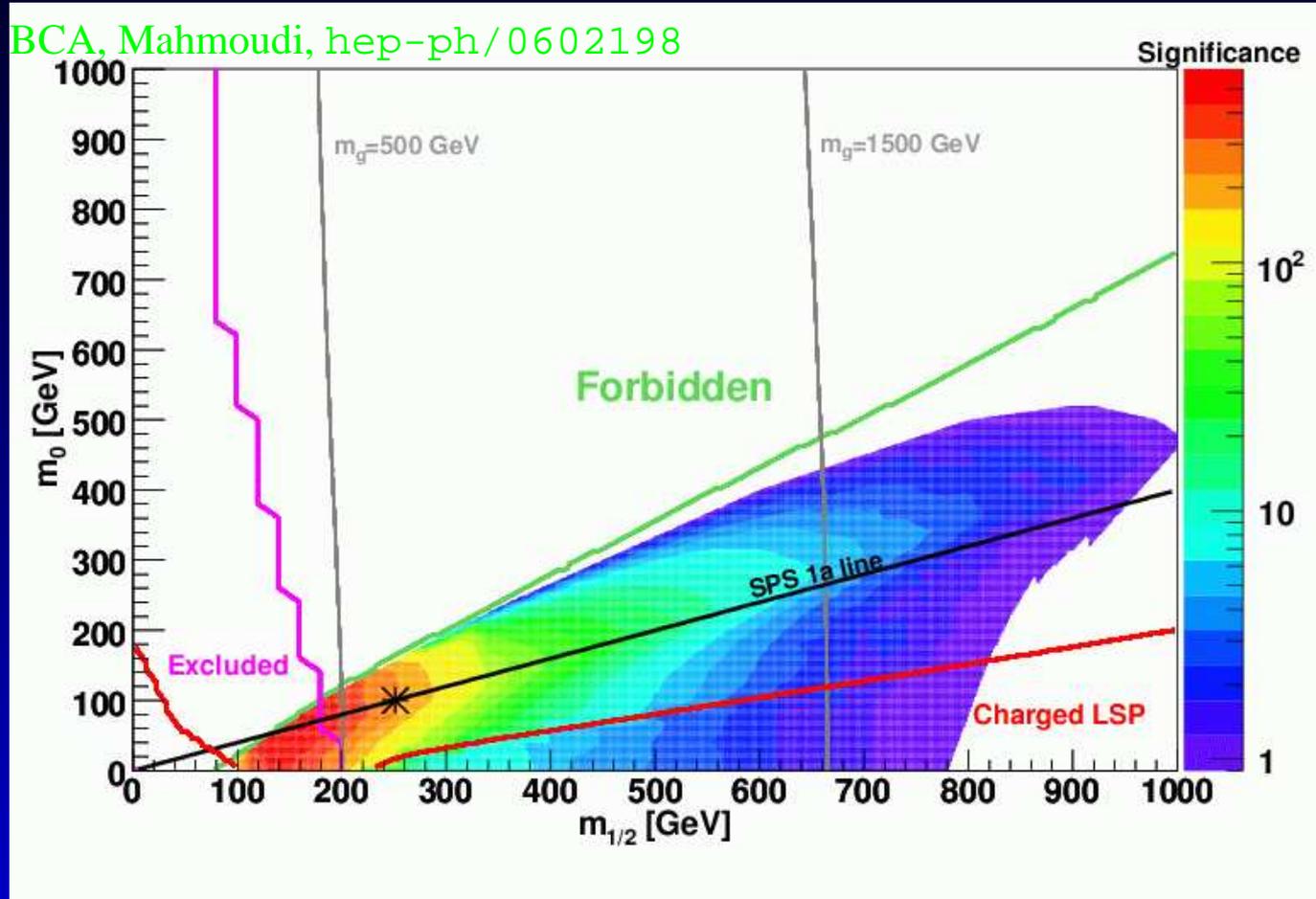
$$A^{+-} = \frac{s^+ - s^-}{s^+ + s^-}$$

$$s^\pm = \frac{d\sigma}{d(m_{l^\pm q})}$$

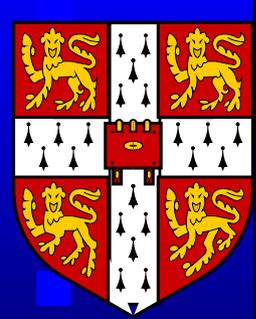
$$\mathcal{L} = 150 \text{ pb}^{-1}$$

# Region of Validity of Barr Method

BCA, Mahmoudi, hep-ph/0602198



For  $\mathcal{L} = 150 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ , can discriminate against phase space in the **orange** and **red** regions *only*.



# Universality

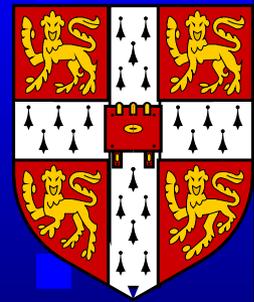
Reduces number of SUSY breaking parameters from 100 to 3:

- $\tan \beta \equiv v_2/v_1$
- $m_0$ , the **common** scalar mass (flavour).
- $M_{1/2}$ , the **common** gaugino mass (GUT/string).
- $A_0$ , the **common** trilinear coupling (flavour).

**These conditions** should be imposed at  $M_X \sim O(10^{16-18})$  GeV and receive radiative corrections

$$\propto 1/(16\pi^2) \ln(M_X/M_Z).$$

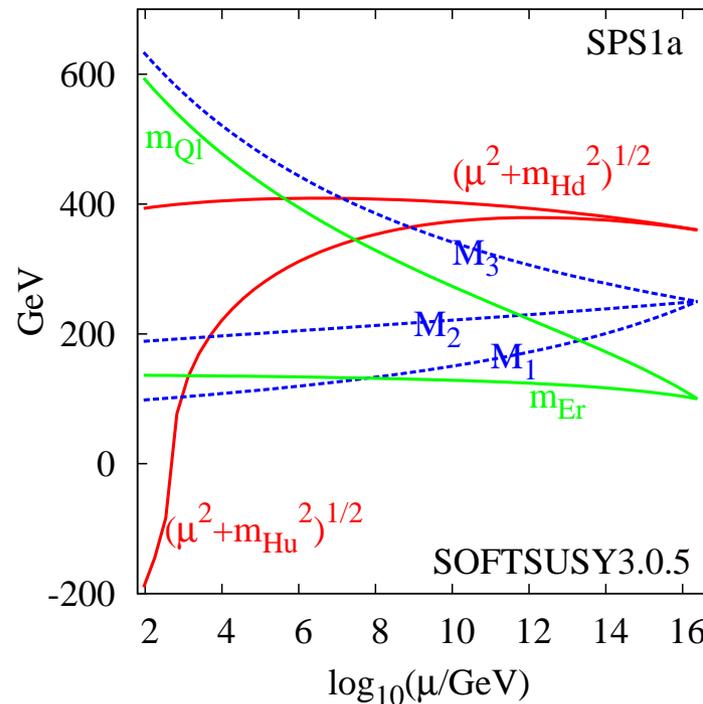
Also, Higgs potential parameter  $\text{sgn}(\mu)=\pm 1$ .



# SOFTSUSY

SOFTSUSY is an MSSM spectrum generator. Like 3 other public spectrum generators, it predicts MSSM masses and couplings consistent with weak-scale data and an assumed high-scale boundary condition on SUSY breaking.

BCA, hep-ph/0104145



# SOFTSUSY

Get  $g_i(M_Z), h_{t,b,\tau}(M_Z)$ .

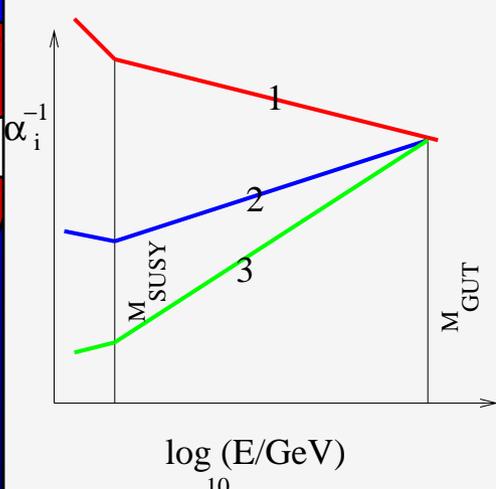
Run to  $M_S$ .

REWSB, iterative solution of  $\mu$

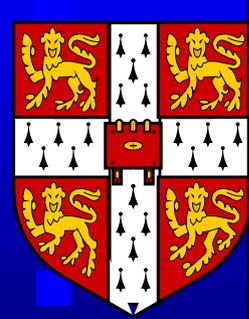
$M_X$ . Soft SUSY breaking BC.

Run to  $M_S$ . Calculate<sup>a</sup> sparticle pole masses.

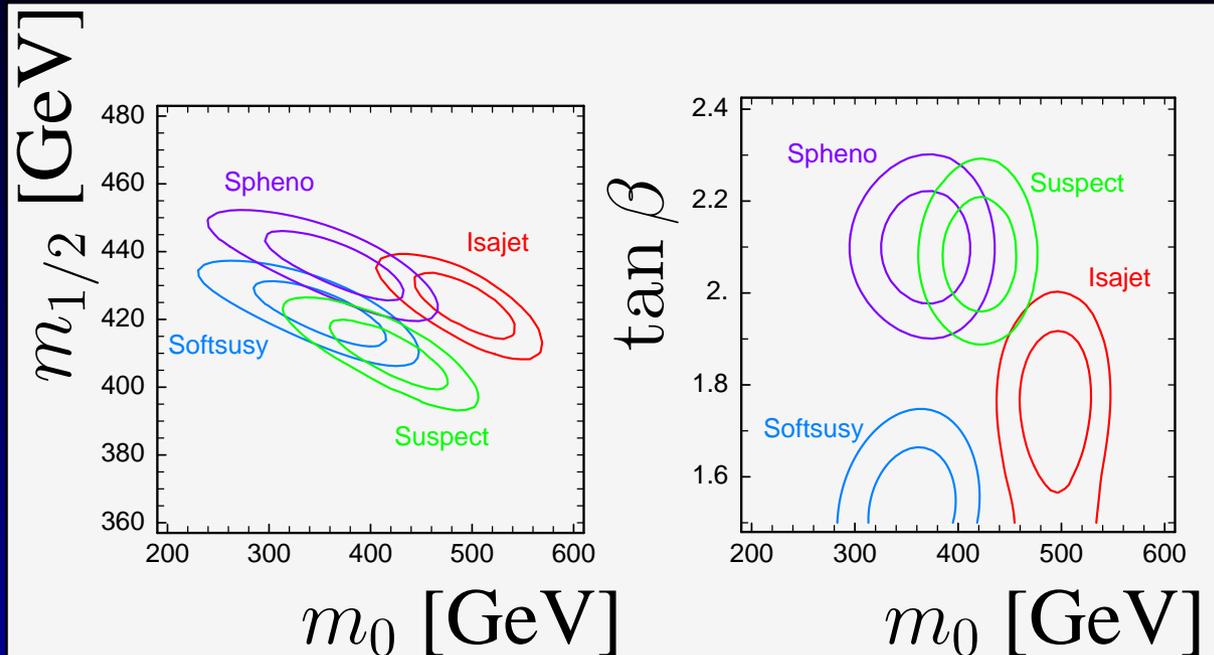
Run to  $M_Z$



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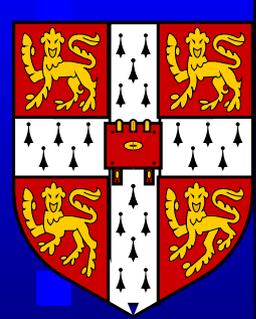


# Fitting to SUSY Breaking Model

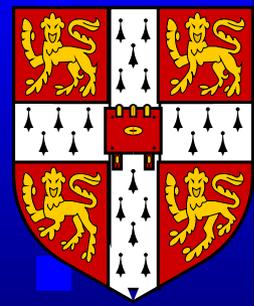


- Experimenters pick a SUSY breaking point
- They derive observables and errors after detector simulation
- We fit<sup>a</sup> this “data” with our codes

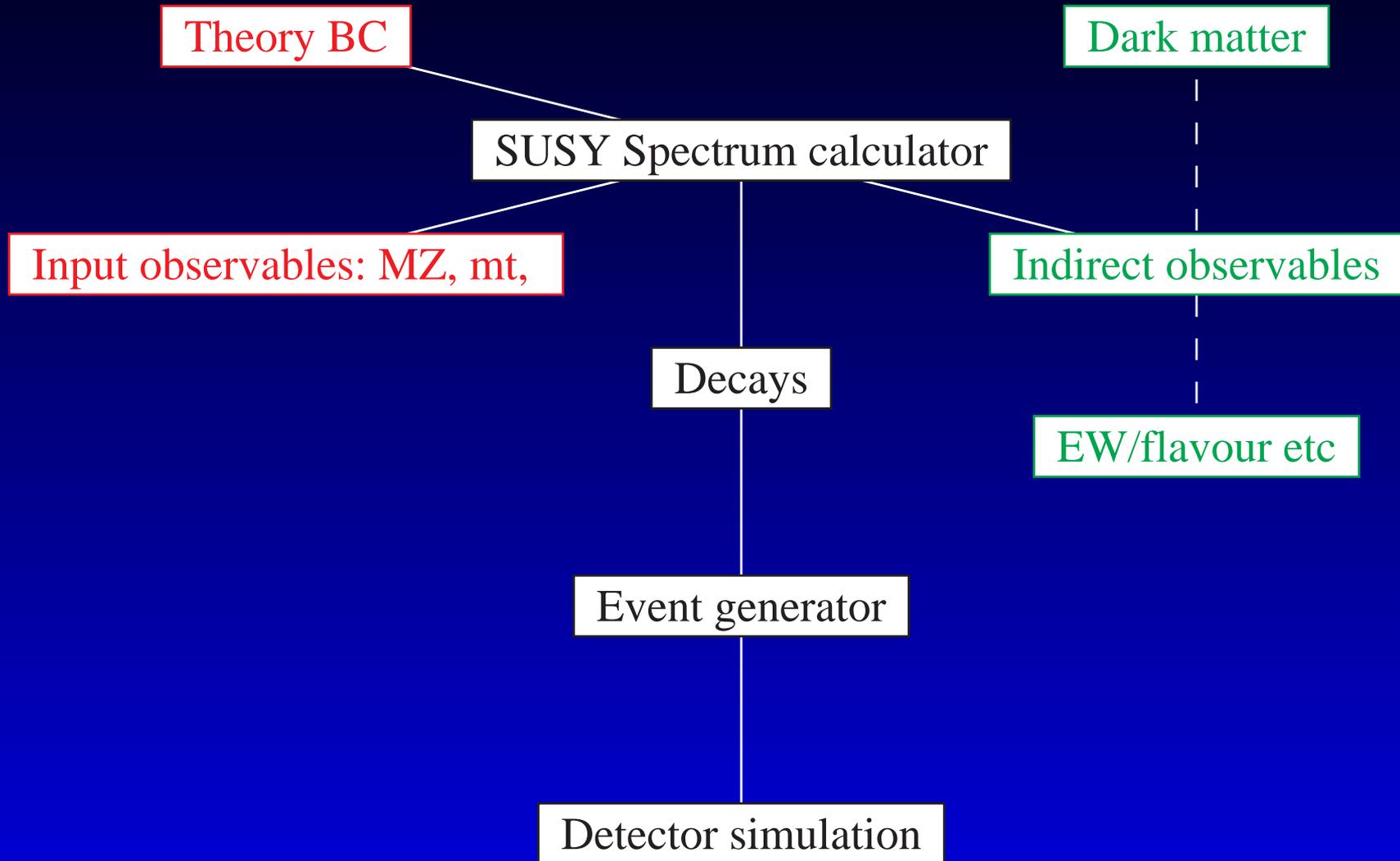
<sup>a</sup>BCA, S Kraml, W Porod, JHEP 0303 (2003) 016



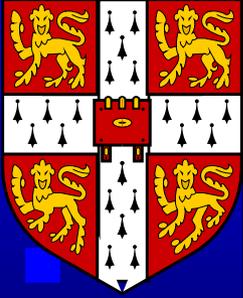
See a review: [BCA](#), [arXiv:0805.2088](#)



# MSSM Tools

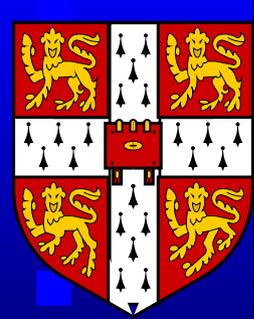


SLHA: Skands *et al*, hep-ph/0311123, SLHA2: BCA *et al*,  
arXiv:0801.0045 (NMSSM, RPV, FV, CPV)



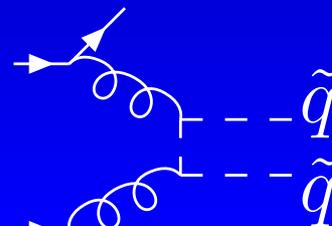
# Spectrum and decays

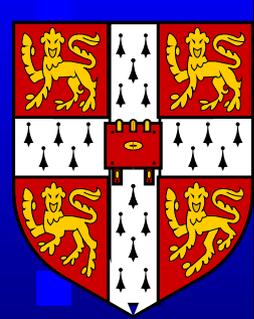
- **ISASUSY** decouples particles at the mass thresholds but misses some finite terms in the matching: re-sums log splittings.
- **SOFTSUSY**, **sPHENO**, **SUSPECT** all catch the finite terms but do the splittings to leading log in RPC-MSSM.
- **CPsuperH**, **FeynHiggs** do Higgs mass spectrum and decays of CP violating MSSM
- **NMSPEC** does the **CNMSSM** spectrum, **NMHDECAY** gives the decays widths etc
- **PYTHIA**, **HERWIG++**, **ISASUSY**, **sPHENO** and **SusyHIT** do decays of Higgs and SUSY particles in MSSM.



