

Signatures of Natural SUSY

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Introduction

- With the discovery of the Higgs the SM is now a complete description for particle physics (forgetting DM).
- On the other hand that same discovery by itself makes the theory fine-tuned.
- The lack of any other experimental evidence makes us believe that either the SM is the only theory above the Fermi scale or...

- We need to explain why the EW scale is **still natural** without any new particle at the **EW scale**.
- One possibility that I will follow in this talk is that, in fact, in the MSSM, the mass of the Higgs points to a heavy stop spectrum.

$$m_h^2 \simeq m_z^2 \cos^2 2\beta + \frac{3y_t^2 m_t^2}{4\pi^2} \log \left(\frac{m_S^2}{m_t^2} \right) + \dots$$

- Therefore since the **stops** have to be heavy one can allow the **first and second generations** of sparticles to be much heavier than the third one since their contribution to the fine-tuning is small. **This will explain why we have not seen them.**
- On the other hand the stops **cannot be** arbitrarily heavy because of the Higgs mass.

- This kind of scenarios in where the first two generations are **heavy** are known as **natural susy** scenarios.
- They have different phenomenology since there are much less **cascade** decays.
- Can these scenarios be realized on a top-down approach?

- In the first part of the talk I will answer Yes (if not I won't be giving this talk)
- In general one needs, at least, **two different sources** of **susy** breaking:
 - One for the **heavy** sfermions
 - Another one for the **third family** (plus gauginos)

- In the second part of the talk I will study an alternative signal to discover electroweakinos in **compressed** spectra.
- These scenarios are a possibility in order to explain the observed DM relic density through a **non-trivial mixing** among the different neutralinos, since a pure Bino tends to overclose the universe and a pure Higgsino or Wino will co-annihilate too fast.

The Model

- Supersymmetry is broken in a hidden sector
- And communicated via two mechanisms:
 - Gauge mediation (flavorful) to the first two generations
 - Gravity mediation to the third one and gauginos

$$X = M_* + \theta^2 F$$

- This scenario has the following key features:
 - **No flavor problem** in the first two families since gauge mediation is flavor blind.
 - Possibility of using the **Giudice-Masiero mechanism** to generate μ and B , for this to happen the Higgses should not get masses from gauge mediation.
 - Generation of **A-terms** for the third family.

- The realization is as follows:
- There is a new gauge group $U(1)$ under which the first two families are charged with opposite charges.
- The third family and the Higgses are uncharged under this new group.

	ψ_1	ψ_2	ψ_3	$H_{u,d}$	φ_1	φ_2	S
Q'	+1	-1	0	0	+1	-1	0

- $\psi_{1,2}$ represent the first and second generation ψ_3 the third generation, $\varphi_{1,2}$ and S are needed to break the extra $U(1)$

- Assuming the usual **superpotential** with some messengers charged under the U(1):

$$W = \Phi_2 X \Phi_1$$

- One generates the following mass for all the first two generation scalars (plus the extra **gaugino**):

$$m^2 = \frac{g^2}{128\pi^4} \frac{F^2}{M_*^2}$$

- The existence of the extra U(1) forbids some Yukawa couplings for the first and second generations but they can be generated via non-renormalizable operators.

$$\frac{1}{M_*^2} (y_{11}\varphi_2^2 \psi_1 H \psi_1^c + y_{22}\varphi_1^2 \psi_2 H \psi_2^c) + \frac{1}{M_*} (y_{13}\varphi_2 \psi_1 H \psi_3^c + y_{23}\varphi_1 \psi_2 H \psi_3^c)$$

- To reproduce the CKM one needs to break the U(1) and:

$$v/M_* \sim 10^{-2}$$

- One can **break** the extra $U(1)$ group via the following **superpotential**:

$$W = \lambda S(\varphi_1 \varphi_2 - v^2)$$

- Once the gauge group is broken all **extra** fields (φ , S , gauge bosons and its superpartners) get a mass of order **v** .

- The **gravitino** will get a mass (from the cancelation of the cosmological constant).

$$m_{3/2} \simeq \frac{F}{\sqrt{3}M_P}$$

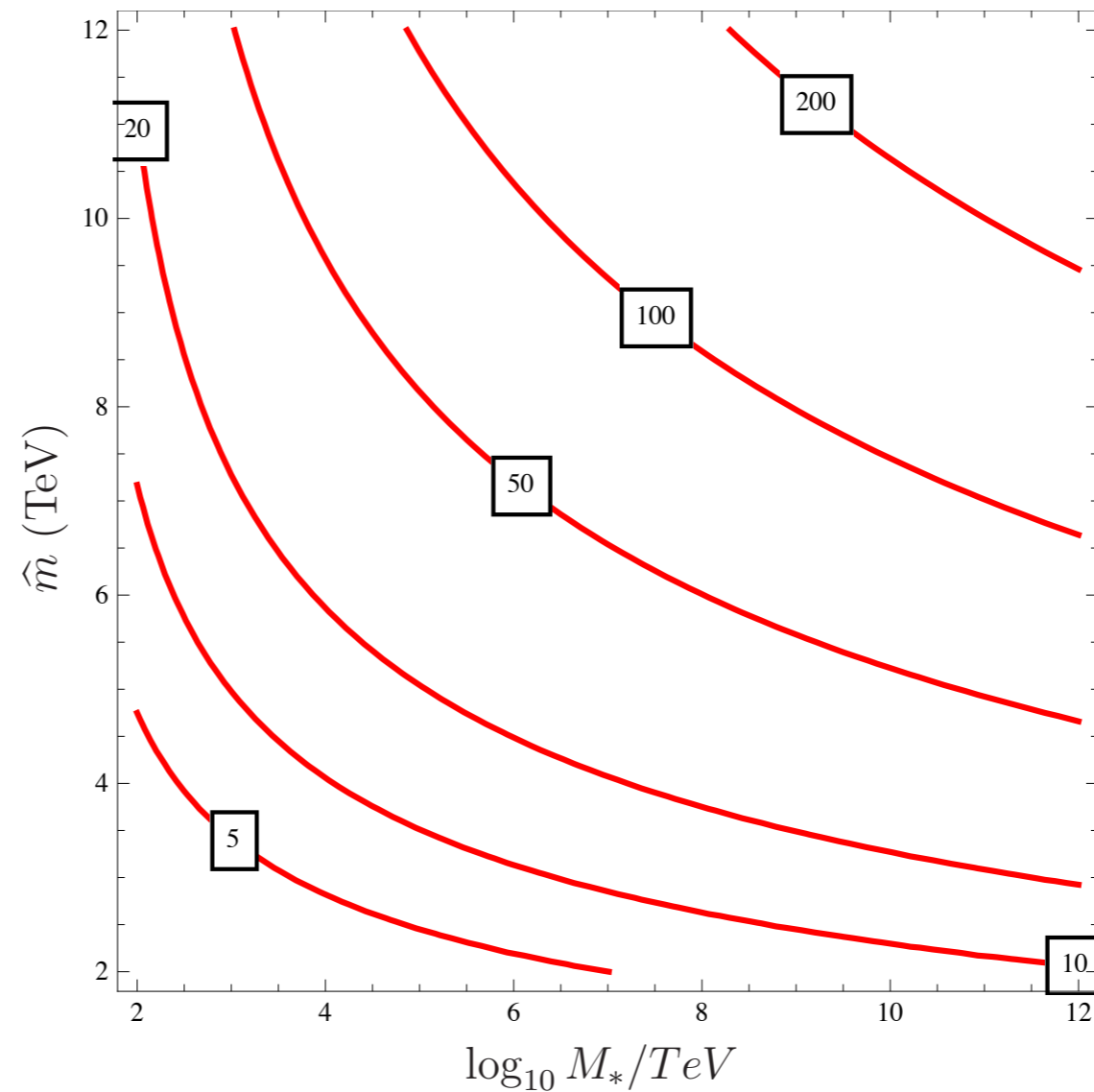
- It will be communicated to the third family via the **operators**:

$$\frac{1}{M_P^2} \int d^4\theta X X^\dagger Q_i^\dagger Q_j, \quad \frac{1}{M_P} \int d^2\theta X Q_i H_2 U_j^c, \quad \frac{1}{M_P} \int d^2\theta X W^A W^A \quad \int d^4\theta X^\dagger H_1 H_2, \quad \int d^4 X^\dagger X (H_1 H_2 + h.c.)$$

$$m_0 = M_{1/2} = A_0 = \mu = B = O(m_{3/2})$$

How to fix the overall scale?

$$\Delta_{\hat{m}^2} = \left| \frac{\hat{m}^2}{m_Z^2} \frac{\partial m_Z^2}{\partial \hat{m}^2} \right|$$



- To fix the scale of the first two families, a **fine-tuning** less than .5% is imposed.

- This fixes all the scales:

- $M_* = 10^{15} \text{ GeV}$

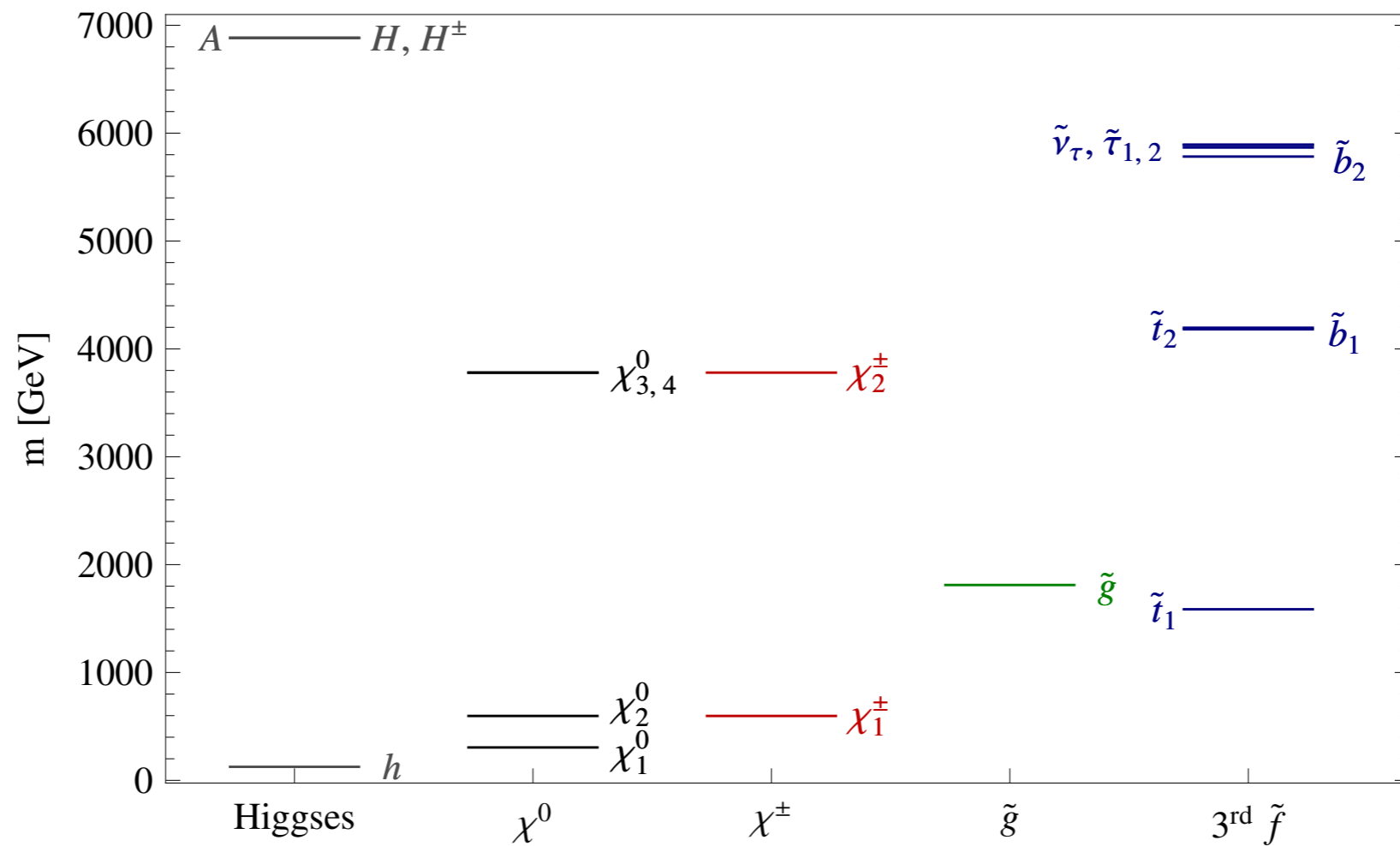
- $v = 10^{13} \text{ GeV}$

- $F = (10^{10})^2 \text{ GeV}$

- $m_{1,2} = O(10 \text{ TeV})$

- $m_3, M_{1/2} = O(1 \text{ TeV})$

- In order to study the phenomenology of the model:
- EW breaking is imposed
- The Higgs mass is imposed to be 125 GeV
- All experimental constrains are satisfied
- $m_{1,2} > 10 \text{ TeV}$



$\tan \beta = 10$

- This is scenario A, scenario B is similar but with the mass of the gluino of 2.25 TeV

Phenomenology of the LSSM

- Not having the first of second generation makes most of the **cascade** decays unavailable
- For **EWinos** we have the following processes:

$$\chi' \rightarrow \begin{cases} \chi W/Z \\ \chi h \\ f\tilde{f} \quad (f = \tau, t, b) \end{cases}$$

- But the cross-section is too **low**:

$$\sigma(pp \rightarrow \chi + X) = 0.7 \text{ ab}$$

- We are left with either direct production of **stops** or production of **gluinos** which then decay into stops (**sbottoms** are heavier)

- But:

$$\sigma(pp \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}) = 1.612 \text{ fb}, \quad \sigma(pp \rightarrow \tilde{t}\tilde{t}) = 0.1 \text{ fb}$$

- Therefore the signal we will look for is:

$$pp \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \quad \tilde{g} \rightarrow t\tilde{t} \rightarrow b\bar{b}W^+W^-\chi$$

