Taus and theory

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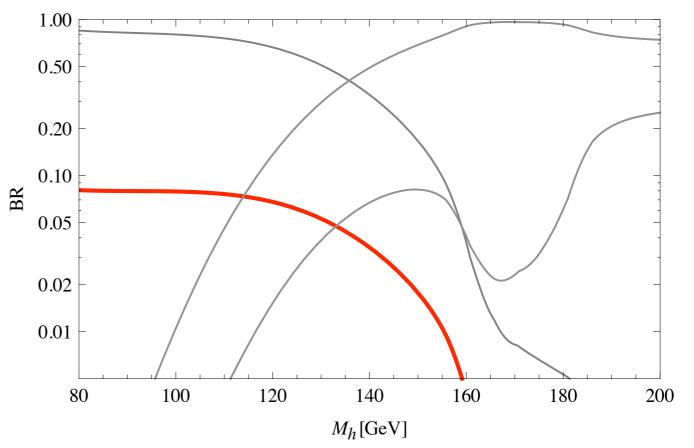
Why study taus?

Tests of SM

•3rd generation lepton, largest lepton Yukawa

•Couples more strongly to electroweak symmetry breaking

- •Sizable branching ratio of Higgs
- •VBF with $H \rightarrow$ tau tau
- Lepton universality

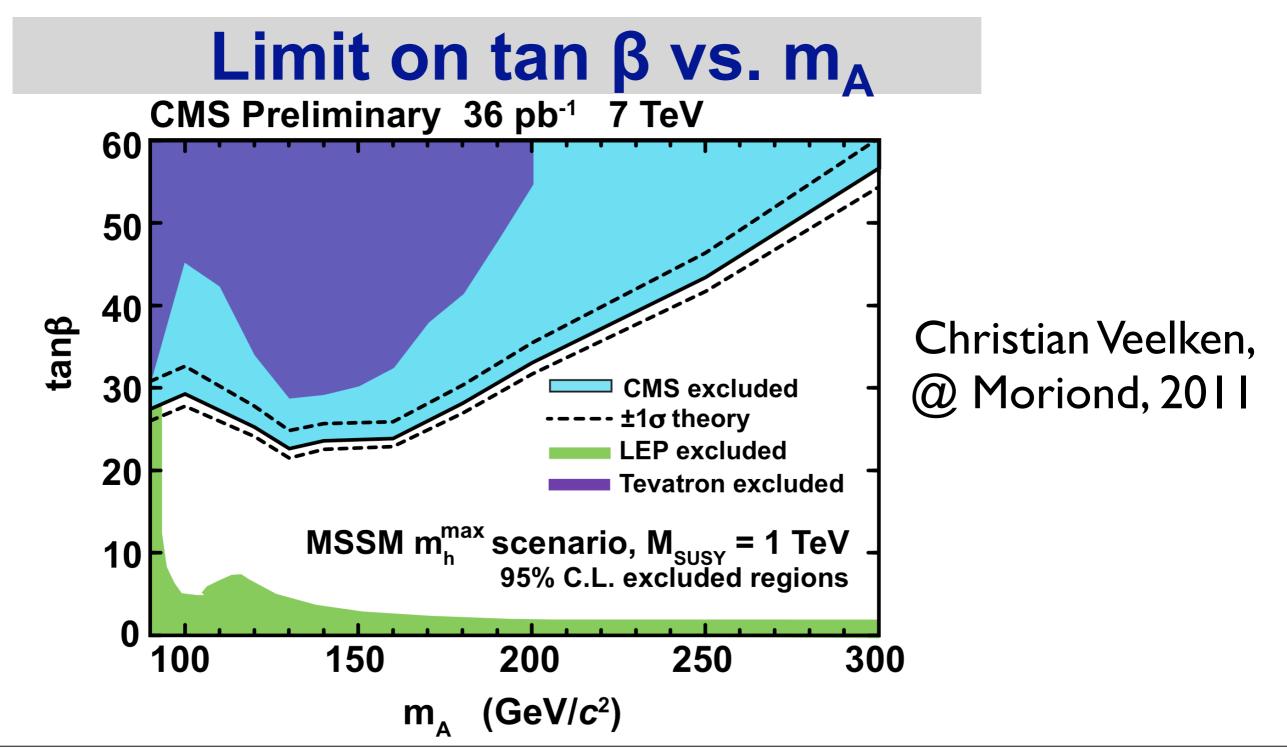


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- Search for BSM physics
- In 2HDM, at large tan beta, can have enhanced couplings to down quark and leptons
- $H^{\pm} \to \tau^{\pm} \nu$
- •3rd generation leptoquarks $LQ \rightarrow \tau b$
- Insight into flavour puzzle
- •Stau NLSP in some regions of SUSY, tau rich events

Why study taus?

Because we can!



A model where taus are <u>even more</u> important

A new phase of an old model?

