



SUMMER SCHOOL IN HIGH ENERGY PHYSICS AND COSMOLOGY

SUPERSYMMETRY AND UNIFICATION

Please note: These are preliminary notes intended for internal distribution only.

Supersymmetry and Unification



1. The framework defined
2. Experimental "evidence"
3. The most outstanding theoretical problems
4. Discovering supersymmetry

Hints of a deeper structure

More symmetry $\Leftrightarrow$ less divergences

QED, SM, ...

(Isn't renormalizability enough?

m_H , NR operators)

Supersymmetry

gravity included in a unified picture

$$\delta\psi = \bar{\epsilon}\psi$$

$$\delta\psi = (\partial_\mu \psi) \gamma^\mu \epsilon$$

local supersymmetry

supergravity

(superstrings)

The Grand Unification Pattern

$$\left\{ \begin{pmatrix} u \\ d \end{pmatrix}_L, u_R, d_R, \begin{pmatrix} \nu \\ e \end{pmatrix}_L, e_R, \nu_R \right\} \equiv \text{SO}(10) \text{ spinor}$$

(charge quantized, no anomaly, ...)

Why $M_G \gg M_W$?

Because the world is almost supersymmetric

$$m_s/M_G \approx M_W/M_G \ll 1$$

Table 2. Standard Model fits of all LEP and of all LEP+SLD data for fixed Higgs mass.

	$m_t = 65 \text{ GeV}$	$m_t = 175 \text{ GeV}$
LEP	$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.146 \pm 0.011$	$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.121 \pm 0.012$
LEP + SLD	$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.134 \pm 0.011$	$\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.119 \pm 0.010$
	$\alpha_s(M_s) = 0.112 \pm 0.0044$	$\alpha_s(M_s) = 0.117 \pm 0.0040$

The light Higgs fit has a slightly better χ^2 ($\Delta\chi^2 = 1.5$). More significant is the separation, in the two fits, between the central values of m_t , especially if this separation is compared with the theoretical error, $\Delta m_t^{\text{th}} = 6 - 8 \text{ GeV}$, that is estimated to affect the determination of m_t from a pure $i \rightarrow f$ cross section measurement at the Tevatron 4). This comparison may become a relevant source of information on the Higgs mass in a not too distant future. To this end, a more complete information is contained in the isoplot of the χ^2 in the m_t , m_H plane, given in Fig. 1, for $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.118 \pm 0.007$, and using all e^+e^- data (LEP + SLD).

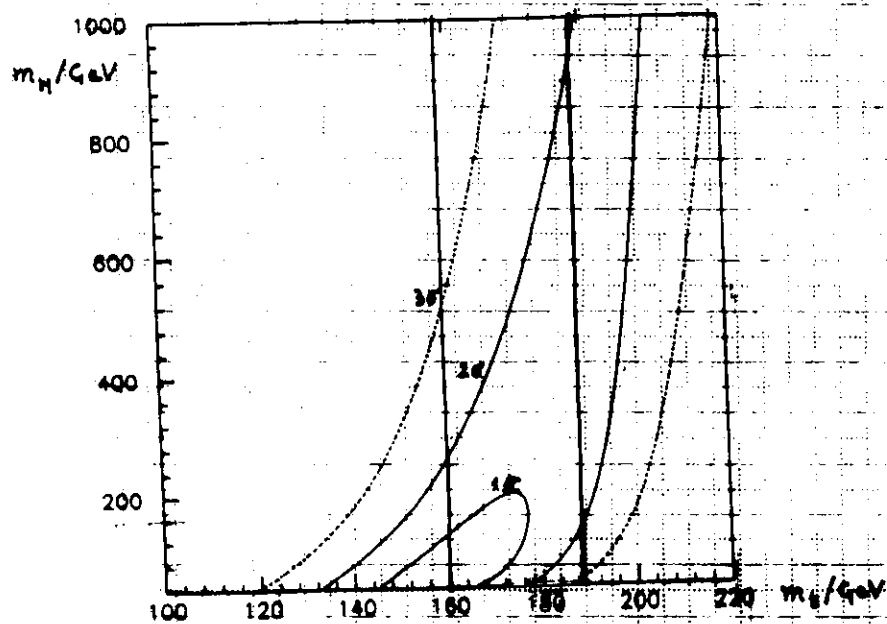


Figure 1. Isoplot of the χ^2 of the SM fit of all e^+e^- data (LEP + SLD), with $\alpha_s(M_Z) = 0.118 \pm 0.007$. The lines give constant values of the χ^2 ($\chi^2 = \chi^2_{\text{min}} + 1, 2, 3$ respectively).

