



# Natural Electroweak Symmetry Breaking in NMSSM *and Higgs at 100 GeV*

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# EWSB in MSSM

Minimum of the Higgs potential:

$$\frac{1}{2} m_Z^2 = -\mu^2 + \frac{m_{H_d}^2 - \tan^2 \beta m_{H_u}^2}{\tan^2 \beta - 1}, \quad \tan \beta = \frac{v_u}{v_d}$$

$\tan \beta = 10$ :

$$m_Z^2 \simeq -2.0 \mu^2(0) + 5.9 M_3^2(0) + 0.8 m_Q^2(0) + 0.6 m_u^2(0) \\ - 1.2 m_{H_u}^2(0) - 0.7 M_3(0) A_t(0) + \dots$$

Without specific relations between SSB parameters and/or  $\mu$ :

$$m_Z \sim M_3(0), m_Q(0), m_u(0) \sim m_{\tilde{g}}, m_{\tilde{t}}$$

natural EWSB  $\rightarrow$  light gluino and stop!

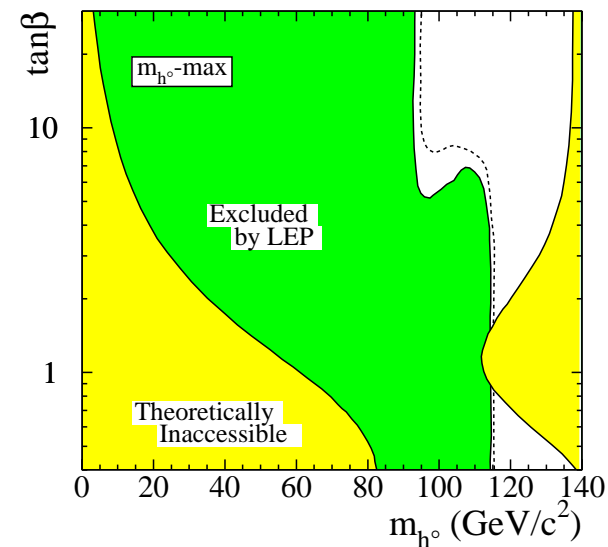
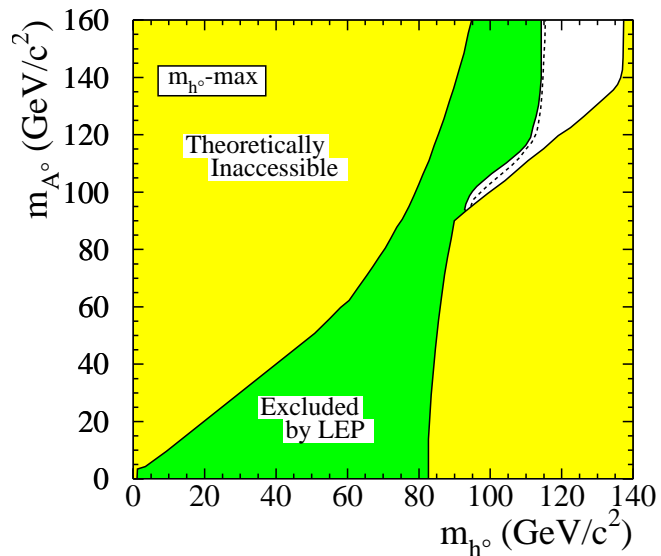
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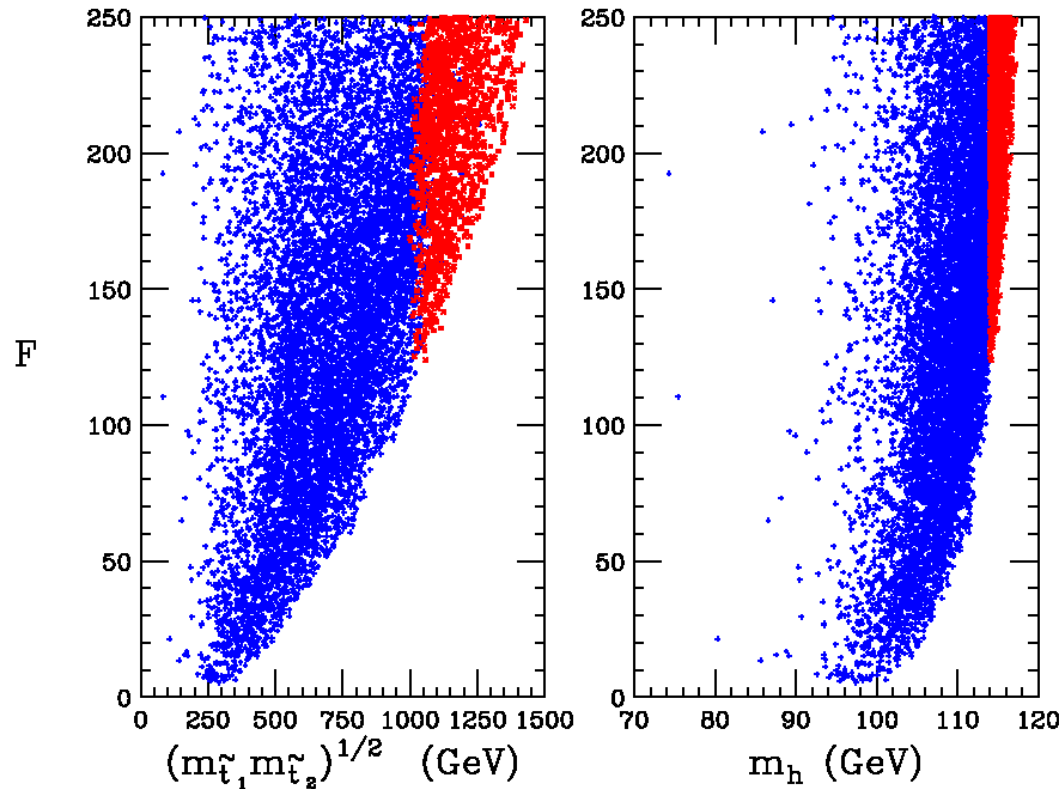
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$$m_{\tilde{t}_1} m_{\tilde{t}_2} \gtrsim (900 \text{ GeV})^2$$

LEP  $\rightarrow$  heavy stop!

# Little Hierarchy Problem in MSSM



+  $m_h < 115$  GeV

×  $m_h > 115$  GeV

$M_1(m_Z) = 100$  GeV

$M_2(m_Z) = 200$  GeV

$M_3(m_Z) = 300$  GeV

$\tan \beta = 10$

other SSB parameters

randomly generated

$$m_Z^2 = \frac{1}{2}(g_2^2 + g'^2)(v_u^2 + v_d^2)$$

$$v_u = v_u(a), v_d = v_d(a)$$

Fine tuning measure:

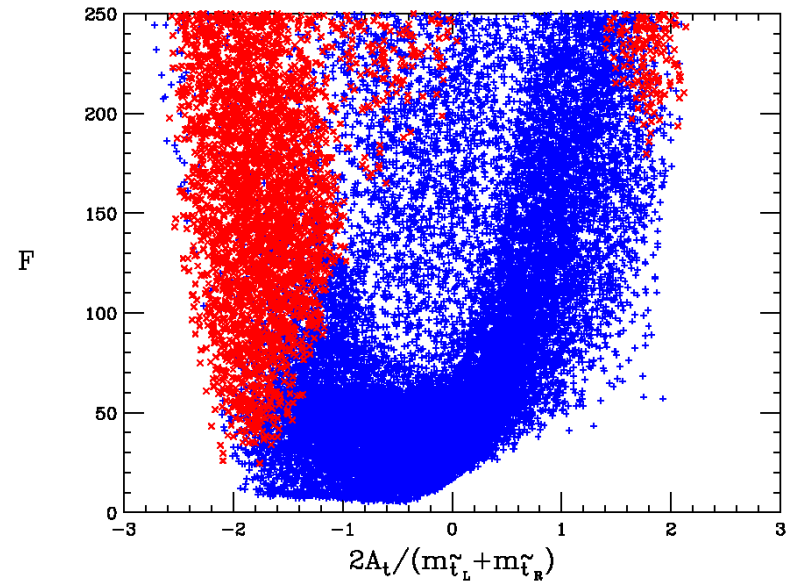
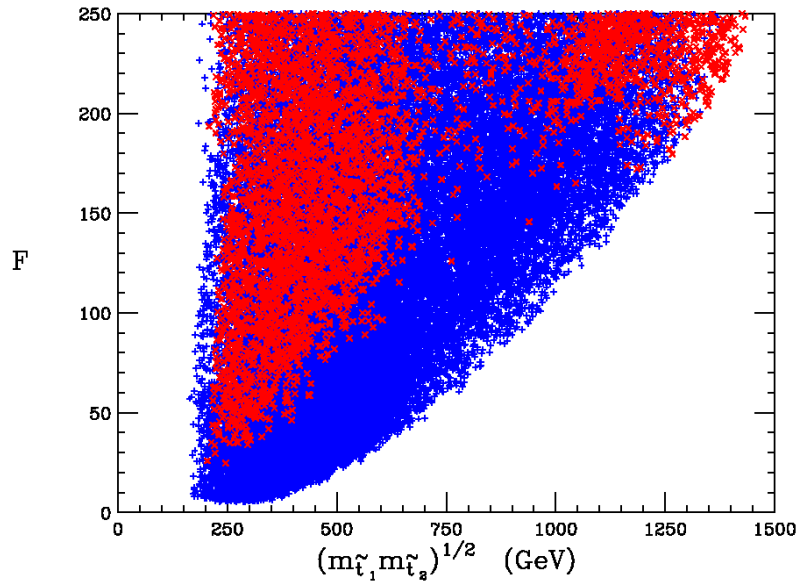
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# Little Hierarchy Problem in MSSM