- MSSM review
- •The MSSM at and near $\tan\beta=\infty$
- Loop generated masses
- Collider phenomenology
- •A taste of flavour
- •Conclusions

Fermion masses in the SM

- •SM fermions are chiral
- •Higgs couplings responsible for all fermion masses

$$y_t t_R t_L h + y_b b_R b_L h^* + \dots$$

Yukawa's have large hierarchies, and strange patterns
At the weak scale

$$y_f = \frac{m_f}{v}$$

$$y_t \sim 1 \qquad \qquad y_b \sim \frac{1}{60}$$



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I wish to consider the case of $\tan\beta\approx\infty$

2HDM in MSSM

Assign R-charges $R[\hat{H}_{d}, \hat{Q}, \hat{u}^{c}, \hat{e}^{c}] = 0 \text{ and } R[\hat{H}_{u}, \hat{d}^{c}, \hat{L}] = 2$ Tree-level Higgs potential is (no B_{μ} term) $(|\mu|^{2} + m_{H_{u}}^{2}) |H_{u}|^{2} + (|\mu|^{2} + m_{H_{d}}^{2}) |H_{d}|^{2} + \frac{g'^{2}}{8} (|H_{u}|^{2} - |H_{d}|^{2})^{2} + \frac{g^{2}}{2} |H_{u}^{\dagger}T^{a}H_{u} + H_{d}^{\dagger}T^{a}H_{d}|^{2}$

 $\begin{array}{c|c} M_{h^0}^2 = -2 \left(|\mu|^2 + m_{H_u}^2 \right) = M_Z^2 \\ M_{H^0}^2 = M_{A^0}^2 = 2 |\mu|^2 + m_{H_u}^2 + m_{H_d}^2 \\ < 0 & > 0 & M_{H^\pm}^2 = M_{A^0}^2 + M_W^2 \end{array}$

Only H_u gets a vev: $\tan \beta = \infty$

Conclusions

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Furthermore.....

Down-type fermion masses

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All chiral symmetries explicitly broken by superpotential

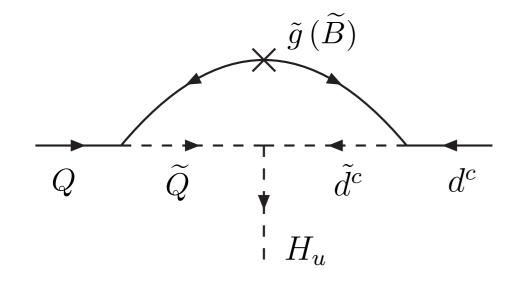
 $U(3)^5 \to U(1)_B \times U(1)_L$

Once SUSY is broken can generate new "wrong-type" Yukawas

$$-y'_d d^c H^{\dagger}_u Q - y'_\ell e^c H^{\dagger}_u L + \text{H.c.}$$

Loop generation of masses (a short domino)

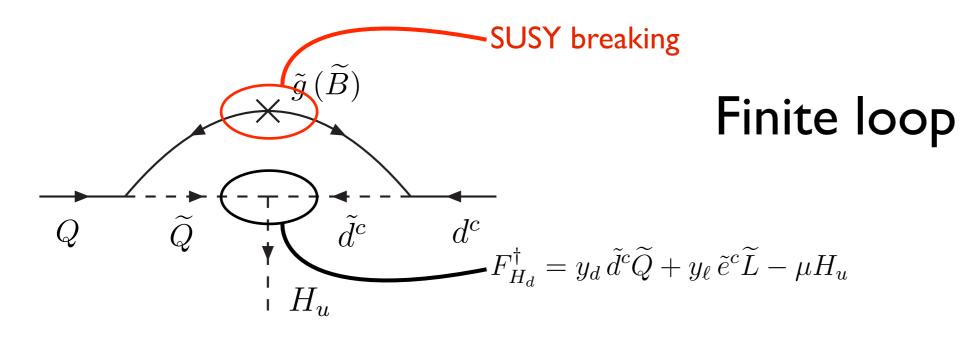
[Dobrescu and PJF; Graham and Rajendran]