# Matrix Element Generators

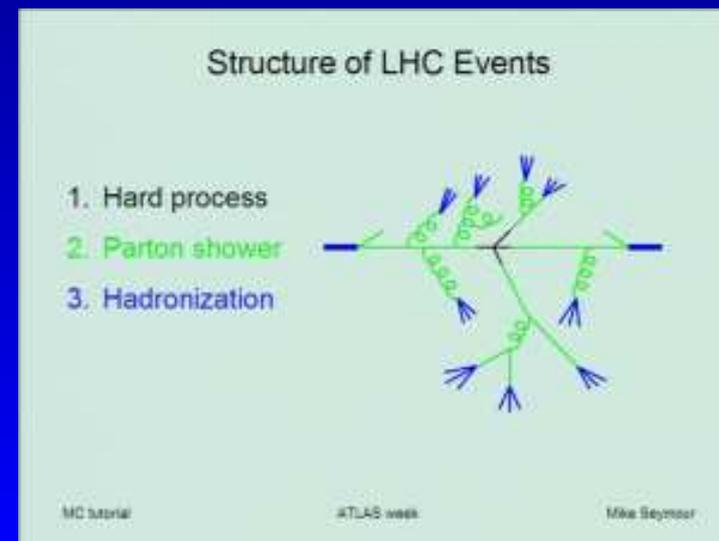
- **Feyn Arts/Feyn Calc**
- Additional hard jets *cannot* be modelled reliably using the parton shower - you need to simulate the matrix element.
- **SMADGRAPH, compHEP, calcHEP, GRACE** do SUSY and more general models at tree level. 2 to 4 possible. **BRIDGE** can be used to remember spin information in the decays.
- **WHIZARD, SUSYGEN** - polarisation included for  $e^+e^-$
- **PROSPINO** does NLO-QCD sparticle production

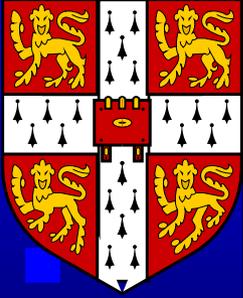




# Event Generation

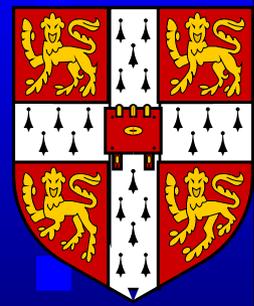
- Can pass matrix-element generated events to event generators with the (original) *Les Houches Accord*
- **PYTHIA** used extensively. Includes RPV. phase-space decays. **ISAJET** too.
- **HERWIG** maintains spin info down cascade decays. RPV too.
- **SHERPA** matches up ME with more standard event generation.
- Shift toward C++



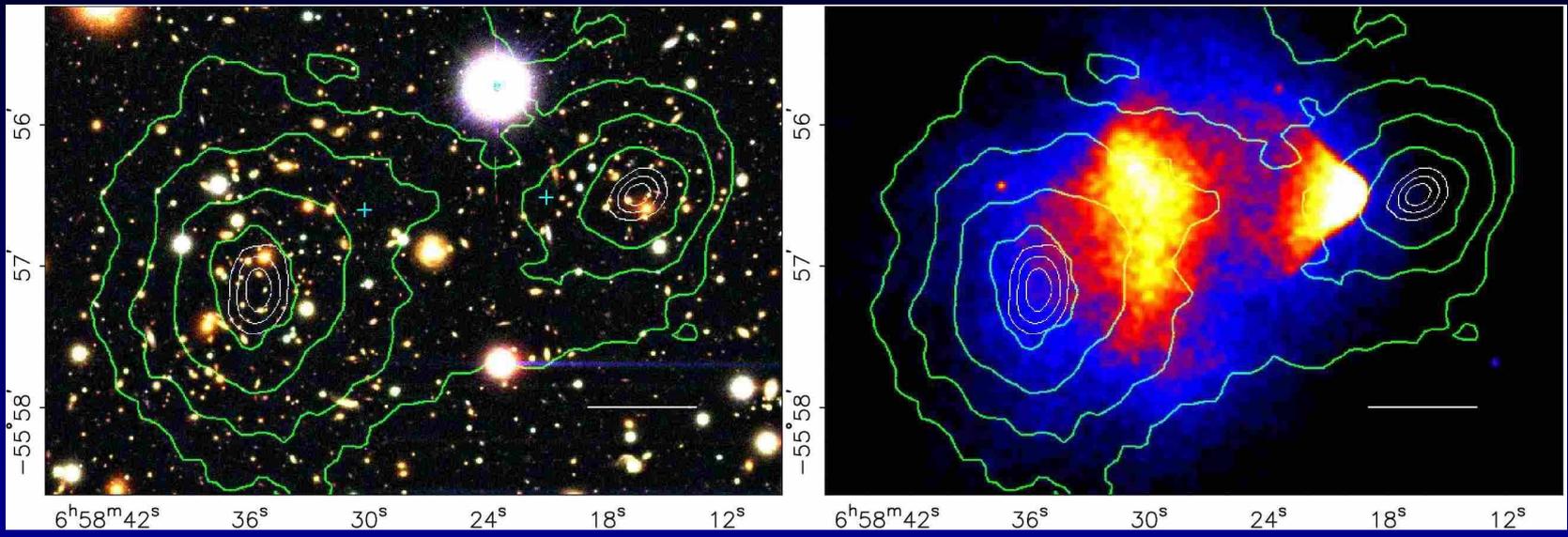


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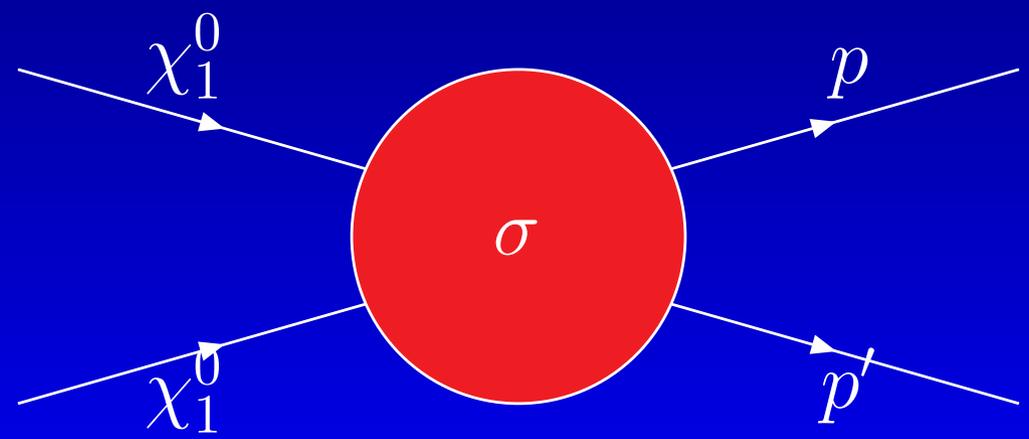
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# SUSY Dark Matter

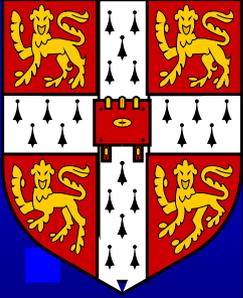


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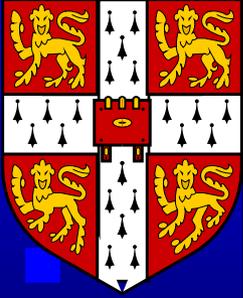
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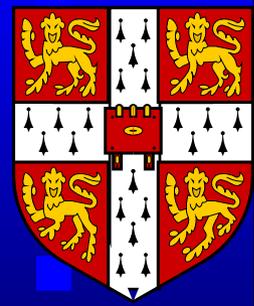
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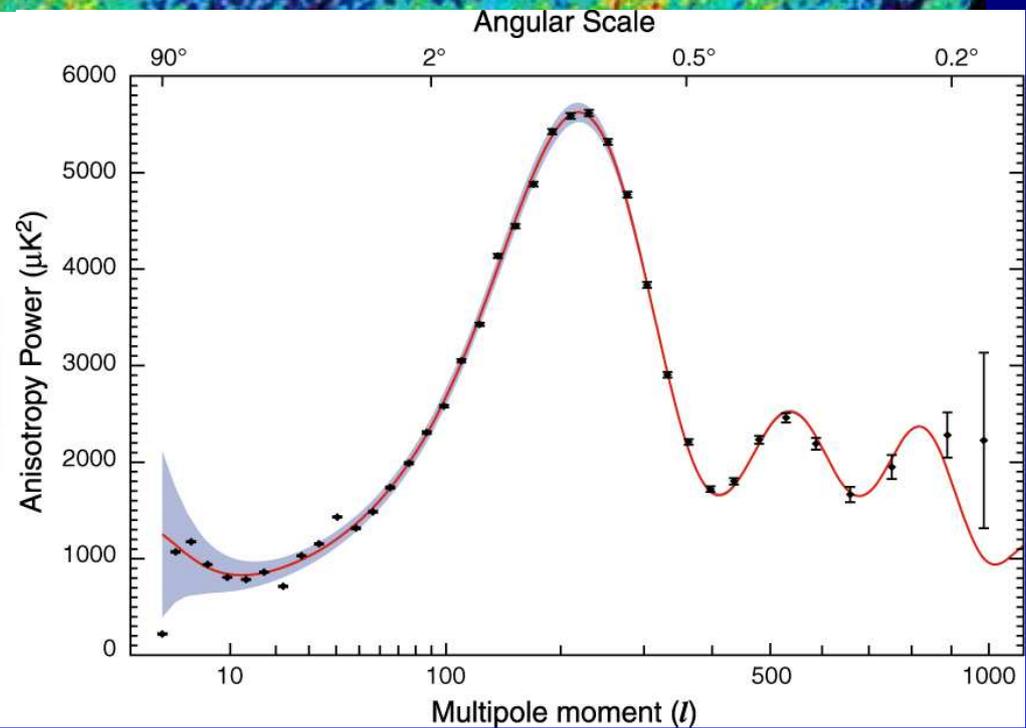
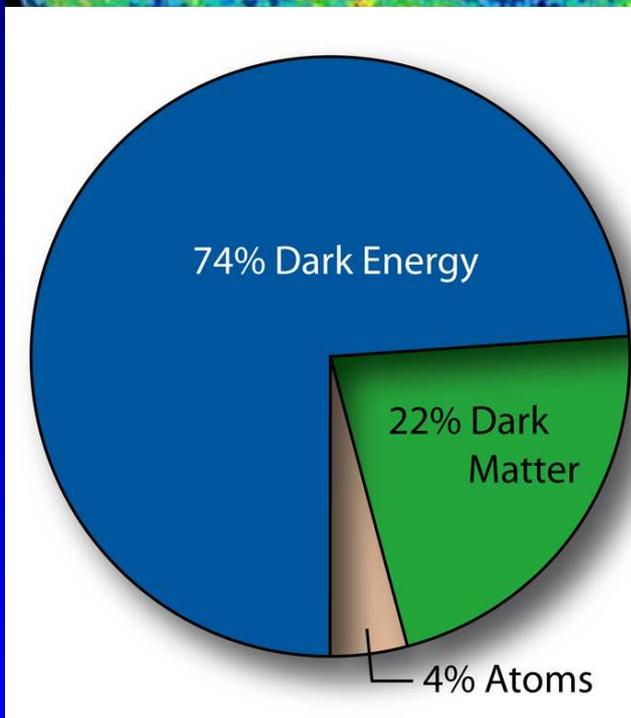
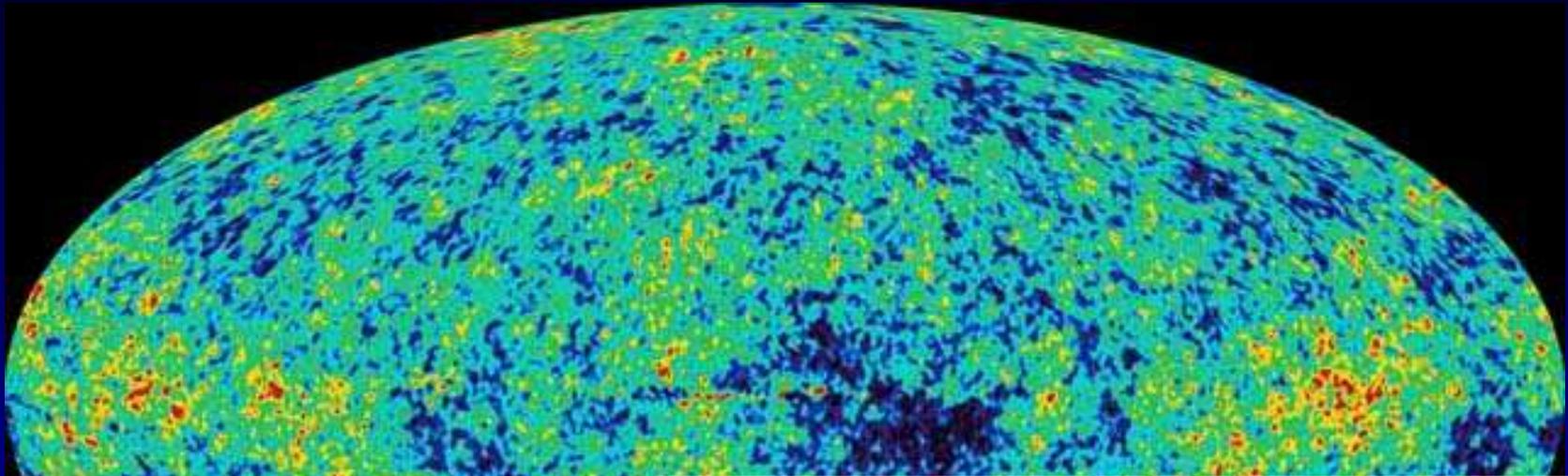


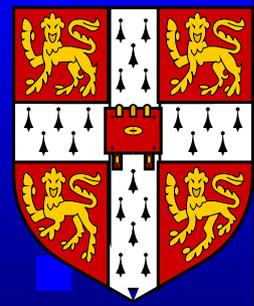
# Caveats

- Implicitly assumed that LSP constitutes *all* of dark matter
- Assumed radiation domination in post-inflation era. No clear evidence between freeze-out+BBN that this is the case ( $t_{eq}$  changes).
- Examples of non-standard cosmology that would change the prediction:
  - Extra degrees of freedom
  - Low reheating temperature
  - Extra dimensional models
  - Anisotropic cosmologies
  - Non-thermal production of neutralinos (late decays?)



# WMAP+BAO+Ia Fits

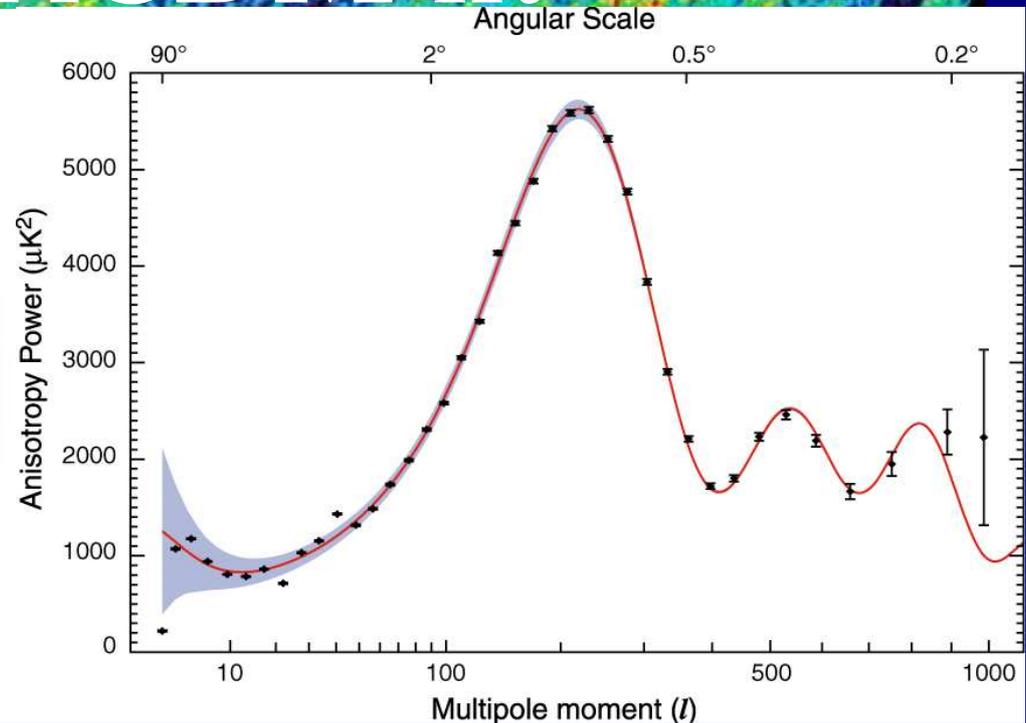
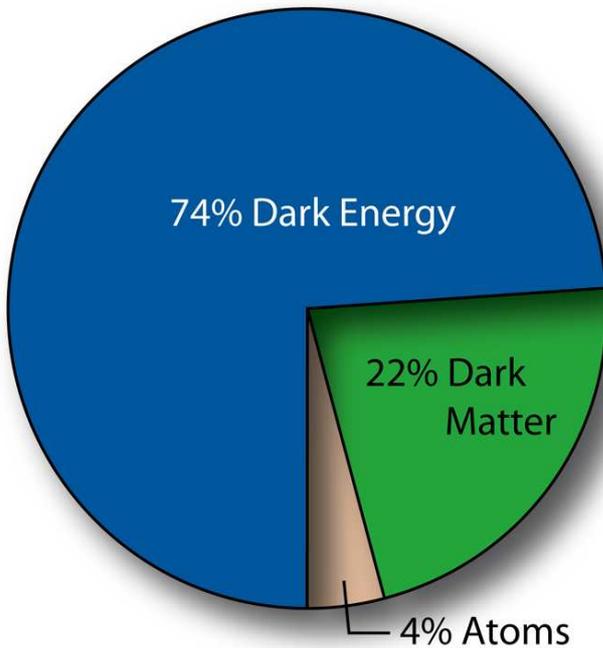
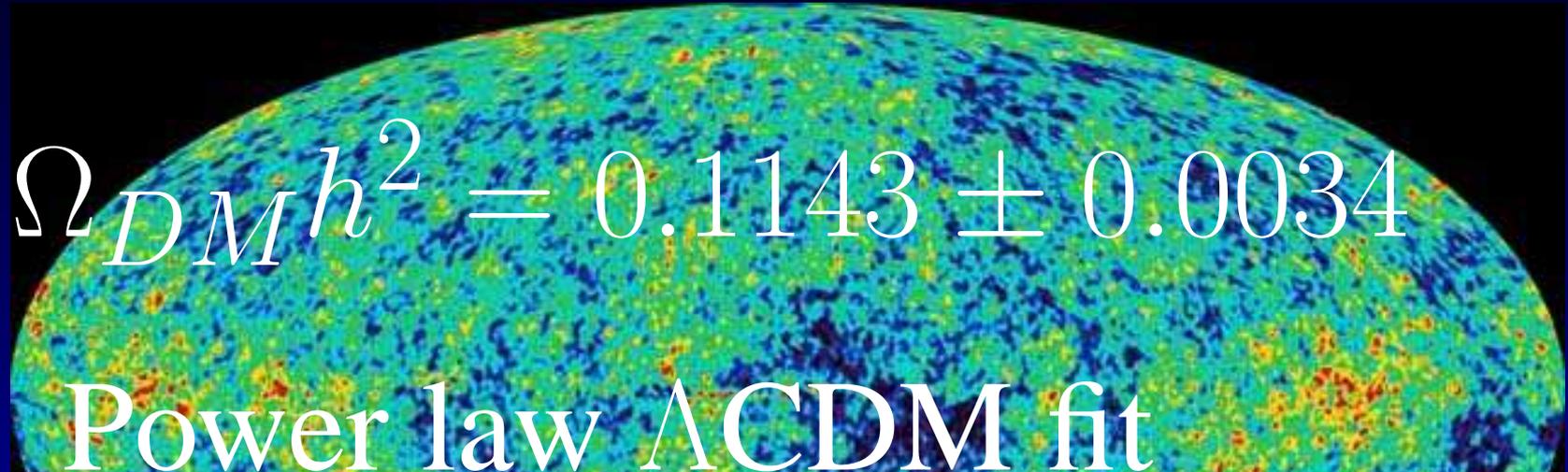


