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Fusing Vectors into Scalars at High Energy Lepton Colliders

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Boeing 747 maiden flight in 1969

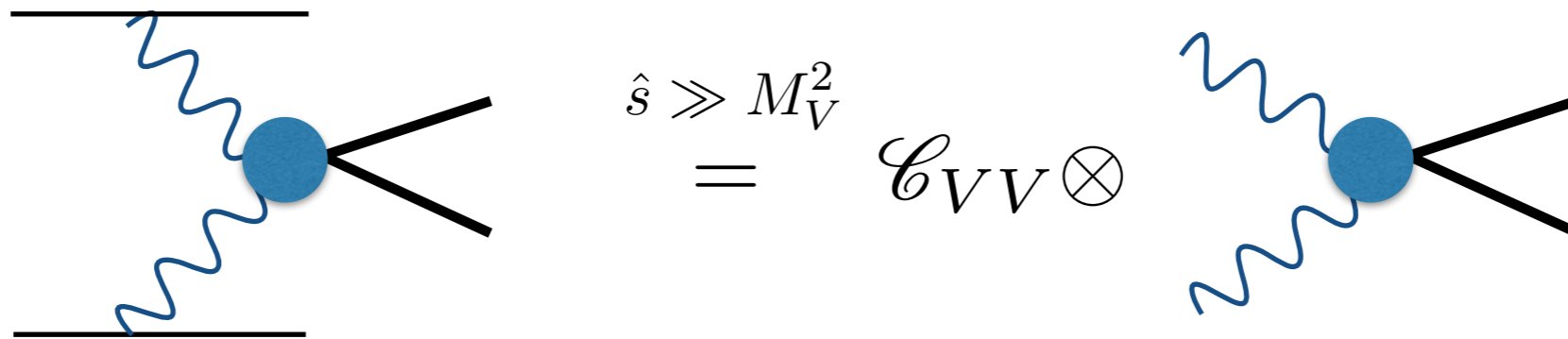


initial debt of the project 2b\$, it was worth the risk

(CLIC is very ambitious, but first technical notes from the mid '80s...)

At high energy lepton colliders

we can collide (massless) W and Z's



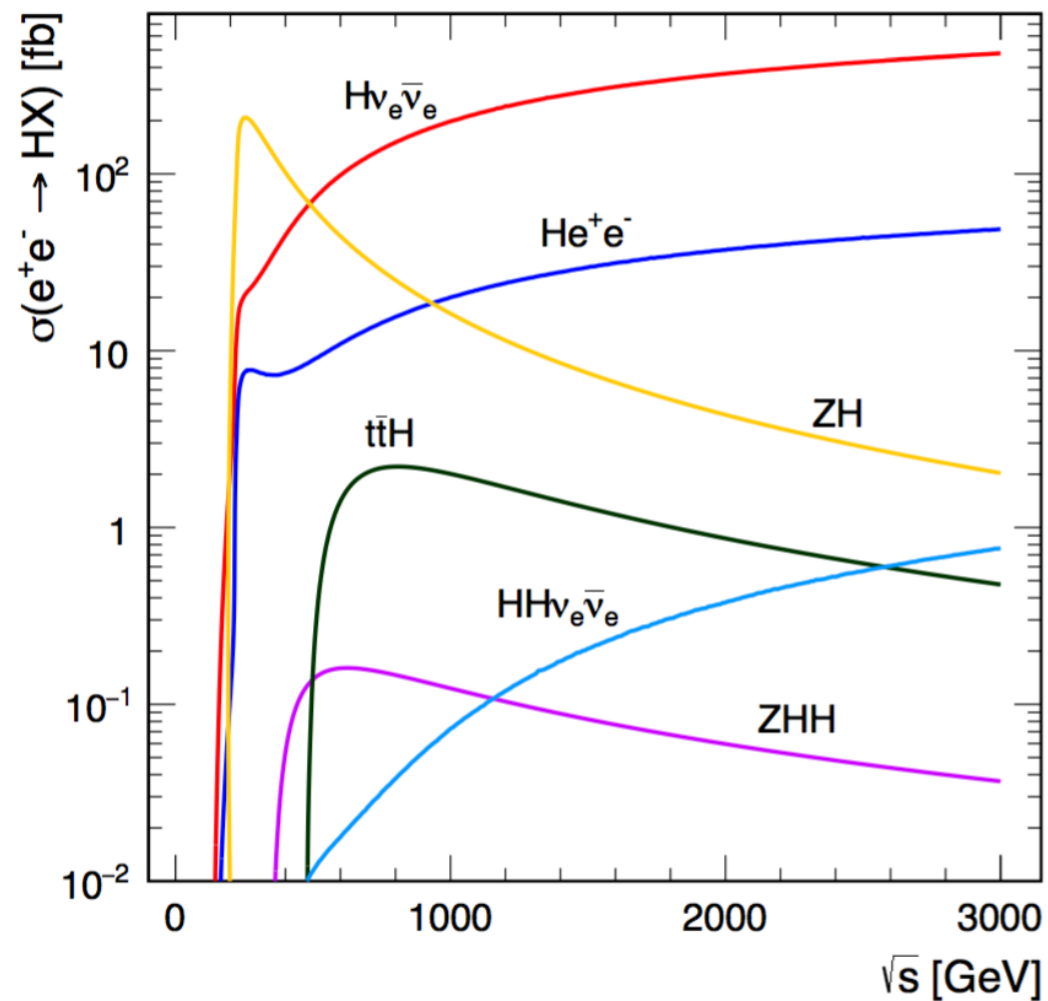
$$\mathcal{C}_{W_L W_L}(\hat{s}) = \frac{g^4}{4096\pi^4} \frac{s}{\hat{s}} \left[\left(1 + \frac{\hat{s}}{s}\right) \log \frac{s}{\hat{s}} + 2\left(\frac{\hat{s}}{s} - 1\right) \right]$$

[EWA, Dawson 1984]

potentially large cross-section for renormalizable interactions at high energies

At high energy lepton colliders

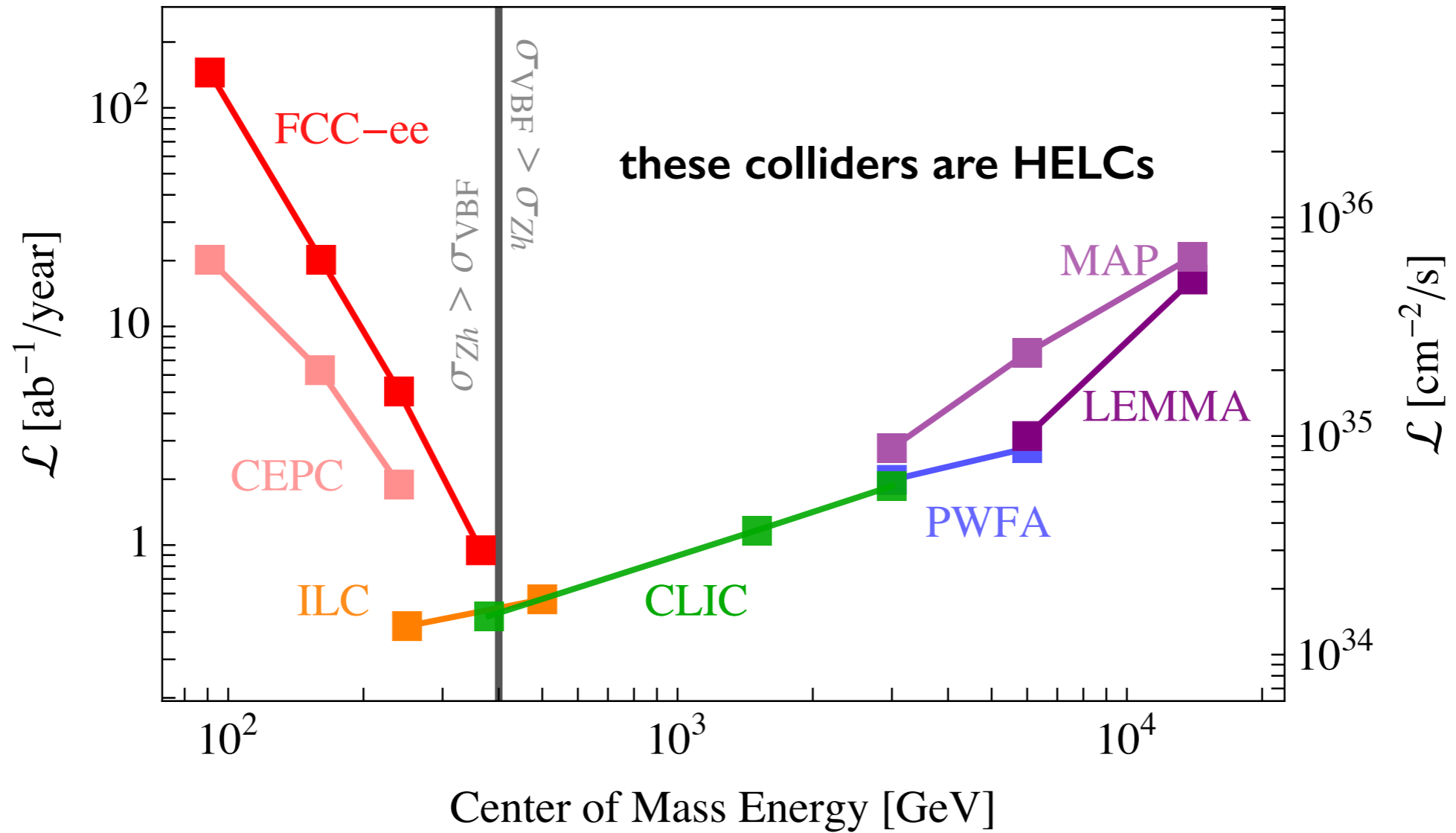
Longitudinal W-fusion is the reason for the increase in the Higgs rate



$$\sigma_{e\bar{e} \rightarrow h + \nu\bar{\nu}} = \frac{g^4}{256\pi^3} \frac{1}{v^2} \left[\log \frac{s}{m_h^2} - 2 + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{m_h^2}{s}\right) \right]$$

[SM, plots from 1608.07538]
[see also Kilian, Kramer, Zerwas 1995]

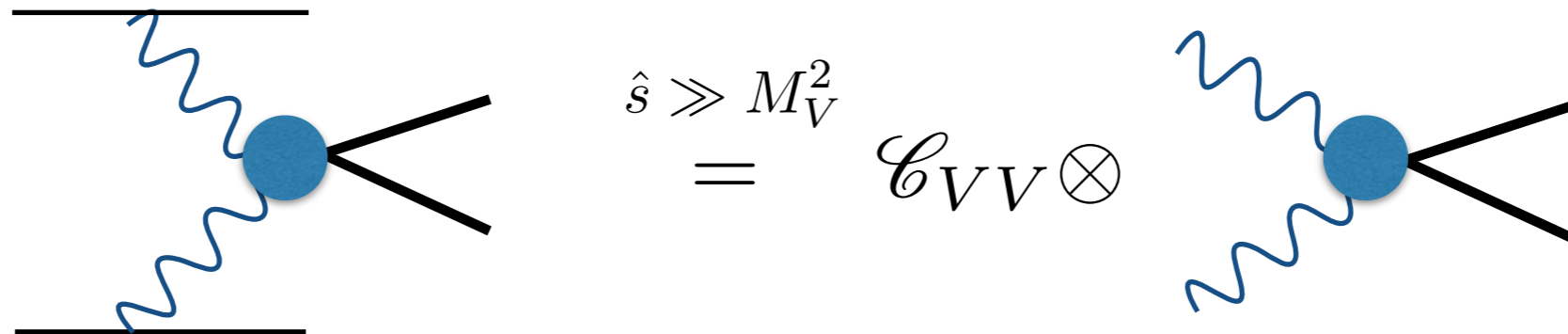
Not all the lepton colliders are the same