Finite loop

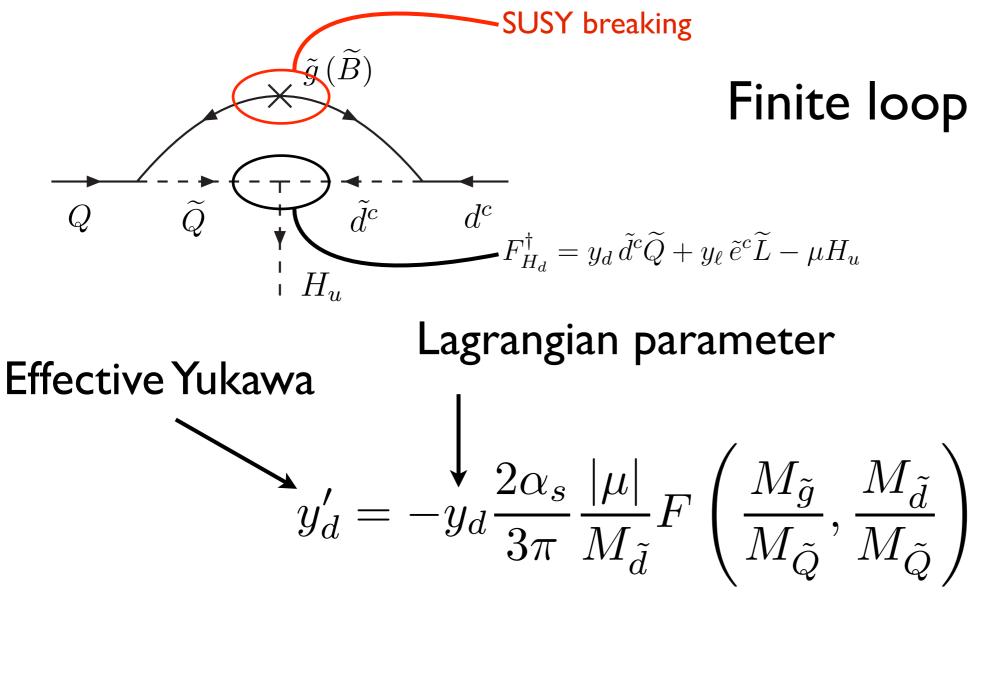
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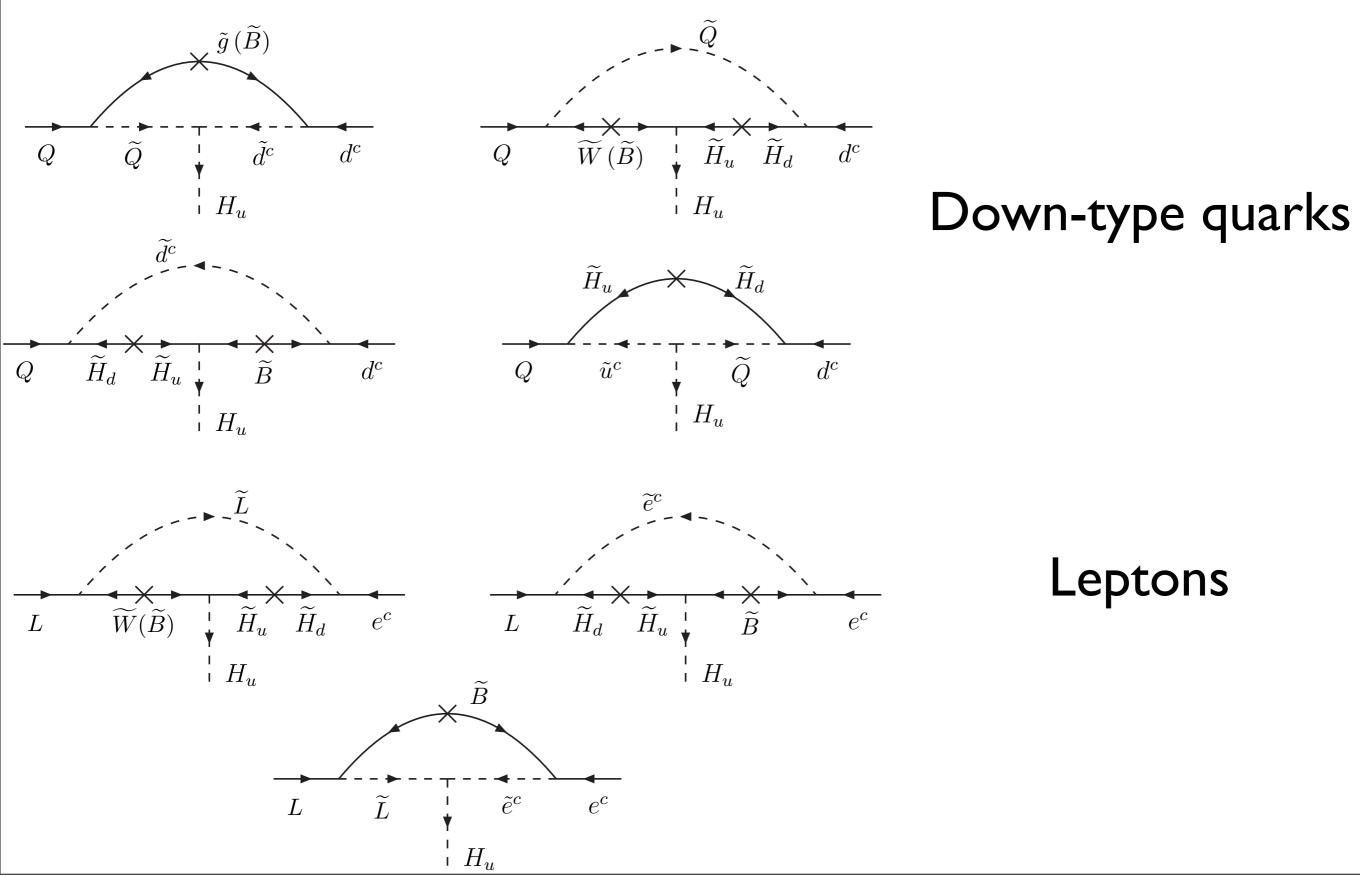


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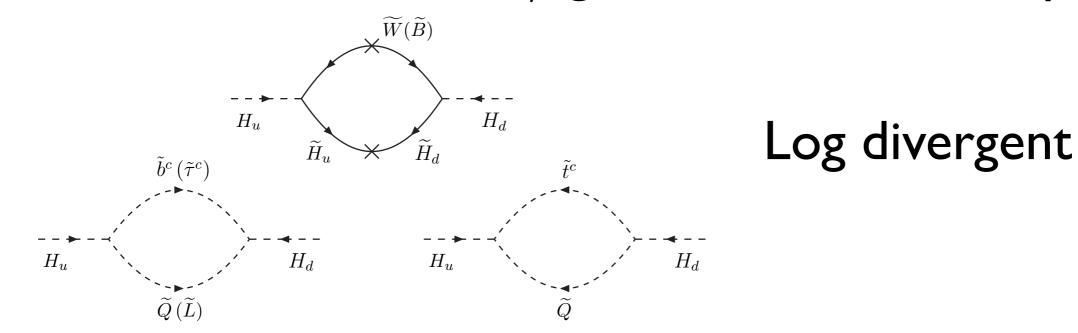