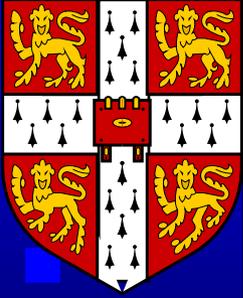


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$$\Omega_{DM} h^2 = 0.1143 \pm 0.0034$$

Power law  $\Lambda$ CDM fit



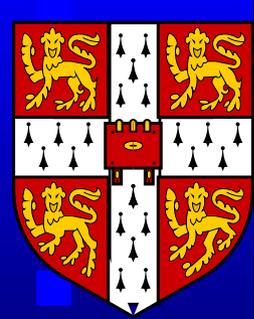


# Implementation

We use

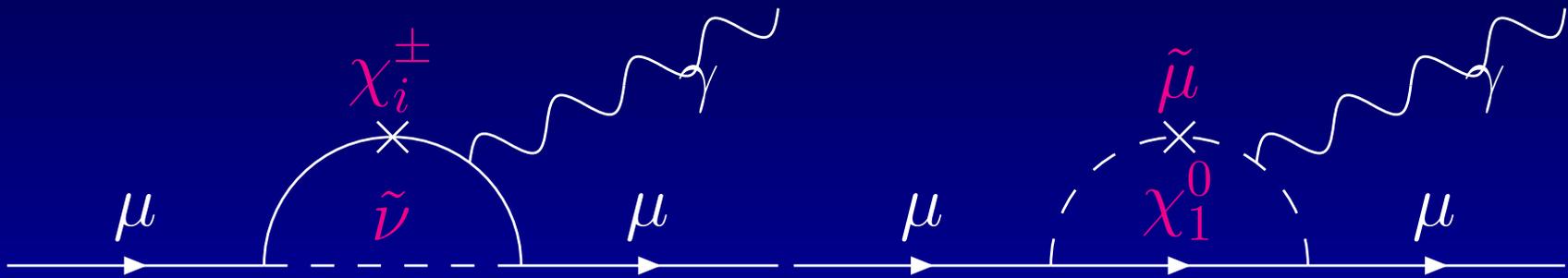
- 95% *C.L.* direct search constraints
- $\Omega_{DM} h^2 = 0.1143 \pm 0.02$  Boudjema *et al*
- $\delta(g - 2)_\mu/2 = (29.5 \pm 8.8) \times 10^{-10}$  Stöckinger *et al*
- *B*–physics observables including  
 $BR[b \rightarrow s\gamma]_{E_\gamma > 1.6 \text{ GeV}} = (3.52 \pm 0.38) \times 10^{-4}$
- Electroweak data W Hollik, A Weber *et al*

$$2 \ln \mathcal{L} = - \sum_i \chi_i^2 + c = \sum_i \frac{(p_i - e_i)^2}{\sigma_i^2} + c$$

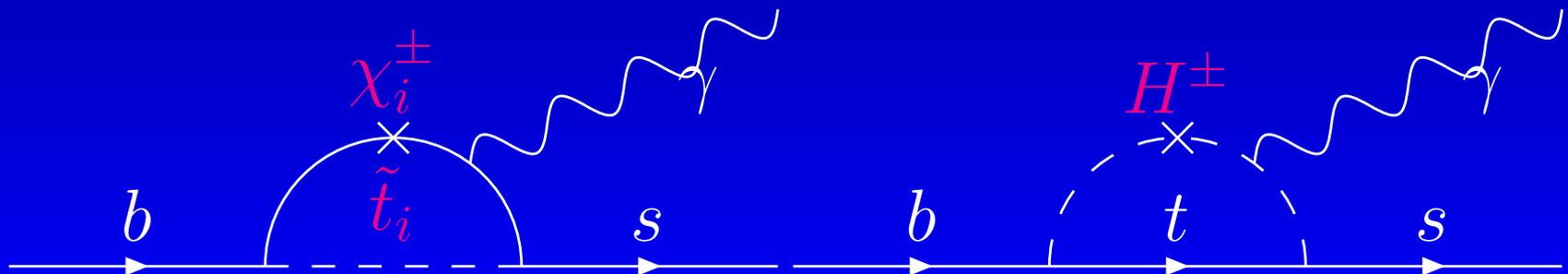


# Additional observables

$$\delta \frac{(g-2)_\mu}{2} \sim 13 \times 10^{-10} \left( \frac{100 \text{ GeV}}{M_{SUSY}} \right)^2 \tan \beta$$



$$BR[b \rightarrow s\gamma] \propto \tan \beta (M_W/M_{SUSY})^2$$



# Application of Bayes'

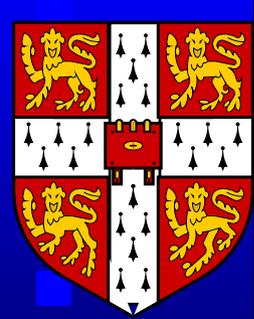
$\mathcal{L} \equiv p(\underline{d}|\underline{m}, H)$  is pdf of reproducing data  $\underline{d}$  assuming pMSSM hypothesis  $H$  and model parameters  $\underline{m}$

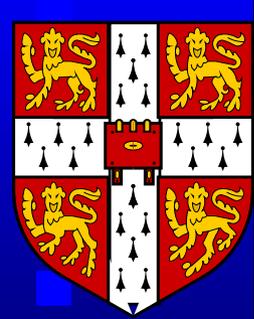
$$p(\underline{m}|\underline{d}, H) = p(\underline{d}|\underline{m}, H) \frac{p(\underline{m}, H)}{p(\underline{d}, H)}$$

$p(\underline{m}|\underline{d}, H)$  is called the **posterior** pdf. We will compare  $p(\underline{m}, H) = c$  with a **different** prior.

$$p(m_0, M_{1/2}|\underline{d}, H) = \int d\underline{o} p(m_0, M_{1/2}, \underline{o}|\underline{d}, H)$$

Called *marginalisation*.





# Likelihood and Posterior

Q: What's the chance of observing someone to be pregnant, given that they are female?



$d$ =pregnant,  $m$ =female

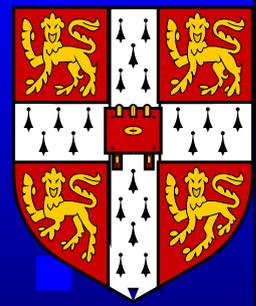
Likelihood

$$p(\text{pregnant} \mid \text{female, human}) = 0.01$$

Posterior

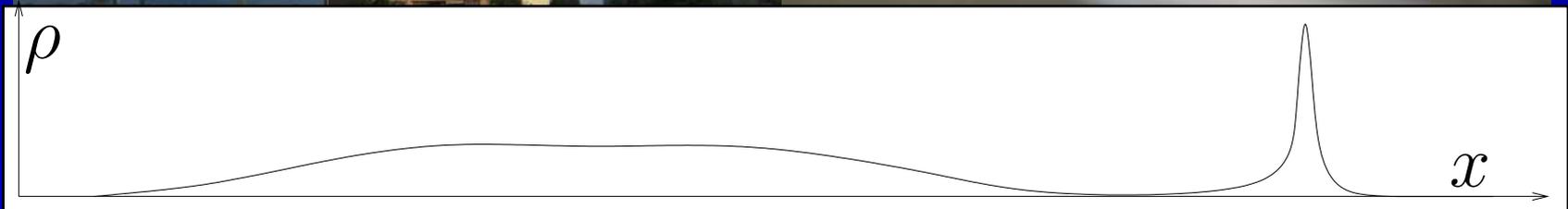
$$p(\text{female} \mid \text{pregnant, human}) = 1.00$$

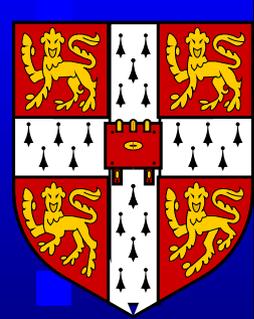
More obvious what to do in discrete cases like this one



# Volume Effects

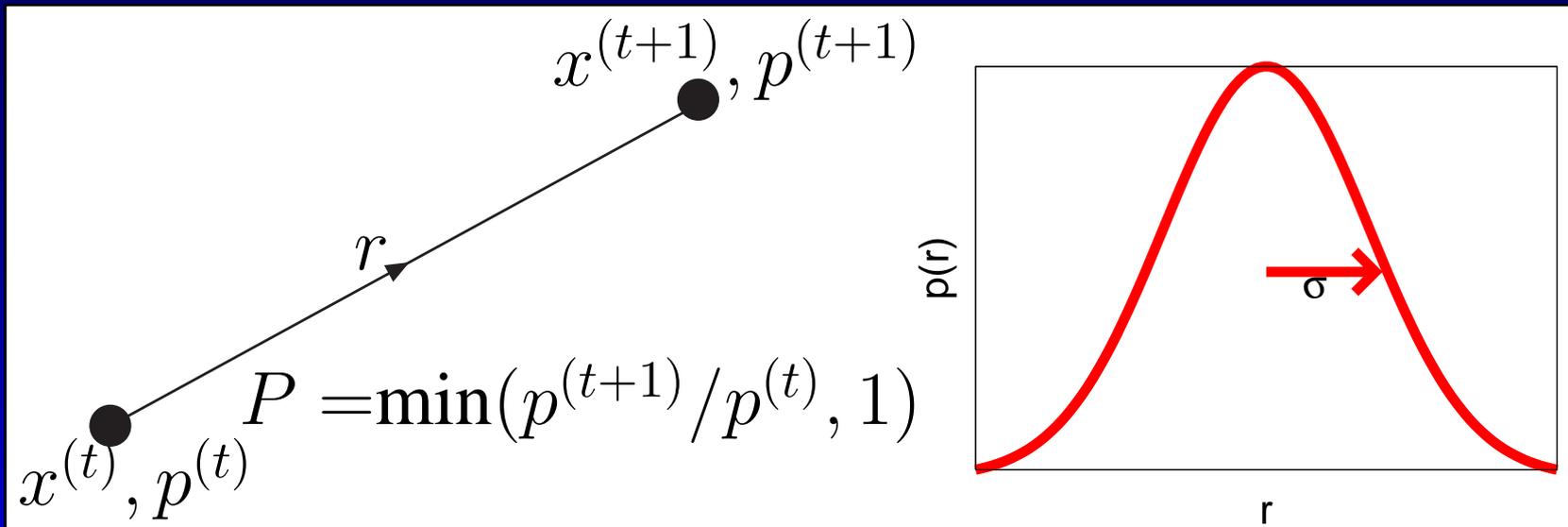
*Can't rely on a good  $\chi^2$  in non-Gaussian situation*



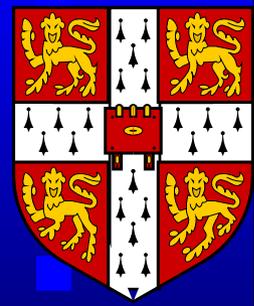


# Markov-Chain Monte Carlo

Metropolis-Hastings Markov chain sampling consists of list of parameter points  $x^{(t)}$  and associated posterior probabilities  $p^{(t)}$ .

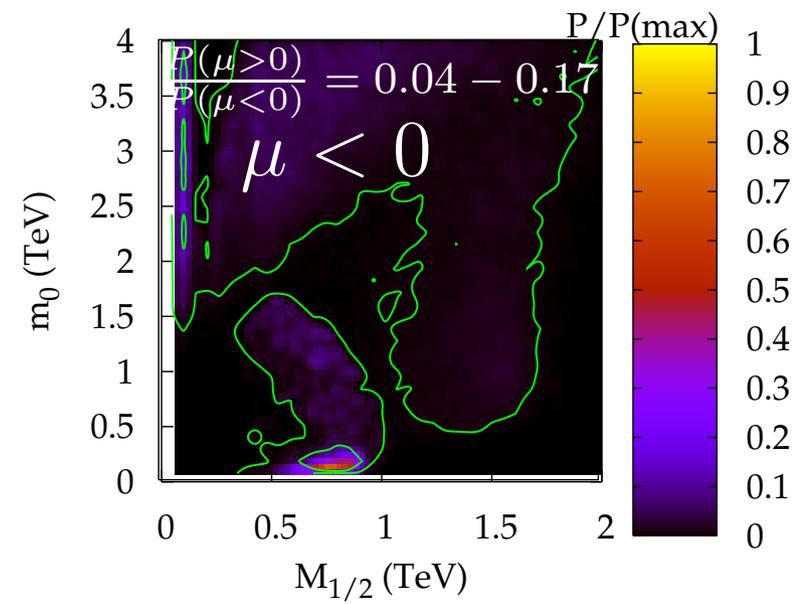
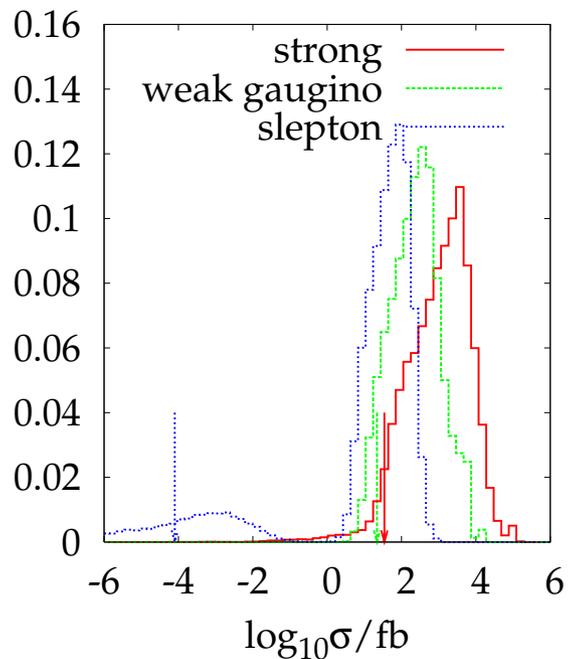
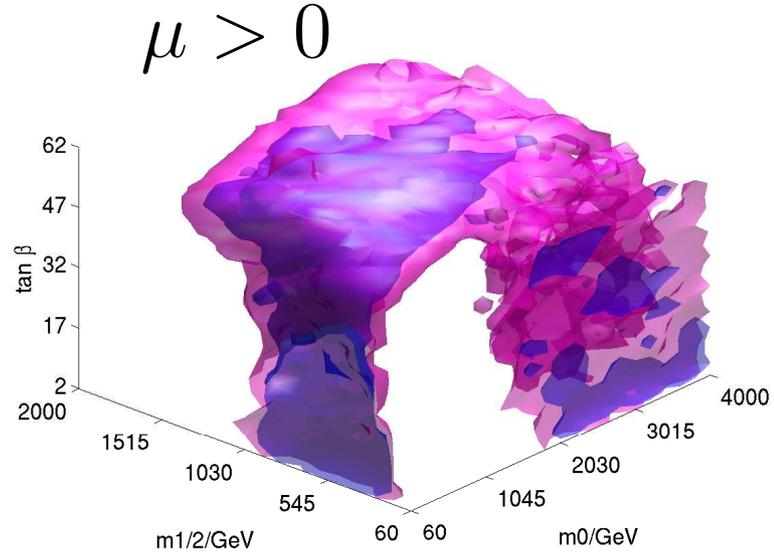
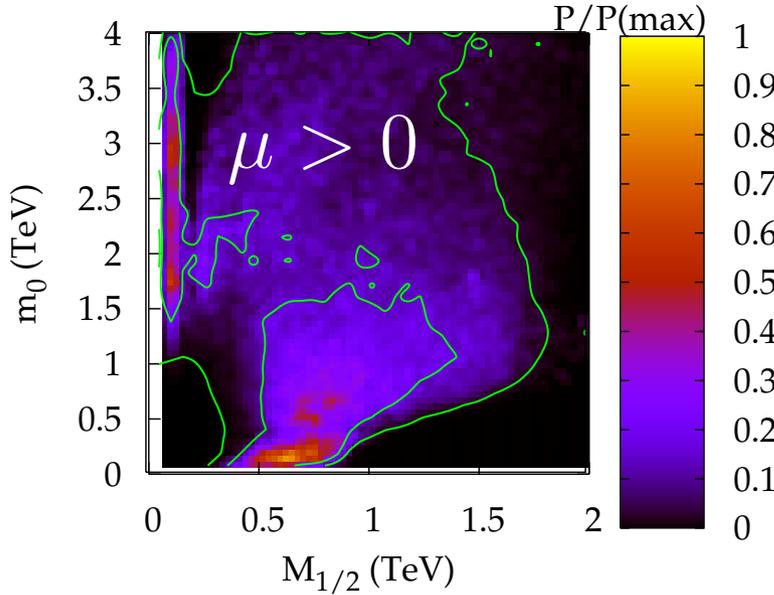


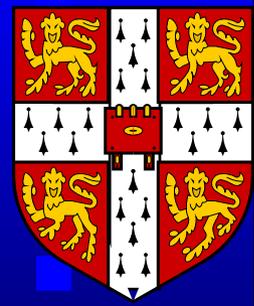
Final density of  $x$  points  $\propto p$ . Required number of points goes *linearly* with number of dimensions.