Large  $A_t$ :

$$\mathcal{L}^{SSB} \supset \lambda_t A_t \tilde{Q} \tilde{u} H_u$$



# NMSSM - brief review

MSSM + one additional **singlet superfield** (results in one CP-even and one CP-odd neutral Higgs bosons, and one additional neutralino):

$$W = W_{MSSM} + \lambda \hat{S} \hat{H}_u \hat{H}_d + \frac{\kappa}{3} \hat{S}^3$$

$$\mathcal{L}^{SSB} = \mathcal{L}_{MSSM}^{SSB} + \lambda A_\lambda S H_u H_d + \frac{\kappa}{3} A_\kappa S^3 + m_S^2 S S^*$$

$$\tan \beta = \frac{v_u}{v_d}, \quad \mu_{eff} = \lambda s$$

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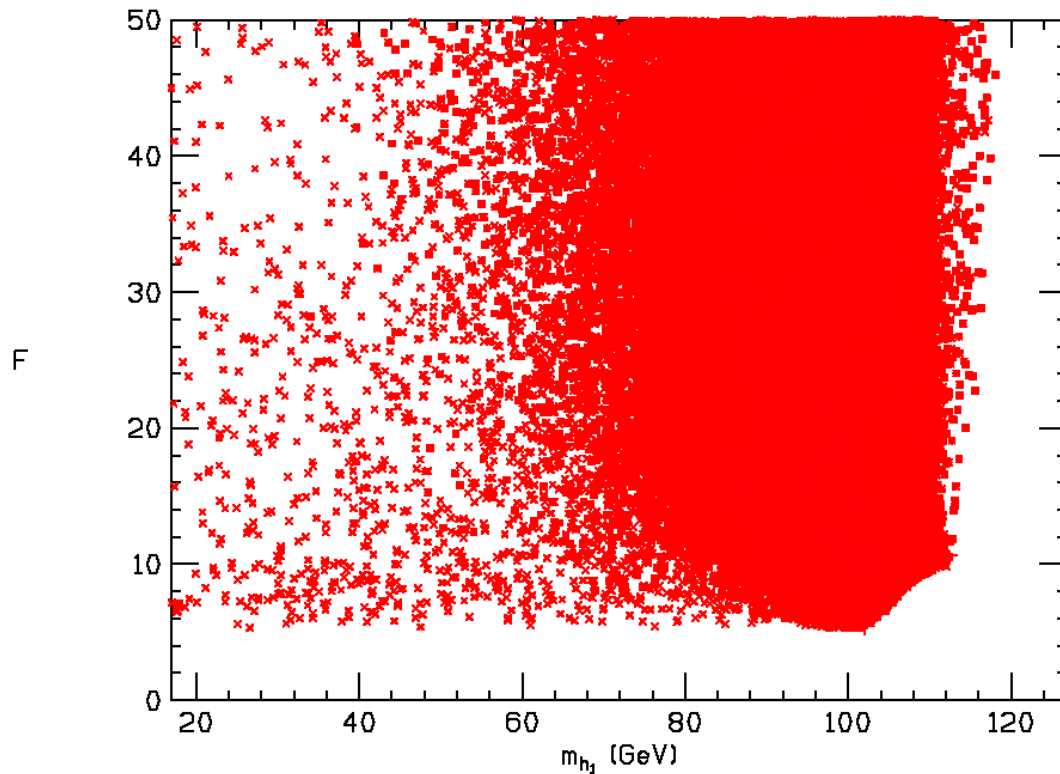
$m_{H_u}^2, m_{H_d}^2, m_S^2$  determined by 3 minimization eqs. of the scalar potential

Higgs mass at tree level:

$$m_h^2 \simeq m_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta + m_Z^2 \frac{2\lambda^2}{g_2^2 + g'^2} \sin^2 2\beta$$

# Natural Higgs mass in NMSSM

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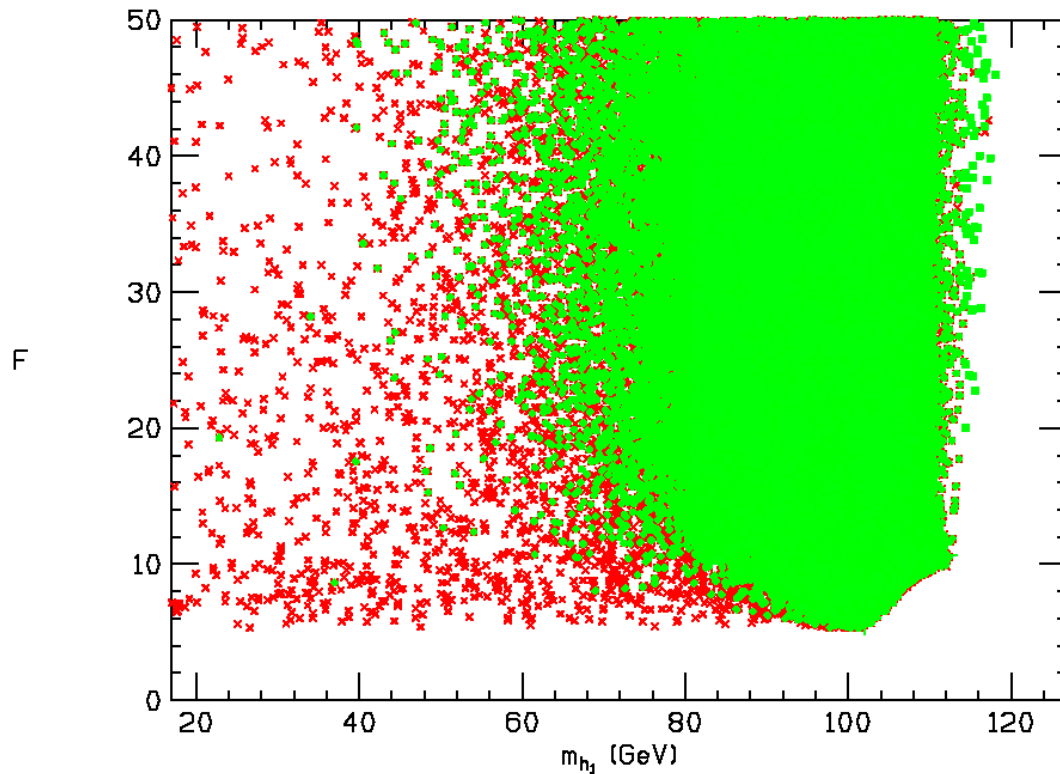