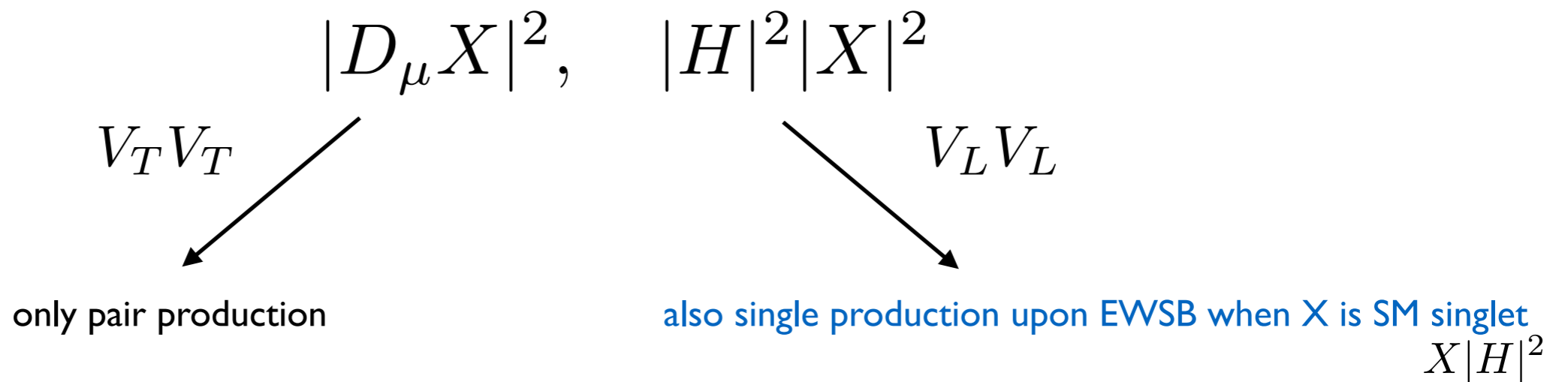
HELCs can have similar precision in single Higgs production:

high energy \approx high statistics

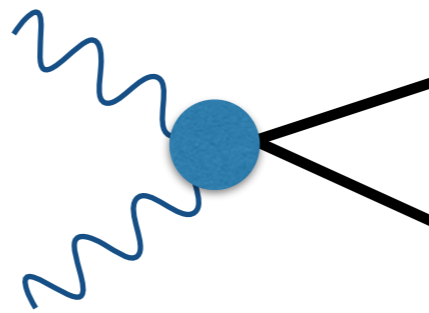
HELCS sensitive also to on-shell NP



largest effects from the following interactions



off shell new physics can be tested in similar way (WW scattering)
 [Contino, Grojean, Pappadopulo, Rattazzi, Thamm]



$$X = S$$

real singlet

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \frac{1}{2}(\partial_\mu S)^2 - \frac{1}{2}m_S^2 S^2 - a_{HS} S |H|^2 - \frac{\lambda_{HS}}{2} S^2 |H|^2 - \frac{a_S}{3} S^3 - \frac{\lambda_S}{4} S^4 + c \frac{\alpha}{4\pi} \frac{S}{f} F \tilde{F}$$

γ

mixing angle

- Interplay between Higgs physics (single/double production) and direct searches
- Easy example to compare different machines (total singlet)
- An endless list of models with a low-lying scalar singlet (will not mention them, personal reasons)

Interplay with Higgs physics seen in the EFT

$$\mathcal{L} = \mathcal{L}_{\text{SM}} + \frac{c_H}{\Lambda^2} \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu |H|^2)^2 - \frac{c_6 \lambda_H}{\Lambda^2} |H|^6 + \dots$$

integrating out the singlet, we generate:

$$\frac{c_H}{\Lambda^2} = \frac{\sin^2 \gamma}{v^2} + \frac{\lambda_{HS}^2}{192\pi^2 m_\phi^2}, \quad \frac{c_6 \lambda_H}{\Lambda^2} = \frac{\lambda_{HS}}{2v^2} \sin^2 \gamma + \frac{\lambda_{HS}^3}{192\pi^2 m_\phi^2}$$

correlation between precision Higgs physics and direct searches

[see complete list by Jiang, Cragi, Li, Sutherland]

what are we testing?

the correlation between mixing and masses
is a hint of the underlying physics

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with the naive scaling

$$m_S^2 \approx M_*^2, \quad \lambda_{HS} \approx g_*^2, \quad \lambda_S \approx g_*^2, \quad a_{HS} \approx g_* M_*, \quad a_S \approx g_* M_*$$

the mixing angle has a slow decoupling

$$\gamma \approx \frac{g_* v}{M_*}$$

Parametrically small mixing

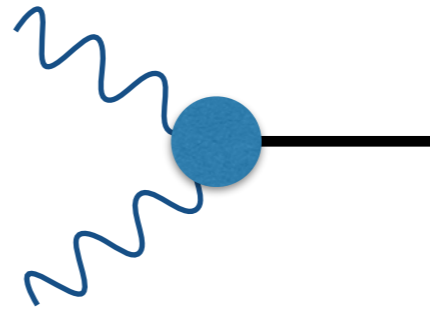
An extremely precise machine can face the difficulty of testing elusive new physics:

- Models where singlet gets a vev induced by EWSB
[realized in scenarios of vector-like confinement]
- Models where $a_{HS} \sim g_* m$, maybe related to an approximate Z_2 , $S \rightarrow -S$
[see later]

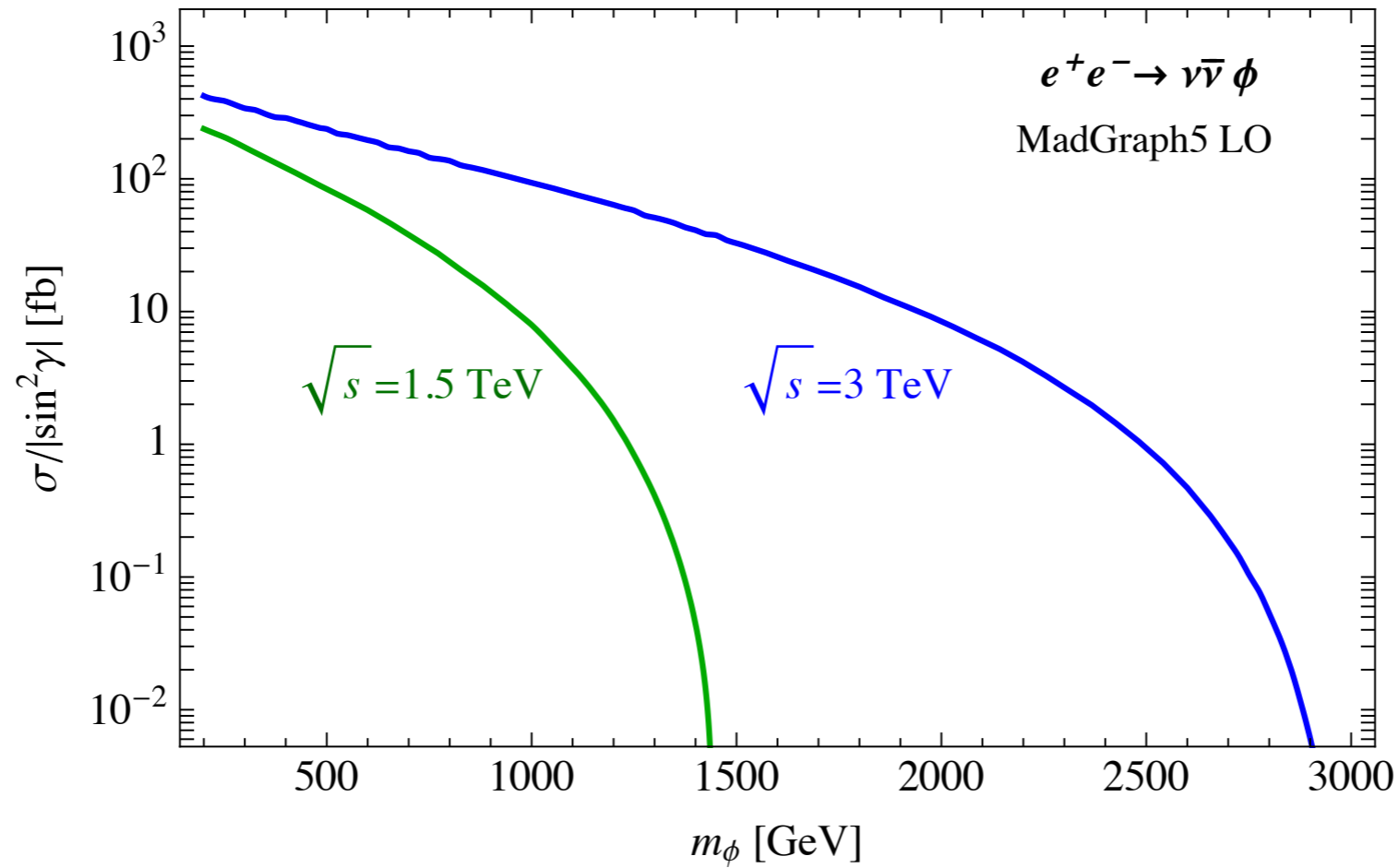
the mixing angle has a fast decoupling

$$\gamma \approx \left(\frac{g_* v}{M_*} \right)^2 \times \frac{m}{g_* v}$$

Single production



Total rate



$$\sigma_{e\bar{e} \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}S} = \sin^2 \gamma \frac{g^4}{256\pi^3} \frac{1}{v^2} \left[2\left(\frac{m_\phi^2}{s} - 1\right) + \left(\frac{m_\phi^2}{s} + 1\right) \log \frac{s}{m_\phi^2} \right] \simeq \sin^2 \gamma \frac{g^4}{256\pi^3} \frac{\log \frac{s}{m_\phi^2} - 2}{v^2}$$

identical to the SM Higgs (times a rescaling)

which decay channels?