The framework defined

1. The SM is literally correct even in the symmetry breaking sector (the Higgs exists)
2. The strong and electroweak interactions are manifestations of a unique force, at a scale $M \approx 10^{16} \text{ GeV}$, which is supersymmetric to a high degree of precision, of order $M_W/M \approx 10^{-14}$ (the paradigm of supersymmetric GUTs)

Experimental "evidence"

1. Electroweak precision tests
2. Unification of couplings

Non Standard Analysis of Electroweak Precision Tests

Altarelli, B
A, B, Casagrande

$$\hat{O}_i = \hat{O}_i^0 (1 + a_{ij} \epsilon_j)$$

$\hat{O}_i^0$ "Born approximation + QED rad. corr."
 $a_{ij} \epsilon_j$ "genuine" electroweak rad. corr.

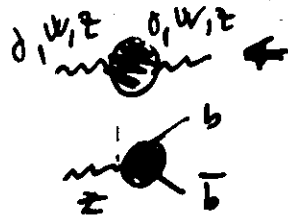
Isolate different sectors of special

physical significance:

Higgs sector ...

$Z, b\bar{b}$ coupling ...

...



Electroweak Precision Tests

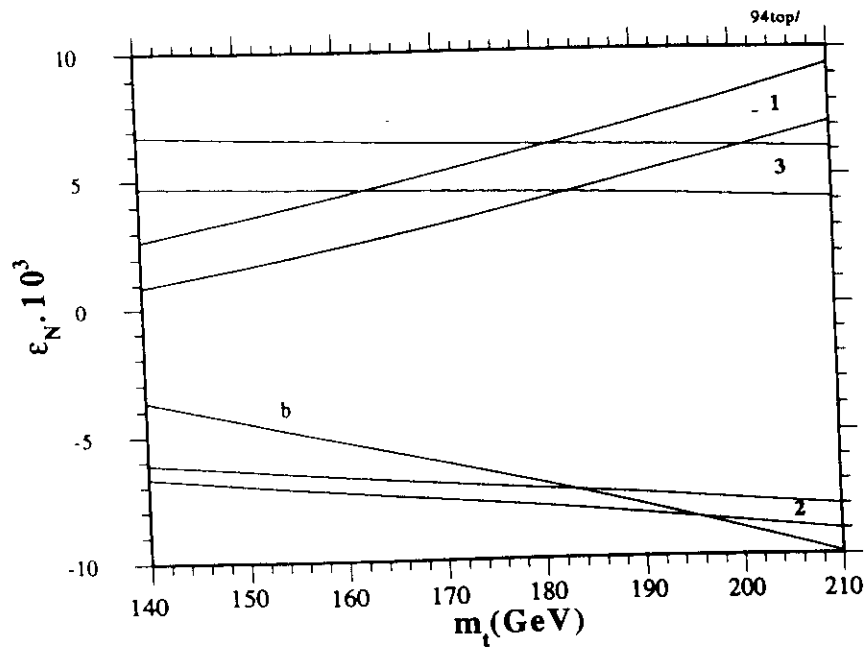
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	MARSEILLE	LATHUILLE, MORIOND '94
$m_Z (GeV)$	91.187 ± 0.007	91.1899 ± 0.0044
$\Gamma_Z (MeV)$	2499 ± 7	2497.1 ± 3.8
$R = \Gamma_b / \Gamma_l$	20.76 ± 0.05	20.79 ± 0.04
$\sigma_{had} = L_{int} \sigma_{had} / \frac{1}{4} (nb)$	41.56 ± 0.14	41.91 ± 0.12
$\Gamma_{had} (GeV)$	83.79 ± 0.38	83.90 ± 0.18
$\Gamma_b (MeV)$	1740 ± 6	1746 ± 4
$\Gamma_l (MeV)$	383 ± 5	384.9 ± 3.4
$R_{b\ell} = \Gamma_b / \Gamma_l$	0.220 ± 0.0027	0.2219 ± 0.0019
A_{FB}^l	0.0158 ± 0.0018	0.0176 ± 0.0016
A_{FB}^e	0.139 ± 0.014	0.150 ± 0.010
A_{pol}^e	0.134 ± 0.025	0.128 ± 0.012
A_{FB}^b	0.098 ± 0.006	0.0979 ± 0.0045
A_{FB}^c	0.075 ± 0.015	0.072 ± 0.011
$S/\bar{S}$ (all asymmetries - LEP)	0.0712 ± 0.0028	0.0711 ± 0.0020
A_{LR} (SLD)	0.100 ± 0.004	0.1008 ± 0.0079
$S/\bar{S}$ (all asymmetries - LEP + SLD)		0.0737 ± 0.0018
m_W / m_Z (UA2 + CDF)	0.8798 ± 0.0028	0.8814 ± 0.0021
$R_{hadrons} = \sigma_{had} / \sigma_{cc}$		0.312 ± 0.003
$A_{PV} (Cs) QW$		-1.04 ± 1.41