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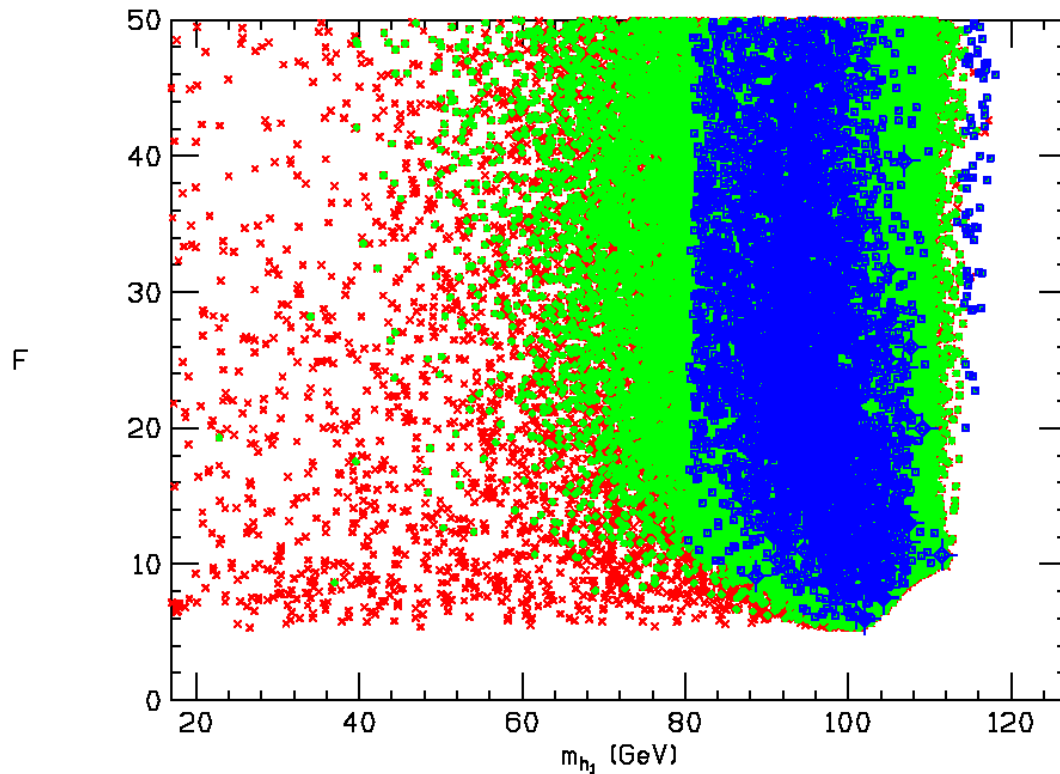
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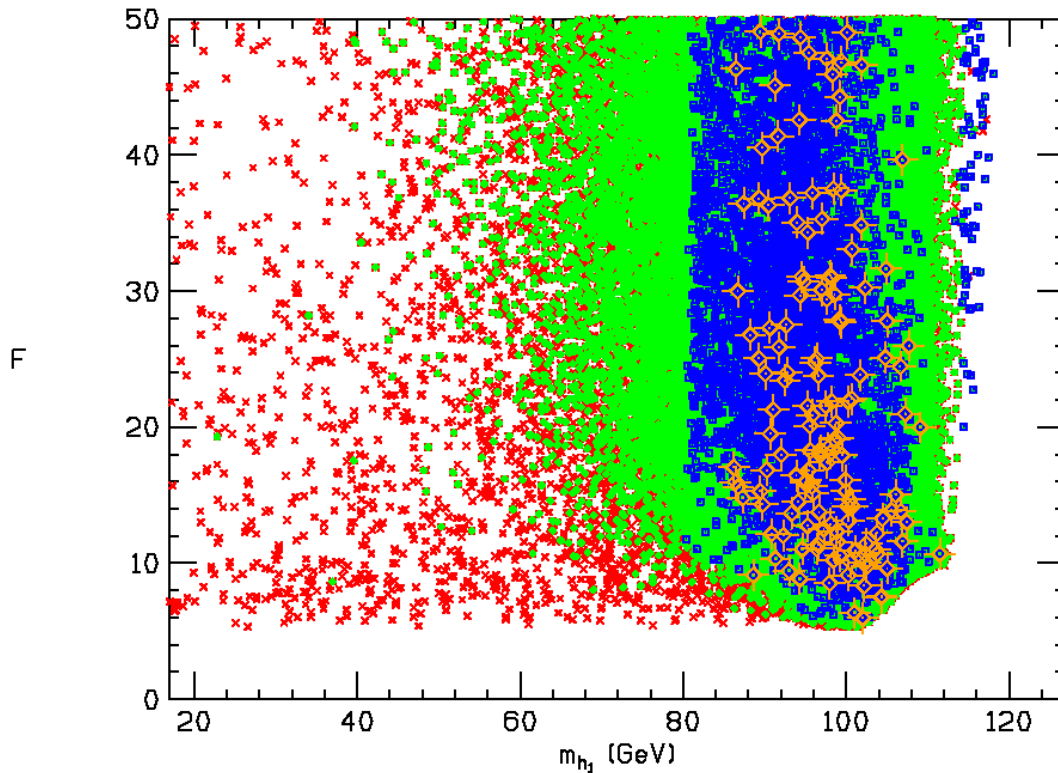
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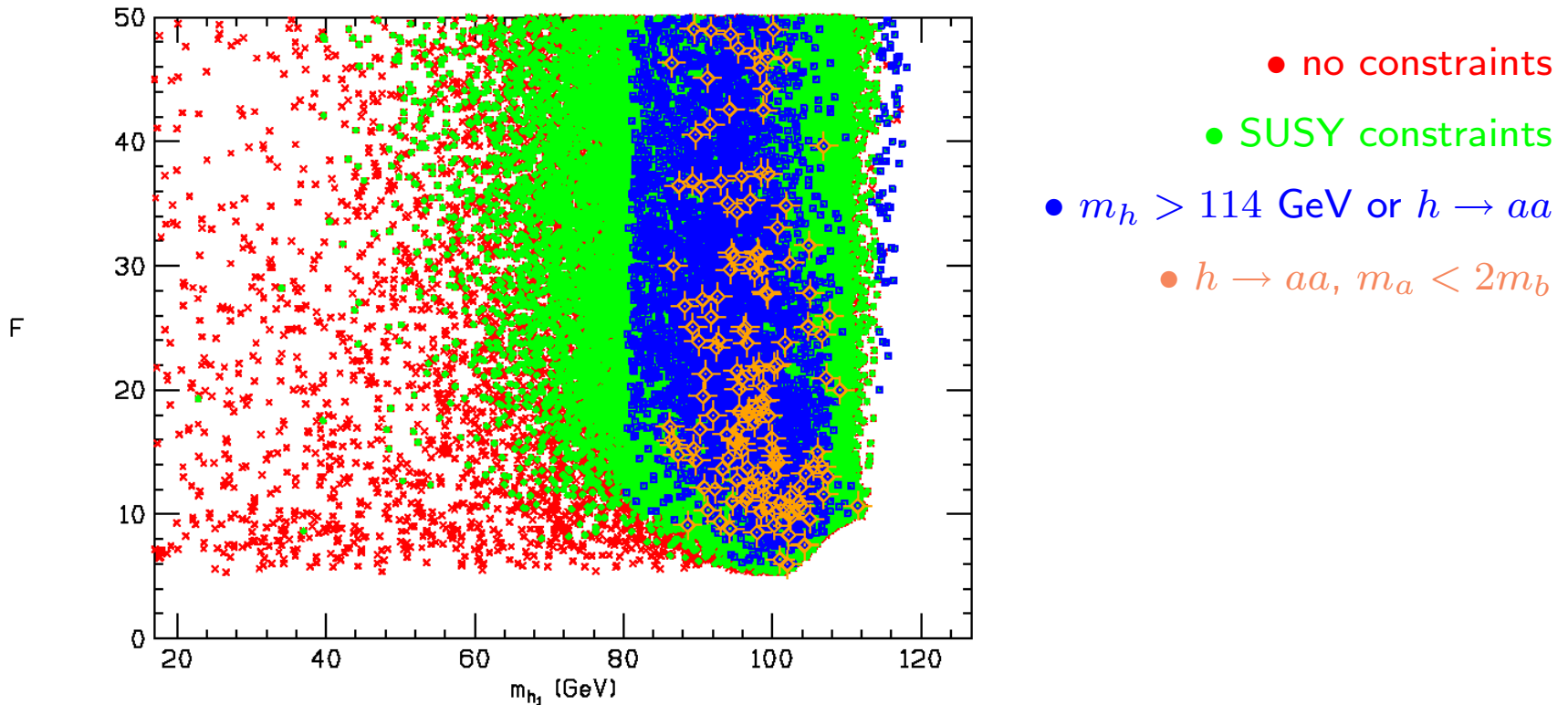
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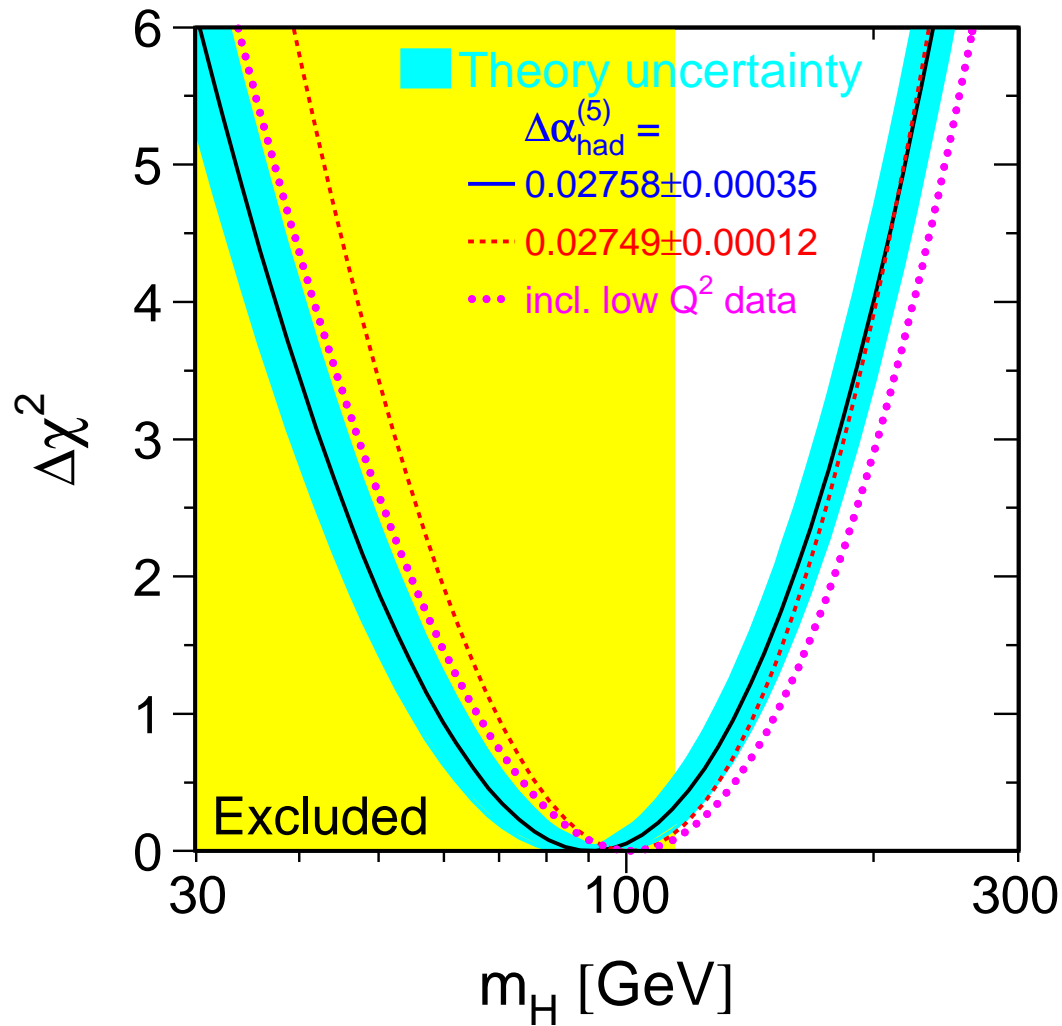
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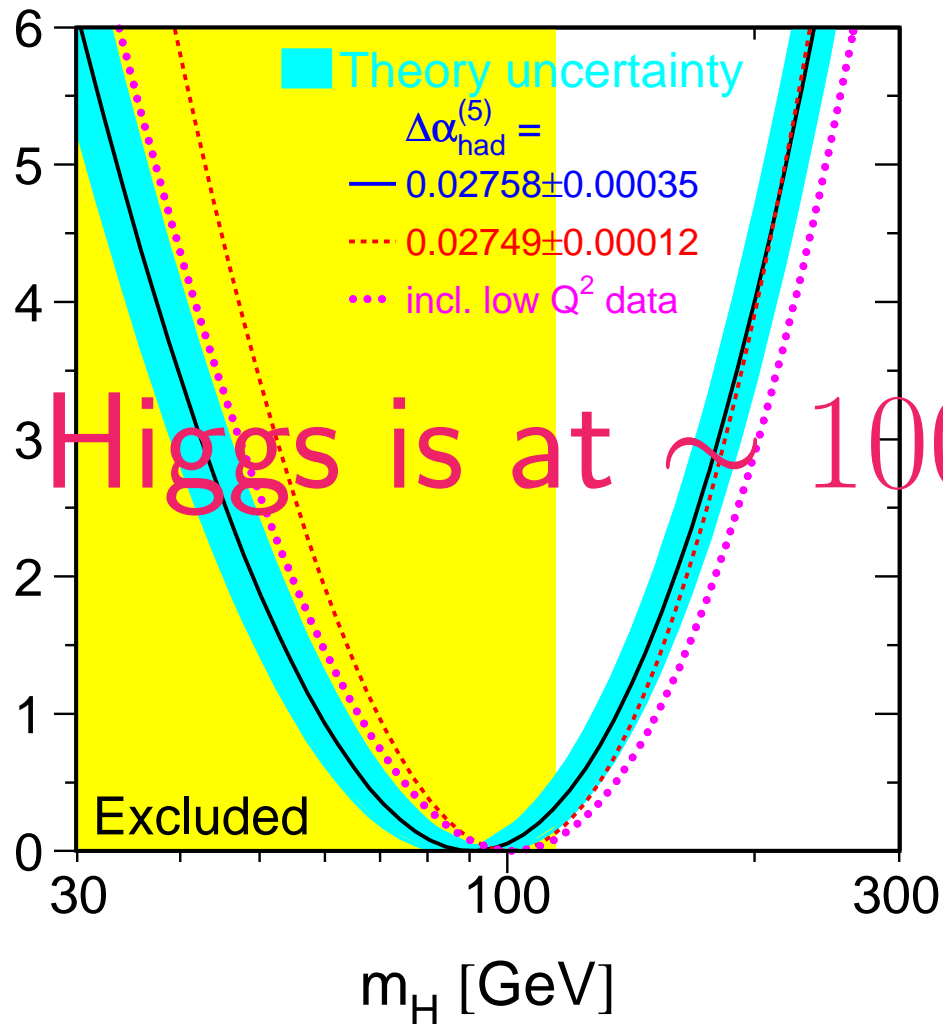