$$\phi \rightarrow ZZ$$

- Actively searched for at the LHC
- Extremely clean channel for CLIC

$$\phi \rightarrow hh(4b)$$

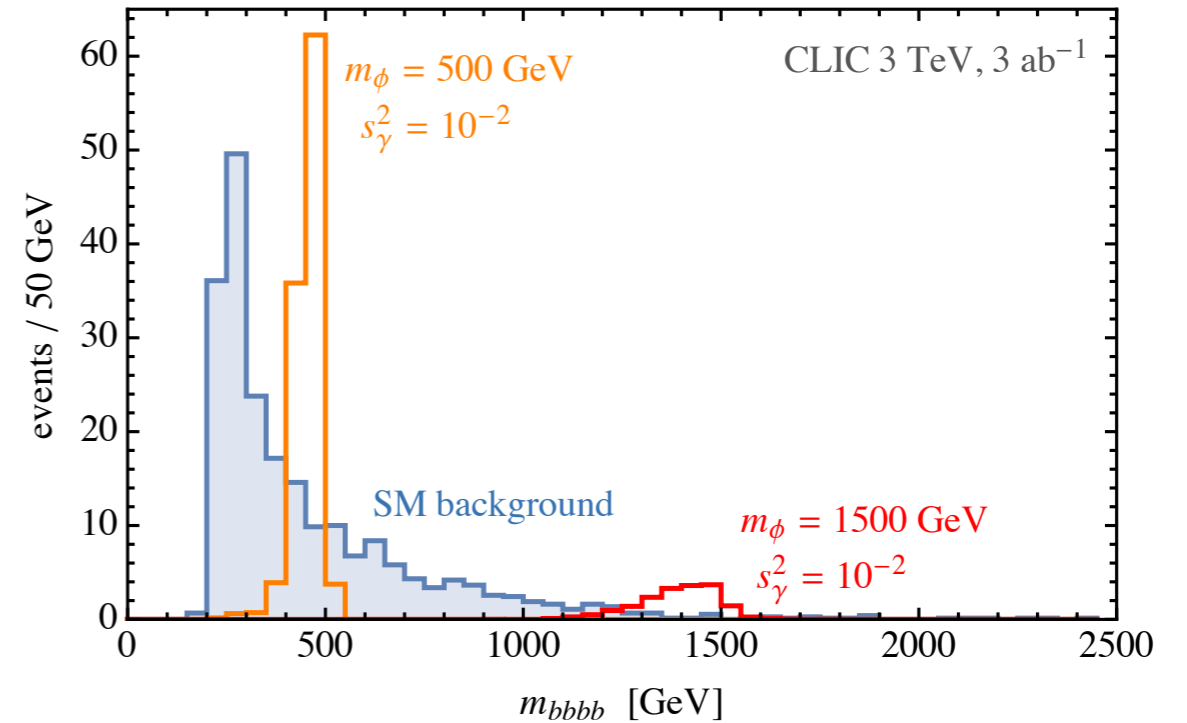
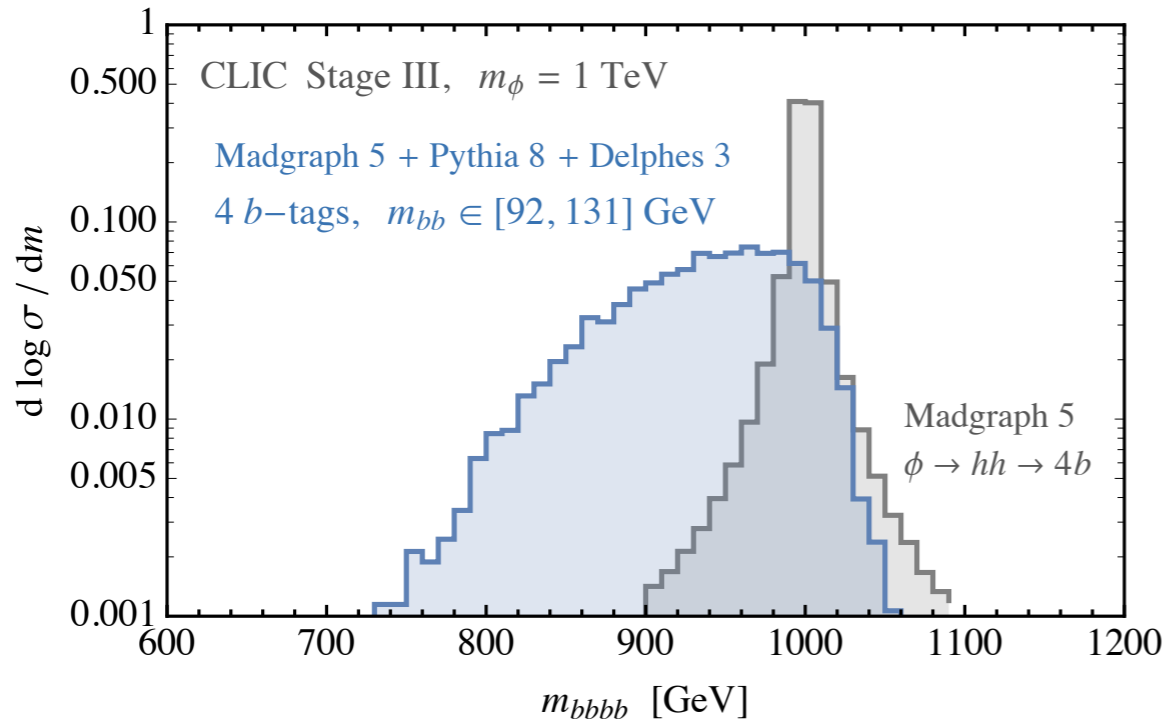
- Challenging for the LHC
- Clean channel for CLIC

Aims:

- estimate the sensitivities of CLIC - 1.5/3TeV
- estimate the efficiencies on signals/bkg using CLIC card Delphes
- compare the two channels (and more)
- compare with the expected outcome of HL-LHC

Delphes with CLIC card

[Ulrike Schnoor]

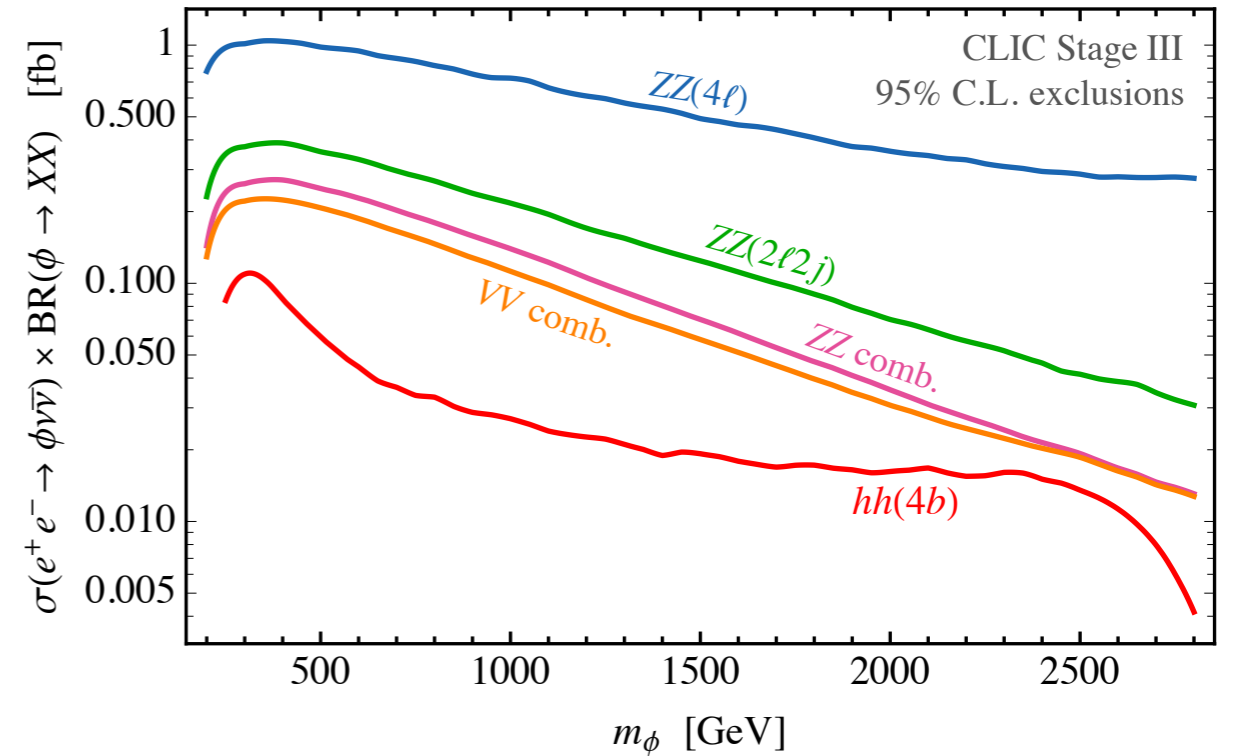
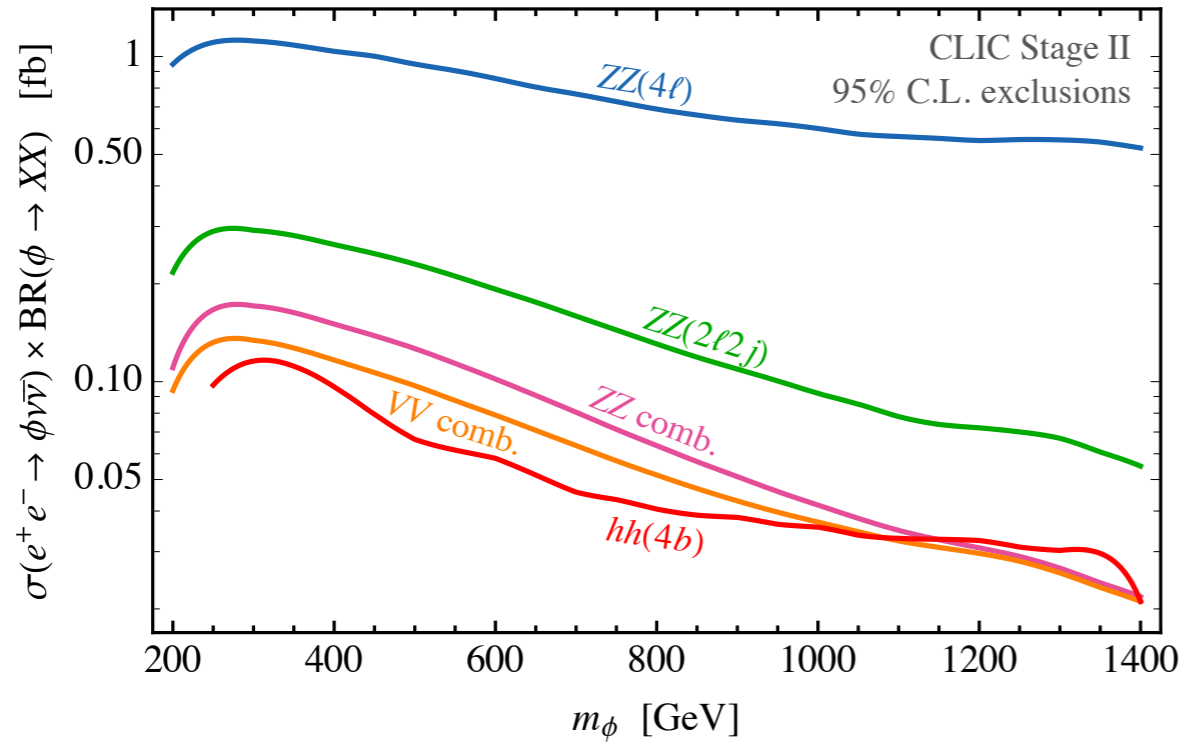