# Global Fits II

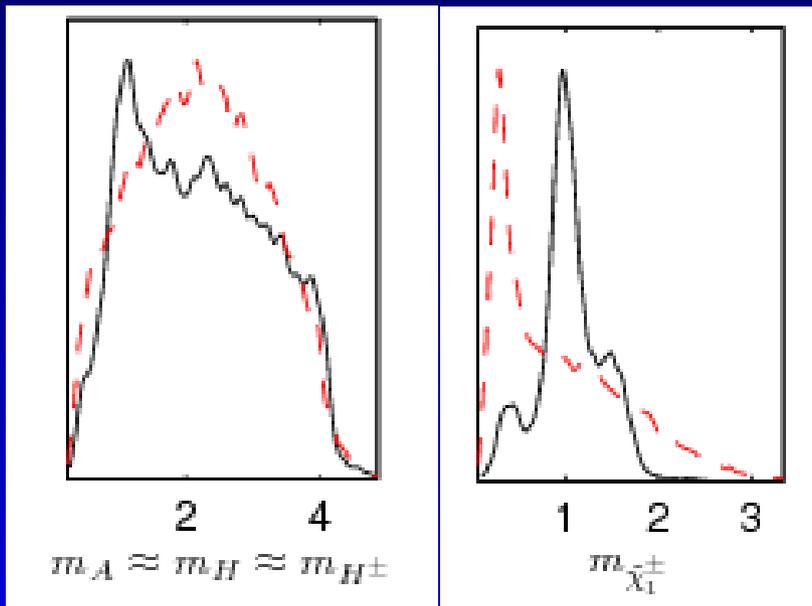
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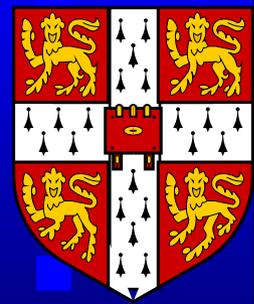
# pMSSM Fits

25 pMSSM input parameters are:  $M_{1,2,3}$ ,  $A_{t,b,\tau,\mu}$ ,  $m_{H_{1,2}}$ ,  $\tan \beta$ ,  
 $m_{\tilde{d}_{R,L}} = m_{\tilde{s}_{R,L}}$ ,  $m_{\tilde{u}_{R,L}} = m_{\tilde{c}_{R,L}}$ ,  $m_{\tilde{e}_{R,L}} = m_{\tilde{\mu}_{R,L}}$ ,  $m_{\tilde{t},\tilde{b},\tilde{\tau}_{R,L}}$   
 $m_t$ ,  $m_b(m_b) \alpha_s(M_Z)^{\overline{MS}}$ ,  $\alpha^{-1}(M_Z)^{\overline{MS}}$ ,  $M_Z$ . Combined Bayesian fit<sup>a</sup>:



Observable	Measurement	Fit(Log)	$ \sigma^{\text{meas}} - \sigma^{\text{fit}}  / \sigma^{\text{meas}}$
$m_W$ [GeV]	$80.399 \pm 0.025$	80.402	0.001
$\Gamma_Z$ [GeV]	$2.4952 \pm 0.0025$	2.4964	0.005
$\sin^2 \theta_{\text{lep}}^{\text{eff}}$	$0.2324 \pm 0.0012$	0.2314	0.008
$\delta(g-2)_\mu \times 10^{10}$	$30.20 \pm 9.02$	26.74	0.11
$R_l^0$	$20.767 \pm 0.025$	20.760	0.003
$R_b$	$0.21629 \pm 0.00066$	0.21962	0.015
$R_c$	$0.1721 \pm 0.0030$	0.1723	0.001
$A_b$	$0.1513 \pm 0.0021$	0.1483	0.020
$A_c$	$0.923 \pm 0.020$	0.935	0.013
$A_c$	$0.670 \pm 0.027$	0.685	0.022
$A_{\text{FB}}^b$	$0.0992 \pm 0.0016$	0.1040	0.049
$A_{\text{FB}}^c$	$0.071 \pm 0.035$	0.074	0.043
$\text{BR}(B \rightarrow X_s \gamma) \times 10^4$	$3.55 \pm 0.42$	3.42	0.37
$R_{\text{BR}(B_c \rightarrow \tau \nu)}$	$1.11 \pm 0.32$	1.00	0.11
$R_{\Delta M_b}$	$1.15 \pm 0.40$	1.00	0.14
$\Delta a_\mu$	$0.0375 \pm 0.0289$	0.0748	0.20
$\Omega_{\text{CDM}} h^2$	$0.11 \pm 0.02$	0.13	0.18

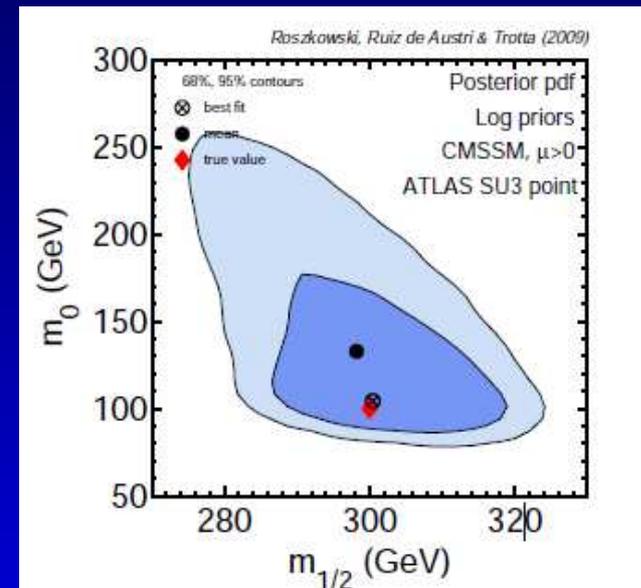
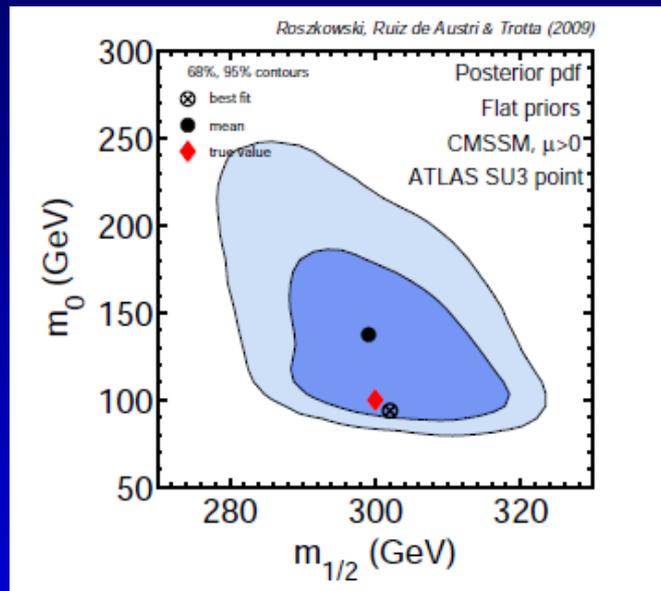
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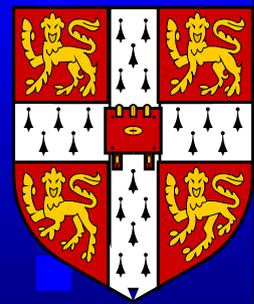


# Prior Independence

Once LHC data on sparticle production is included, prior dependence in mSUGRA decreases:

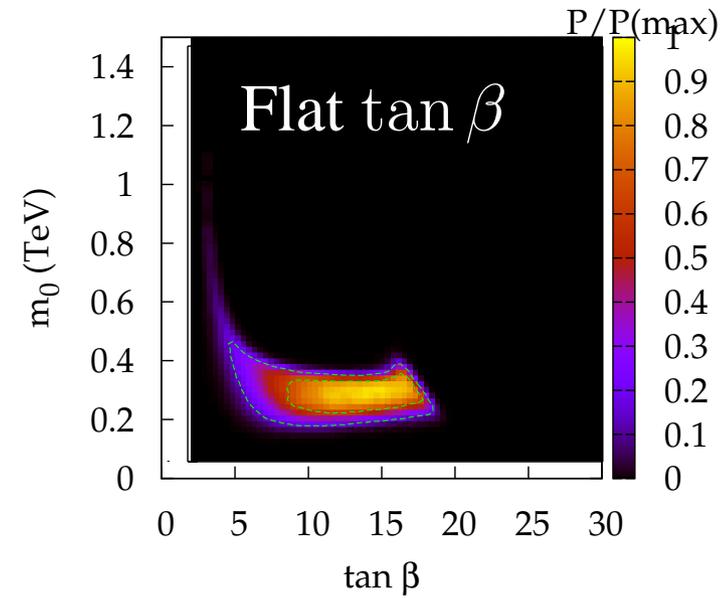
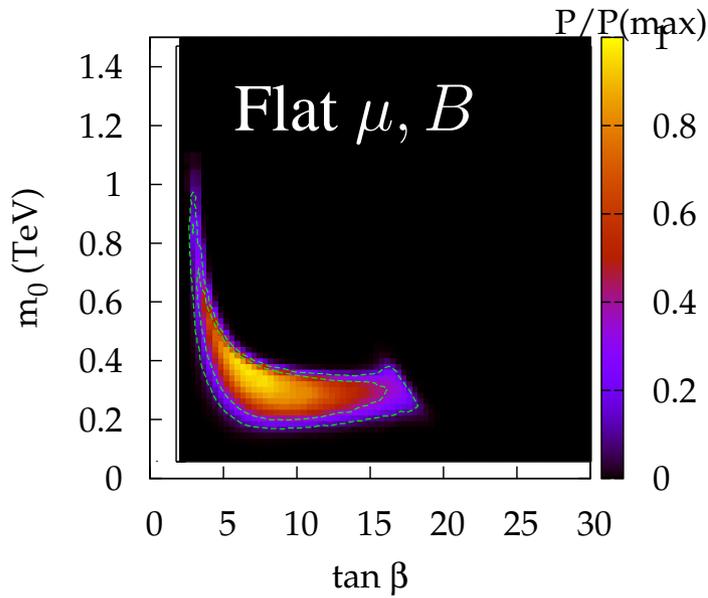
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# Large Volume String Models

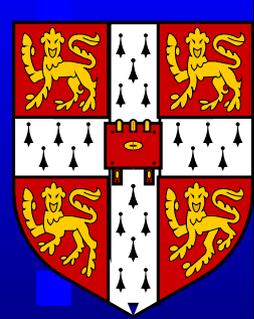
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$$M_{1/2} = -A_0 = m_0/\sqrt{3}$$

$$M_X = 10^{11} \text{ GeV}$$

Two constraints enough!



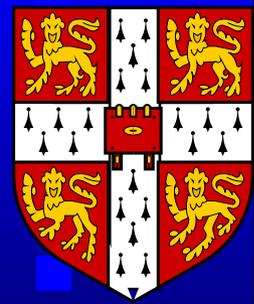
# Model Comparison

Calculate the *Bayesian evidence* of each model

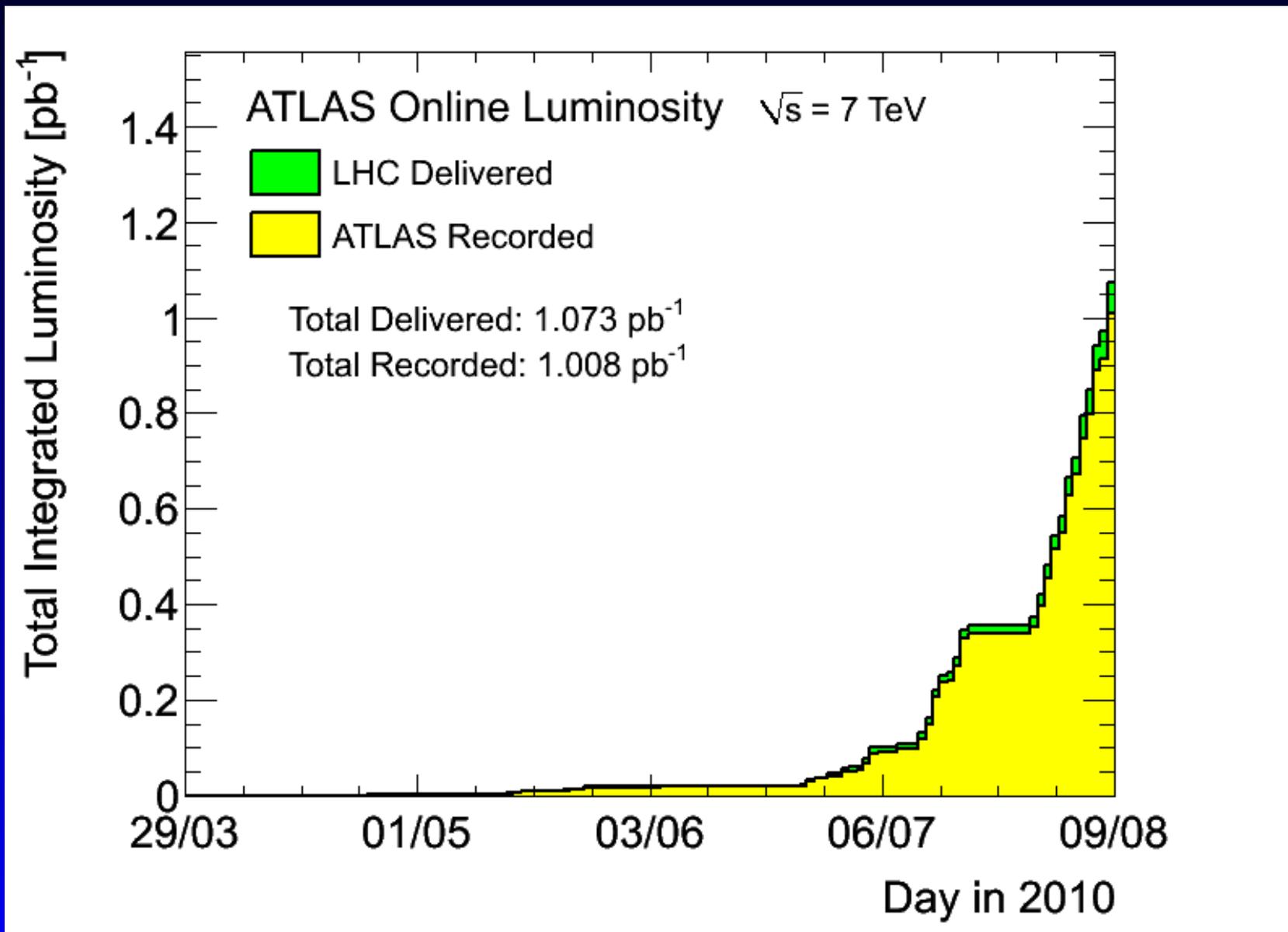
$$\mathcal{Z}_i = \int p(\underline{d}|\underline{m}, H_i) p(\underline{m}|H_i) d\underline{m}$$

$$\frac{p(H_1|\underline{d})}{p(H_0|\underline{d})} = \frac{p(\underline{d}|H_1)p(H_1)}{p(\underline{d}|H_0)p(H_0)} = \frac{\mathcal{Z}_1 p(H_1)}{\mathcal{Z}_0 p(H_0)},$$

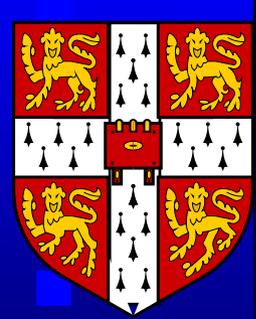
$p_i/p_{\text{mSUGRA}}^{\text{lin}}$	asymmetric <sup>a</sup> $\mathcal{L}_{\text{DM}}$		
Model/Prior	linear	log	flat $\mu, B$
mSUGRA	1	3	4
mAMSB	164	403	148
LVS	18	20	22

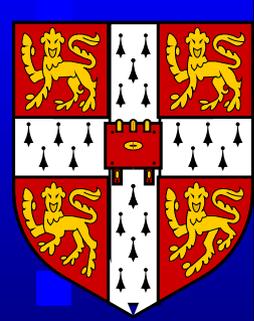


# Summary



# Supplementary Material





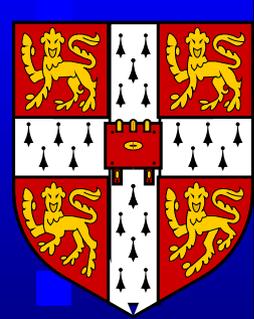
# MSSM Neutral Higgs Potential

$$V = (|\mu|^2 + m_{H_u}^2)|H_u^0|^2 + (|\mu|^2 + m_{H_d}^2)|H_d^0|^2) \\ - \mu B(H_u^0 H_d^0 + c.c.) \\ + \frac{1}{8}(g^2 + g'^2)(|H_u^0|^2 - |H_d^0|^2)^2,$$

$$\frac{\partial V}{\partial H_u^0} = \frac{\partial V}{\partial H_d^0} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \mu B = \frac{\sin 2\beta}{2}(\bar{m}_{H_d}^2 + \bar{m}_{H_u}^2 + 2\mu^2),$$

$$\mu^2 = \frac{\bar{m}_{H_d}^2 - \bar{m}_{H_u}^2 \tan^2 \beta}{\tan^2 \beta - 1} - \frac{M_Z^2}{2}.$$



# Natural Prior

We have assumed a flat prior in  $\tan \beta$ , implies a measure:

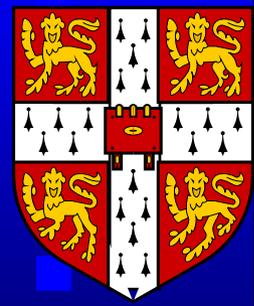
$$p(m_0, M_{1/2} | \text{data}) = \int dA_0 d \tan \beta ds p(m_0, M_{1/2}, A_0, \tan \beta, s | \text{data}).$$