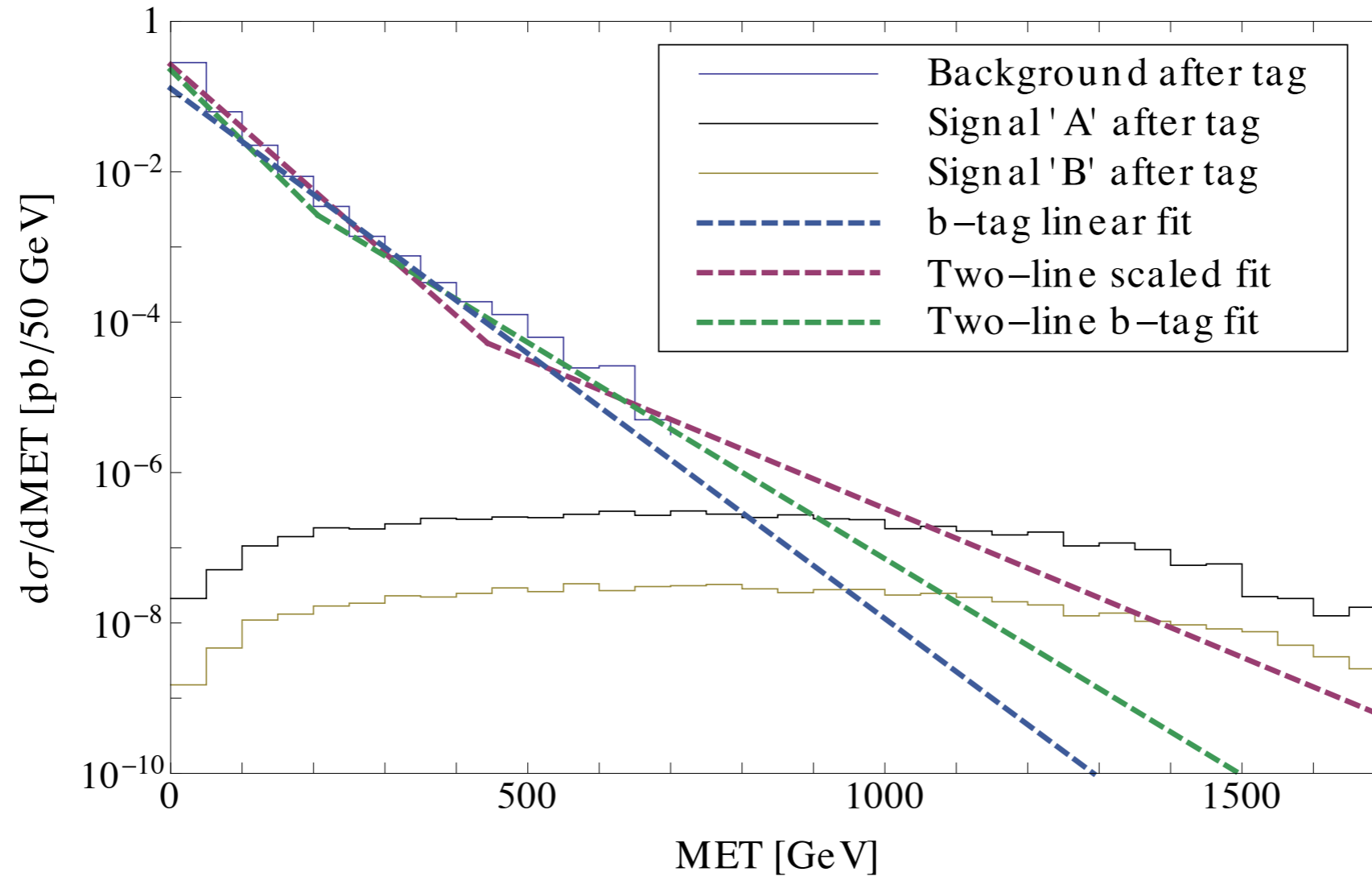
- The signal is calculated with **Feynrules** and **Madgraph5**, **Pythia6** for hadronization and **PGS** for detector simulation
- The main backgrounds are:
 - tops+jets: calculated with **ALPGEN**
 - tops+W/Z+jets: calculated with **Madgraph**

	Before b -tag	After b -tag
Signal Point A	1.612 fb	0.286 fb
Signal Point B	0.170 fb	0.032 fb
Background	1477 pb	19.18 pb

A: $m_g = 1.75$ TeV
B: $m_g = 2.25$ TeV

- We will demand **three** loose b -tags.
- We will demand **four** other jets and **no** photons in the final state.

Interpolated Differential Cross Sections



- Due to lack of computing power we had to **extrapolate** the background

Estimation Method	$\cancel{E}_T^{\text{Cut}}$ [GeV]	$\sigma_B^{\text{Estimated}}$ [ab]	σ_S [ab]	S $\mathcal{L} = 200 \text{ fb}^{-1}$	B (1000 fb^{-1})	S/\sqrt{B}
Linear	850 (950)	17.1 (3.73)	106.6 (10.8)	21 (11)	3 (4)	11.5 (5.6)
Two-Line	950 (1100)	10.4 (1.43)	80.7 (7.01)	16 (7)	2 (1)	11.2 (5.9)
Two-Line (Scaled)	1100 (1400)	14.7 (0.96)	50.3 (2.26)	10 (2)	3 (1)	5.9 (2.3)