- Detector simulation with the CLIC card for stage III
- Largest background $4b2\nu$, under control $4b$

Cut	ϵ_{sig}	$\epsilon_{\text{bkg}}^{4b2\nu}$
$E_{\text{miss}} > 30$ GeV	94%	96%
4 b -tags	51%	33%
$m_{bb} \in [88, 137]$ GeV	60%	15%
$ \cos \theta < 0.95$	97%	58%
$m_{4b} \in [1.5, 2.04]$ TeV	91%	0.7%
Total efficiency	26%	2×10^{-4}

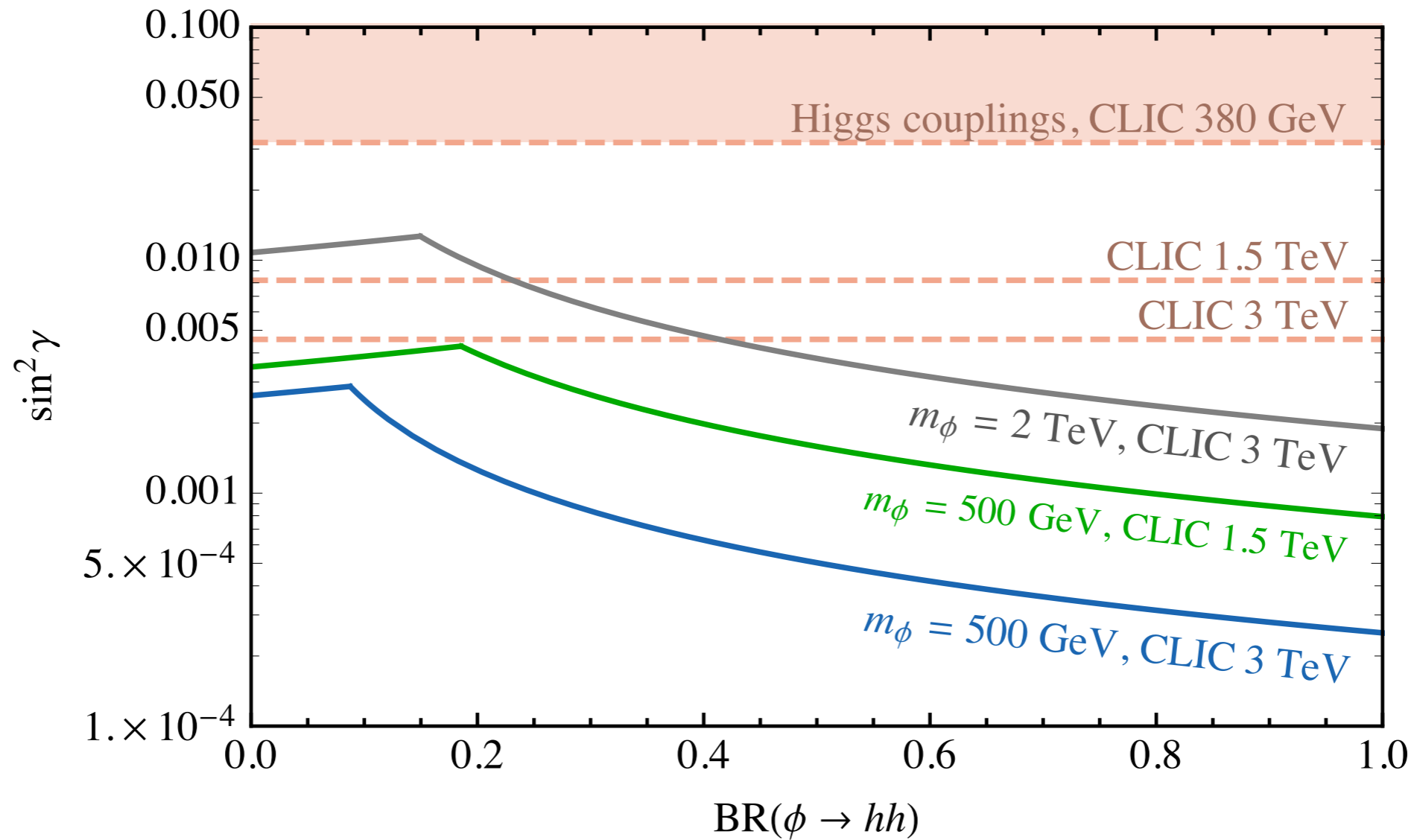
(b) CLIC 3 TeV, $m_\phi = 2$ TeV

Results for the cross sections



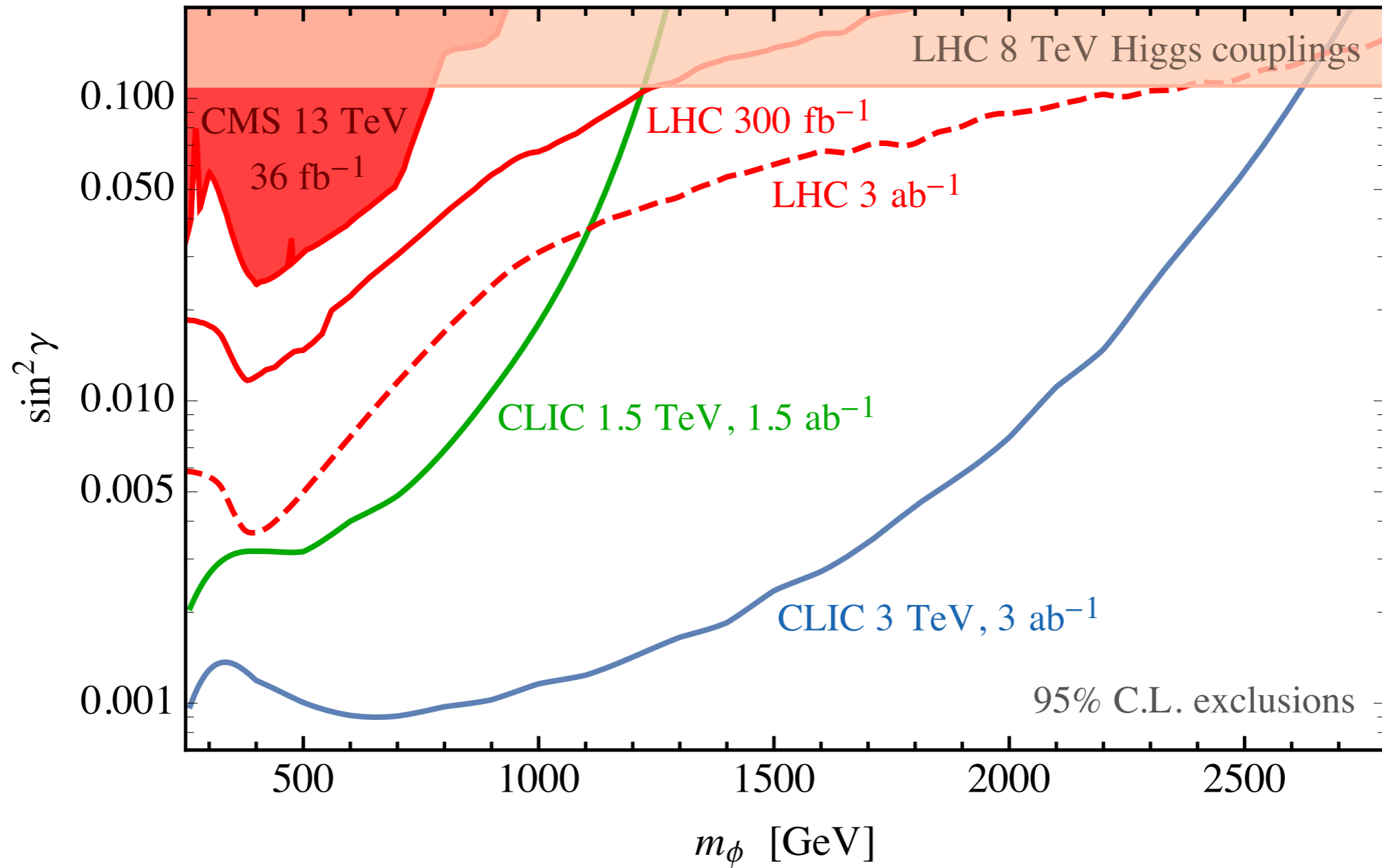
- $hh(4b)$ always dominant as compared to WW/ZZ
- Mass windows for parton level analysis: $\Delta_{4\ell} = 5\%$, $\Delta_{2\ell 2j} = 10\%$, and $\Delta_{4j} = 15\%$

CLIC: single Higgs production and direct searches

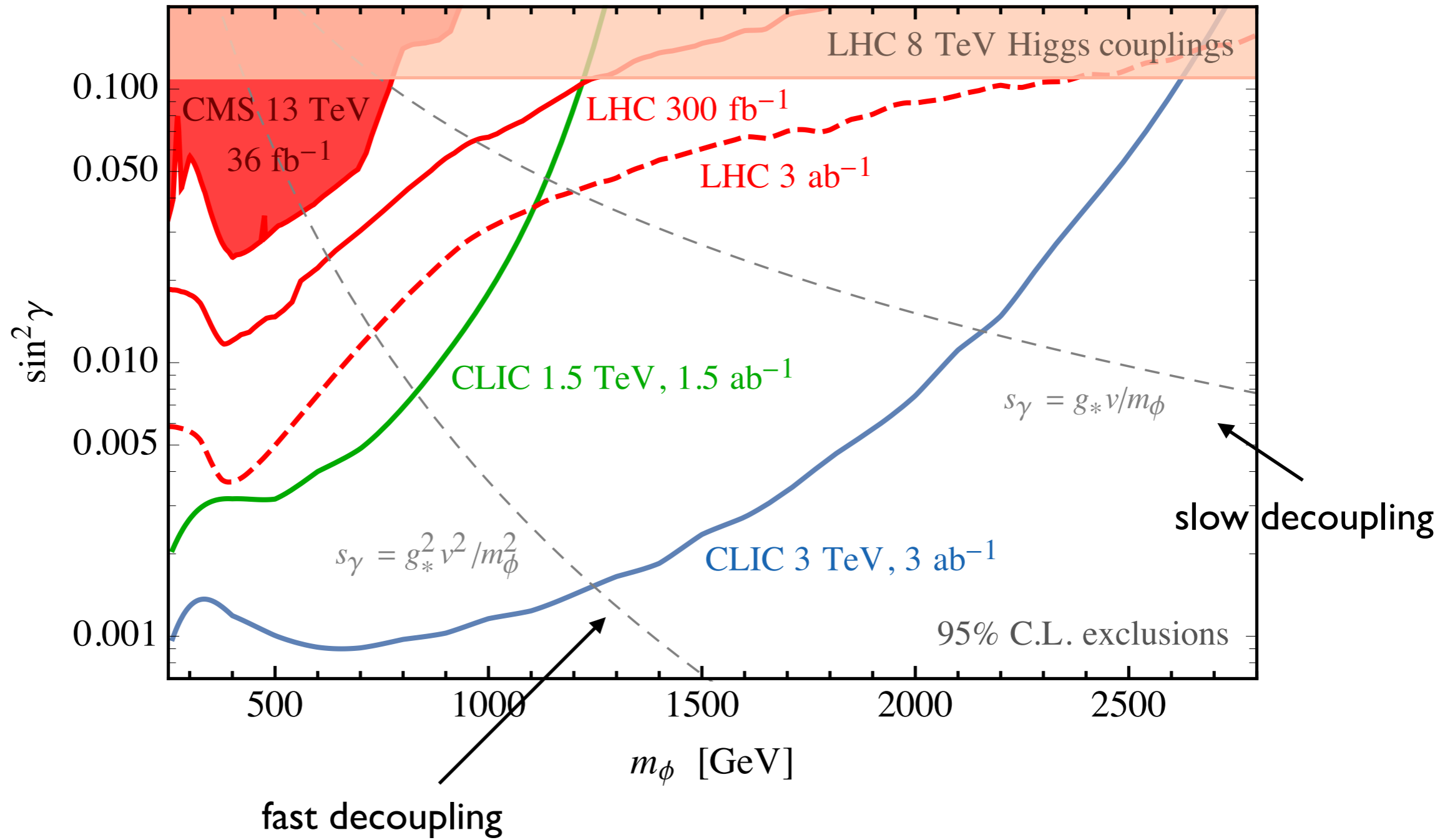


agreement with [JM No, M Spannowksy]