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Loop corrections to aneta

Once SUSY is broken B_{μ} generated at one loop

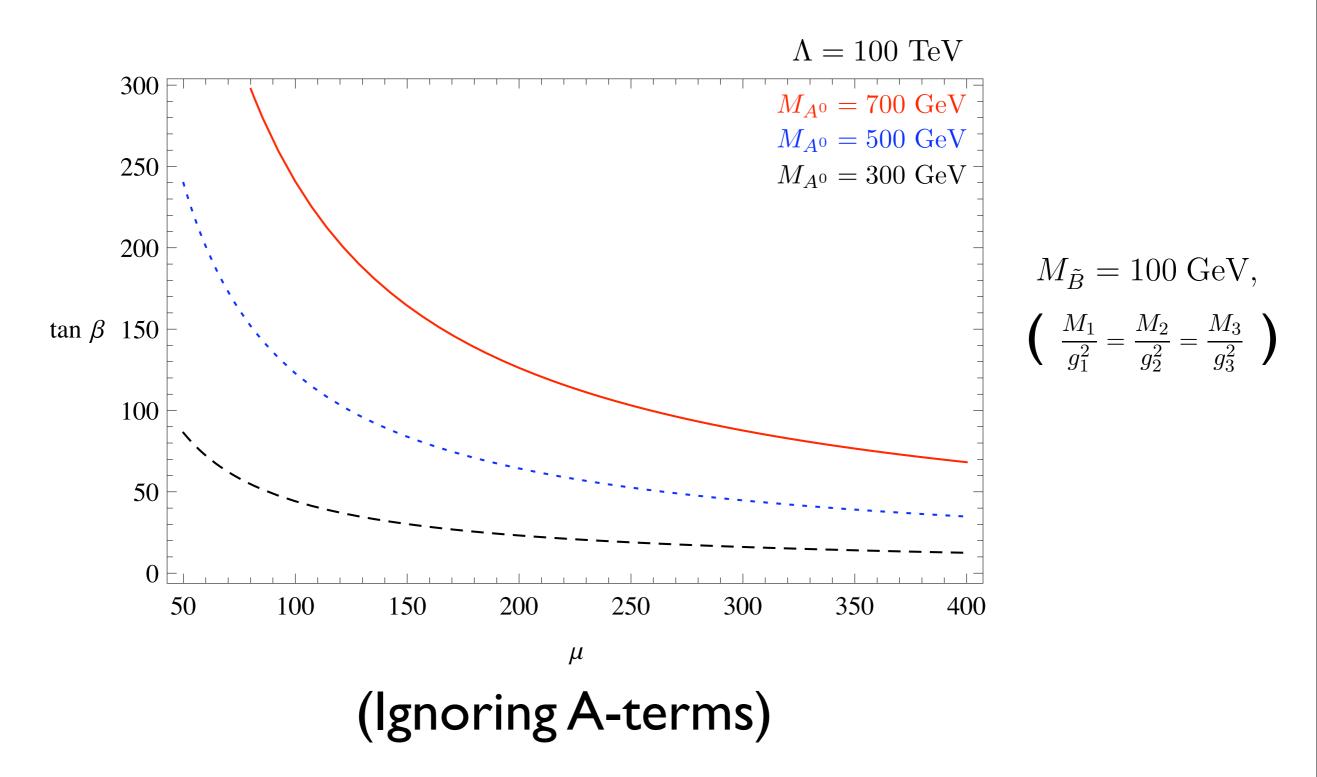


$$b = -\frac{\alpha\mu}{2\pi} \left[\frac{3}{s_W^2} M_{\tilde{W}} G(|\mu|, M_{\tilde{W}}) e^{-2i\theta_W} + \frac{1}{c_W^2} M_{\tilde{B}} G(|\mu|, M_{\tilde{B}}) e^{-2i\theta_B} \right] - \frac{\mu}{8\pi^2} \left[3y_b^* A_b G(M_{\tilde{Q}}, M_{\tilde{b}}) + y_\tau^* A_\tau G(M_{\tilde{L}}, M_{\tilde{\tau}}) + 3y_t^* A_t G(M_{\tilde{Q}}, M_{\tilde{t}}) \right]$$

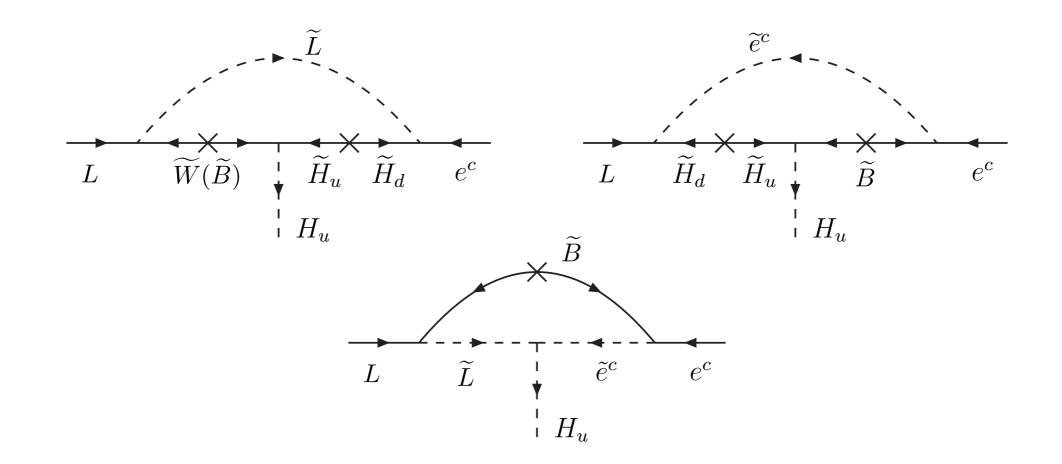
$$G(m_1, m_2) = \frac{1}{m_2^2 - m_1^2} \left(m_2^2 \ln \frac{\Lambda}{m_2} - m_1^2 \ln \frac{\Lambda}{m_1} \right)$$