Also: $\alpha_s(m_Z) = 0.119 \pm 0.005$

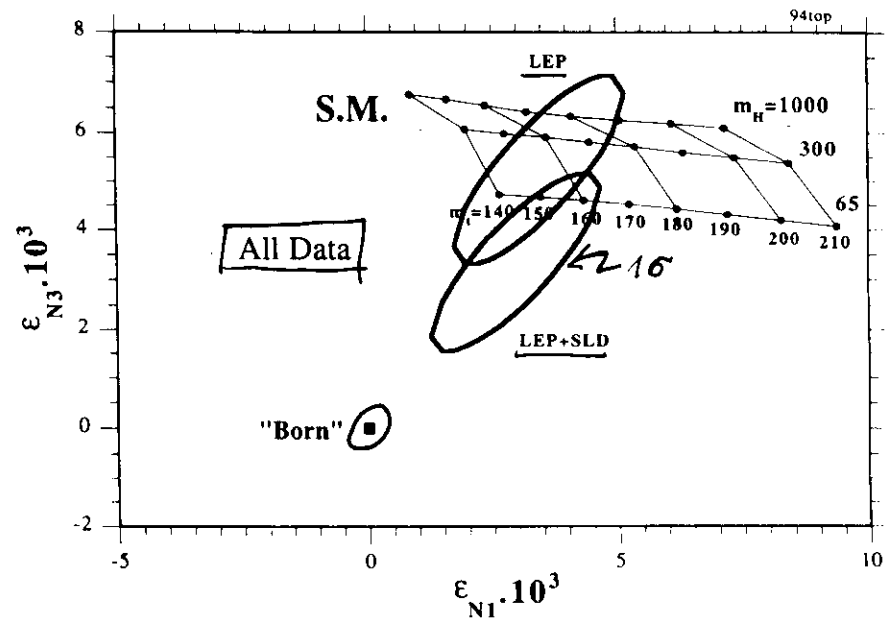
- Do not restrict analysis to SM only
- Never specify m_t