CLIC + LHC + HL-LHC



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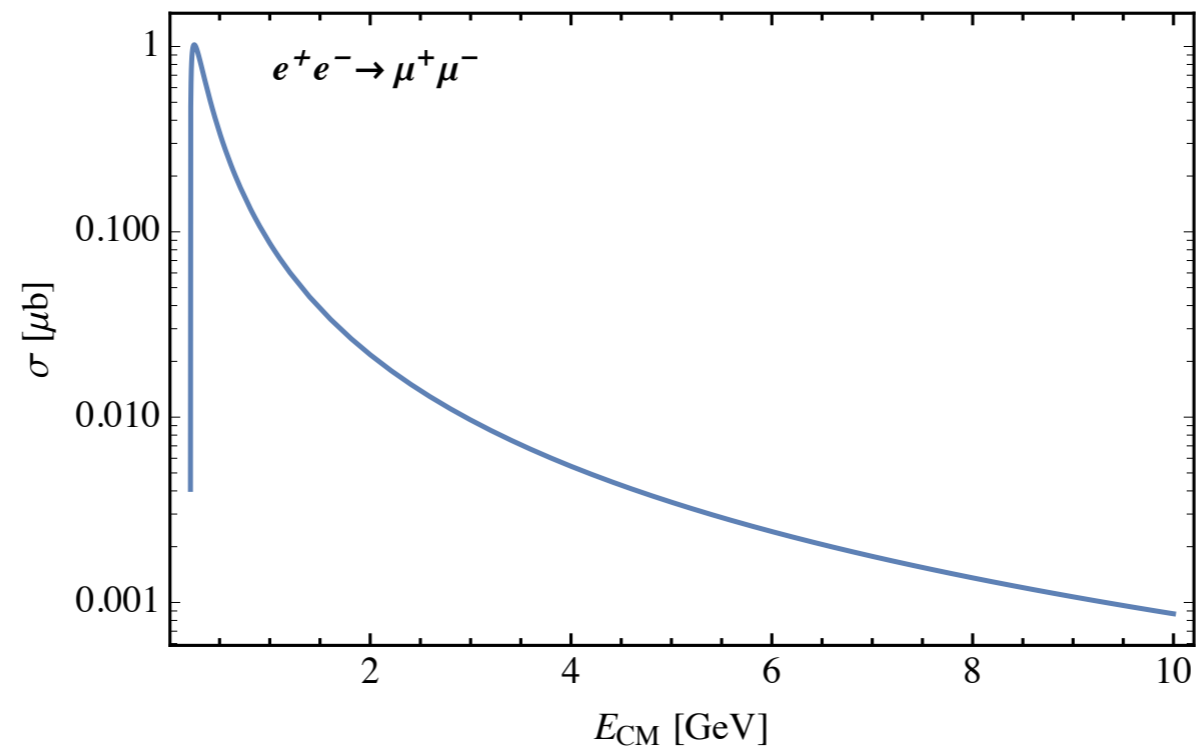


what if $e \rightarrow \underline{\mu}$?

The LEMMA proposal

[Antonelli, Boscolo, Di Nardo, Raimondi]

positrons on electron target, instead of proton proton



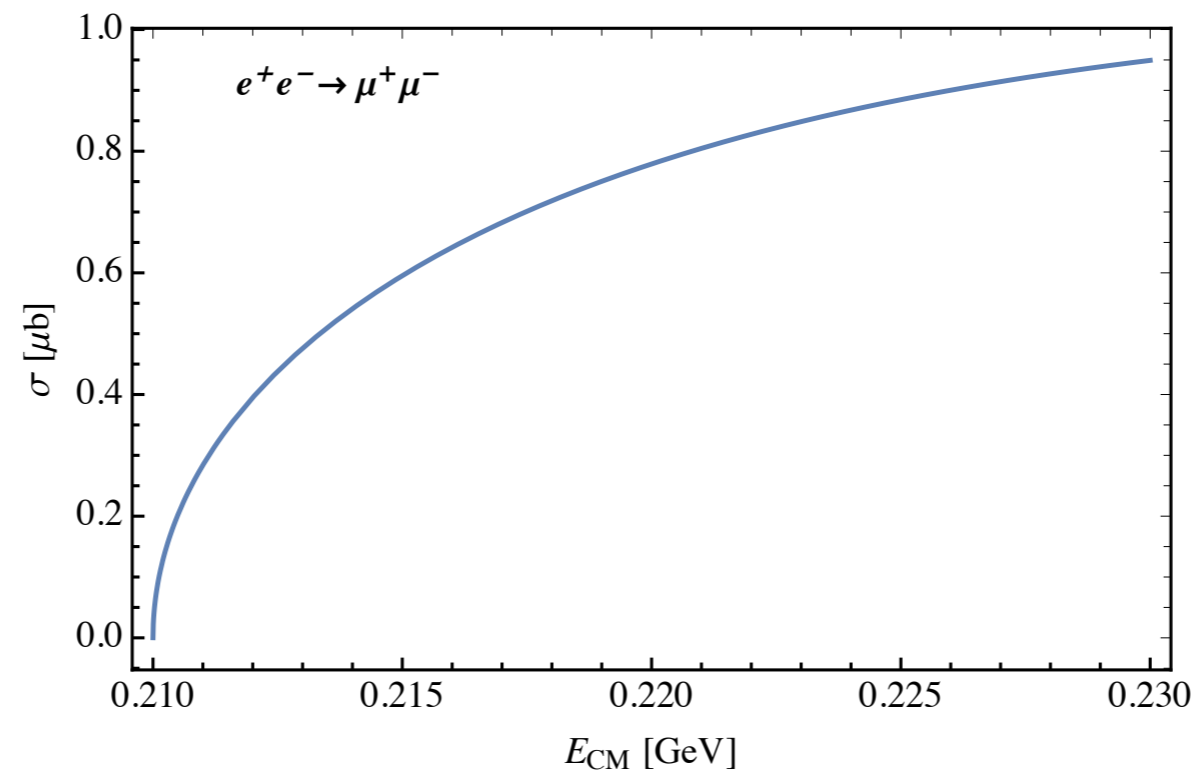
previously were considered pp collisions:

- muons with large emittance
- challenges of muon cooling

The LEMMA proposal

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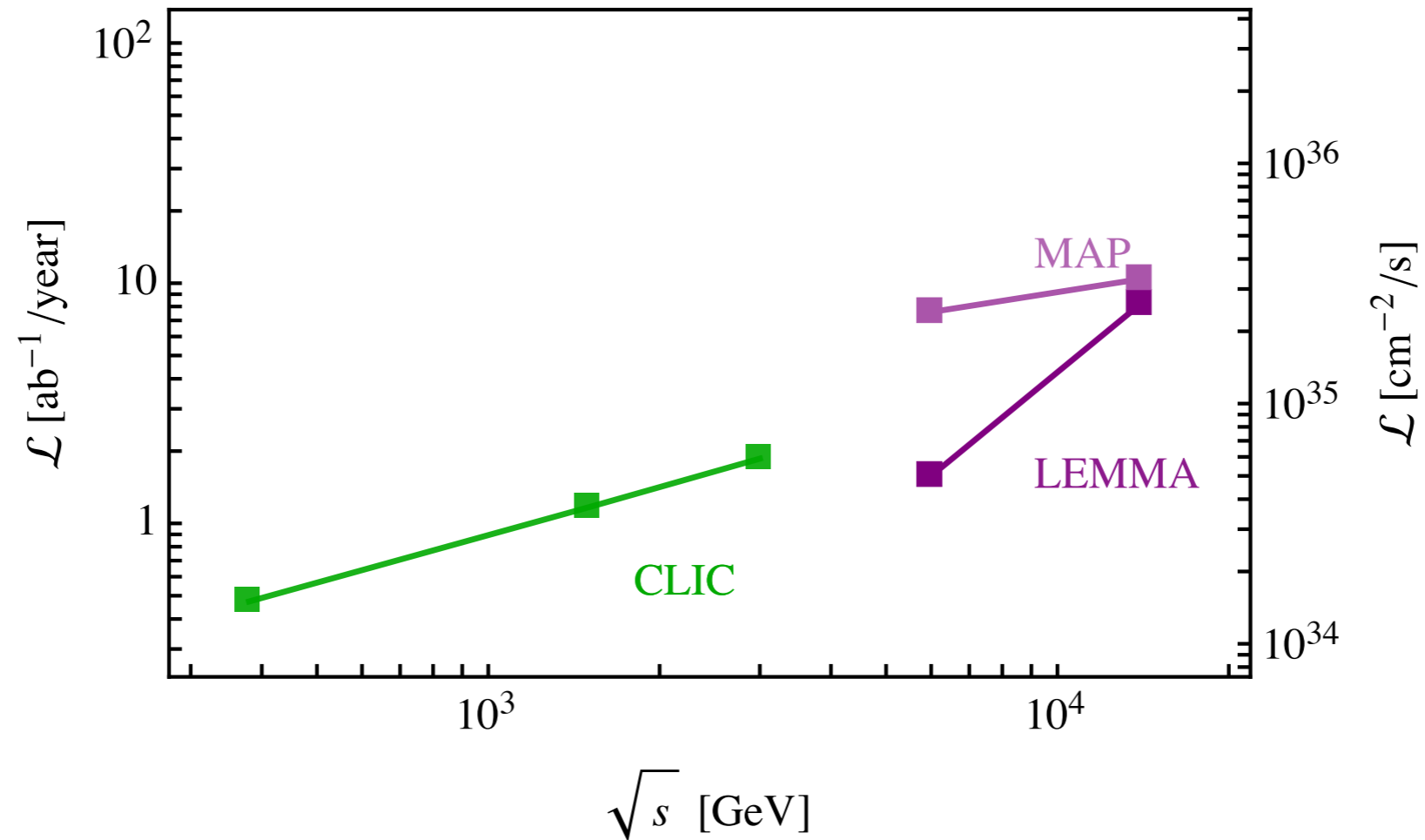
45 GeV positrons on electron target