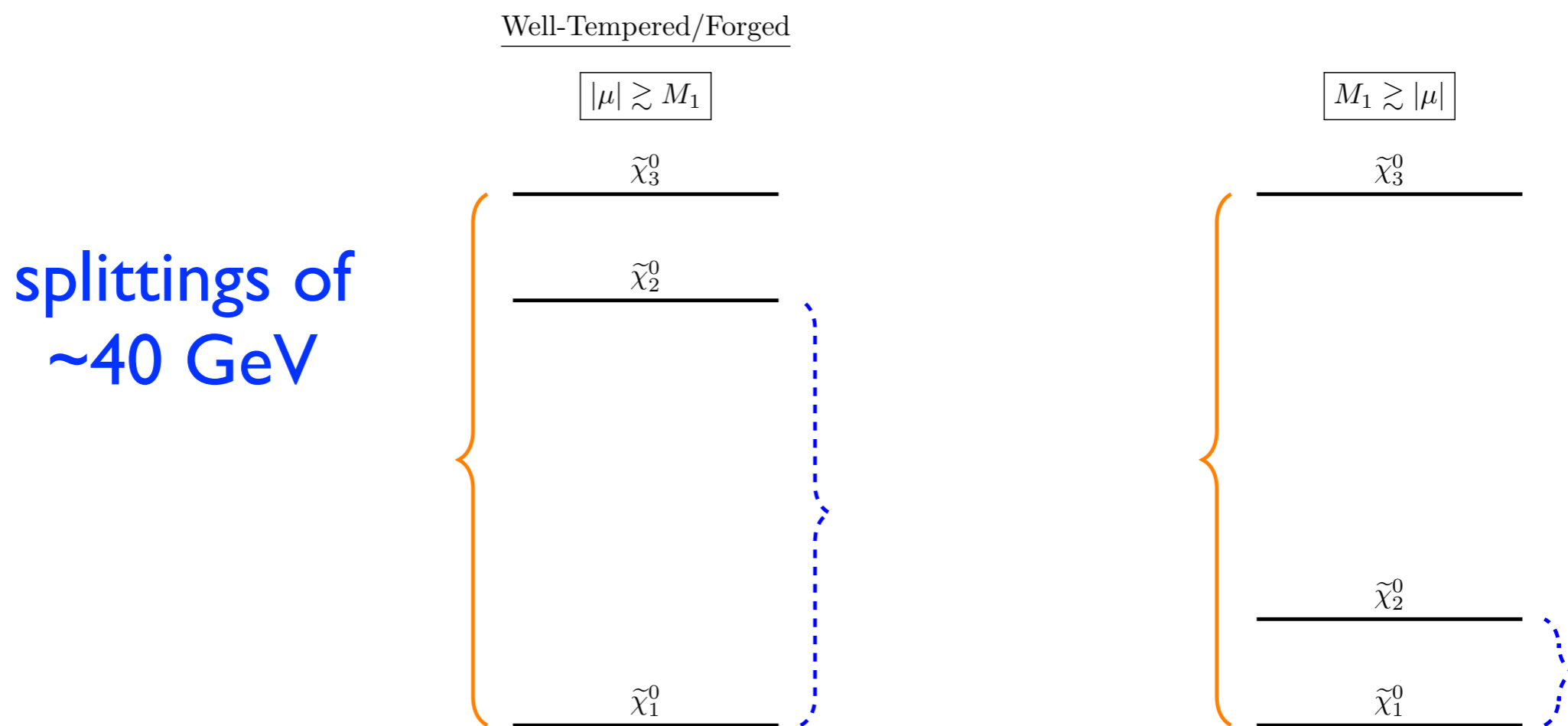
- Whereas a gluino of 1.75 TeV (A) seems feasible in LHC14, a 2.25 (B) seems more doubtful in this conservative analysis.

Photons from well-tempered neutrinos

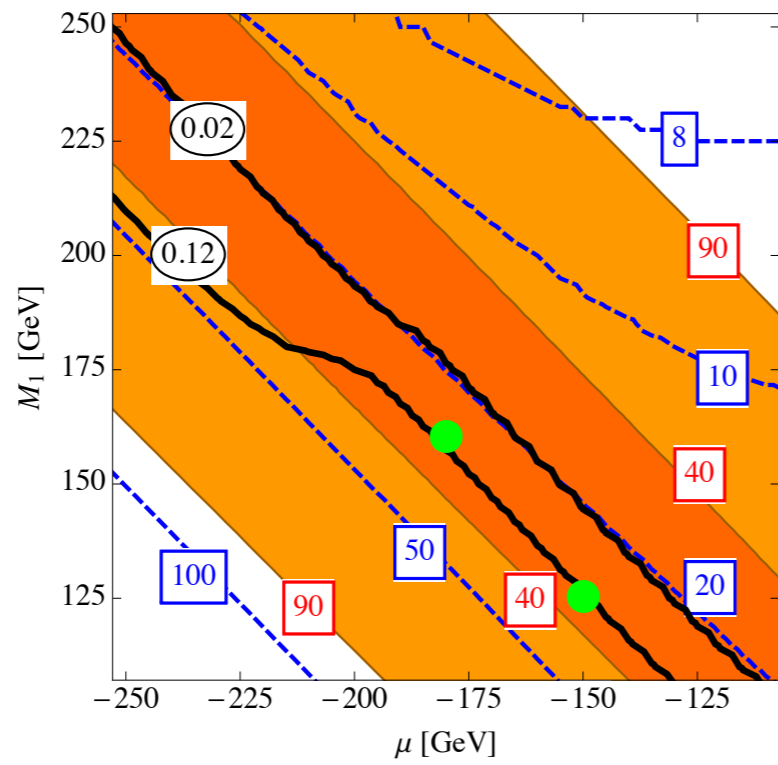
- DM relic abundance can be accommodated within the MSSM in the following cases:
 - Bino very light with mass $m_z/2$ or $m_h/2$
 - Higgsino around 1 TeV
 - Wino around 2 TeV
 - Non-trivial admixture of Bino-Higgsino or Bino-Wino

- The non-trivial **Bino-Higgsino** admixture could have implications for the LHC
- It can also be obtained in models of minimal sugra using the **focus point** scenario.
- μ is **small** due to the cancellation of the soft mass of the Higgs and M_1 is **small** due to the running.
- Another possible **natural SUSY** scenario.

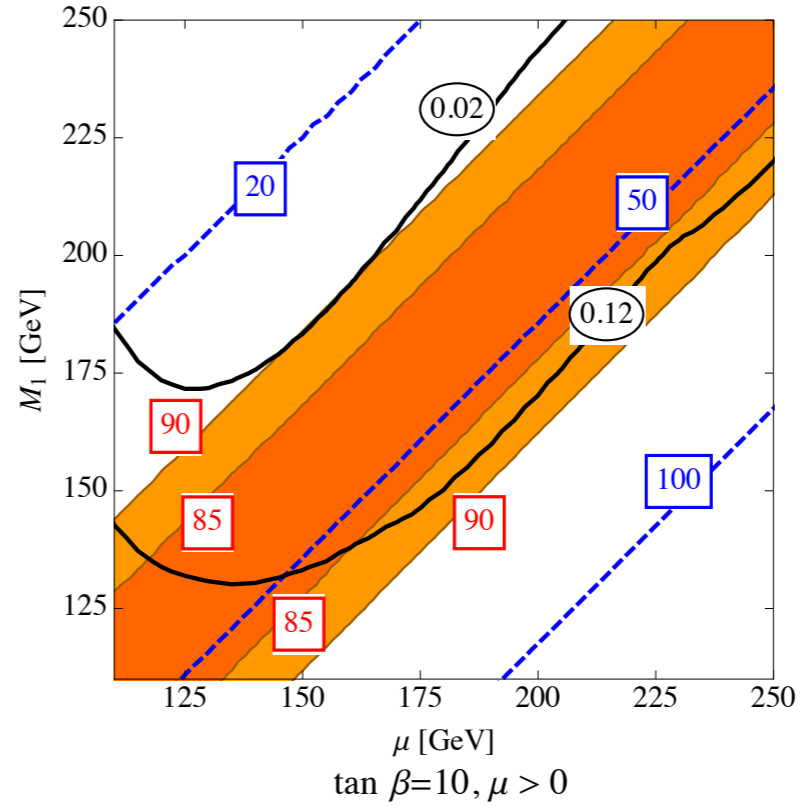
- Standard trilepton searches for electrowinos can be problematic for compressed spectra. These scenarios are motivated by DM.