**Change variables:**  $\int d\mu dB \delta(M_Z - M_Z^{cen}) \rightarrow \int dM_Z d \tan \beta |J| \delta(M_Z - M_Z^{cen})$

$$J = \frac{B}{\mu \tan \beta} \frac{\tan^2 \beta - 1}{\tan^2 \beta + 1} \frac{1}{\sin \beta}$$

**Cabrera, Casas, de Austri,** [arXiv:0812.5316](https://arxiv.org/abs/0812.5316)

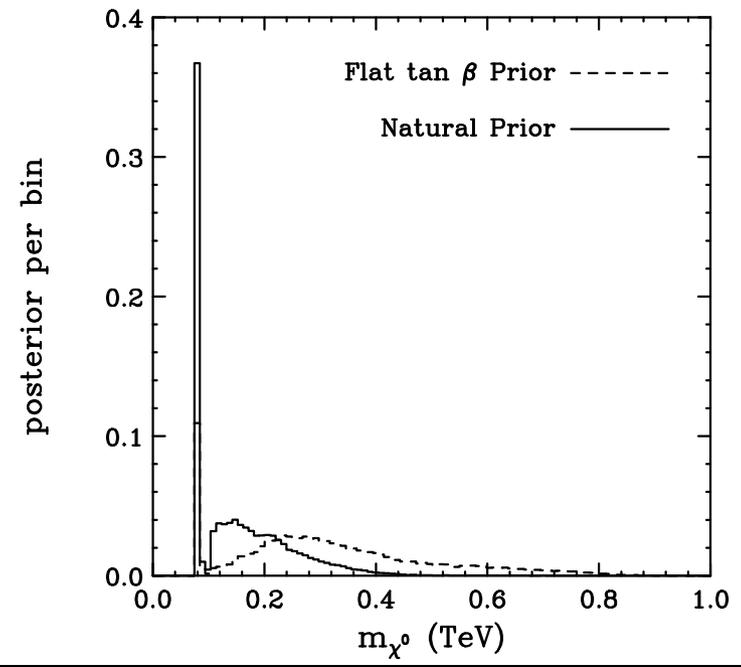
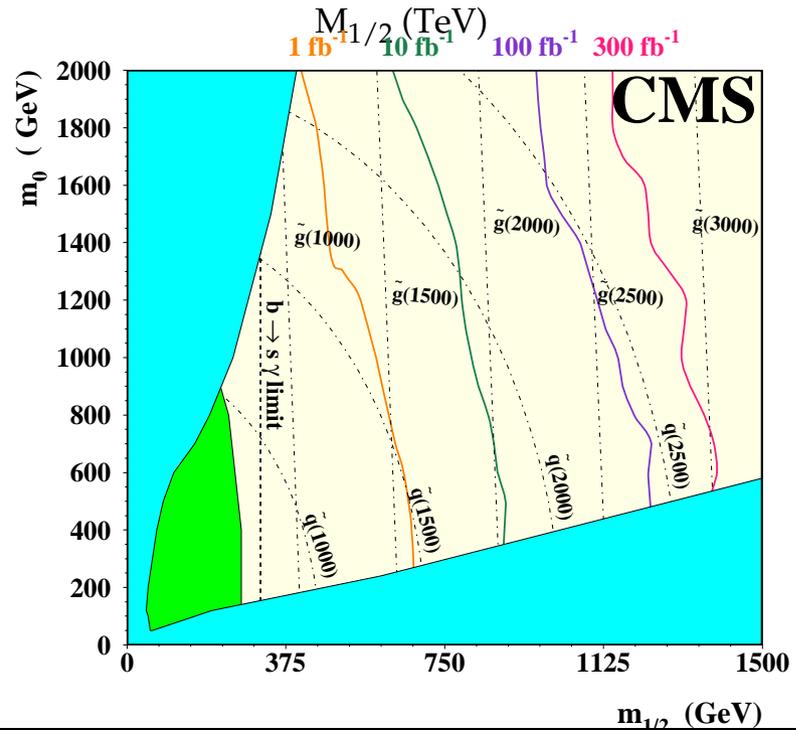
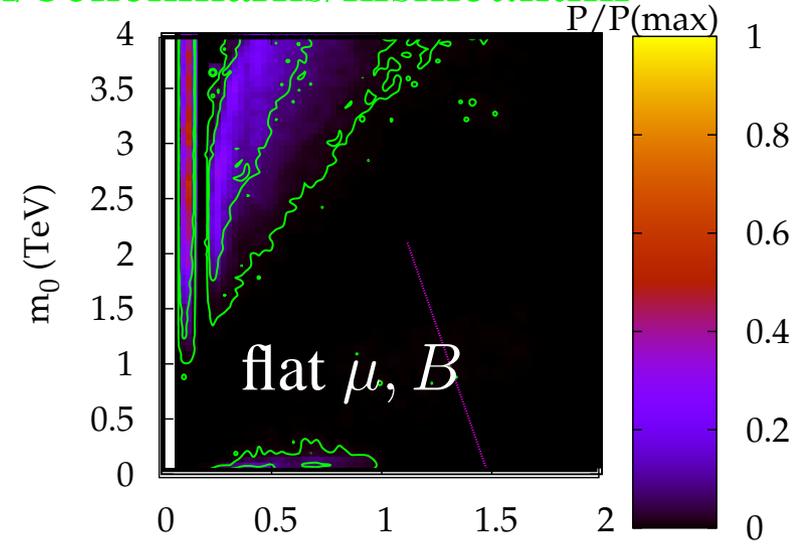
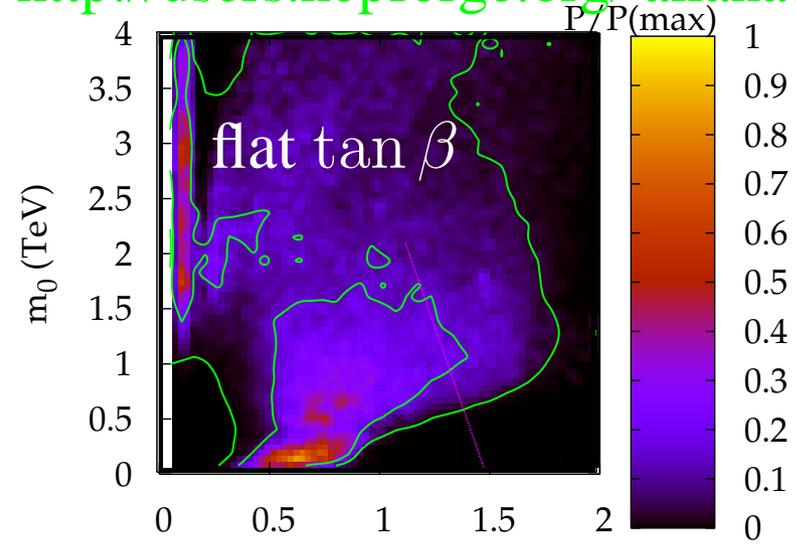
have considered  $\{\mu, B, \lambda_t\} \rightarrow \{M_Z, \tan \beta, m_t\}$ .



# Killer Inference for Susy METeorology

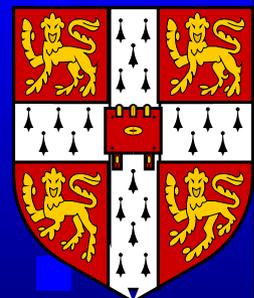
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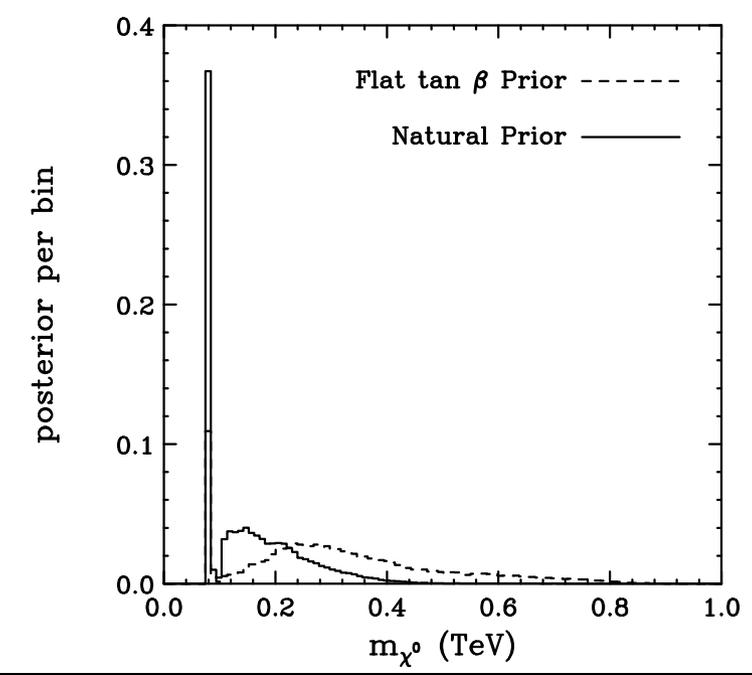
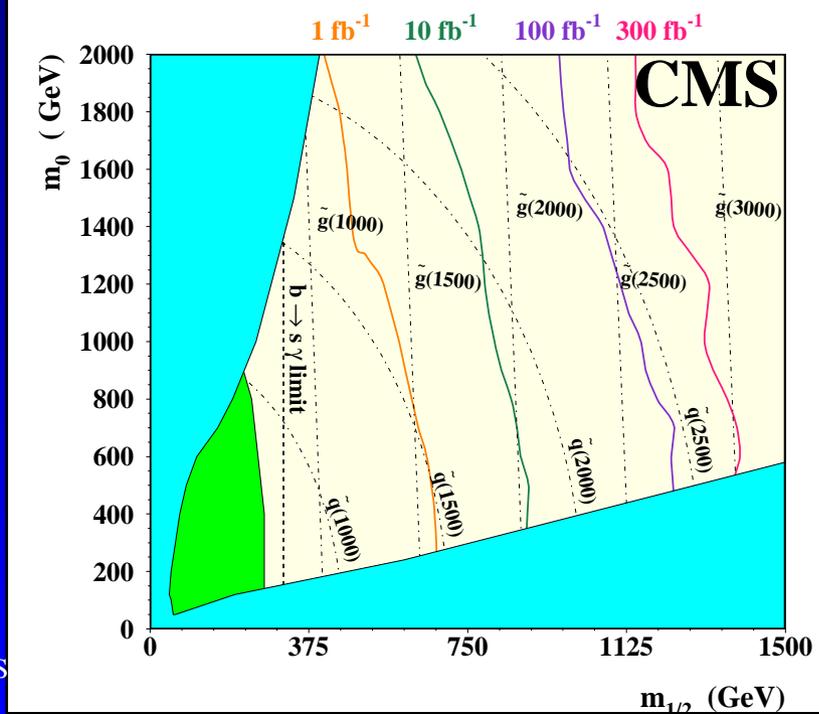
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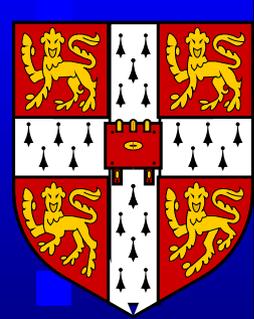
# Killer Inference for Susy METeorology

BCA, Cranmer, Weber, Lester, arXiv:0705.0487



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# The Sign of $\mu$

In order to calculate  $p(d|H_1)/p(d|H_2)$ , we calculate the Bayesian *evidence* ratio:

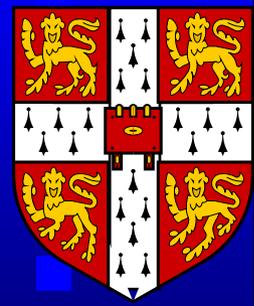
$$p(d|H_i) = \int dm p(d|m, H_i)p(m|H_i)$$
$$\Rightarrow p(H_i|d) = p(H_i)p(d|H_i)$$

So, put  $H_1 = \mu > 0$ ,  $H_2 = \mu < 0$  to find:

Prior	$P_+/P_-(2 \text{ TeV})$	$P_+/P_-(4 \text{ TeV})$
flat	15.6	5.9
log	61.6	24.0

*Requires multi-modal ellipsoidal nested sampling<sup>a</sup>*

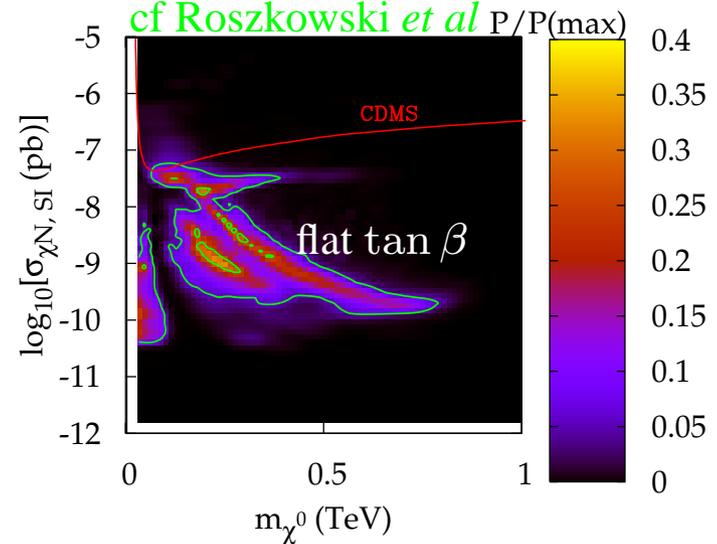
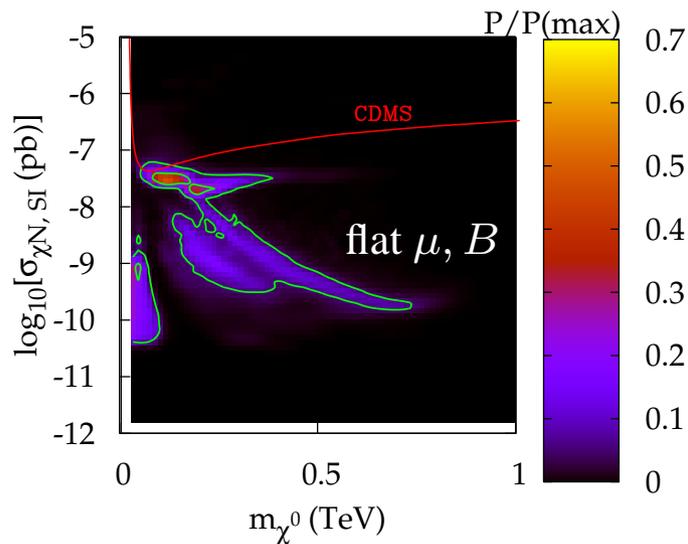
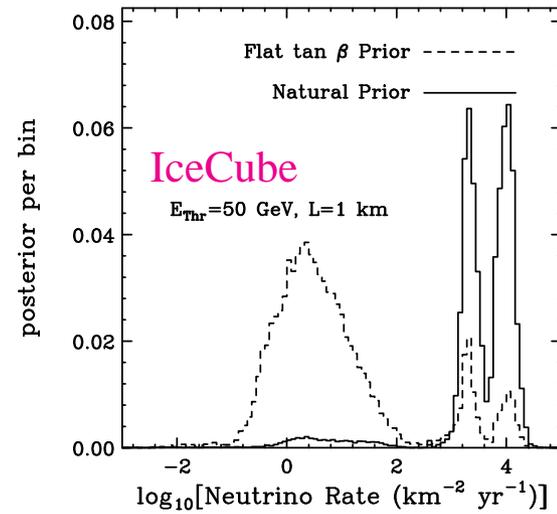
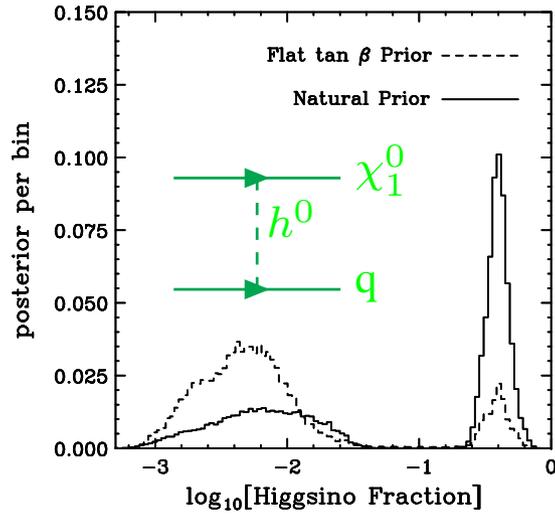
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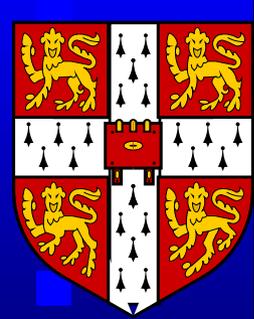


# Dark Matter Detection

$$\chi_1^0 = N_{1B}\tilde{B} + N_{1W}\tilde{W} + N_{1d}\tilde{H}_d + N_{1u}\tilde{H}_u$$

atmos  $\nu_\mu \sim 500 \text{ km}^{-2}\text{yr}^{-1}$





# Ice Cube

Neutralinos can become trapped in the sun  $\tilde{h}^0 - Z$  coupling  $\sigma_{\chi^0 p, SD} \propto [ |N_{1d}|^2 - |N_{1u}|^2 ]^2$  dominates.  
 $A^\odot \equiv \sigma v / V$ :