- Avoid cooling problem with low emittance
- Main challenge: luminosity (any target)
- Many more challenges

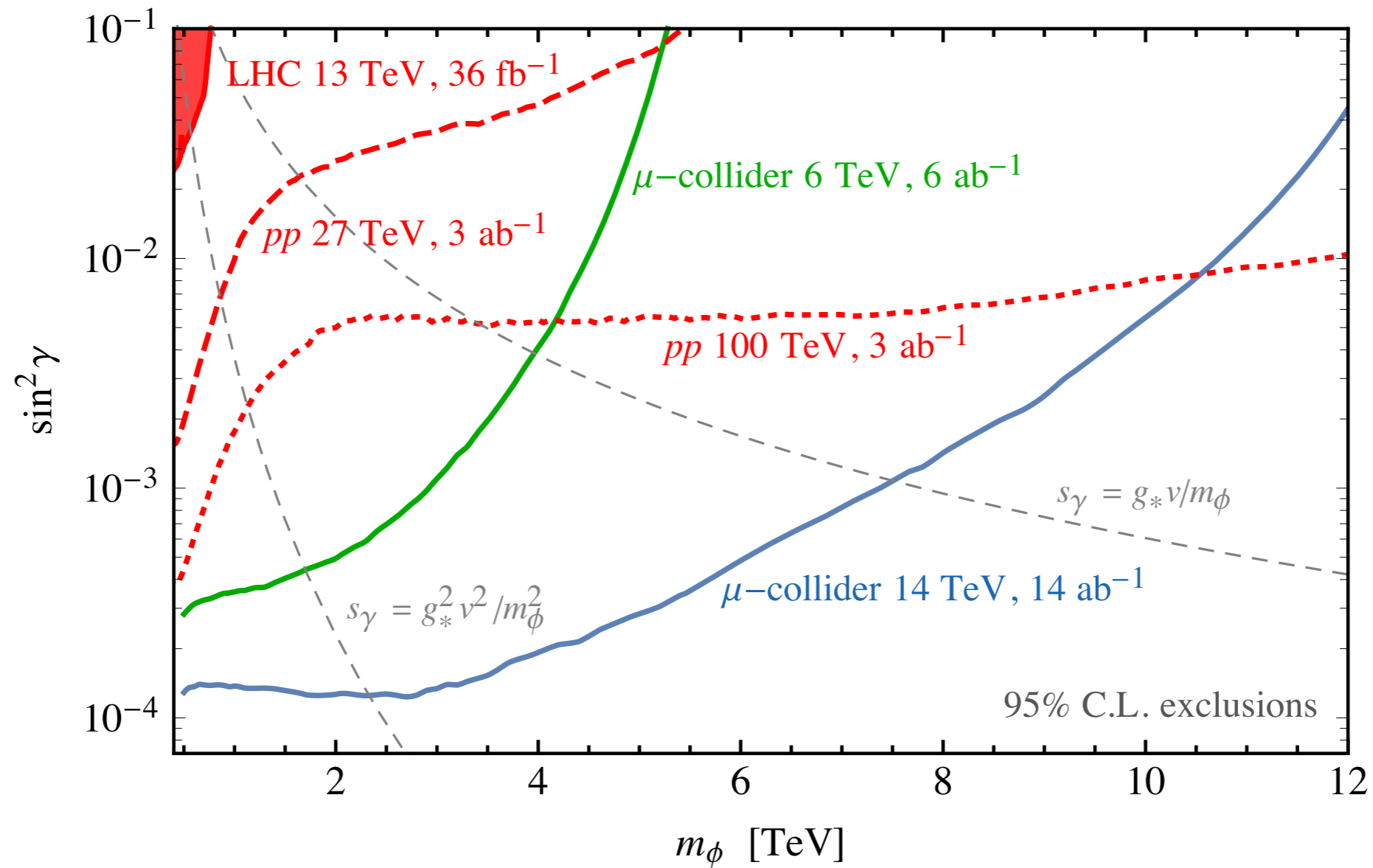
[see Zanetti's talk at GGI 2018]

As benchmark values



we perform a parton level analysis,
'validated' against the previous collider study
(backup slides)

A first muon-collider reach



- notice the competition with 100TeV
- several studies underway, for example EW multiplets [Di Luzio, Grober, Panico]

what if S is pseudoscalar?

$$c_1 \frac{\alpha_1}{4\pi} \frac{S}{f} B \tilde{B} + c_2 \frac{\alpha_2}{4\pi} \frac{S}{f} W \tilde{W}$$

in general a different analysis is needed

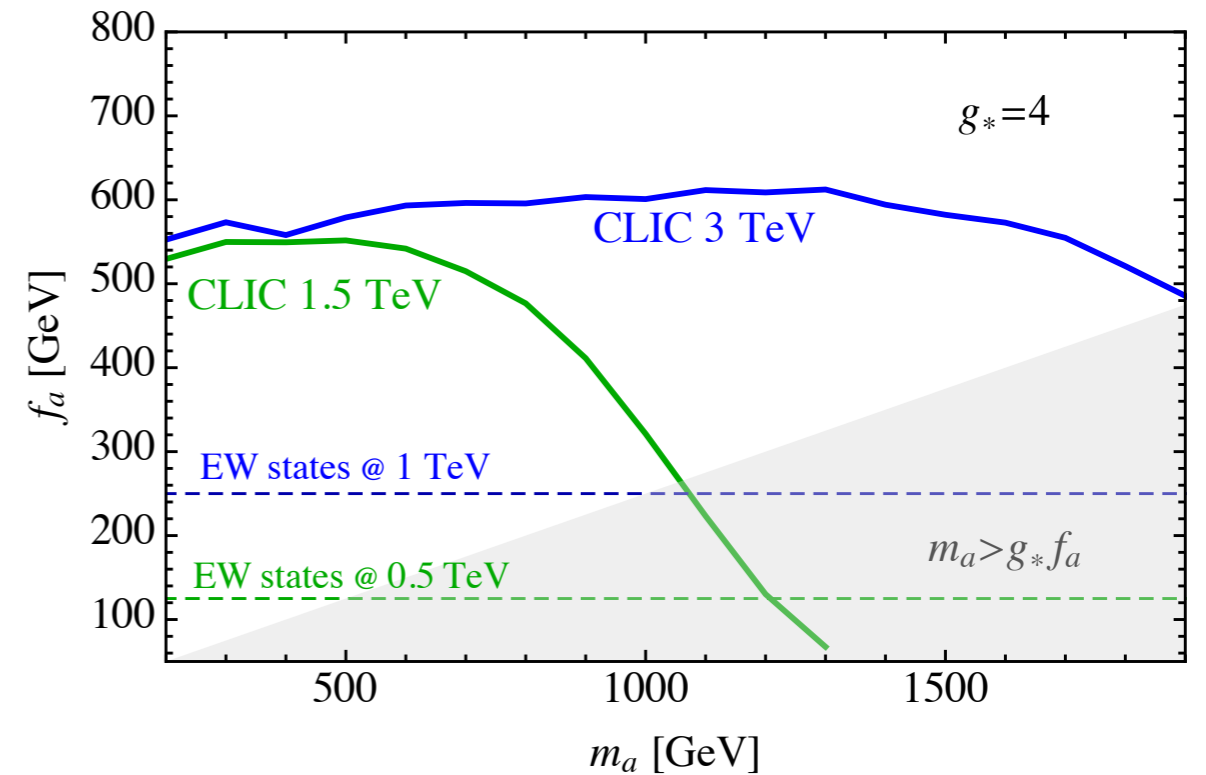
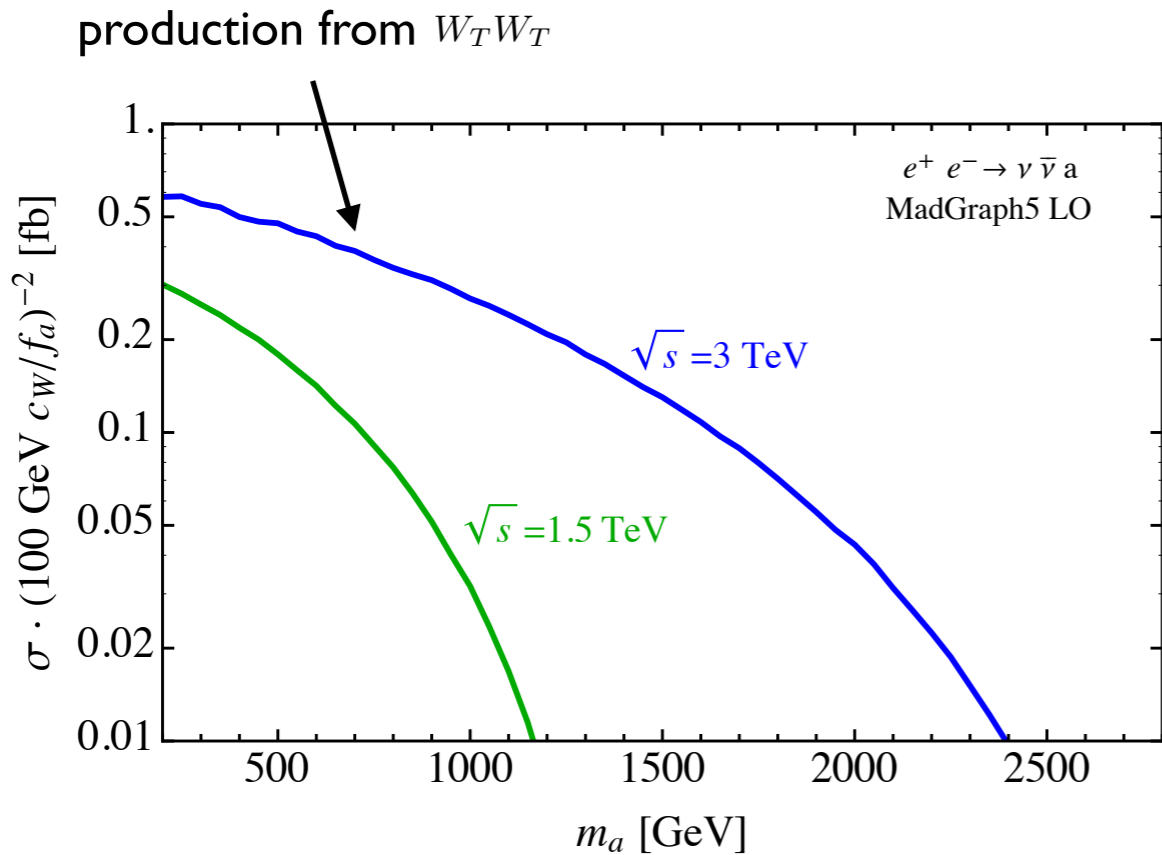
[Bauer, Neubert, Thamm]

$$c_{WW} = c_2, \quad c_{ZZ} = c_2 + \tan^4 \theta_W \frac{5}{3} c_1, \quad c_{Z\gamma} = c_2 - \tan^2 \theta_W \frac{5}{3} c_1, \quad c_{\gamma\gamma} = c_2 + \frac{5}{3} c_1$$

our results can be applied to 'photo-phobic' ALPs
where only one parameter enters the ALP decays to W/Z