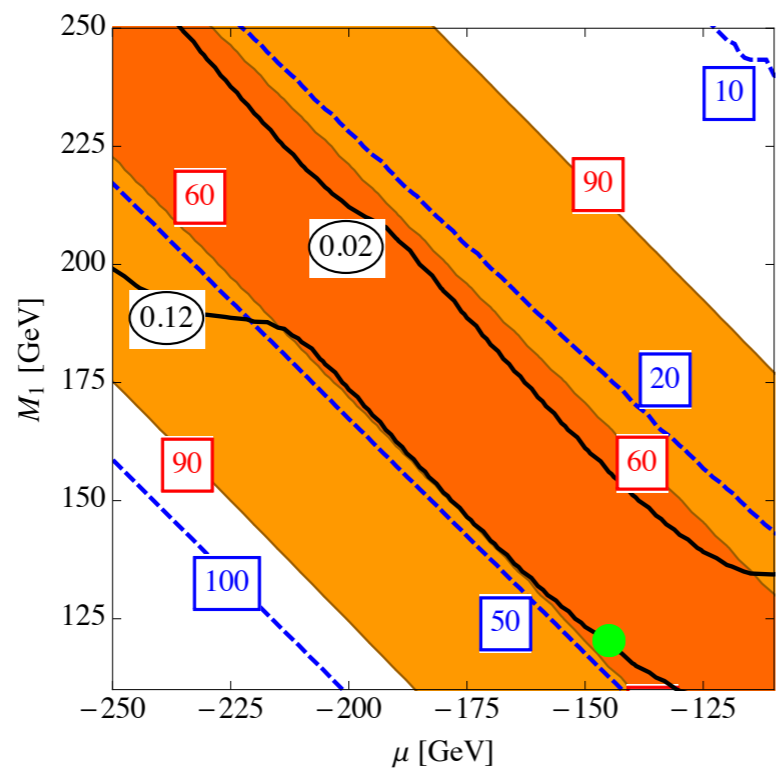
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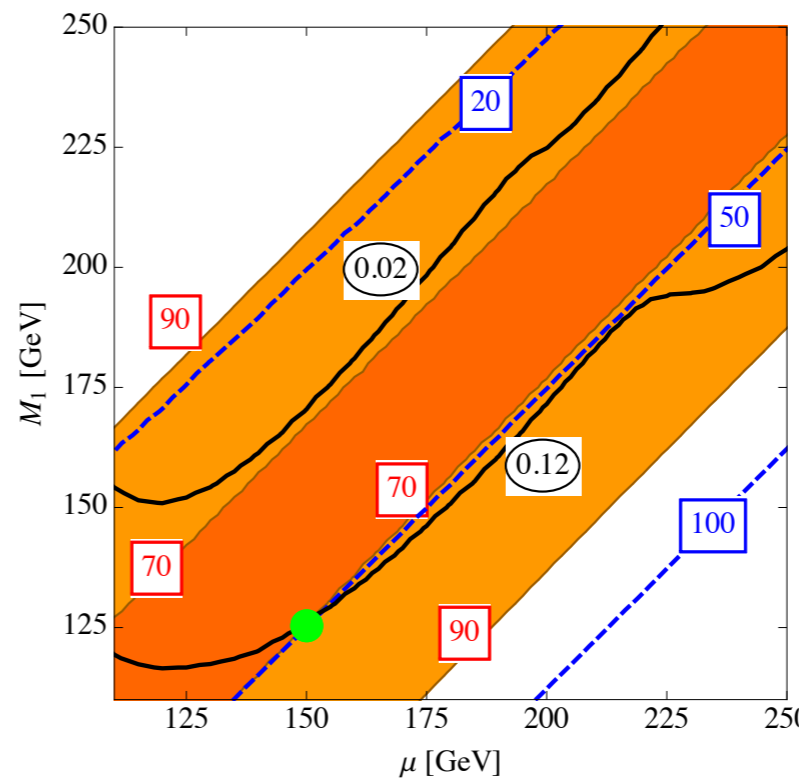
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$\tan \beta=10, \mu < 0$



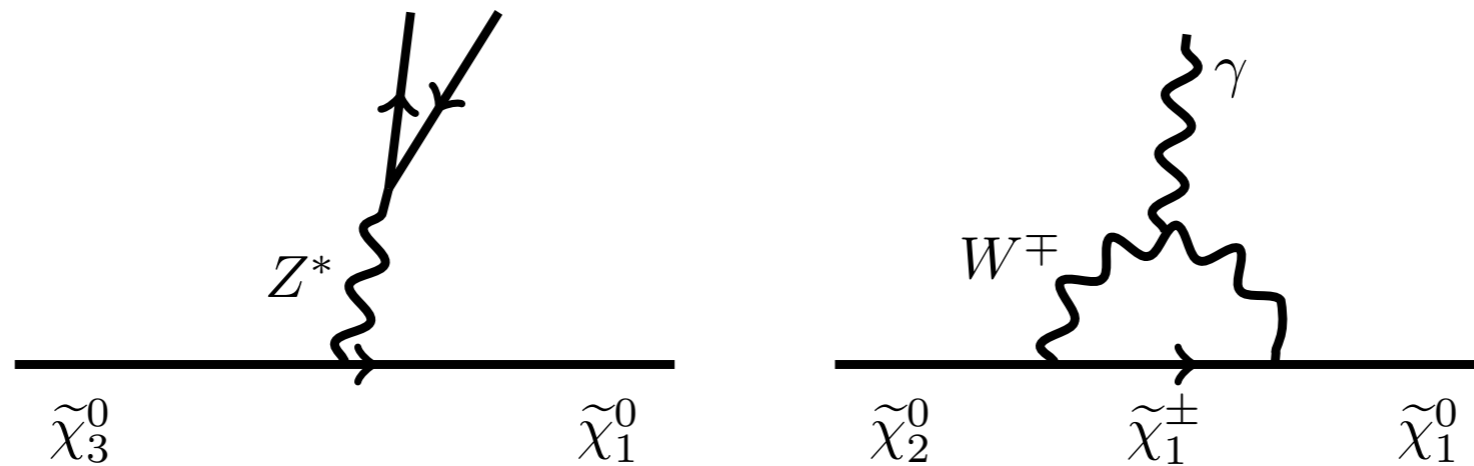
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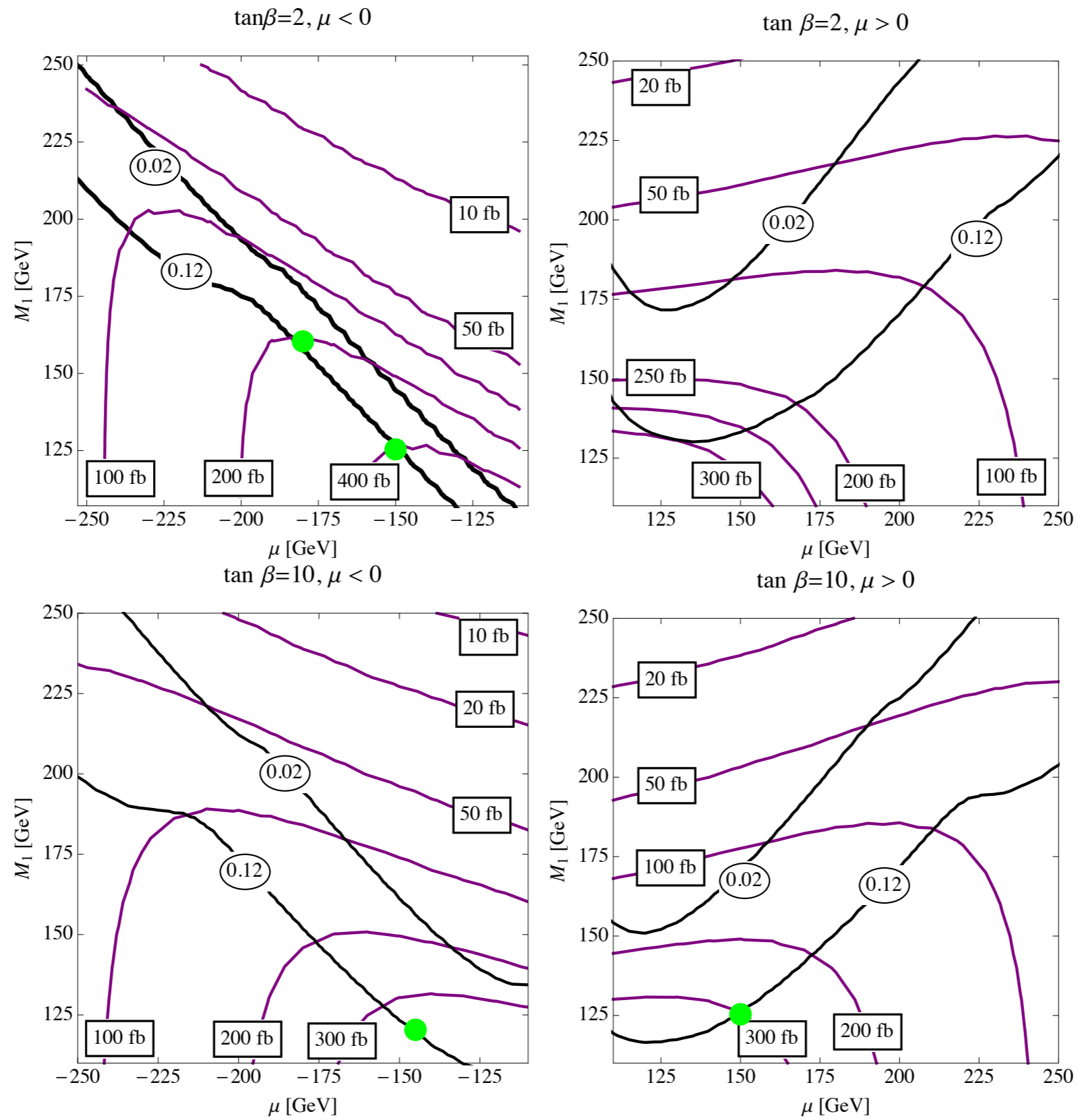