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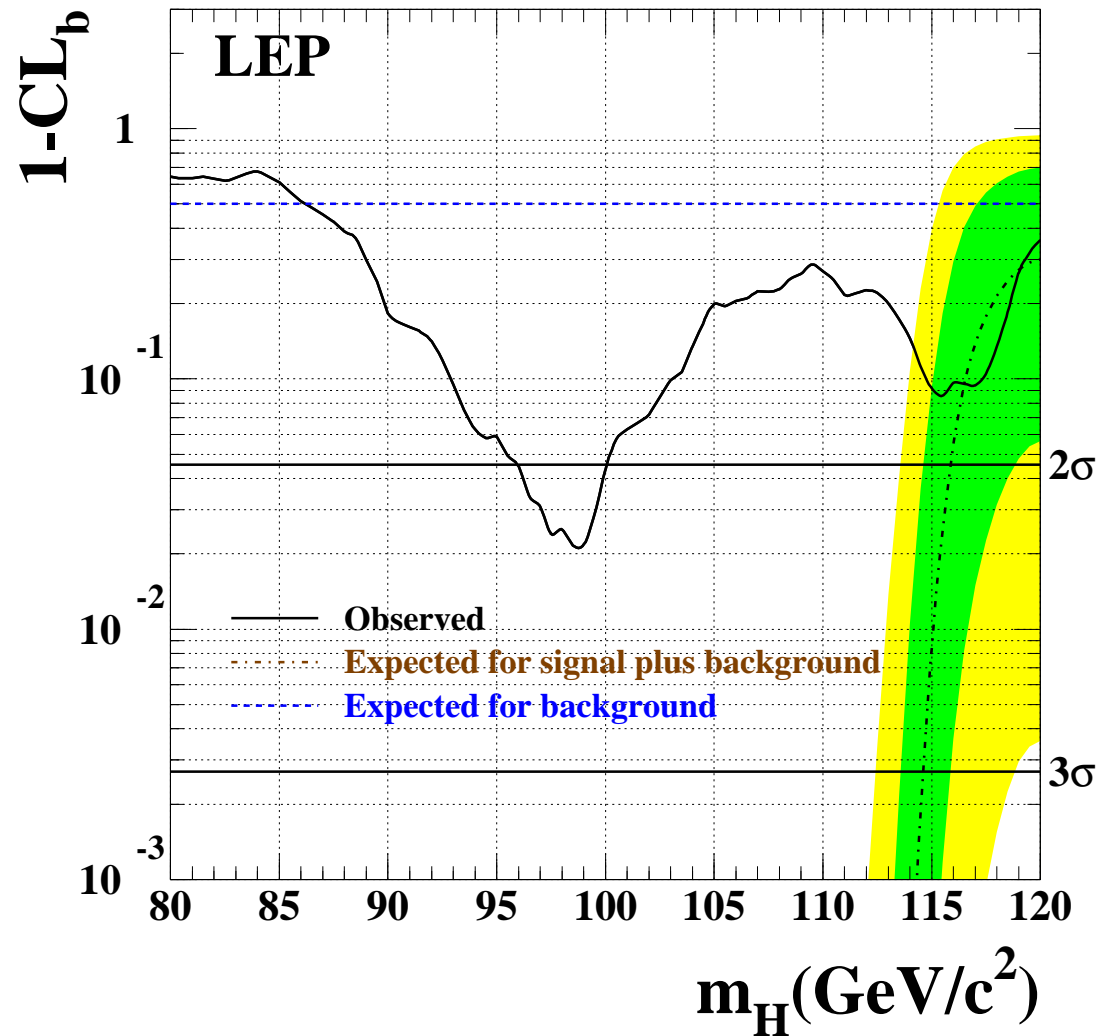
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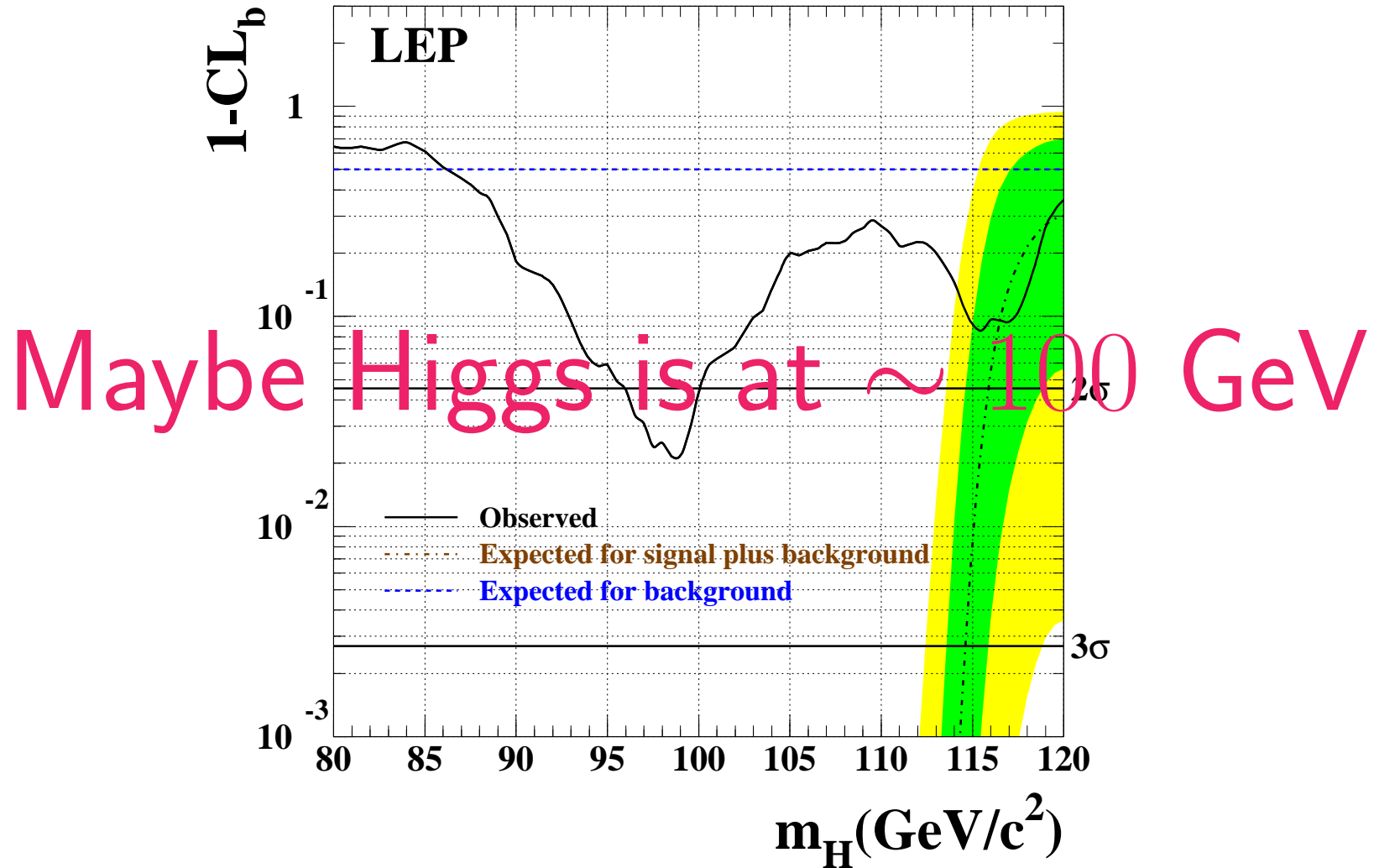
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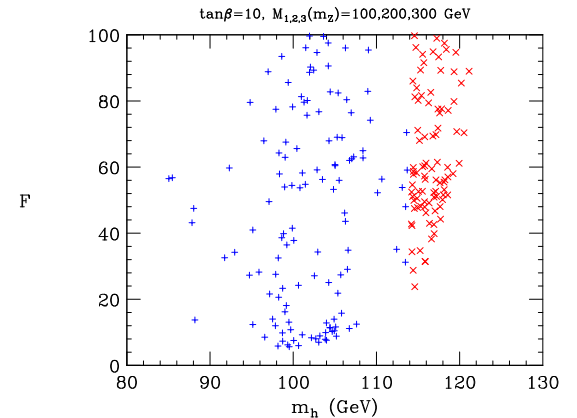
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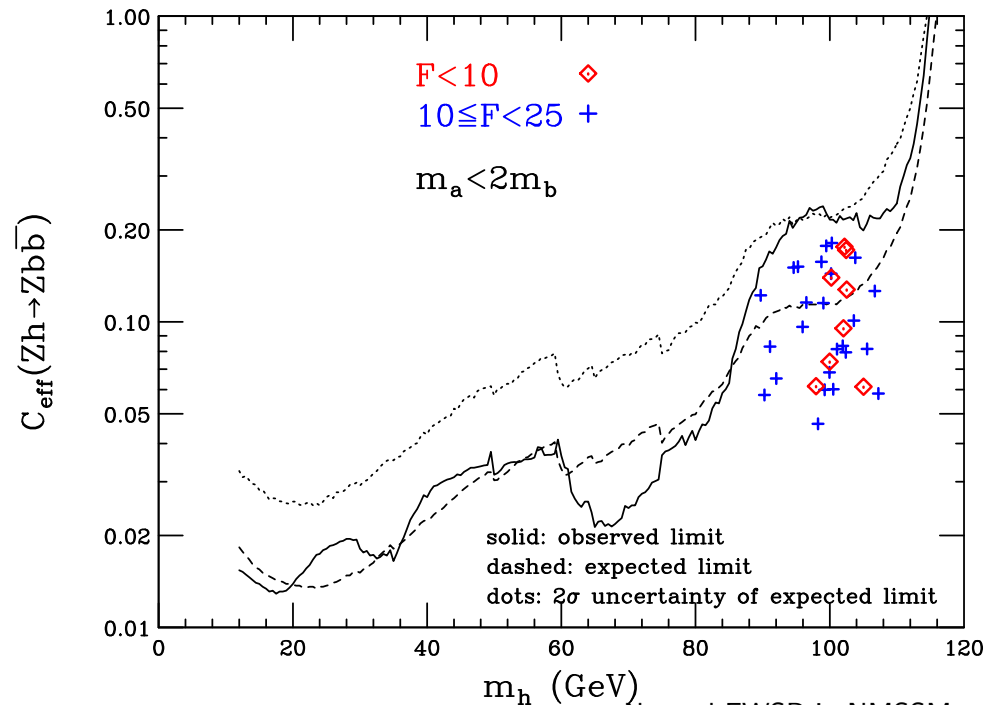
# Explaining $m_h \sim 100$ GeV excess