Loop corrections to aneta

$$\frac{v_u}{v_d} \equiv \tan\beta \approx \frac{1}{|b|} M_{A^0}^2 \left[1 + O(1/\tan^2\beta) \right] \gg 1$$



Tau mass

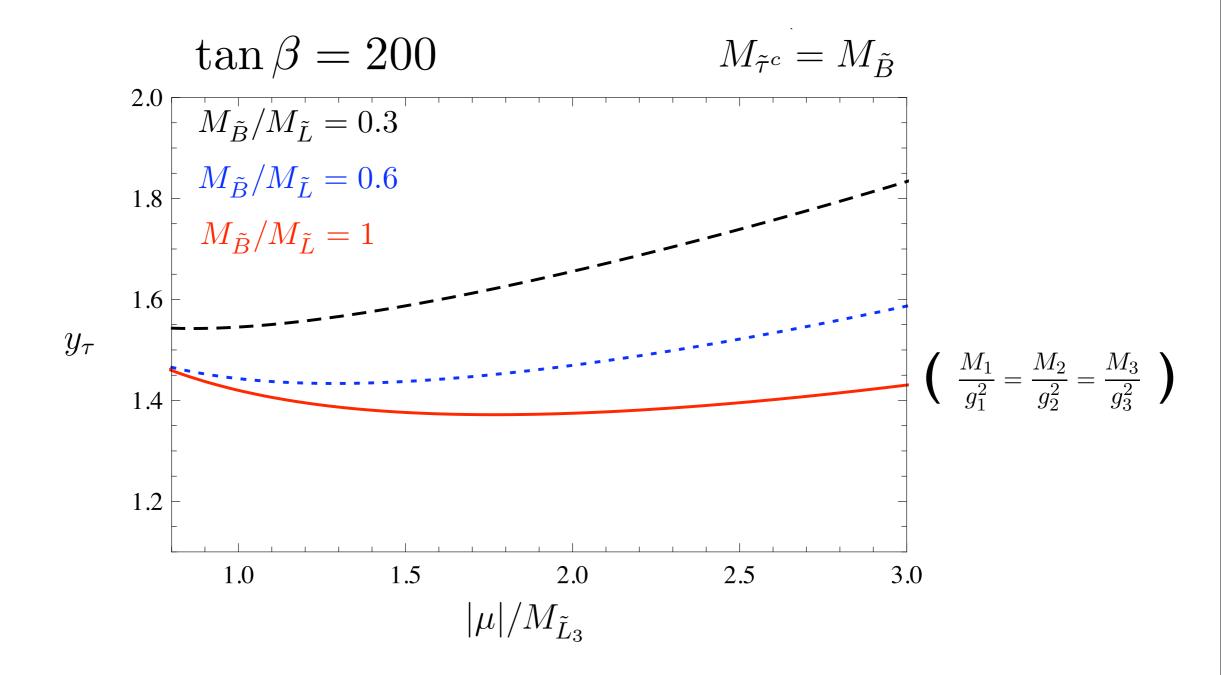


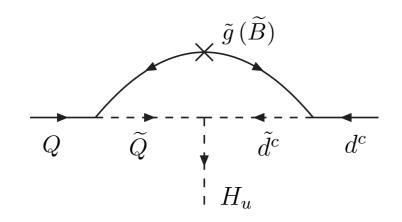
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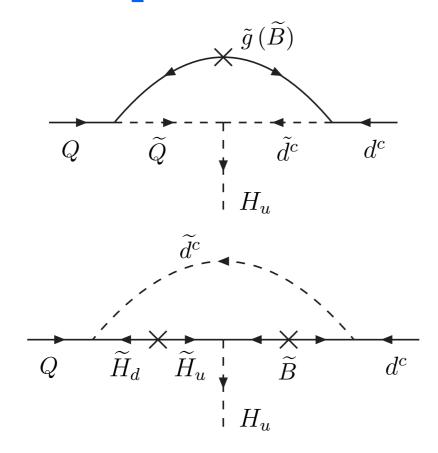
With $\tan \beta \neq \infty$

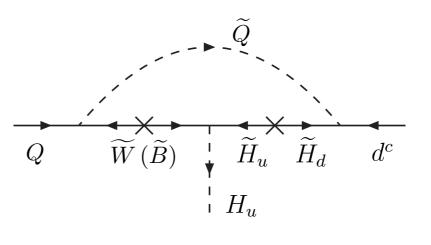
$$m_\ell = y_\ell \, v_d + y'_\ell v_u$$