[Craig, Hook, Kasko]

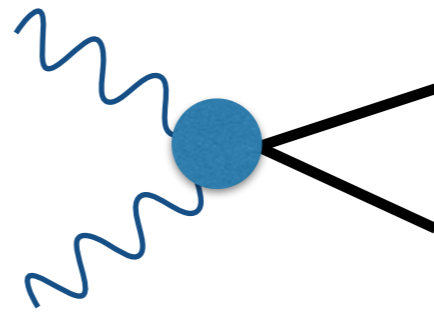
rates, limits and interpretations



- Not all the regions have the same relevance
- Large couplings $C_{1,2}$ implies low cut-off
- Same rules for weakly and strongly coupled models

$$c_{1,2} \sim N, \quad g_* \sim 4\pi/\sqrt{N}$$

Double production

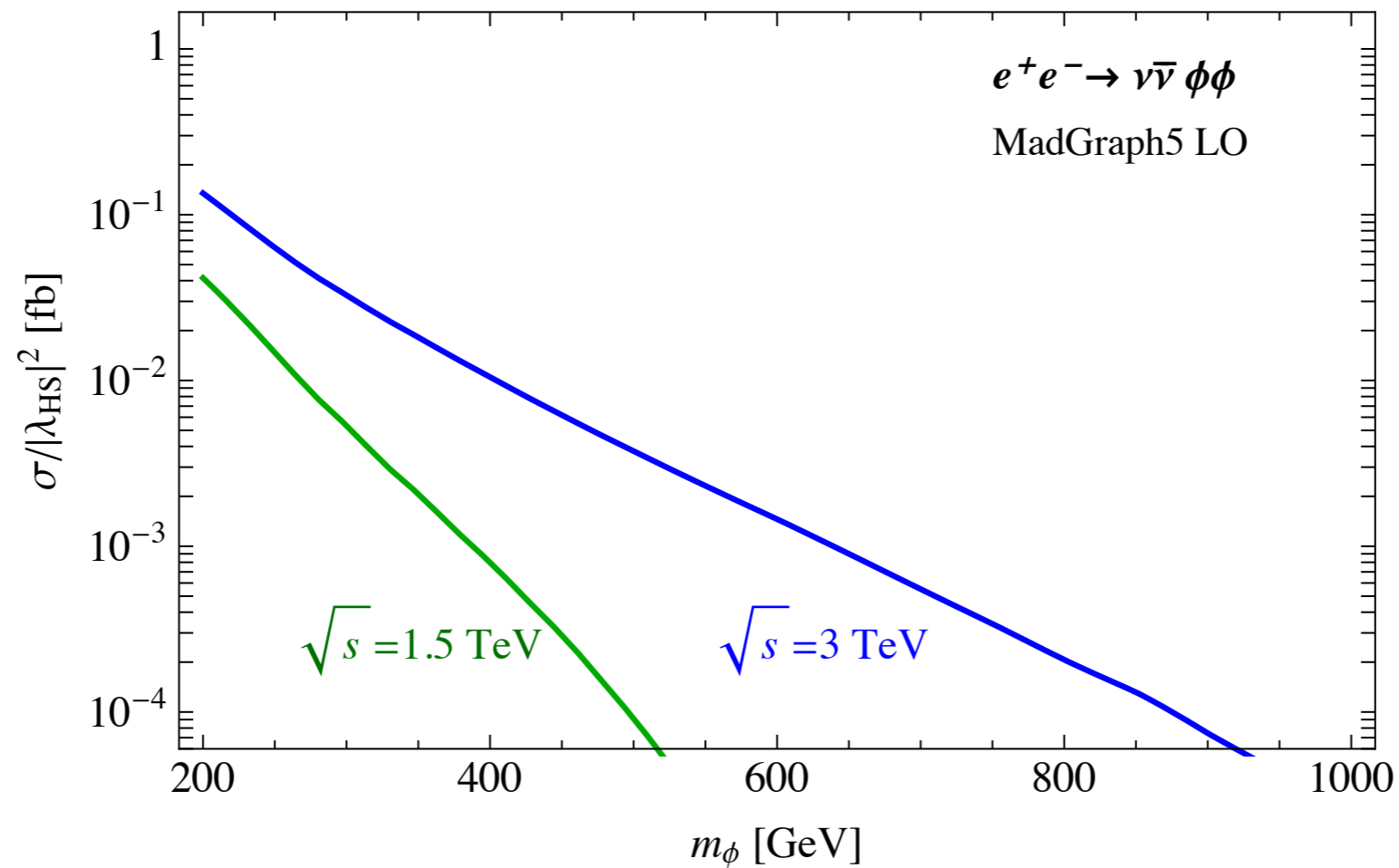


what are we testing?

for small mixing, just the portal coupling*

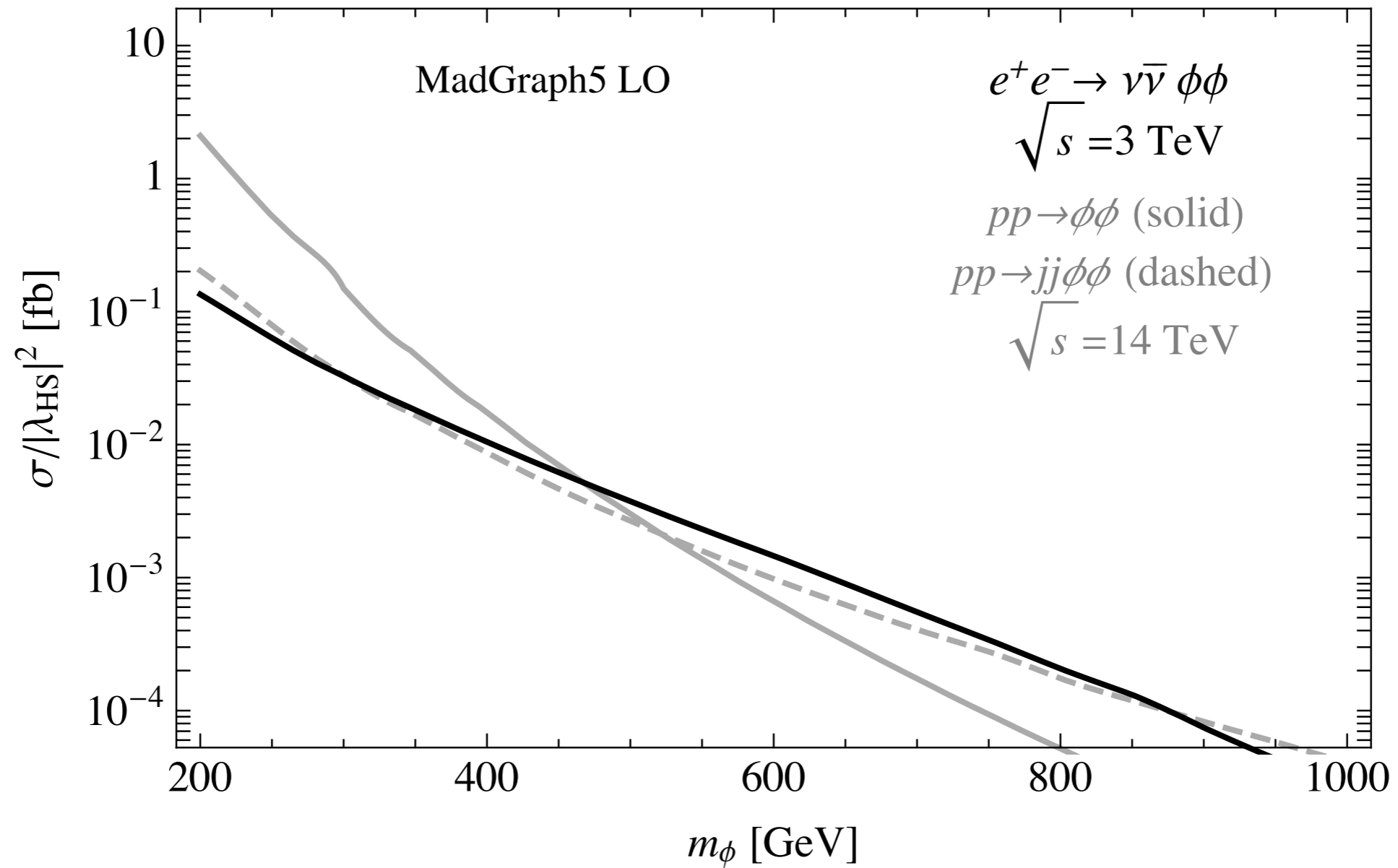
$$\lambda_{HS} \sim g_*^2$$

[* JM No, M Spannowsky]



$$\sigma_{e\bar{e} \rightarrow \nu\bar{\nu}SS} = \frac{g^4 |\lambda_{HS}|^2}{49152\pi^5} \frac{1}{m_\phi^2} \left[\log \frac{s}{m_\phi^2} - \frac{14}{3} + \frac{m_\phi^2}{s} \left(3 \log^2 \frac{s}{m_\phi^2} + 18 - \pi^2 \right) + \mathcal{O}\left(\frac{m_\phi^4}{s^2}\right) \right]$$

is it too small?