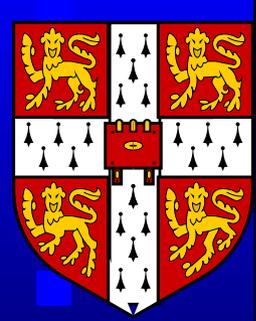
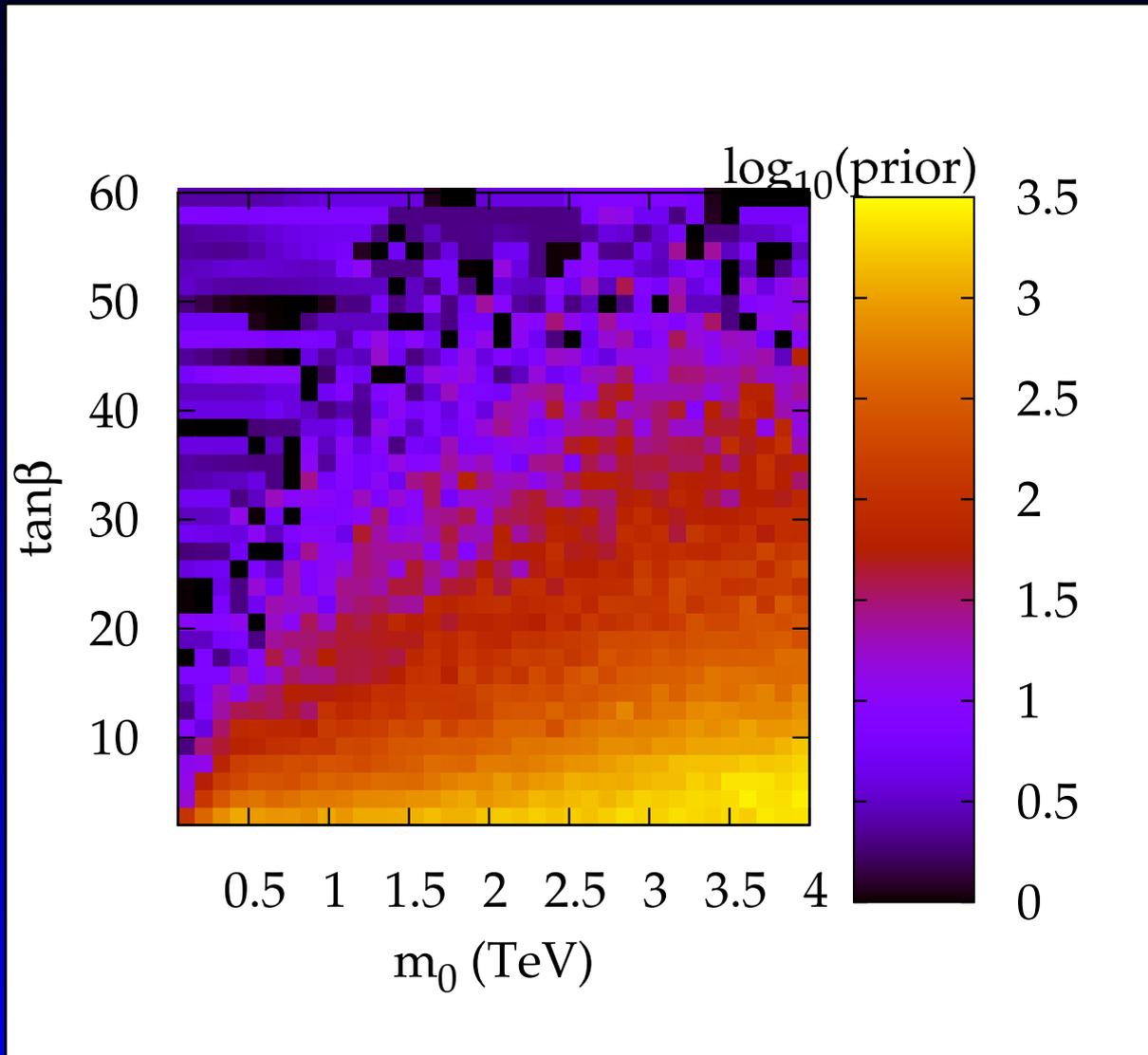
$$\dot{N} = C^\odot - A^\odot N^2,$$

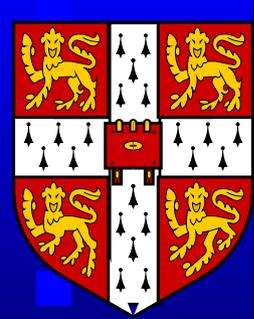
$$\Gamma = \frac{1}{2} A^\odot N^2 = \frac{1}{2} C^\odot \tanh^2 \left( \sqrt{C^\odot A^\odot} t_\odot \right)$$

$$\frac{dN_{\nu_\mu}}{dE_{\nu_\mu}} = \frac{C_\odot F_{\text{Eq}}}{4\pi D_{\text{ES}}^2} \left( \frac{dN_\nu}{dE_\nu} \right)^{\text{Inj}}$$

$$N_{\text{ev}} \approx \int \int \frac{dN_{\nu_\mu}}{dE_{\nu_\mu}} \frac{d\sigma_\nu}{dy} R_\mu((1-y) E_\nu) A_{\text{eff}} dE_{\nu_\mu} dy$$

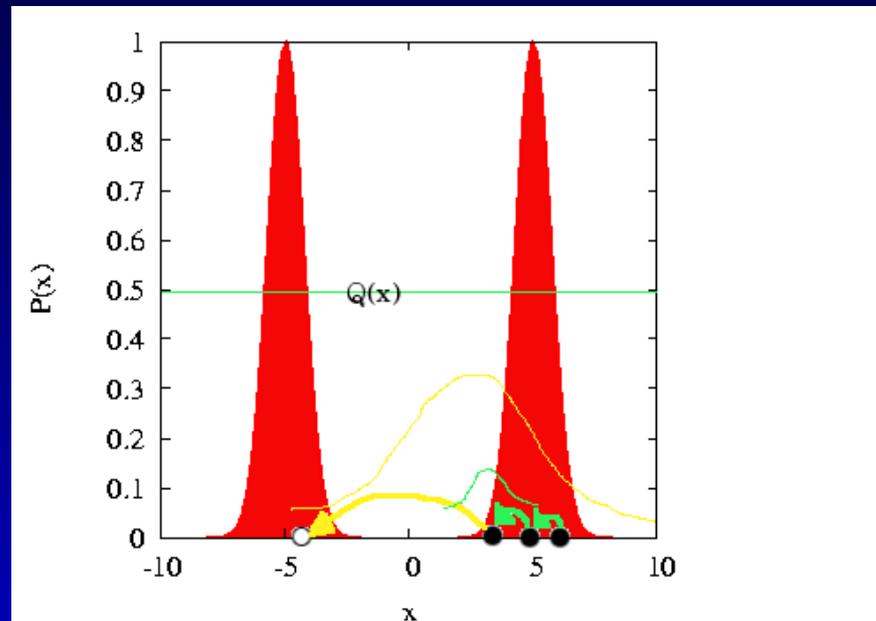
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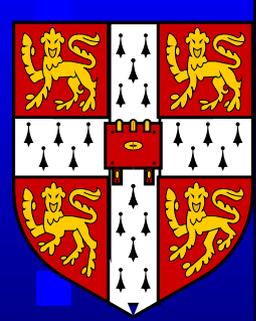


# Potential Problem

Often, people use a **flat**  $Q(x)$ . The trouble with this “*blind drunk*” sampling is the following situation:



Either **large** or **small** proposal widths  $\sigma$  lead to low efficiencies of sampling. Our proposal is to determine a  $Q(x)$  closer to  $P(x)$  *semi-automatically*.



# Bank Sampling

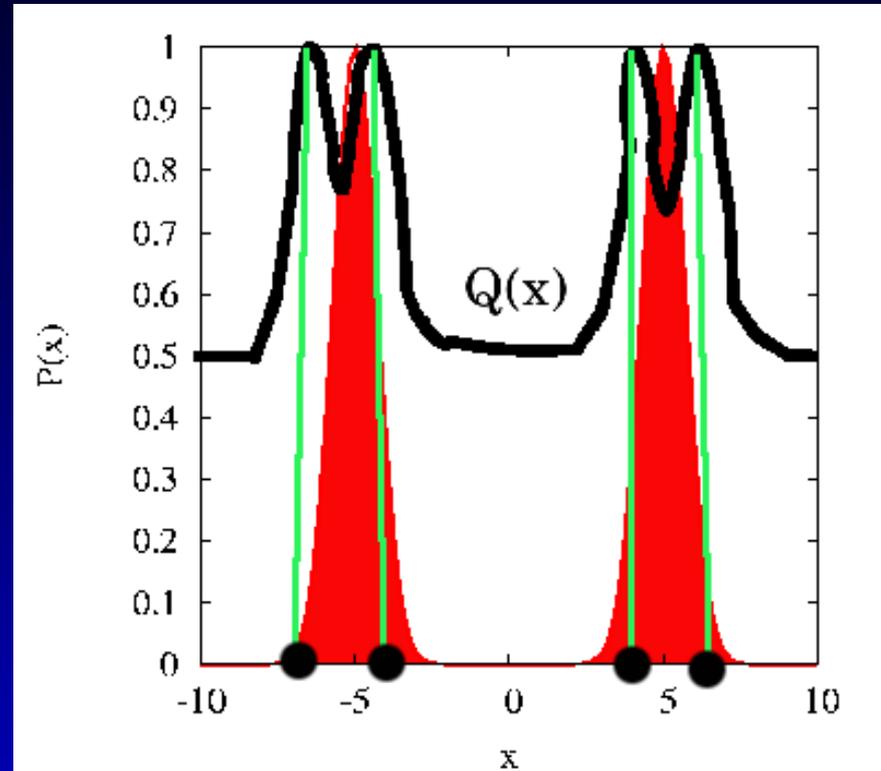


Figure 1: Bank points determined from previous runs:  
want to have at least one point in each maximum.

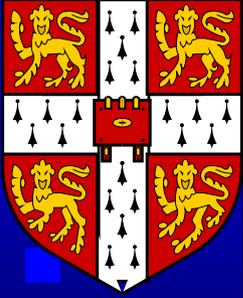
*Knowledgeable drunk*

# Proposal Distribution

$$Q_{bank}(\mathbf{x}; \mathbf{x}^{(t)}) = (1-\lambda)K(\mathbf{x}; \mathbf{x}^{(t)}) + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^N w_i K(\mathbf{x}; \mathbf{y}^{(i)})$$

$w_i$  are a set of  $N$  weights:  $\sum_{i=1}^N w_i = 1$ ,  $0 < \lambda < 1$ , while  $K$  is the proposal distribution.

With probability  $(1 - \lambda)$  propose a local Metropolis step of the usual kind, i.e. “close” to the last point in the chain. With probability  $\lambda$ , teleport to the vicinity of one of the number of “banked” points, chosen with weight  $w_i$  from within the bank.



# Collider Check

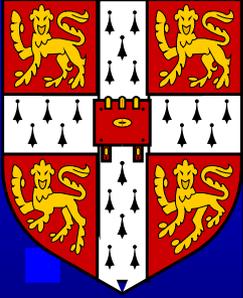
Need corroboration with *direct detection*.

If we can pin particle physics down, a comparison between the predicted relic density and that observed is a test of the cosmological assumptions used in the prediction.<sup>a</sup>

Thus, if it doesn't fit, you change the cosmology until it does.

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<sup>a</sup>BCA, G. Belanger, F. Boudjema, A. Pukhov, JHEP 0412 (2004) 020.; M. Nojiri, D. Tovey, JHEP 0603 (2006) 063

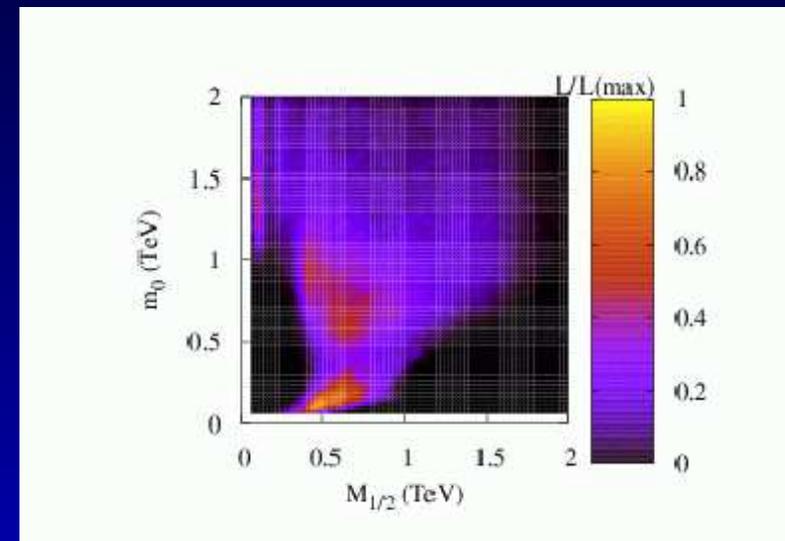
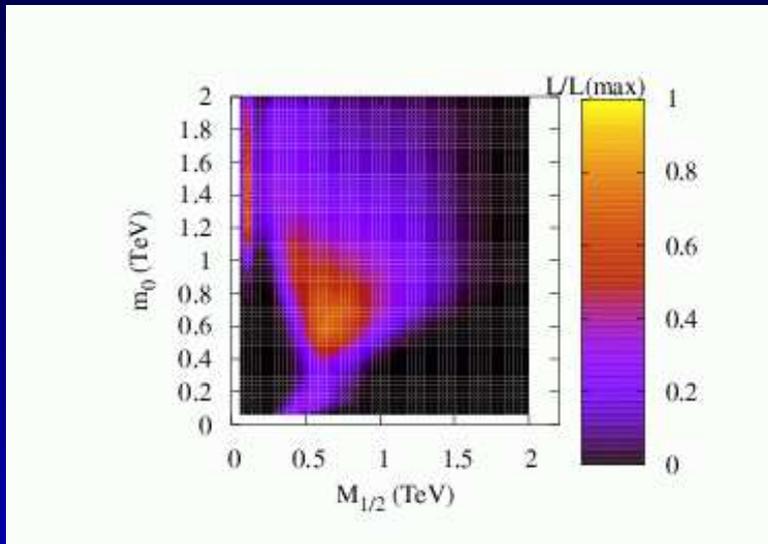
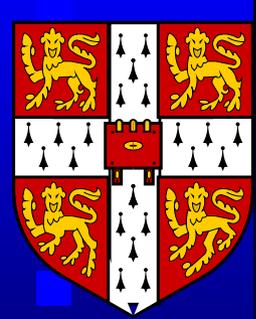


# CMSSM Regions

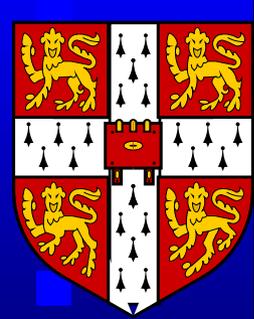
After WMAP+LEP2, **bulk region** diminished. Need specific mechanism to reduce overabundance:

- **$\tilde{\tau}$  coannihilation**: small  $m_0$ ,  $m_{\tilde{\tau}_1} \approx m_{\chi_1^0}$ .  
Boltzmann factor  $\exp(-\Delta M/T_f)$  controls ratio of species.  $\tilde{\tau}_1 \chi_1^0 \rightarrow \tau \gamma$ ,  $\tilde{\tau}_1 \tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau \bar{\tau}$ .
- **Higgs Funnel**:  $\chi_1^0 \chi_1^0 \rightarrow A \rightarrow b\bar{b}/\tau\bar{\tau}$  at large  $\tan \beta$ . Also via<sup>a</sup>  $h$  at large  $m_0$  small  $M_{1/2}$ .
- **Focus region**: Higgsino LSP at large  $m_0$ :  
 $\chi_1^0 \chi_1^0 \rightarrow WW/ZZ/Zh/t\bar{t}$ .
- **$\tilde{t}$  coannihilation**: high  $-A_0$ ,  $m_{\tilde{t}_1} \approx m_{\chi_1^0}$ .  
 $\tilde{t}_1 \chi_1^0 \rightarrow gt$ ,  $\tilde{t}\tilde{t} \rightarrow tt$

# Comparison



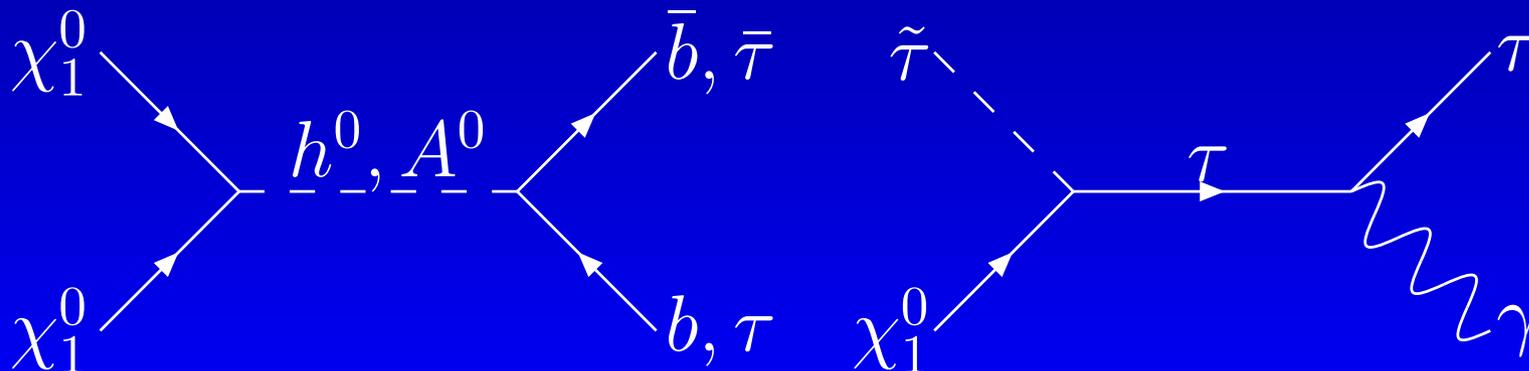
- LHS: allowing non thermal- $\chi_1^0$  contribution
- RHS: only  $\chi_1^0$  dark matter
- *(flat priors)*