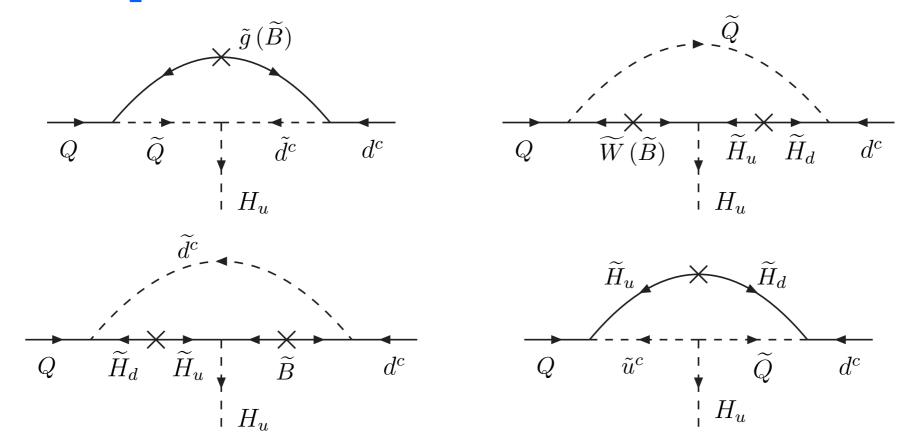
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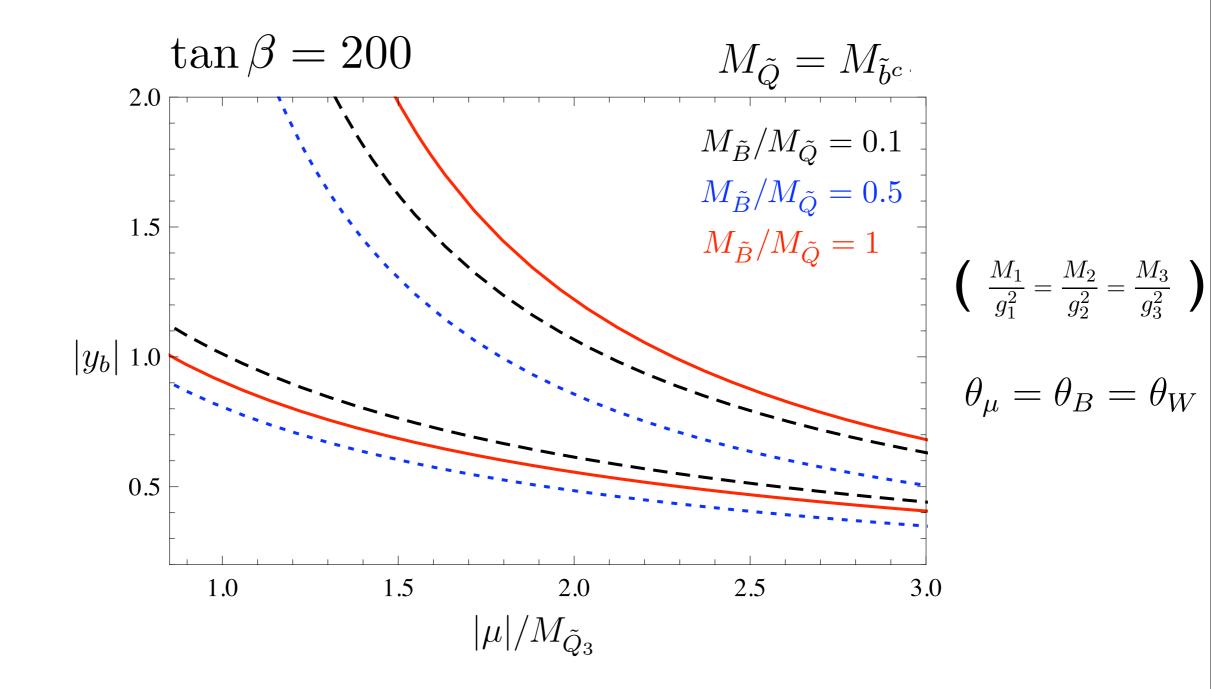
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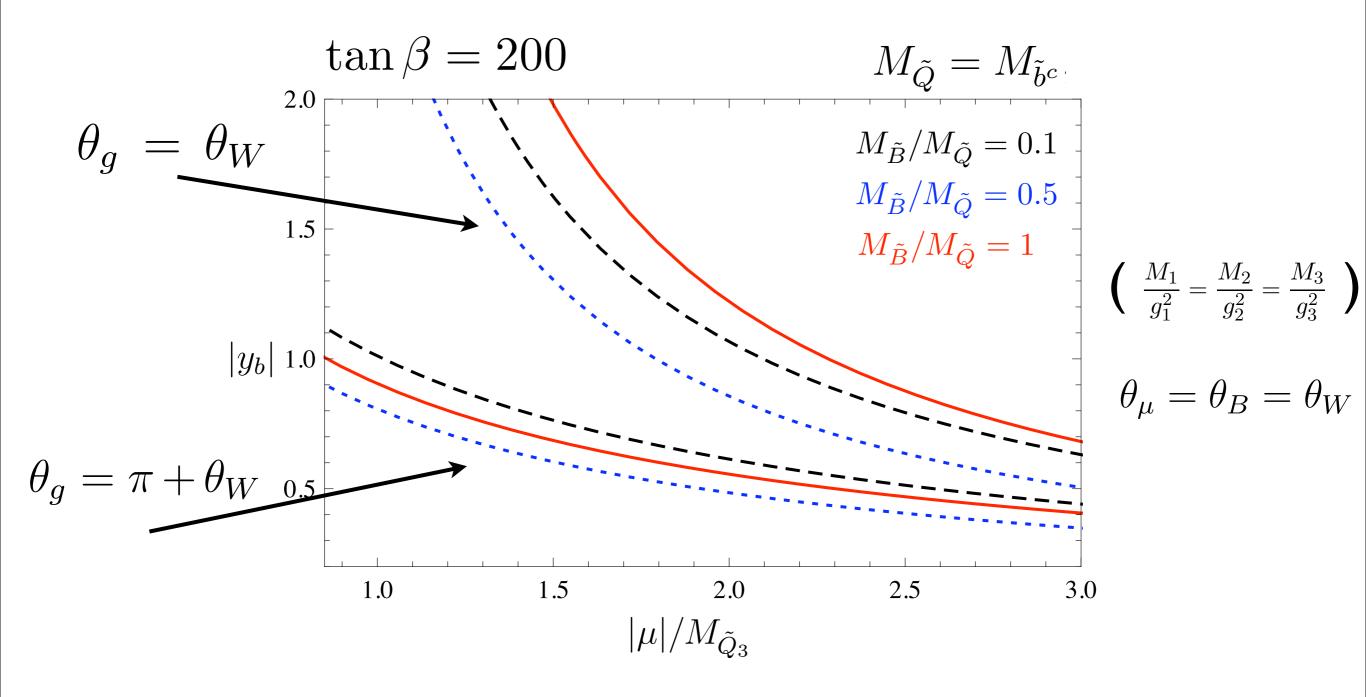
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Uplifted Higgses

$$\tan \alpha = -\left(\frac{M_{A^0}^2 + M_Z^2}{M_{A^0}^2 - M_Z^2}\right) \frac{1}{\tan \beta} \left[1 + O(1/\tan^2 \beta)\right]$$