$\epsilon_1, \epsilon_2, \epsilon_3, \epsilon_b$
in the Standard Model

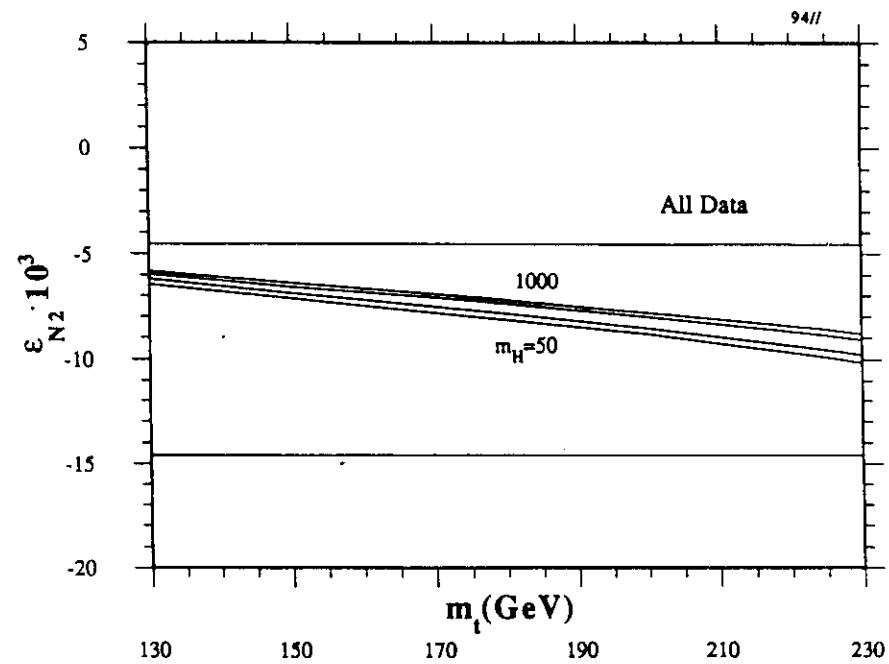
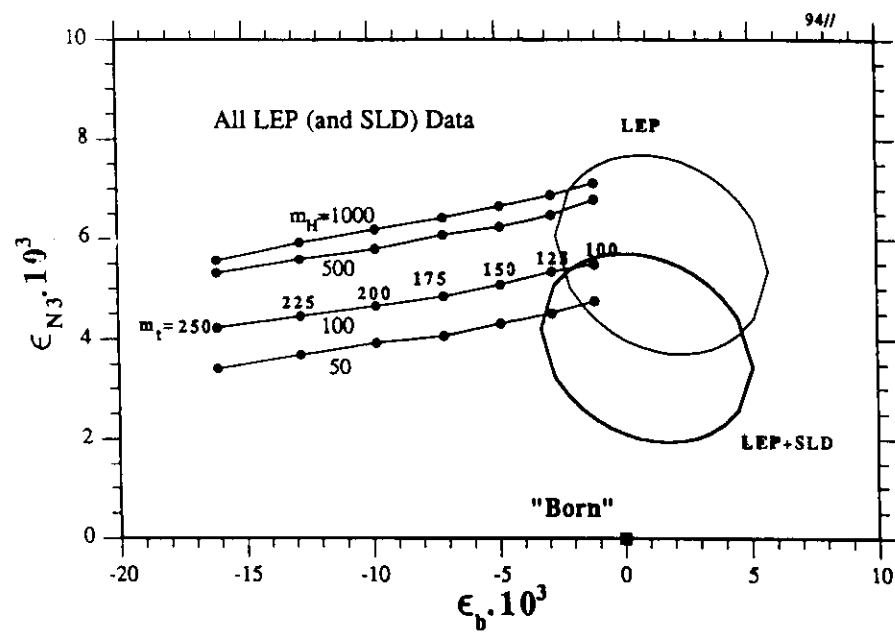


Typical size of ϵ_i 's in "Higgs-less" models
(current literature)
 $\epsilon_i \pm 1-3\%$

ϵ_3 versus ϵ_1



- deviations from "Born" seen for the first time
- As expected in SM



$$\mathcal{L}_{VB}^{eff} = -\frac{1}{2} W_{\mu\nu}^+ W_{\mu\nu}^- - \frac{1}{4} (1-e_2) W_{\mu\nu}^3 W_{\mu\nu}^3$$

$$- \frac{1}{4} B_{\mu\nu} B_{\mu\nu} + \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{\epsilon} e_3 B_{\mu\nu} W_{\mu\nu}^3$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} M_Z^2 Z_\mu^2 + M_Z^2 e^2 (1+e_1) W_\mu^+ W_\mu^-$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{eq}^{SM} (Z \rightarrow b\bar{b}) = \frac{g}{2c} e_B Z_\mu \bar{b}_L \gamma_\mu b_L$$