Masses, splitting and Ωh^2

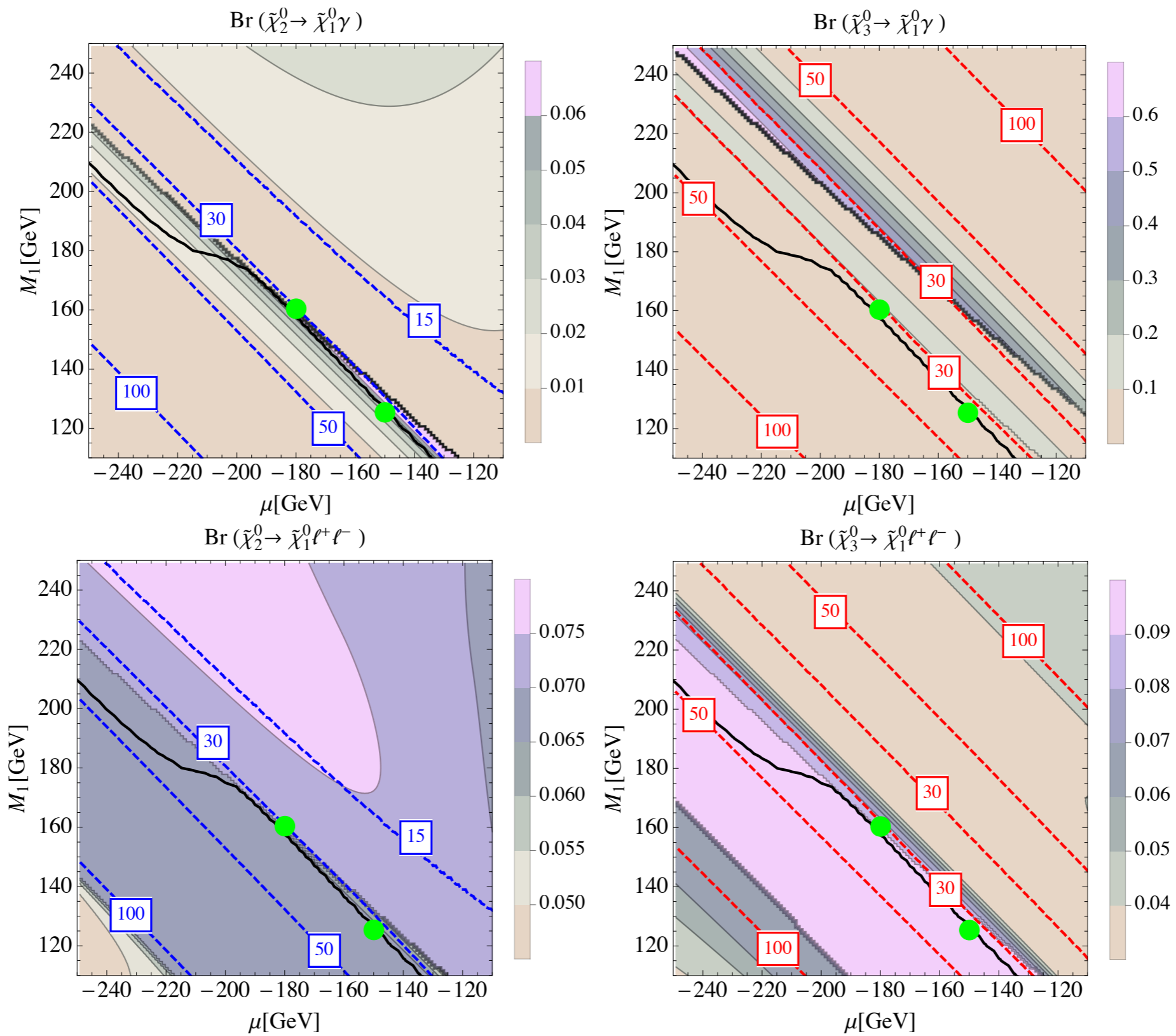
- Since the splittings are quite small I am going to propose a different way of discovering this kind of spectra:

$$pp \rightarrow \chi_2 \chi_3 \rightarrow l^+ l^- \gamma + \chi_1 \chi_1$$





Total cross-section of $pp \rightarrow \chi_2 \chi_3$



Splittings and BR's

- The following benchmark points are going to be simulated with **SuSpect**, **SUSY-HIT**, **MG5@NCLLO** and **Pythia** and we trigger on the leptons:

Benchmark points	Point A	Point B	Point C	Point D
μ	-150 GeV	-180 GeV	-145 GeV	150 GeV
M_1	125 GeV	160 GeV	120 GeV	125 GeV
$\tan \beta$	2	2	10	10
$m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$	124.0 GeV	157 GeV	105 GeV	103 GeV
$m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0}$	156.9 GeV	186 GeV	150 GeV	153 GeV
$m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0}$	157.4 GeV	188 GeV	163 GeV	173 GeV
$\sigma(pp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_3^0)$	394 fb	200 fb	345 fb	287 fb
$BR(\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \gamma)$	0.0441	0.0028	0.0017	0.0014
$BR(\tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \ell^+ \ell^-)$	0.0671	0.0712	0.0702	0.0700
$BR(\tilde{\chi}_3^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \gamma)$	0.0024	0.0767	0.0115	0.0102
$BR(\tilde{\chi}_3^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \ell^+ \ell^-)$	0.0714	0.0613	0.0447	0.0304
$\sigma(pp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_3^0 \rightarrow \gamma \ell^+ \ell^- \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0)$	1.297 fb	1.125 fb	0.279 fb	0.205 fb

- Main backgrounds:

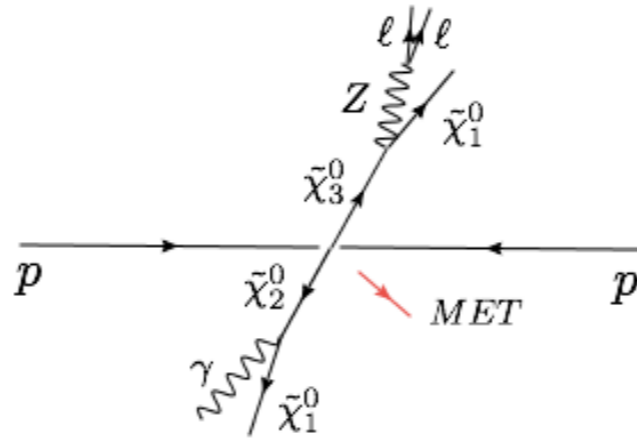
$$pp \rightarrow t\bar{t} \gamma \Big|_{\text{dilepton decay}}$$

$$pp \rightarrow \gamma^*/Z(\tau^+\tau^-) \gamma \Big|_{\text{dilepton decay}}$$

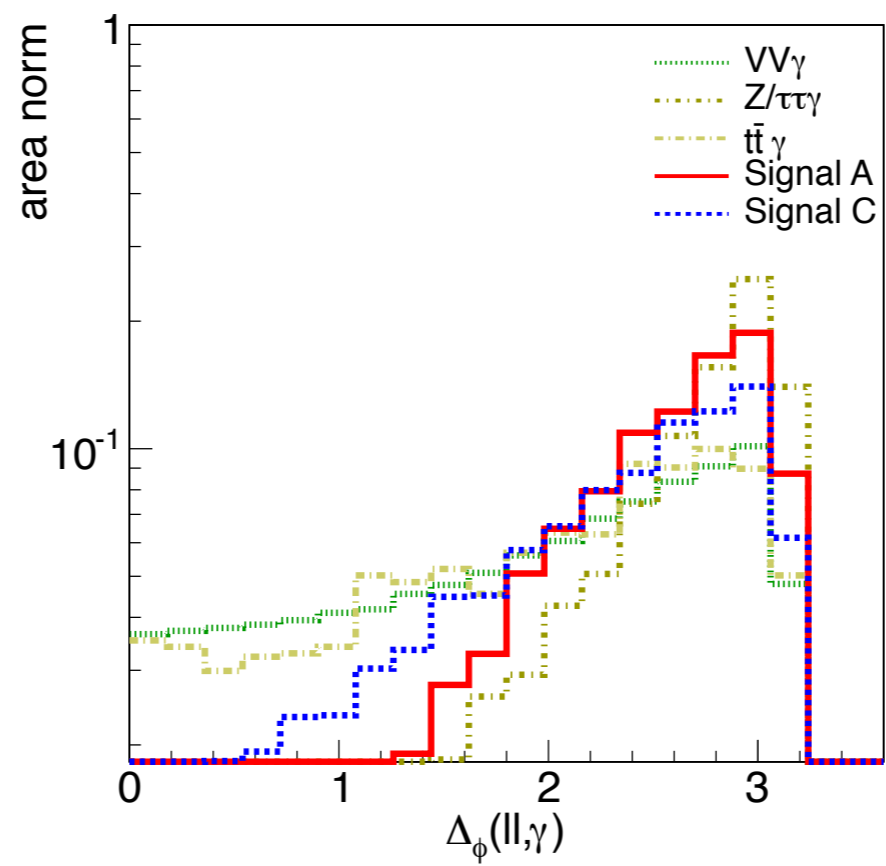
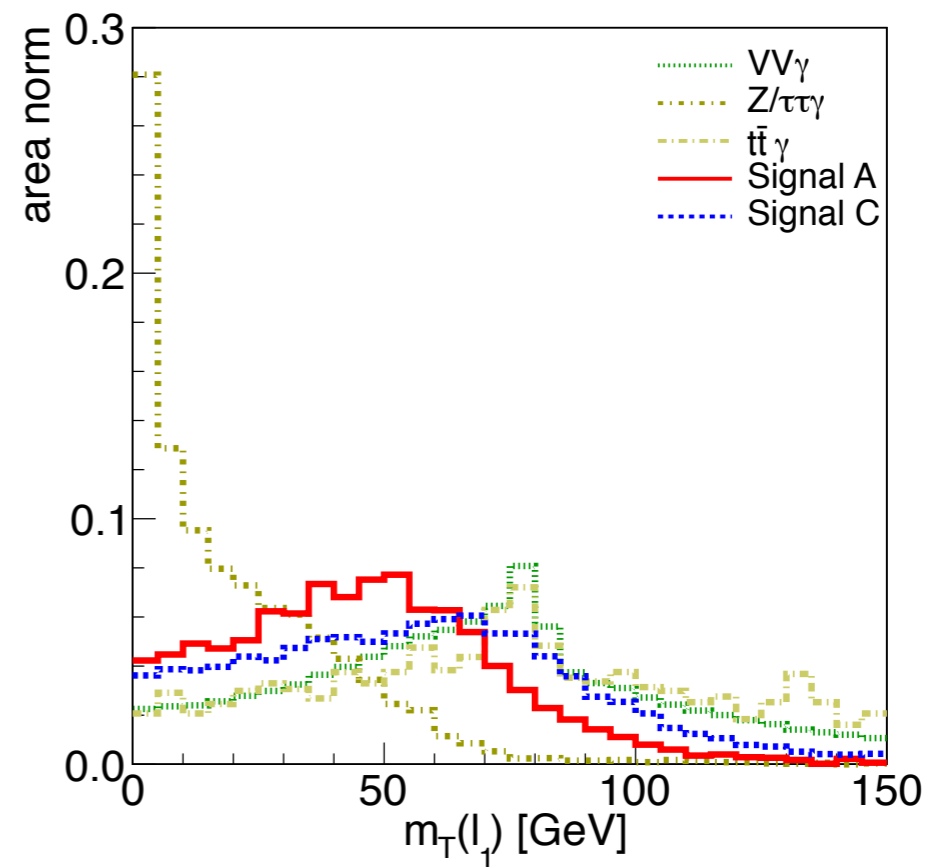
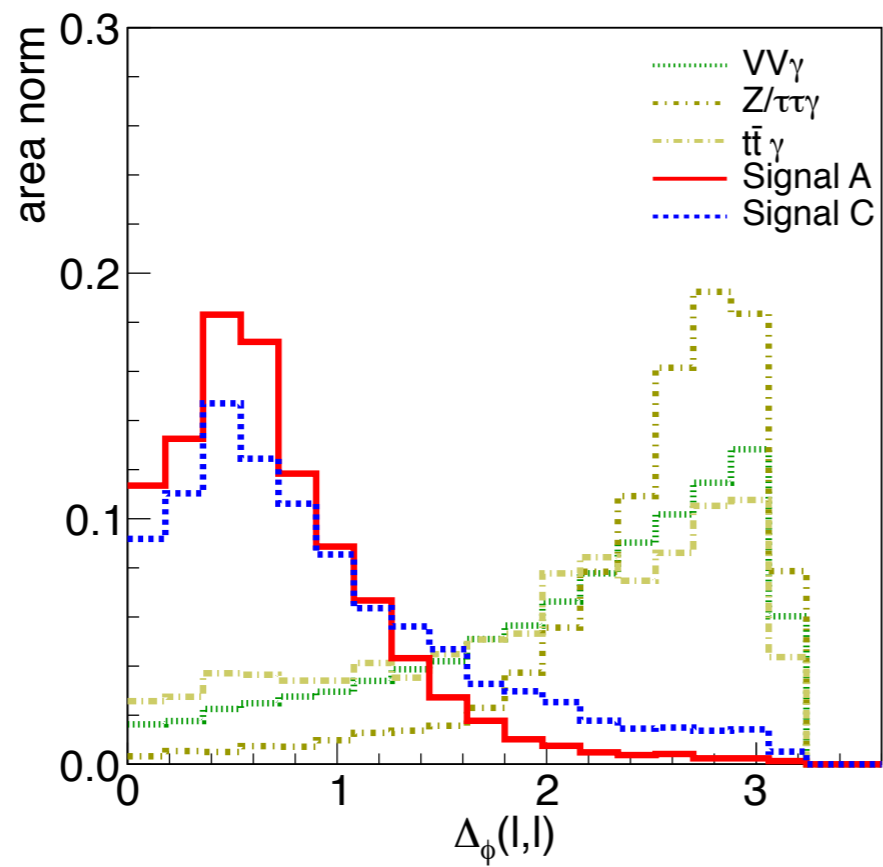
$$pp \rightarrow VV \gamma \Big|_{\text{dilepton decay}}$$