$m_{h_1}/m_{a_1}$ (GeV)	Branching Ratios			$n_{obs}/n_{exp}$ units of $1\sigma$	s95	$N_{SD}^{LHC}$
	$h_1 \rightarrow b\bar{b}$	$h_1 \rightarrow a_1 a_1$	$a_1 \rightarrow \tau^+ \tau^-$			
98.0/2.6	0.062	0.926	0.000	2.25/1.72	2.79	1.2
100.0/9.3	0.075	0.910	0.852	1.98/1.88	2.40	1.5
100.2/3.1	0.141	0.832	0.000	2.26/2.78	1.31	2.5
102.0/7.3	0.095	0.887	0.923	1.44/2.08	1.58	1.6
102.2/3.6	0.177	0.789	0.814	1.80/3.12	1.03	3.3
102.4/9.0	0.173	0.793	0.875	1.79/3.03	1.07	3.6
102.5/5.4	0.128	0.848	0.938	1.64/2.46	1.24	2.4
105.0/5.3	0.062	0.926	0.938	1.11/1.52	2.74	1.2



$n_{obs} = (1 - CL_b)_{observed}$   
 $n_{exp} = (1 - CL_b)_{expected}$   
 thanks to P. Bechtle, LHWG

$$C_{eff}^{2b} = [g_{ZZh}^2 / g_{ZZh_{SM}}^2] B(h \rightarrow b\bar{b})$$



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Superpotential is  $U(1)_R$  invariant for  $R_S = 1/2 R_{H_u H_d}$  :

$$W = W_{MSSM} + \lambda \hat{S} \hat{H}_u \hat{H}_d + \frac{\kappa}{3} \hat{S}^3$$

$U(1)_R$  spontaneously broken by  $v_u, v_d, s \rightarrow$  NG boson!

$A_\lambda, A_\kappa$  explicitly break  $U(1)_R$ :

$$\mathcal{L}^{SSB} = \mathcal{L}_{MSSM}^{SSB} + \lambda A_\lambda S H_u H_d + \frac{\kappa}{3} A_\kappa S^3 + m_S^2 S S^*$$

$$m_{a_1} \propto A_\kappa, A_\lambda$$

$U(1)_R$  also broken by gaugino masses (effect at 1-loop level)

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RG running:

$A_\kappa, A_\lambda \simeq 0$  at  $M_{GUT}$

$$dA_\lambda/dt = (-6A_t \lambda_t^2 + 8\lambda^2 A_\lambda - 4\kappa^2 A_\kappa - 6g_2^2 M_2 - (6/5)g_1^2 M_1) / (16\pi^2)$$