$$\epsilon_1 = e_1 + \dots \quad (\pi^0, \delta g_{\mu+}, \delta G)$$

$$\epsilon_2 = e_2 + \dots$$

$$\epsilon_3 = e_3 + \dots$$

$$\epsilon_b = e_b + \dots$$

$$e_1 \propto T$$

$$e_3 \propto S$$

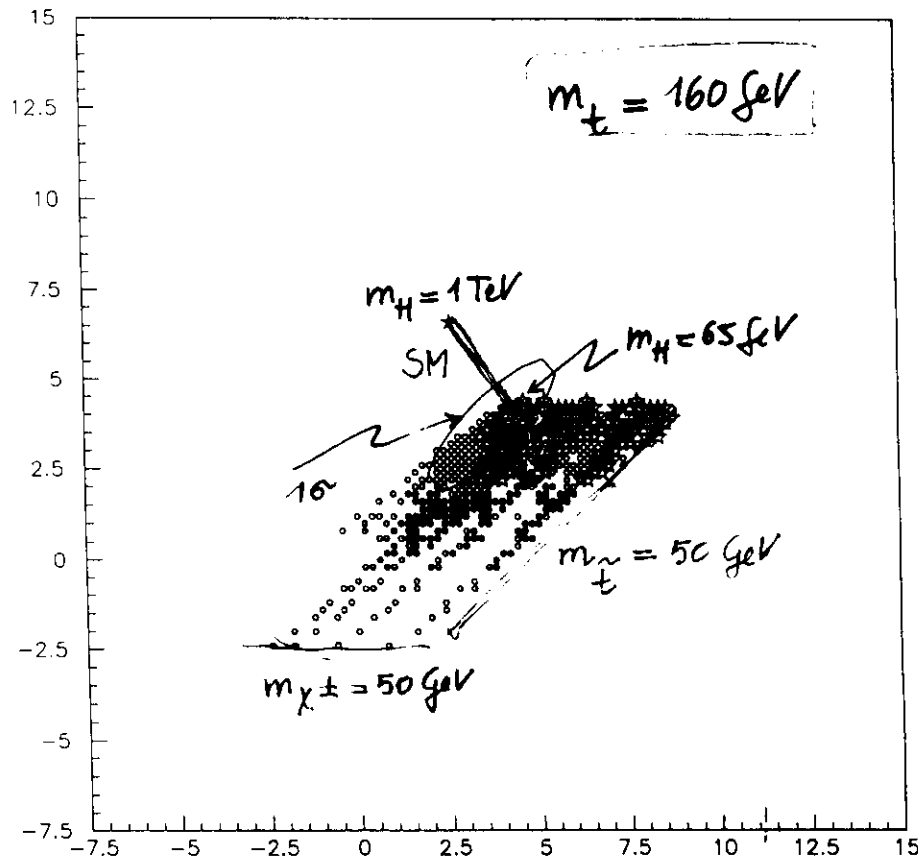
Summary on ϵ_i

Defining variable		All data	
$\epsilon_1 \times 10^{-3}$	4.8 ± 2.2	3.0 ± 1.7	$\Leftarrow$
ϵ_2	-7.0 ± 5.3	$-9.5 \pm \underline{5.0}$	(ΔM_W)
ϵ_3	3.5 ± 3.0	3.4 ± 1.8	$\Leftarrow$
ϵ_b	5.05 ± 4.8	$\underline{1.3 \pm 4.1}$	$(\Delta \alpha_s)$ $\uparrow$

The expected deviation ^{in the SM} from Born
seen for the first time

Minimal Supersymmetric Standard Model

$$\epsilon_3 \times 10^3$$



ELLI1.FOR

$$\epsilon_1 \times 10^3$$

"TECHNICOLOUR" AND ALL THAT ("HIGGS-LESS" THEORIES)

$$\epsilon_1 = ? \quad (\text{top-bottom mass difference})$$

$$\epsilon_1(\text{exp}) = (3.0 \pm 1.4) 10^{-3}$$

$$\epsilon_3 = (20 \div 35) 10^{-3} \quad (\text{QCD-like, } N_{TC} = 4, \text{ 1 TC-family})$$