Higgs (h^0) that couples to WW mainly in H_u

$$M_{h^0}^2 \simeq M_Z^2 \left(1 - \frac{4M_A^2}{\left(M_{A^0}^2 - M_Z^2\right) \tan^2\beta} \right) + \Delta(M_{h^0}^2)$$

Heavy Higgses (A^0, H^0, H^{\pm}) in H_d

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$$B(H^0, A^0 \to \tau^+ \tau^-) \approx \frac{y_\tau^2}{y_\tau^2 + 3y_b^2} \approx 30\% - 80\%$$

cf. usual MSSM/2HDM ~10%

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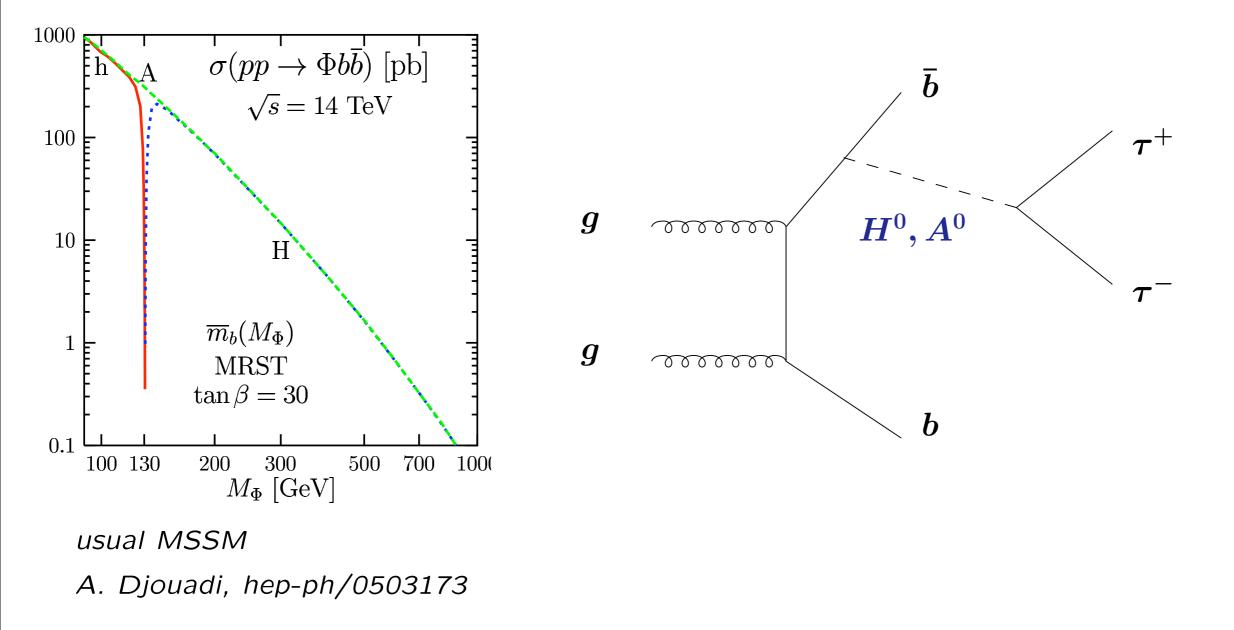
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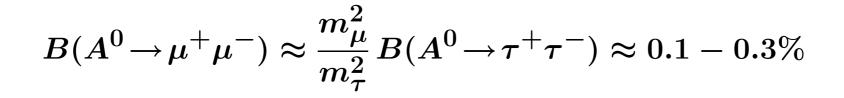
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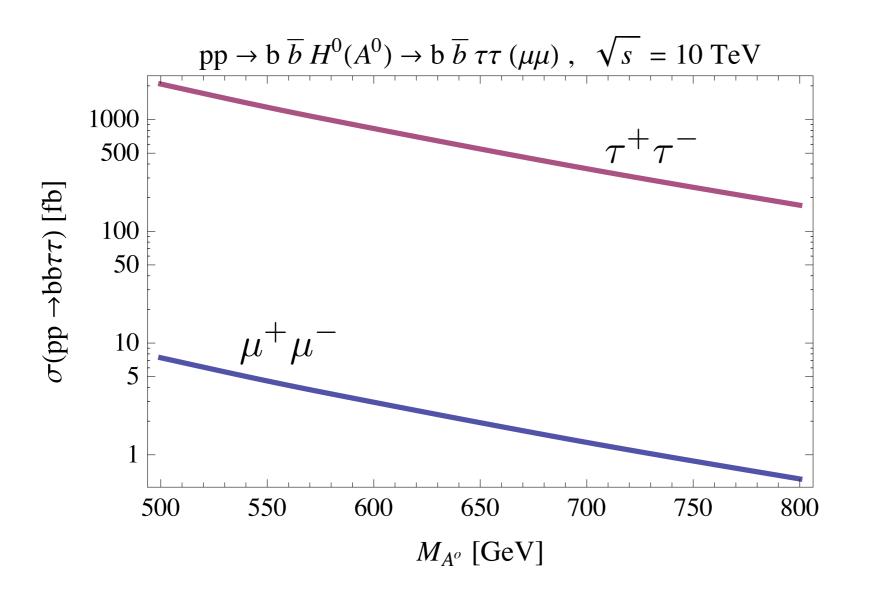
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- Production of heavy Higgses through gluon fusion with b loops and in association with b's increases.
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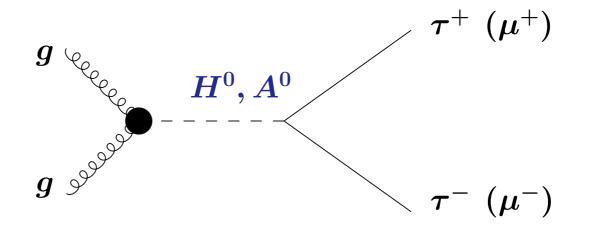