as small as at LHC, but in a much cleaner environment

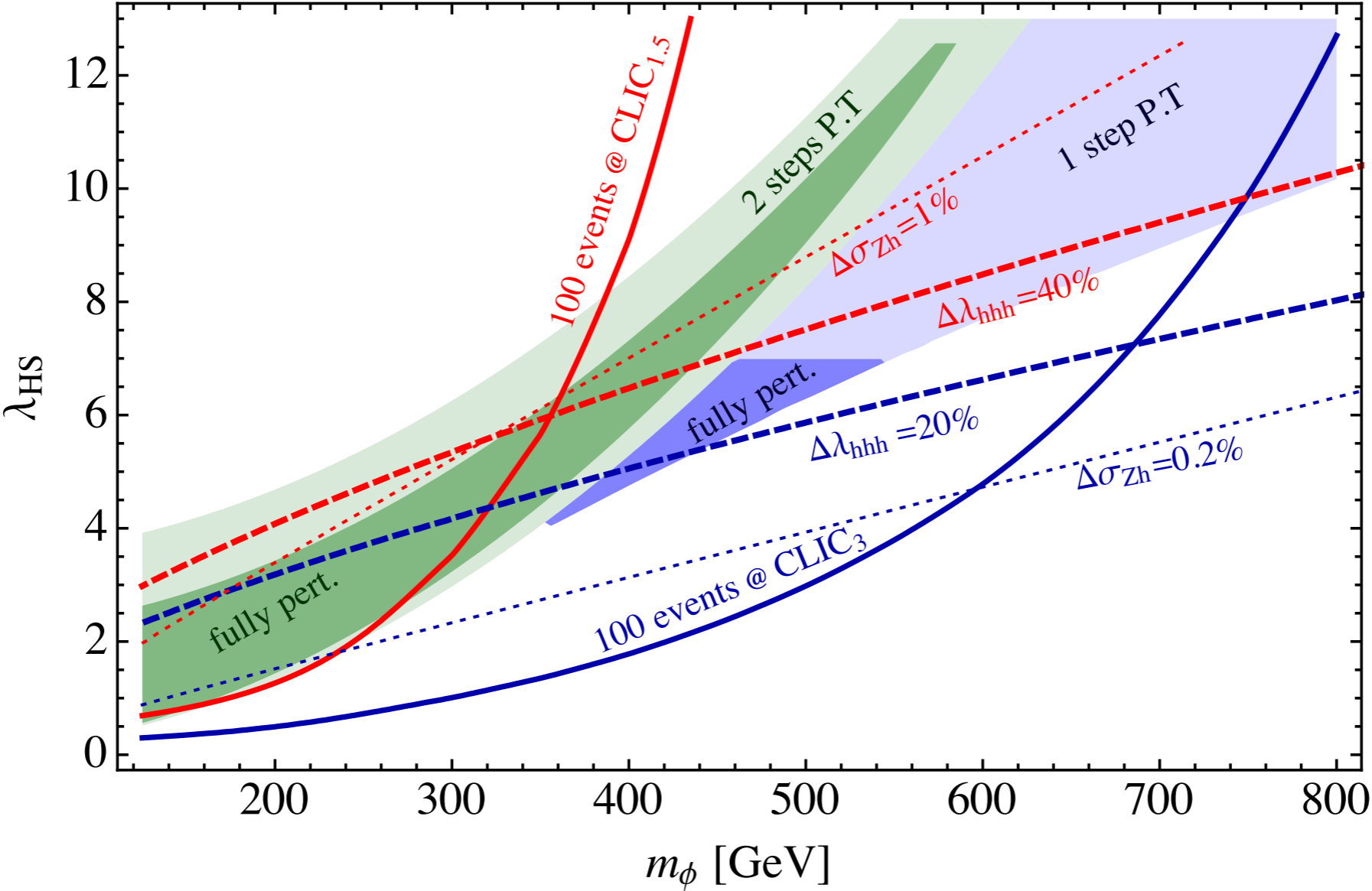
what is relevant for?

test of the electro-weak phase transition [...]

for my purposes summarized in “large coupling and light state”
or slightly better as

- Two step phase transition $m_\phi^2 - \lambda_{HS}v^2/2 < 0$, and $\lambda_S v^2 \frac{m_h^2}{2} \geq |m_\phi^2 - \lambda_{HS}v^2/2|^2$
- Thermal effects from light state $\frac{v_c}{T_c} \approx \frac{\lambda_{HS}^{3/2}}{6\pi\lambda_h} \approx \frac{g_*^3}{6\pi\lambda_h}$
- $|H|^6$ term $\frac{c_6 \lambda_H}{\Lambda^2} = \frac{\lambda_{HS}}{2v^2} \sin^2 \gamma + \frac{\lambda_{HS}^3}{192\pi^2 m_\phi^2} \approx \frac{1}{\text{TeV}^2}$

all in one plot



- Large number of events
- Phase diagram 'stolen' from [Curtin, Meade]
- Extremely small mixing still allow decay into detectors

[need also to reconsider full invisible Z-fusion, beamstrahlung, MIM distribution....]

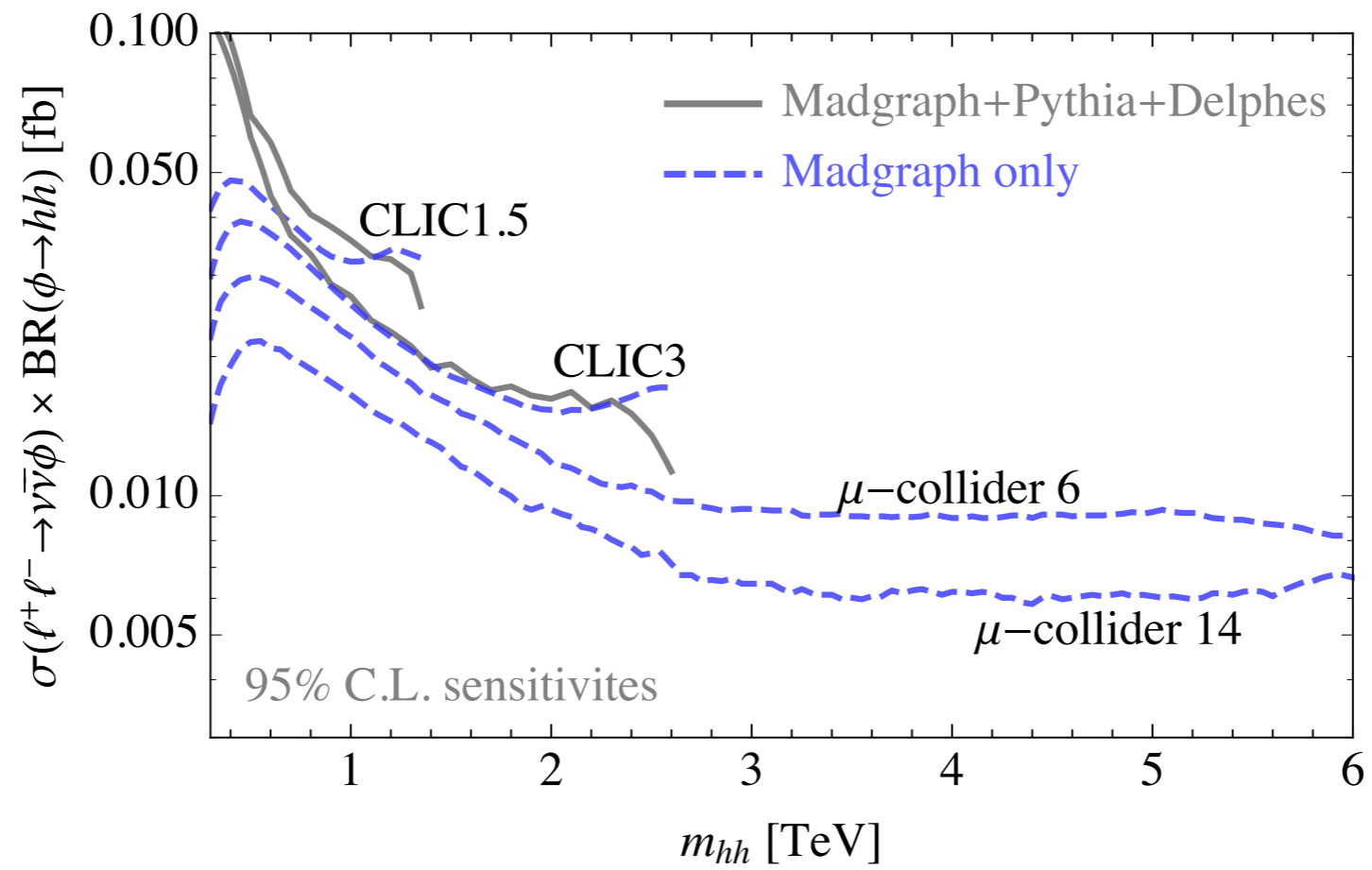
Conclusions



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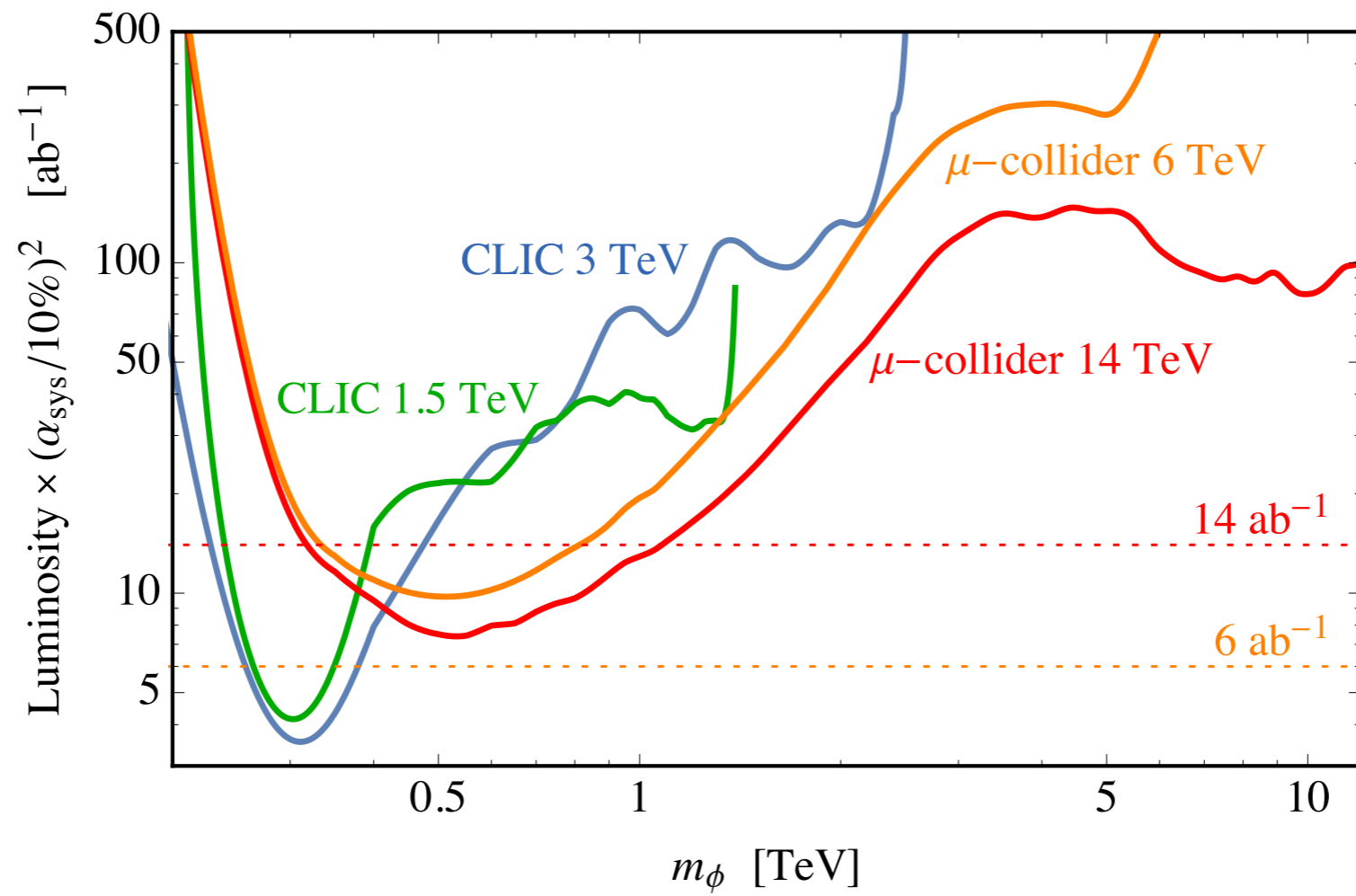
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comparison between full and parton level analysis



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systematics or statistics?



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LHC and future pp machines