$$dA_\kappa/dt = 12(-\lambda^2 A_\lambda + \kappa^2 A_\kappa) / (16\pi^2)$$

$A_\kappa \ll A_\lambda \simeq O(M_2)$  at  $M_Z$

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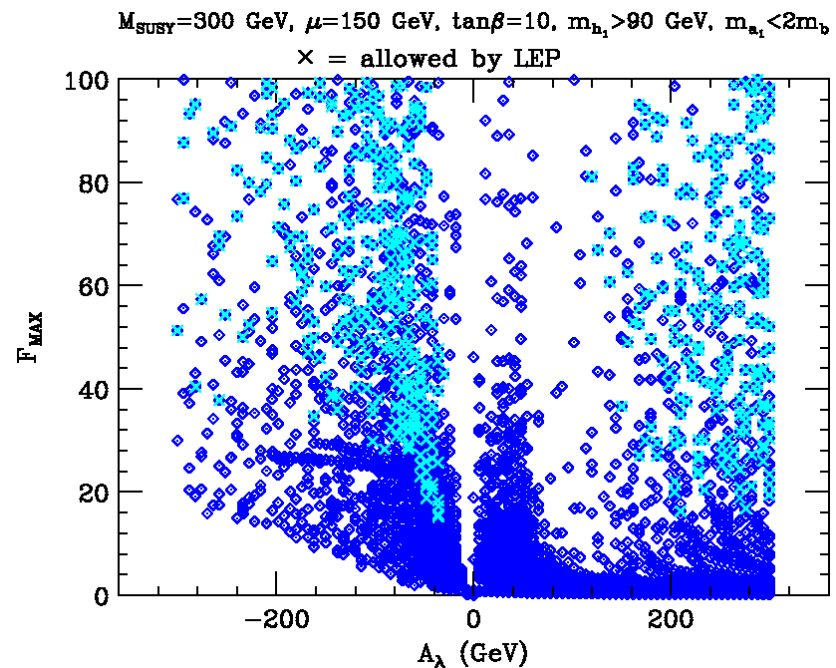
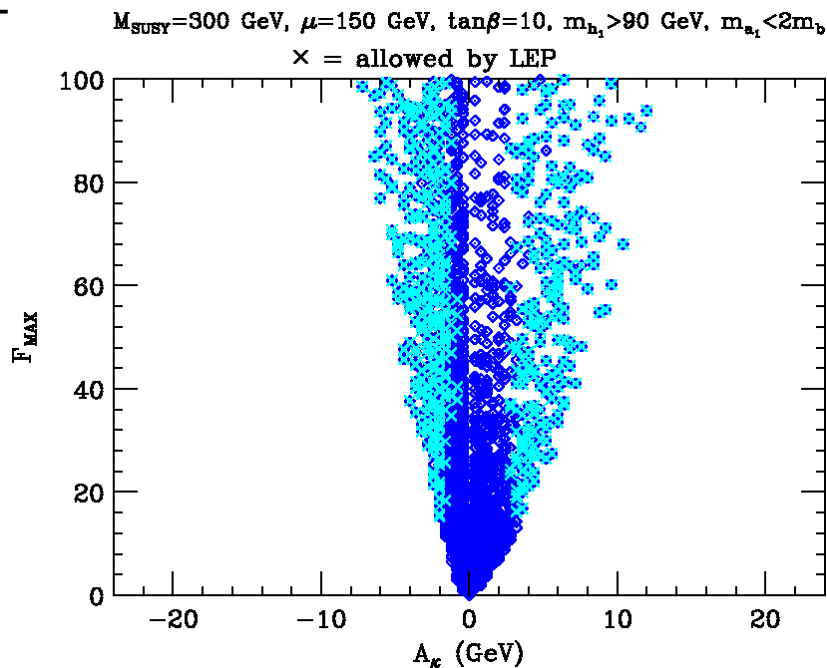
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$A_\kappa$  and  $A_\lambda$  terms comparable for:  $\cos \theta_A \ll 1$ , equivalent to  $a_1 \simeq a_s$

$m_{a_1} < m_{h_1}/2$ , mostly singlet, is natural!

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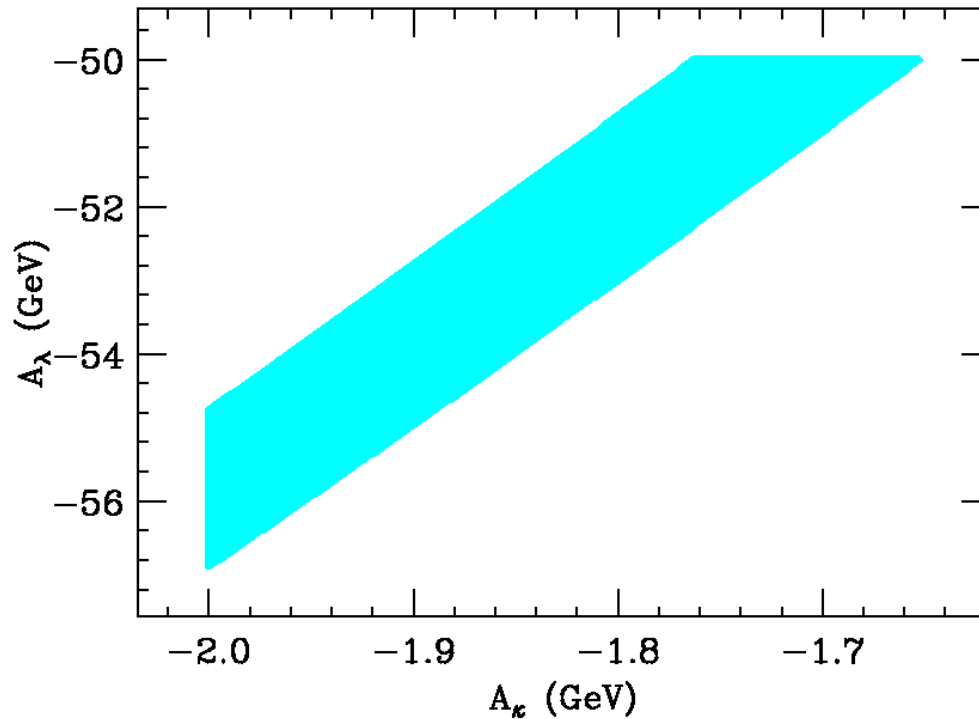


$$F_{MAX} = \max \left\{ \left| \frac{A_\lambda}{m_a^2} \frac{dm_a^2}{dA_\lambda} \right|, \left| \frac{A_\kappa}{m_a^2} \frac{dm_a^2}{dA_\kappa} \right| \right\}$$

5 - 10 % tuning of  $A_\kappa$  to  $A_\lambda$  is required for  $m_a < 2m_b$ !

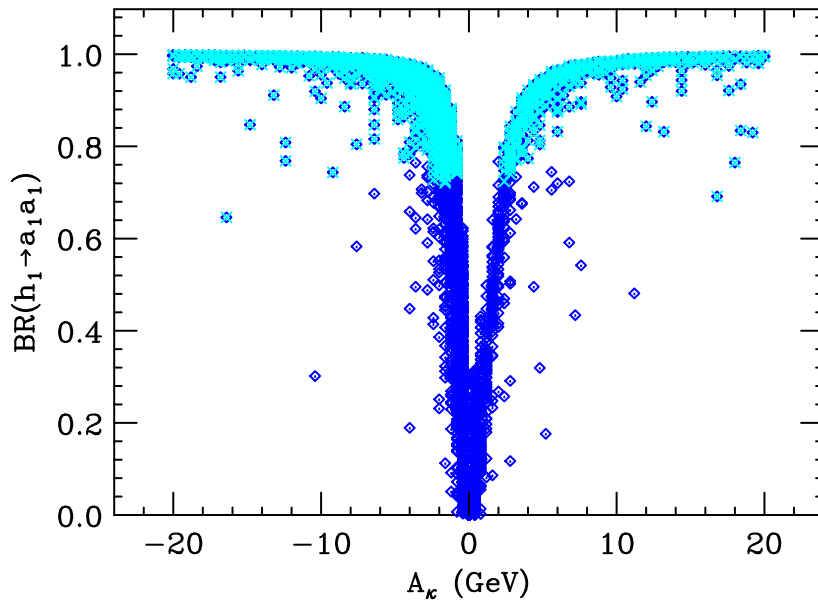
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$M_{\text{susy}}=300 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\mu=200 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\tan\beta=10$ ,  $\lambda=0.38$ ,  $\kappa=0.4$ ,  $m_{h_1}>90 \text{ GeV}$

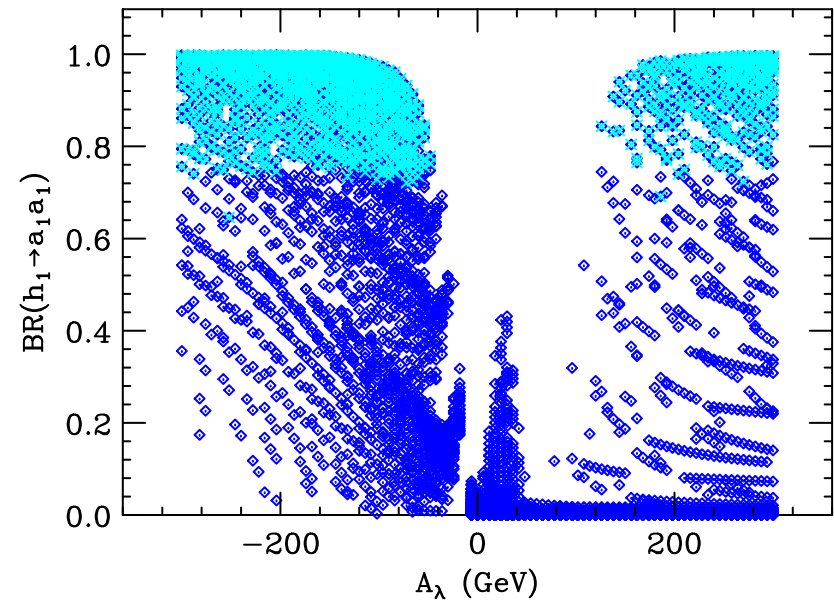


# $Br(h \rightarrow aa)$ vs. $A_\kappa$ and $A_\lambda$

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haa coupling:

$$\supset c_\lambda A_\lambda + c_\kappa A_\kappa$$

for  $|A_\kappa| \gtrsim \text{few GeV}$ ,  $h \rightarrow aa$  always dominates

no additional constraints from  $Br(h \rightarrow aa)$



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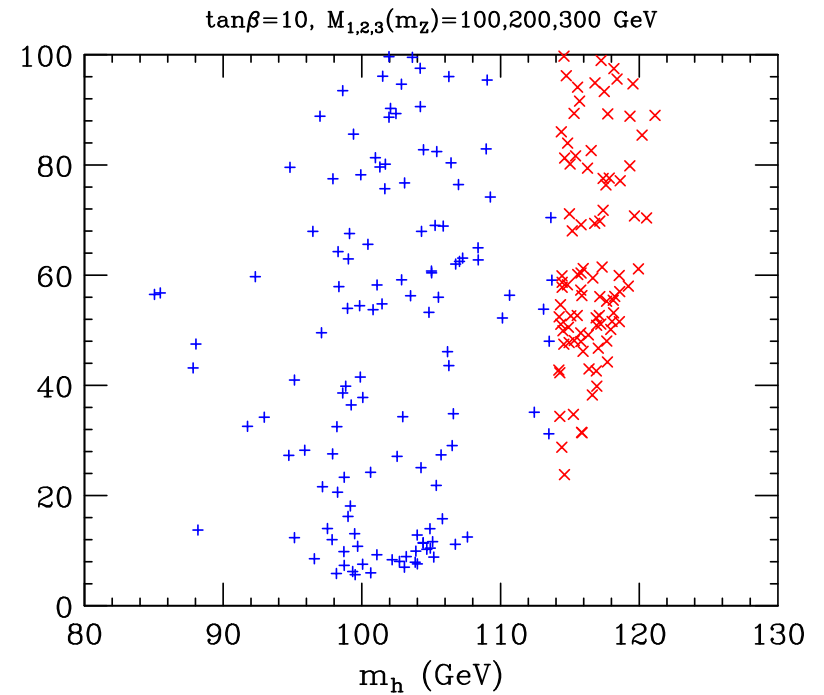
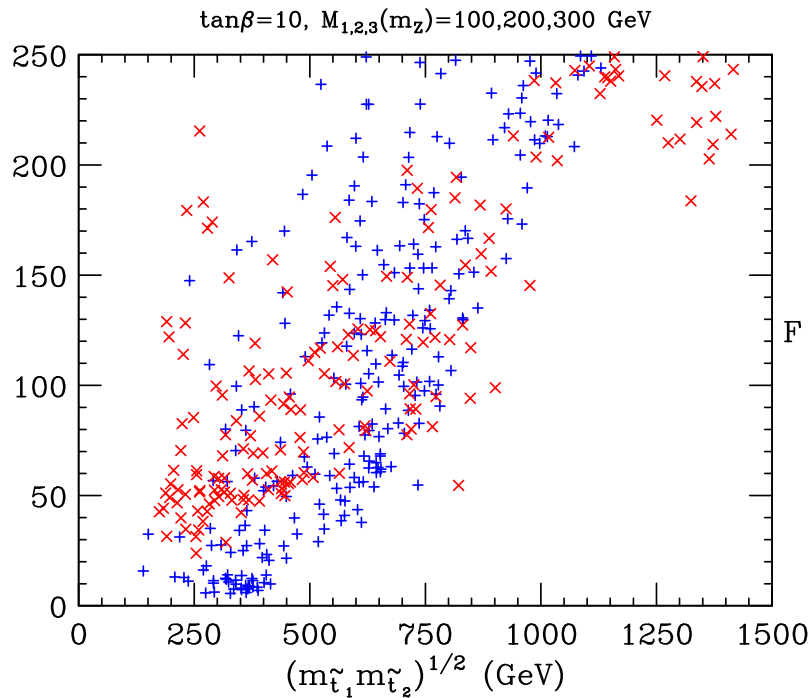
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- important to study Higgs to Higgs decays at LEP, Tevatron and LHC
- similar results to be expected in many SUSY models with more complicated Higgs sector than that of CP conserving MSSM