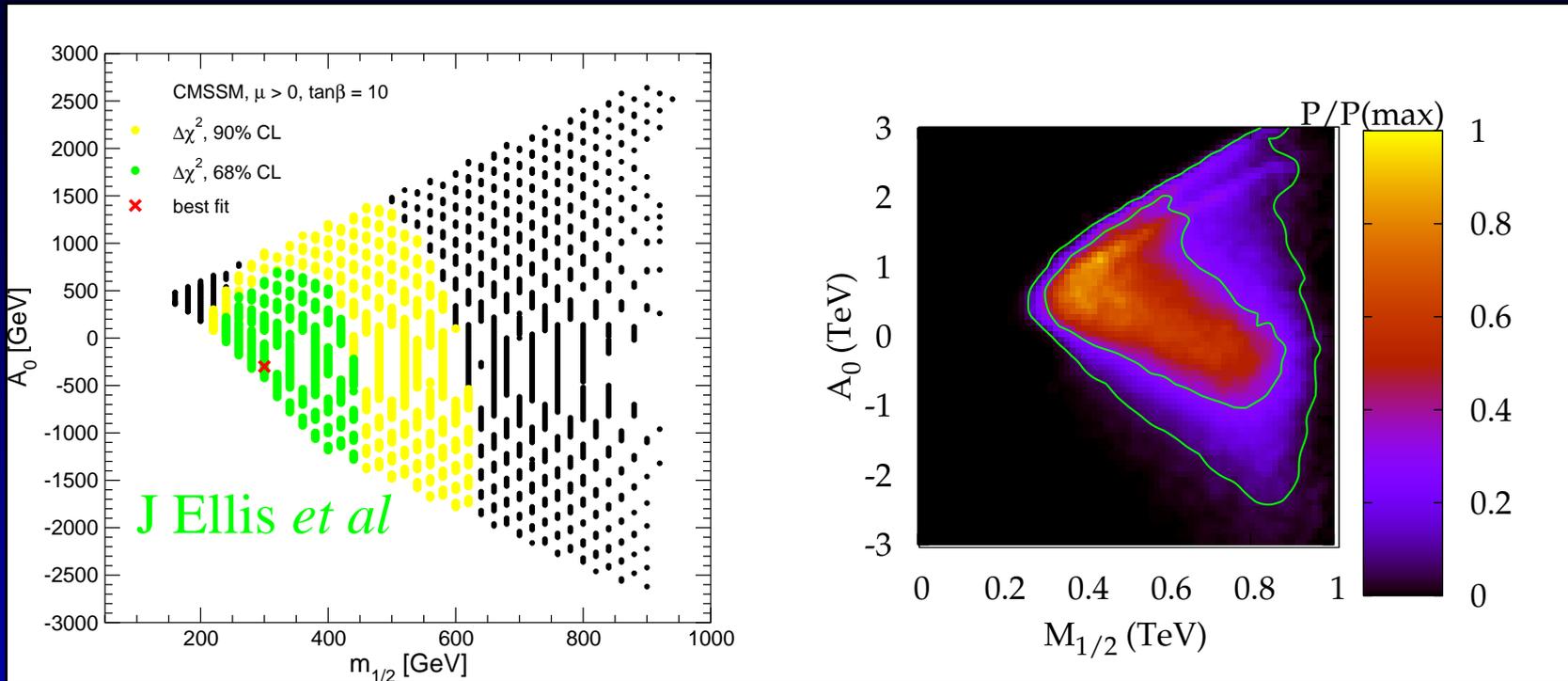
# Annihilation Mechanism

Define stau co-annihilation when  $m_{\tilde{\tau}}$  is within 10% of  $m_{\chi_1^0}$  and Higgs pole when  $m_{h,A}$  is within 10% of  $2m_{\chi_1^0}$ .

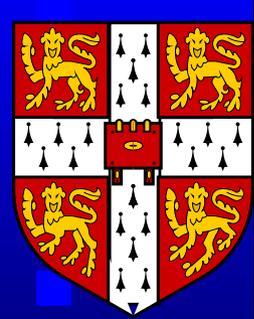
mechanism	flat prior	natural prior
$h^0$ –pole	0.025	0.07
$A^0$ –pole	0.41	0.14
$\tilde{\tau}$ –co-annihilation	0.26	0.18
rest	0.31	0.61



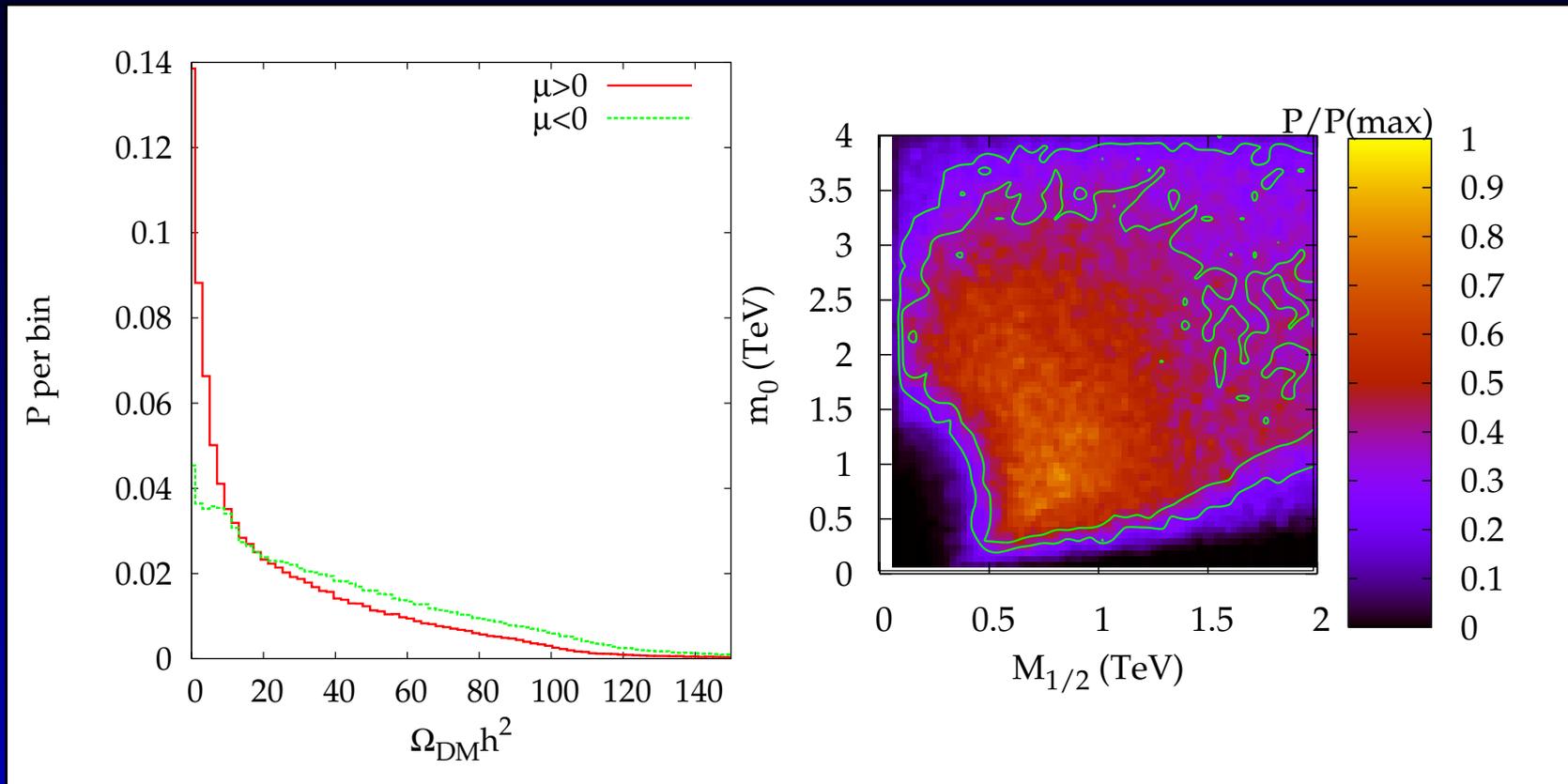
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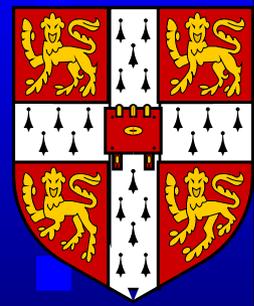
- Fix  $\tan\beta = 10$  and all SM inputs
- Restrict  $m_0, M_{1/2} < 1$  TeV.
- *Same* fits!



# No Dark Matter Fits



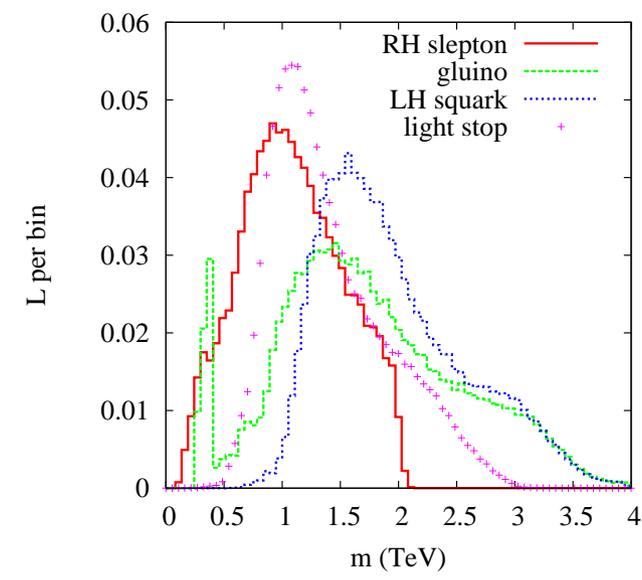
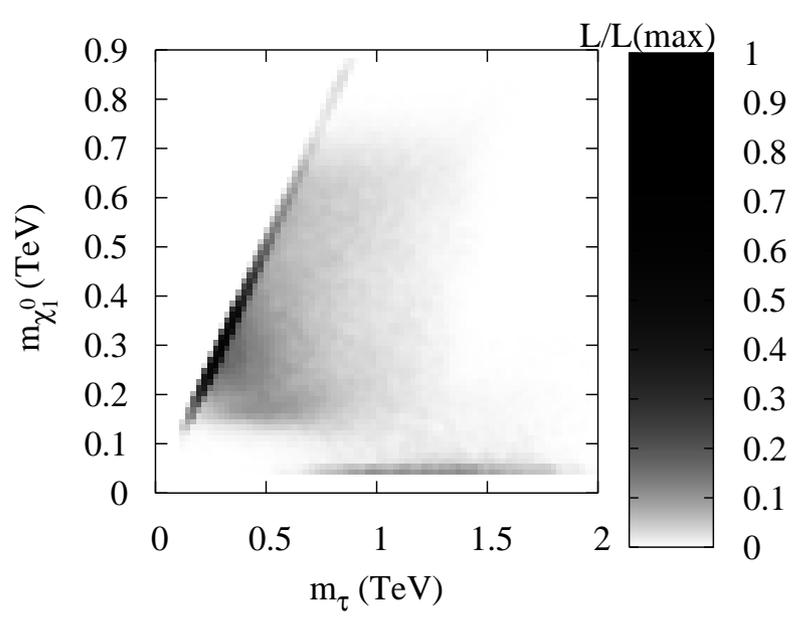
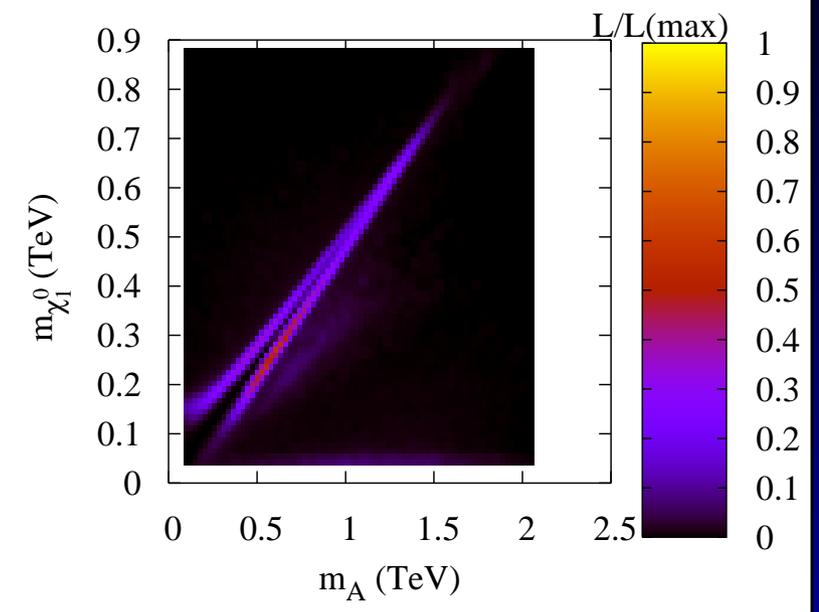
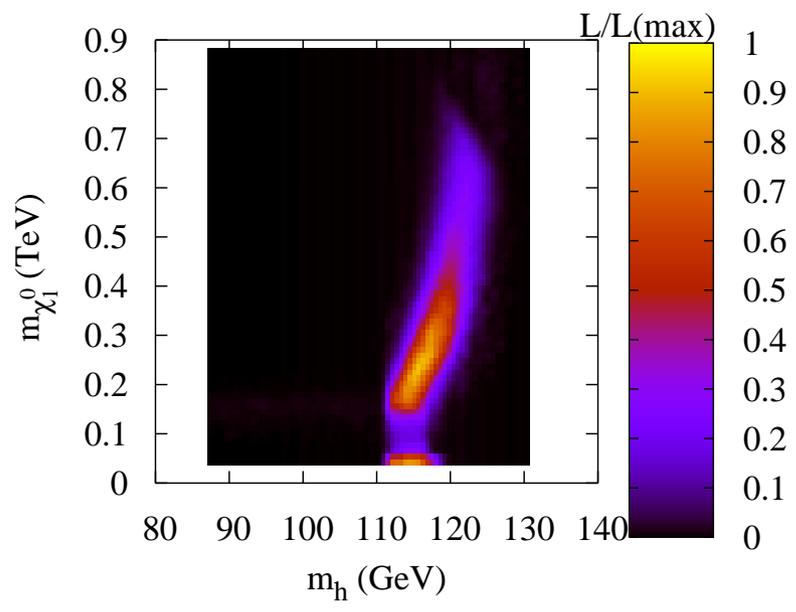
Huge  $\chi^2$  from the dark matter relic density.



# Sanity Check

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# LHC vs LC in SUSY Measurement

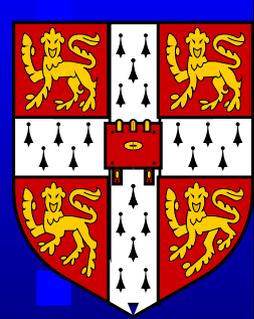
- **LHC** (start date 2007) produces strongly interacting particles up to a few TeV. Precision measurements of mass *differences* possible if the decay chains exist: possibly per mille for leptons, several percent for jets.
- **ILC** has several energy options: 500-1000 GeV, CLIC up to 3 TeV. Linear colliders produce less strong particles but much easier to make precision measurements of masses/couplings.

*Q*: What energy for LC?

*Q*: What do we get from LHC<sup>a</sup>?

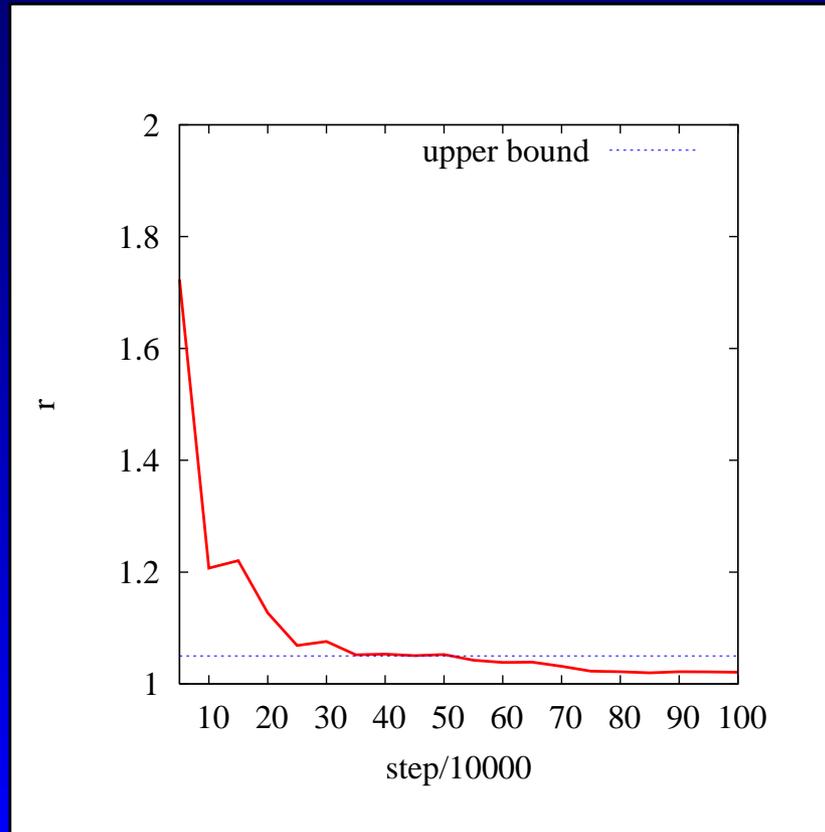
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<sup>a</sup>LHC/ILC Working Group Report: [hep-ph/0410364](http://hep-ph/0410364)



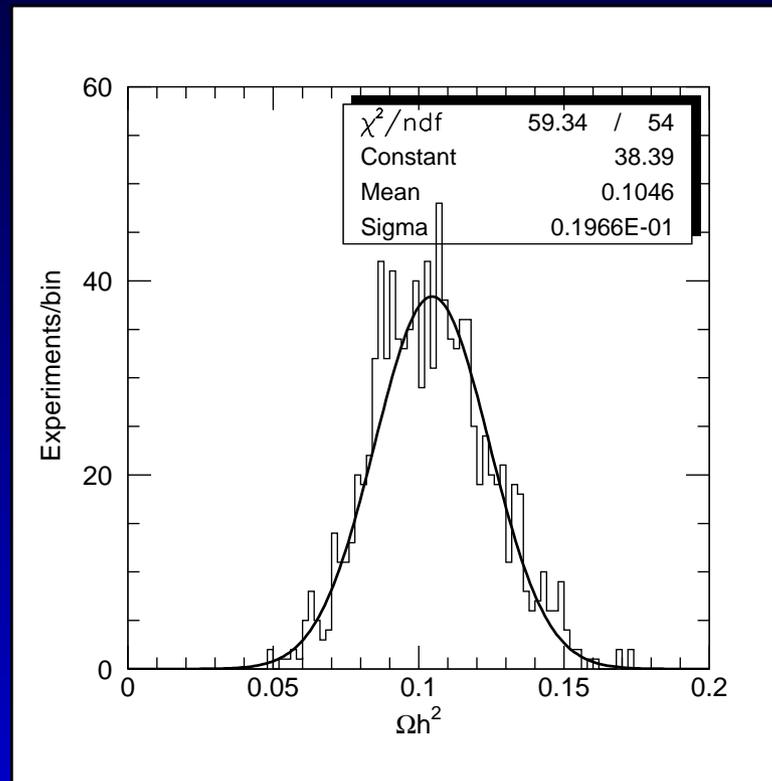
# Convergence

We run  $9 \times 1\,000\,000$  points. By comparing the 9 independent chains with random starting points, we can provide a statistical measure of convergence: an upper bound  $r$  on the expected variance decrease for infinite statistics.