Kpprox 2, $y_b=1$, $y_ au=1.5$

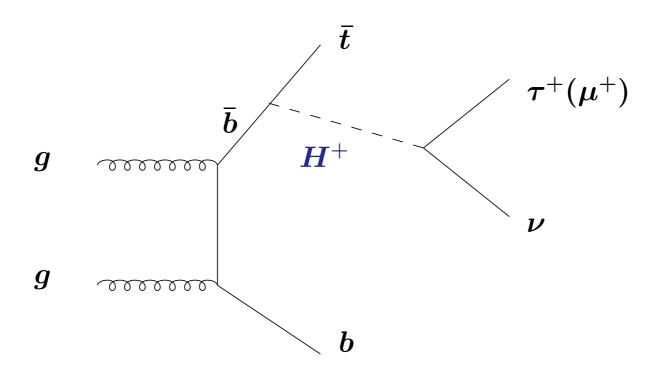
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Gluon fusion with tau/muon final state



 $b \text{ and } \tilde{b} \text{ loops } \Rightarrow$

Charged Higgs



A taste of uplifted flavour

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Uplifted "separates" Yukawa couplings from masses, extra phases that enter. Has potential to allow NP to constructively interfere

Conclusions

 $\tan\beta$

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Usual MSSM

Uplifted MSSM

- •Down-type fermion masses generated at one loop by fields of MSSM
- •Ratios of Yukawas not as in MSSM
- $\tan\beta$ a potentially confusing parameter
- •Higgs production at hadronic machines increased
- Decays to taus dominate
- •Easier to find the heavy Higgses

Flavour violation in processes involving the third gen. Explanation of PAMELA excess? [Kadota, Freese, Gondolo]

Formulae

Uplifted lepton coupling

$$y_{\ell}' = \frac{y_{\ell} \alpha}{8\pi} e^{i(\theta_W - \theta_{\mu})} \left\{ \frac{3}{s_W^2} F\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{W}}}{M_{\tilde{L}}}, \frac{|\mu|}{M_{\tilde{L}}}\right) + \frac{e^{i(\theta_B - \theta_W)}}{c_W^2} \left[-F\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{B}}}{M_{\tilde{L}}}, \frac{|\mu|}{M_{\tilde{L}}}\right) + 2F\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{B}}}{M_{\tilde{e}}}, \frac{|\mu|}{M_{\tilde{e}}}\right) + \frac{2|\mu|}{M_{\tilde{e}}} F\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{B}}}{M_{\tilde{L}}}, \frac{M_{\tilde{e}}}{M_{\tilde{L}}}\right) \right] \right\}$$

Uplifted down-quark coupling

$$\begin{aligned} (y'_{d})_{F} &= -\frac{y_{d}}{3\pi} e^{i(\theta_{g} - \theta_{\mu})} \frac{2|\mu|}{M_{\tilde{d}}} \left[\alpha_{s} F\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{g}}}{M_{\tilde{Q}}}, \frac{M_{\tilde{d}}}{M_{\tilde{Q}}}\right) + \frac{\alpha e^{i(\theta_{B} - \theta_{g})}}{24c_{W}^{2}} F\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{B}}}{M_{\tilde{Q}}}, \frac{M_{\tilde{d}}}{M_{\tilde{Q}}}\right) \right] \\ (y'_{d})_{\tilde{H}} &= \frac{y_{d}\alpha}{8\pi} e^{i(\theta_{W} - \theta_{\mu})} \left\{ \frac{3}{s_{W}^{2}} F\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{W}}}{M_{\tilde{Q}}}, \frac{|\mu|}{M_{\tilde{Q}}}\right) + \frac{e^{i(\theta_{B} - \theta_{W})}}{3c_{W}^{2}} \left[F\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{B}}}{M_{\tilde{Q}}}, \frac{|\mu|}{M_{\tilde{Q}}}\right) + 2F\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{B}}}{M_{\tilde{d}}}, \frac{|\mu|}{M_{\tilde{d}}}\right) \right] \right\} \\ (y'_{d})_{A} &= \frac{y_{u}y_{d}}{16\pi^{2}} e^{-i\theta_{\mu}} \frac{A_{u}^{*}}{M_{\tilde{u}}} F\left(\frac{M_{\tilde{u}}}{M_{\tilde{Q}}}, \frac{|\mu|}{M_{\tilde{Q}}}\right) \\ y'_{d} &= (y'_{d})_{F} + (y'_{d})_{\tilde{H}} + (y'_{d})_{A} \end{aligned}$$