- Fakes coming from jets faking a lepton are under control assuming the following rate:

$$\epsilon_{j \rightarrow \ell} = 0.01\%$$



- **p_t cuts:** $p_{T,\ell_1} > 20 \text{ GeV}$ $p_{T,\ell_2} > 8 \text{ GeV}$ $p_{T,\gamma} > 20 \text{ GeV}$
- **Jet-veto**
- **Azimutal angle between leptons $< \pi/2$**
- **$10 \text{ GeV} < M_T(\text{leptons}) < m_W$**
- **Azimutal angle between lepton pair and γ**
- **$m_{ll} < m_W$**



‘small mass splitting’ cuts Cut	Cross section [ab]					Significance
	Signal A	Signal B	$VV\gamma$	$t\bar{t}\gamma$	$Z/\tau\tau\gamma$	S/B
0) Basic Selection	281	169	5830	18900	24500	5.7×10^{-3} (3.4×10^{-3})
1) $N_{jets} = 0$	181	108	4820	1220	21400	6.6×10^{-3} (3.9×10^{-3})
2) $ \Delta\phi_{\ell_1, \ell_2} < 1.0$	118	79.5	580	201	567	8.8×10^{-2} (5.9×10^{-2})
3) $\left. \begin{array}{l} 15 \text{ GeV} < m_T(\ell_2) < 50 \text{ GeV} \\ m_T(\ell_1) < 60 \text{ GeV} \end{array} \right\}$	52.4	38.2	93.3	32.8	92.2	0.24 (0.17)
4) $ \Delta\phi_{\ell\ell-\gamma} > 1.45$	49.9	37.0	65.2	25.0	67.8	0.32 (0.23)
5) $30 \text{ GeV} < p_{T,\gamma} < 100 \text{ GeV}$	36.9	28.2	36.6	17.2	19.0	0.51 (0.39)
6) \cancel{E}_T cuts	26.8	20.2	24.6	3.90	0.00	0.94 (0.71)
7) $m_{\ell\ell} < 24 \text{ GeV}$	23.3	19.3	9.29	0.00	0.00	2.5 (2.1)

Luminosity needed: A 430 fb⁻¹ B 620 fb⁻¹
C 4300 fb⁻¹ D 1900 fb⁻¹

‘large mass splitting’ cuts Cut	Cross section [ab]					Significance
	Signal C	Signal D	$VV\gamma$	$t\bar{t}\gamma$	$Z/\tau\tau\gamma$	S/B
0) Basic Selection	256	411	5830	18900	24500	5.2×10^{-3} (8.3×10^{-3})
1) $N_{jets} = 0$	157	227	4820	1220	21400	5.7×10^{-3} (8.3×10^{-3})
2) $ \Delta\phi_{\ell_1, \ell_2} < 1.05$	68.3	109	618	208	608	4.8×10^{-2} (7.6×10^{-2})
3) $\left. \begin{array}{l} 10 \text{ GeV} < m_T(\ell_1) < 100 \text{ GeV} \\ 10 \text{ GeV} < m_T(\ell_2) < 95 \text{ GeV} \end{array} \right\}$	47.9	72.2	389	127	117	7.5×10^{-2} (0.11)
4) $8 \text{ GeV} < \cancel{E}_T < 95 \text{ GeV}$	45.8	69.4	375	116	84.1	7.9×10^{-2} (0.12)
5) $m_{\ell\ell} < 39 \text{ GeV}$	42.8	64.0	228	35.9	51.5	0.14 (0.20)

- In general the bigger the splitting the more difficult to use this signal
- Also the bigger the splitting the bigger chance not to lose one of the leptons in the usual tri-lepton searches
- Other photons signals with charginos were analyzed but the significance was smaller.

Conclusions

- In this talk I have analyzed two different channels to discover natural susy.
- First I introduced a realization for ‘natural susy’ based on two sources of susy breaking
 - Gauge mediation for the first two families
 - Gravity mediation for the third family, gauginos and Higgses
- In this top-down approach I have shown the prospects for discovery at the LHC producing gluinos that decays to stops. The reach seems to be for masses around 2 TeV.

- In the second part of my talk I have studied the possibility of an alternative way of discovering electroweakinos with **compressed** spectrum motivated by DM
- Production of two heavier neutralinos with a subsequent decay into **two leptons and a photon** may provide the handle for mass differences around 40 GeV.
- This kind of studies may be very important for a **future hadron collider**.