# Predicting $\Omega h^2$

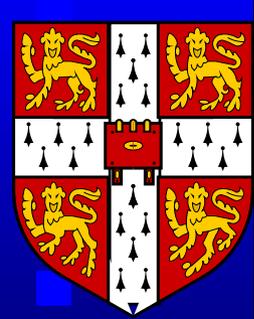
Not much left that's allowed but edge measurements allow reasonable  $\Omega h^2$  error<sup>a</sup> for  $300 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ .

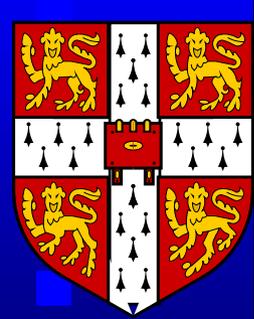


**Q:** What about other bits of parameter space?

<sup>a</sup>M Nojiri, G Polesello, D Tovey, JHEP 0603 (2006) 063,

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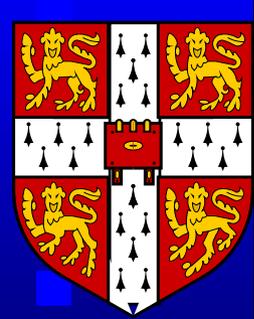




# Bulk Region

M Nojiri, G Polesello, D Tovey, JHEP 0603 (2006) 063, hep-ph/0512204. for  $300 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ . SPA point  $m_0 = 70 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $m_{1/2} = 250 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $A_0 = -300 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\tan \beta = 10$ ,  $\mu > 0$ :  $\Omega h^2 = 0.108$ . Put in  $m_{ll}^{max}$ ,  $m_{llq}^{max}$ ,  $m_{lq}^{low}$ ,  $m_{lq}^{high}$ ,  $m_{llq}^{min}$ ,  $m_{lL} - m_{\chi_1^0}$ ,  $m_{ll}^{max}(\chi_4^0)$ ,  $m_{\tau\tau}^{max}$ ,  $m_h$ .

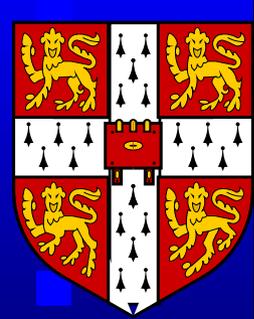
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow l^+ l^-$	40%
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$	28%
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \nu \bar{\nu}$	3%
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow Z \tau$	4%
$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow A \tau$	18%
$\tilde{\tau}_1 \tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau \tau$	2%



# Neutralino mass matrix

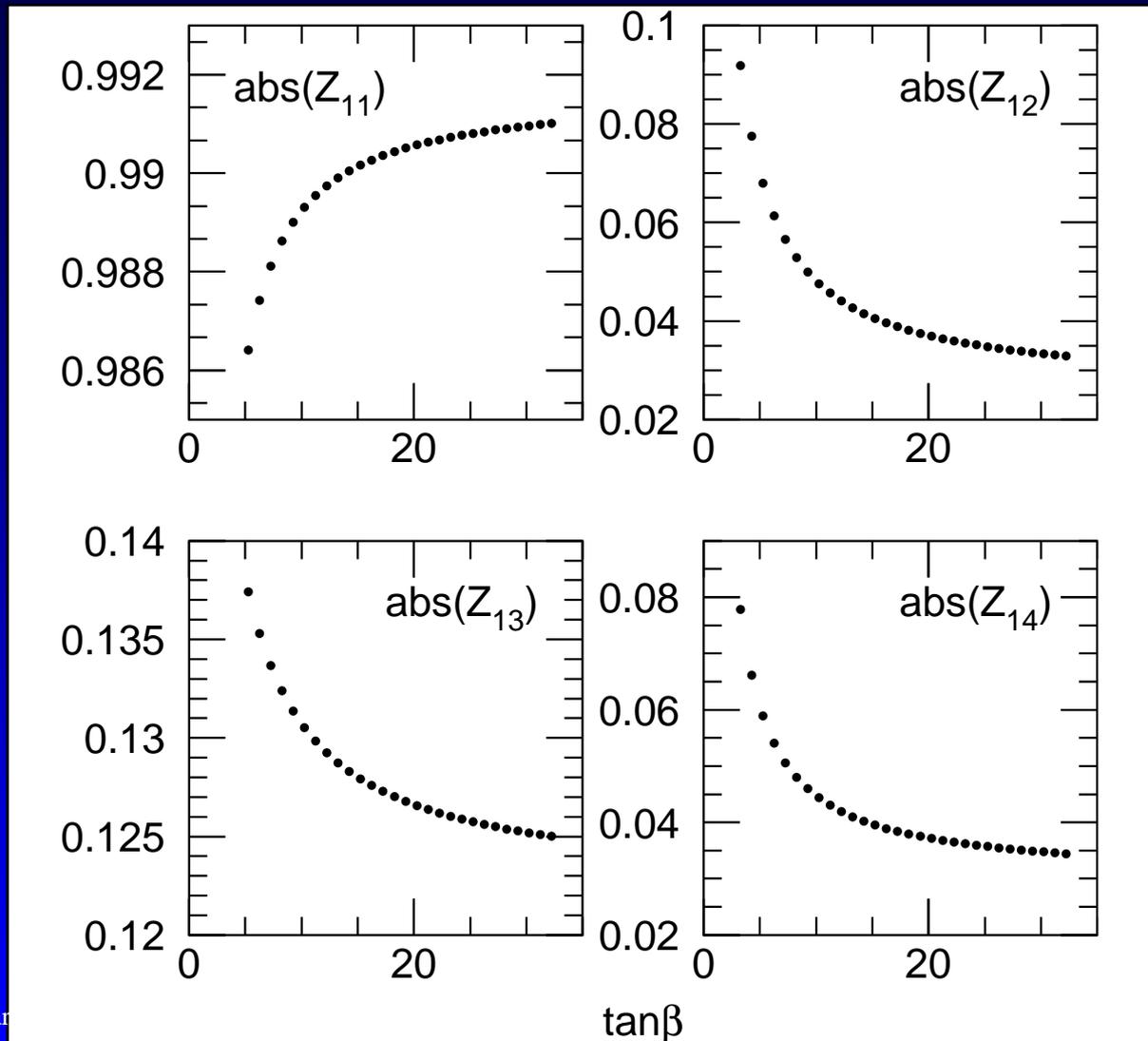
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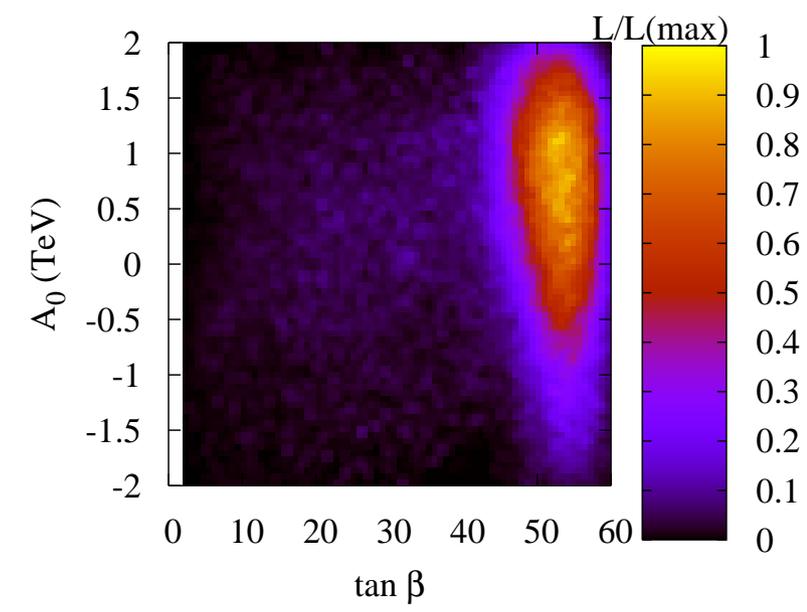
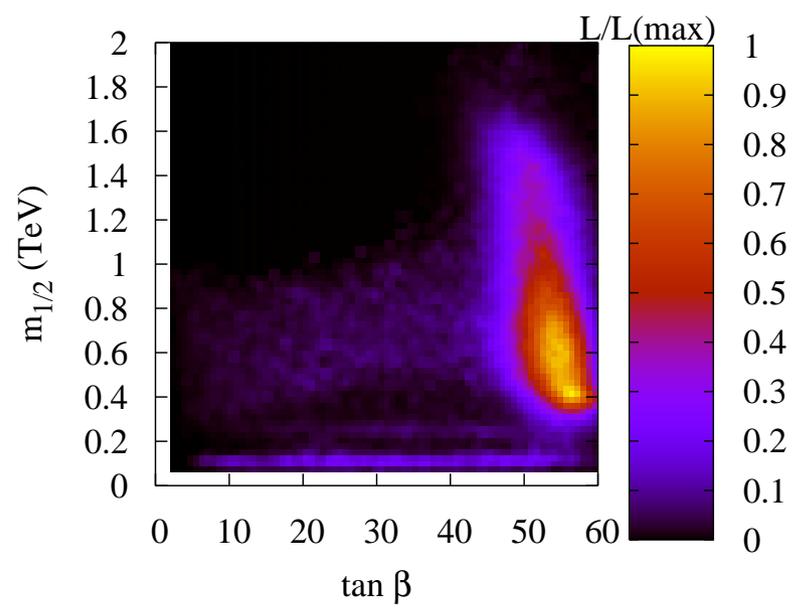
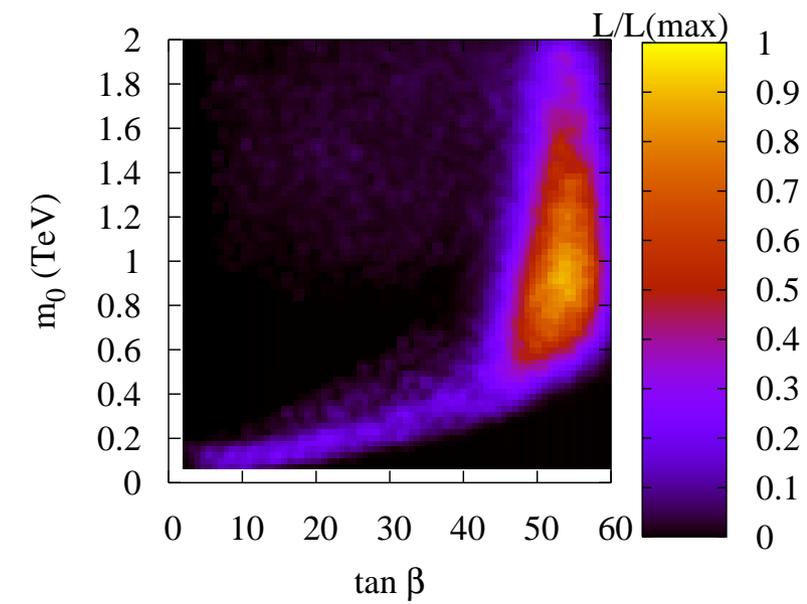
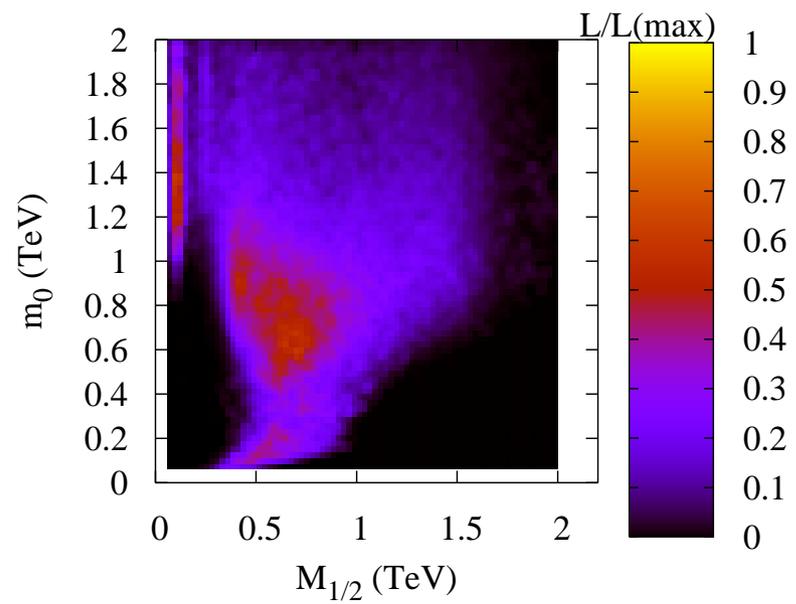
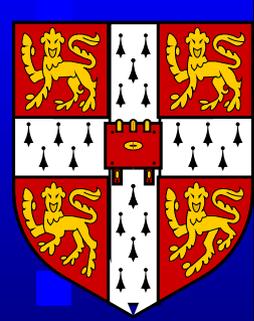
$$(2) \quad \begin{bmatrix} M_1 & 0 & -m_Z c_\beta s_W & m_Z s_\beta s_W \\ 0 & M_2 & m_Z c_\beta c_W & -m_Z s_\beta c_W \\ -m_Z c_\beta s_W & m_Z c_\beta c_W & 0 & -\mu \\ m_Z s_\beta s_W & -m_Z s_\beta c_W & -\mu & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

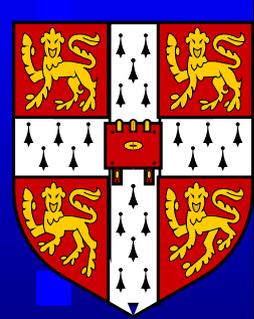


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# Uncertainties in Relic Density

Bulk region:  $\tilde{B}\tilde{B} \rightarrow Z, h \rightarrow l\bar{l}$ . Coannihilation:  $\tilde{\tau}\chi_1^0 \rightarrow \tau + X$

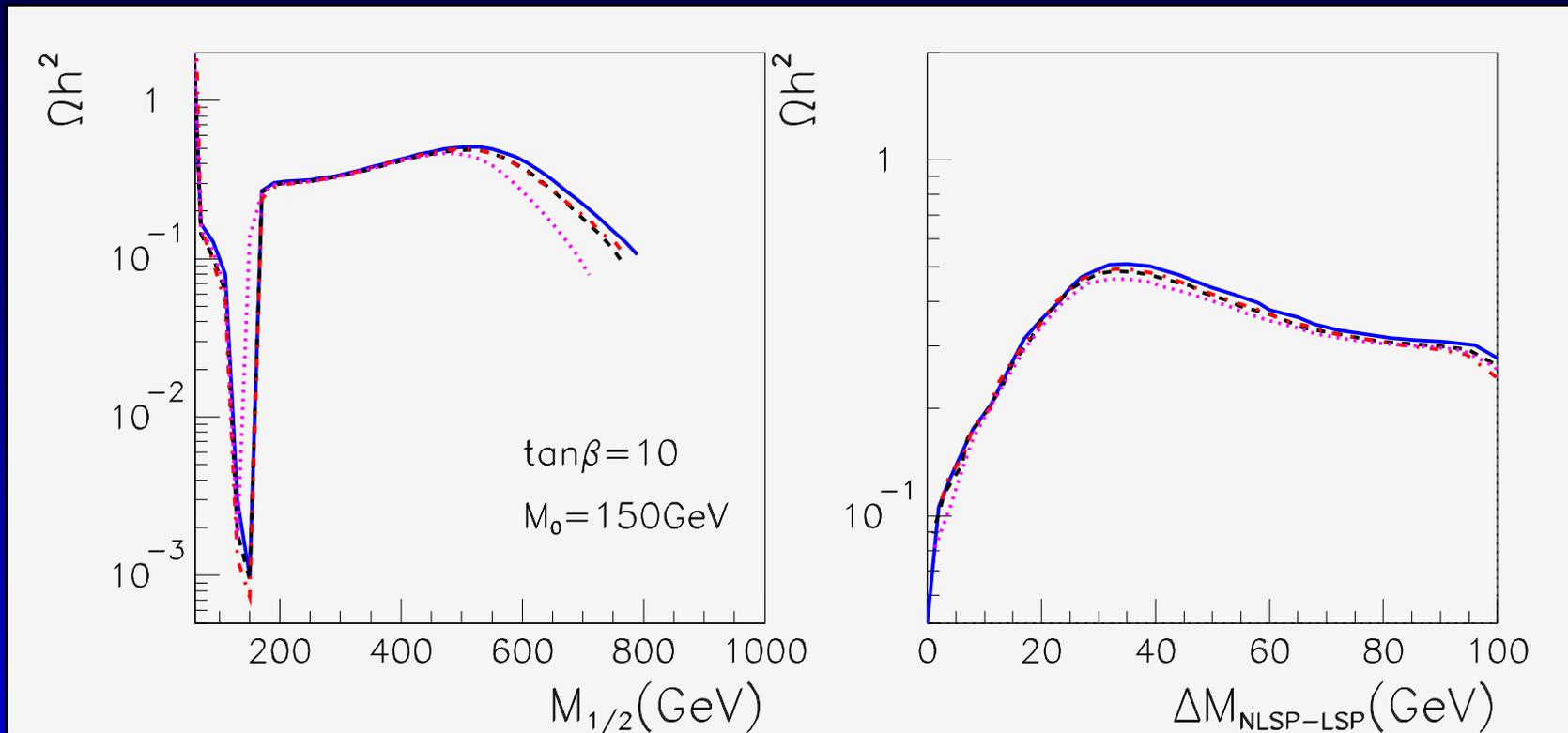


Figure 2: Bulk/coannihilation region. Full: SoftSusy, dotted: SPheno.