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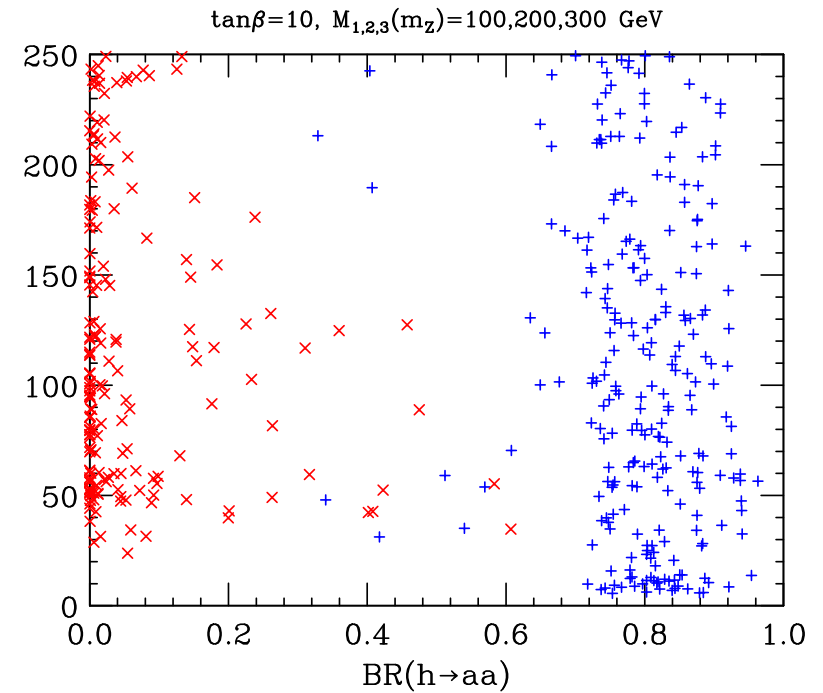
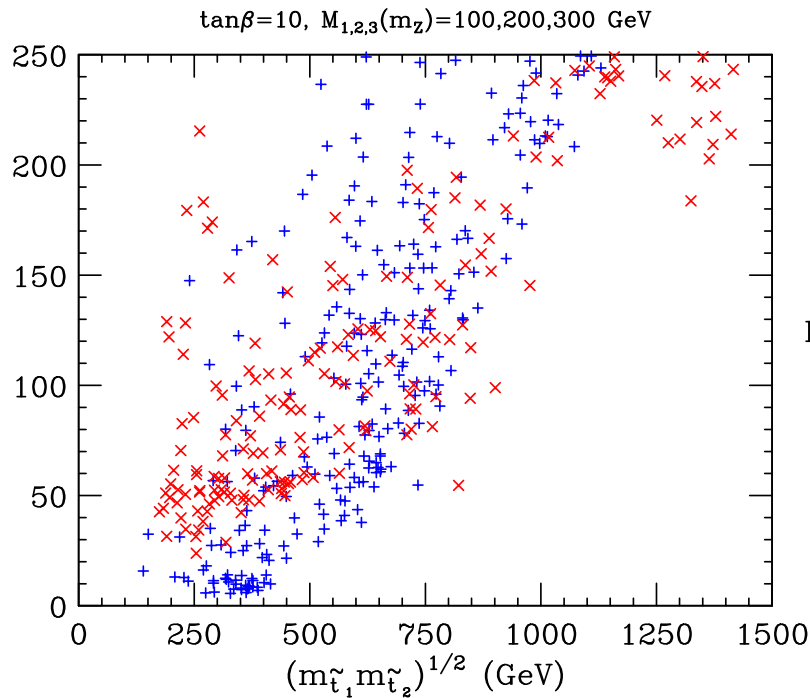
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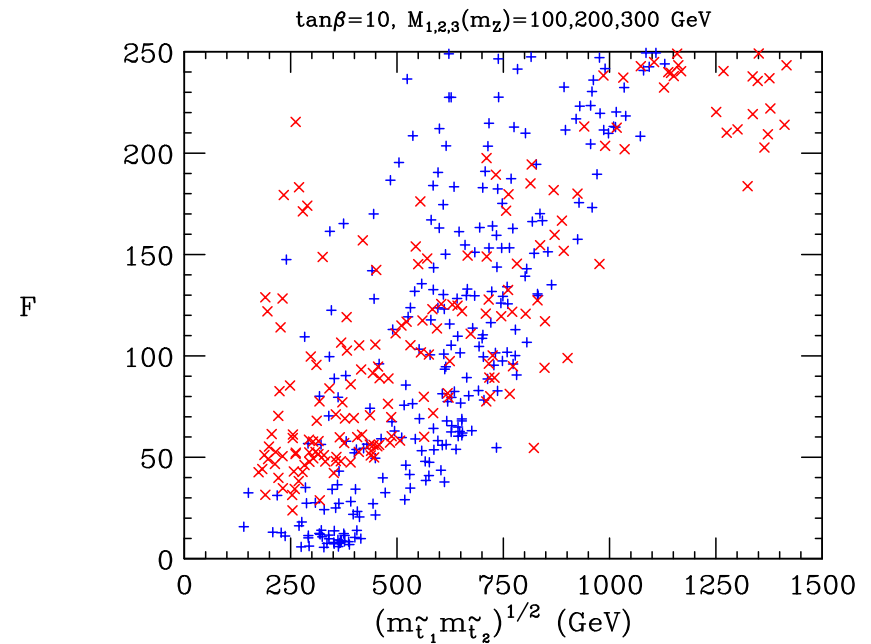
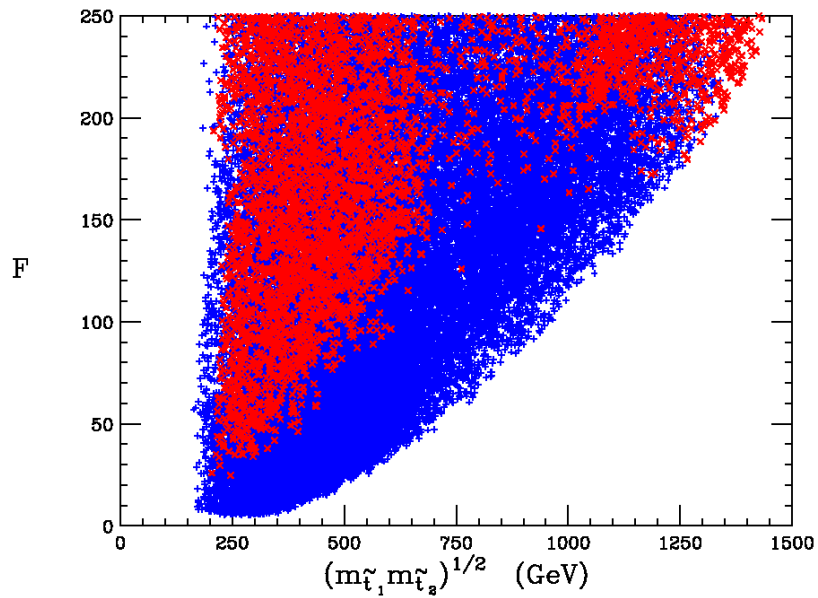
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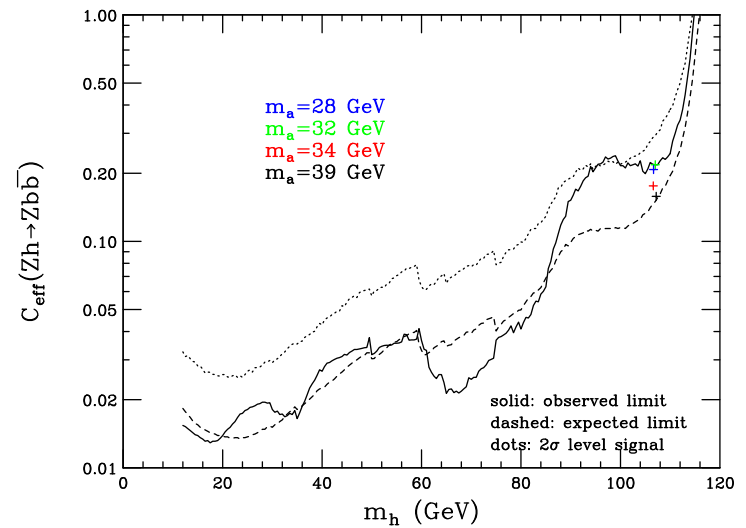
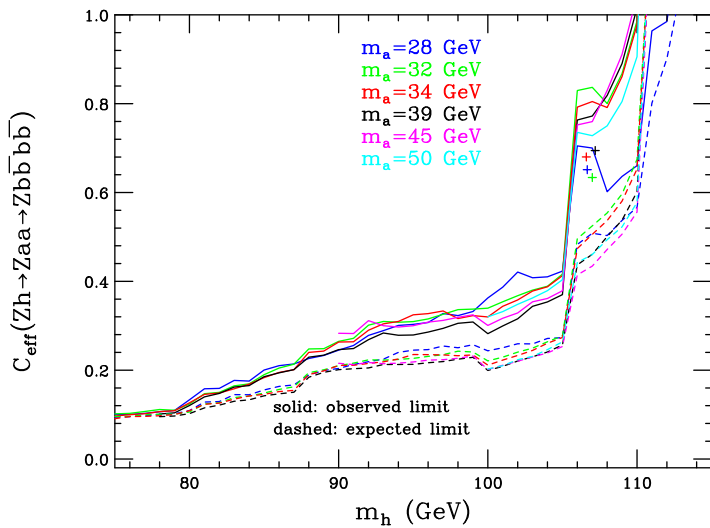
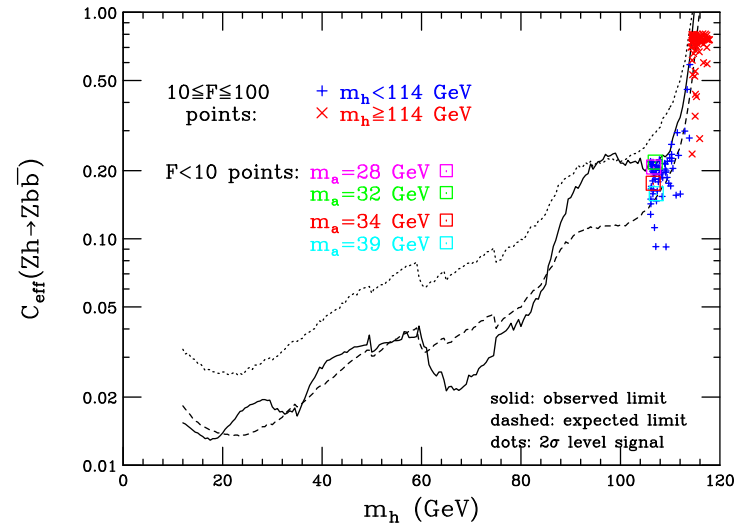
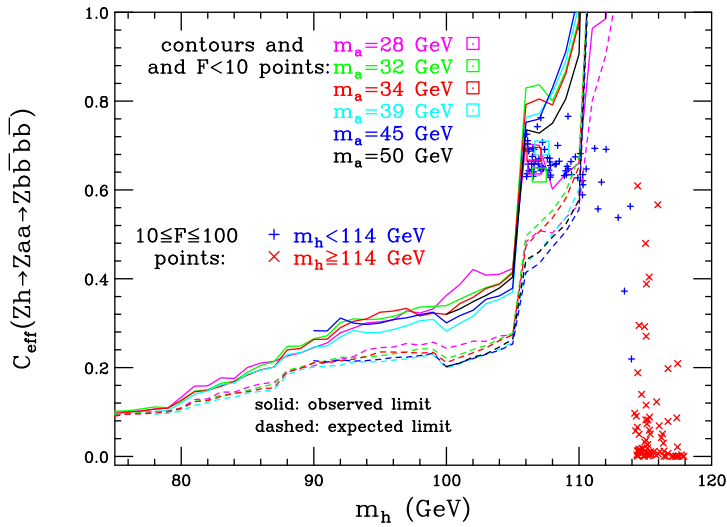
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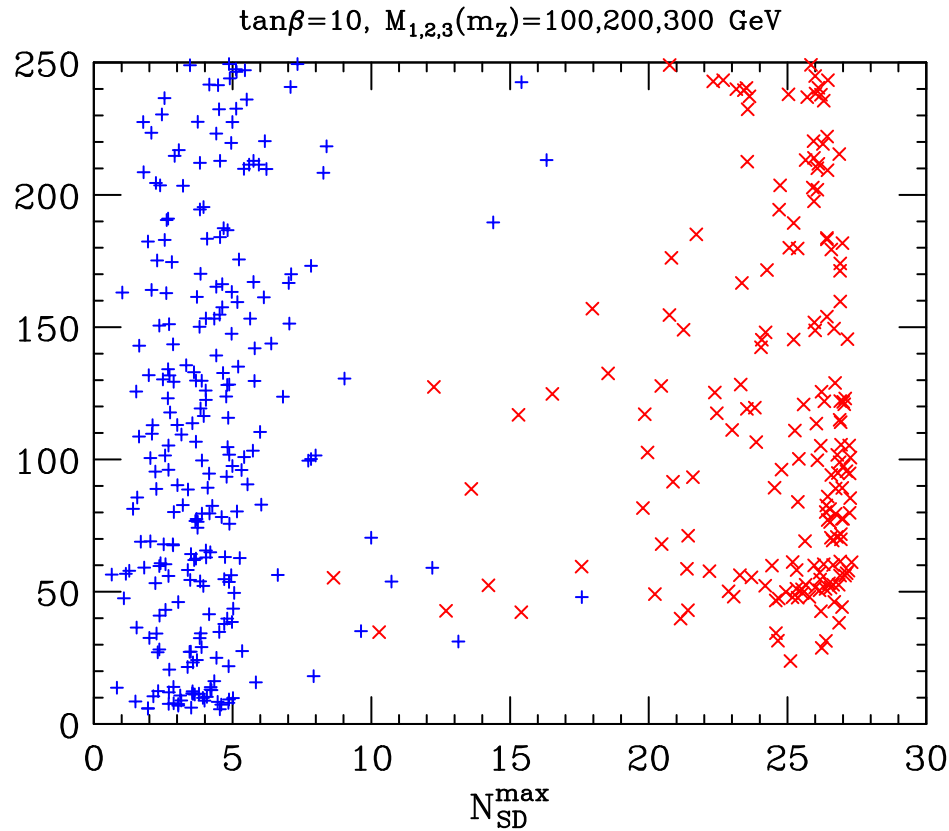
# Comparing MSSM and NMSSM



# Explaining LEP excess ( $m_a > 2m_b$ )



# LHC Discovery Potential



for an integrated luminosity:  $L = 300 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

Standard decay modes:

$$gg \rightarrow h/a \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$$

associated  $Wh/a$  or  $t\bar{t}h/a$  prod.

with  $\gamma\gamma l^\pm$  in the final state

$t\bar{t}h/a$  prod. with  $h/a \rightarrow b\bar{b}$

$b\bar{b}h/a$  prod. with  $h/a \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$

$gg \rightarrow h \rightarrow ZZ^{(*)} \rightarrow 4 \text{ leptons}$

$gg \rightarrow h \rightarrow WW^{(*)} \rightarrow l^+l^- \nu\bar{\nu}$

$WW \rightarrow h \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^-$

$WW \rightarrow h \rightarrow WW^{(*)}$

$WW \rightarrow h \rightarrow \text{invisible}$

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