Peskin, Takeuchi

$$\epsilon_3(\text{exp}) = (3.4 \pm 1.8) 10^{-3}$$

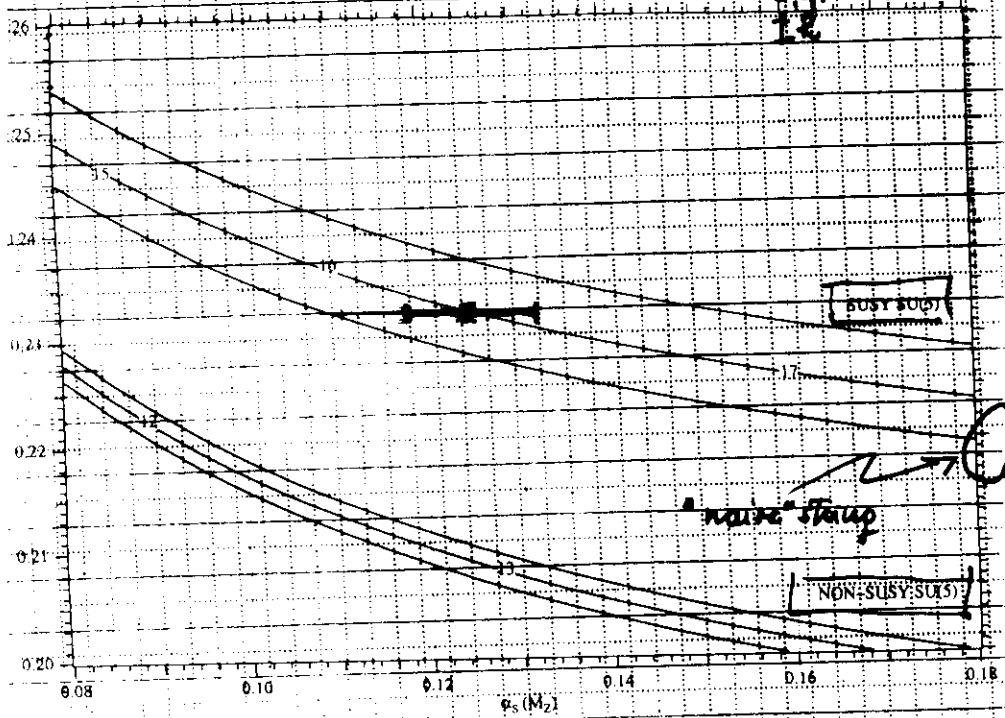
$$\epsilon_b = -(20 \div 30) 10^{-3} \quad (\text{extended technicolour})$$

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$$\epsilon_b(\text{exp}) = (1.3 \pm 4.1) 10^{-3}$$

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Error dominated by theoretical uncertainties
(by our estimate)

$(\alpha_g, M) \xrightarrow{\alpha_{exp}}$ one parameter relation
between $\sin^2 \theta_W$ and α_s

as opposed to

$(\alpha_g, \pi, M_Z) \rightarrow (\alpha, \sin^2 \theta_W, \alpha_s)_{exp}$



IS THERE A

GRAND UNIFIED SUPERSYMMETRIC
STANDARD MODEL?

* correct vacuum

$$G \rightarrow SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1) \rightarrow SU(3) \times U(1)_{em}$$

* No fast proton decay: "doublet-triplet
splitting"

* Flavour simplicity at high energy

Not quite! A highly rewarding task:

neutrino masses,

χ_{proton} ,

threshold effects, ...

The most outstanding theoretical problems

1. Supersymmetry breaking
2. Finding a "consistent" GUT
3. The flavour problem

* soft breaking terms $\leftrightarrow$ strings

* GUTs $\leftrightarrow$ strings

$$\frac{1}{\alpha_i(M_Z)} = k_i \frac{1}{\alpha_g(M_X)} + b_i \log \frac{M_X}{M_Z} + \Delta_i$$
$$M_X \simeq 9 \cdot 10^{16} \text{ GeV}$$

Need significant Δ_i . If $\Delta_i = c b_i \Rightarrow M_X \rightarrow M$

$$\Delta_i \neq c b_i$$

* The flavour problem

up $\rightarrow$ down $\leftarrow$

bottom $\rightarrow$ up

$\rightarrow$ "textures"

$$M_{ij} = \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 & \epsilon^2 \\ \epsilon^2 & \epsilon & \epsilon \\ 1 & \epsilon & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

An example

BDS

motivated by strings (?)

$$G = SO(10)_1 \times SO(10)_2 \times SO(10)_3 \quad (\subset SO(32))$$

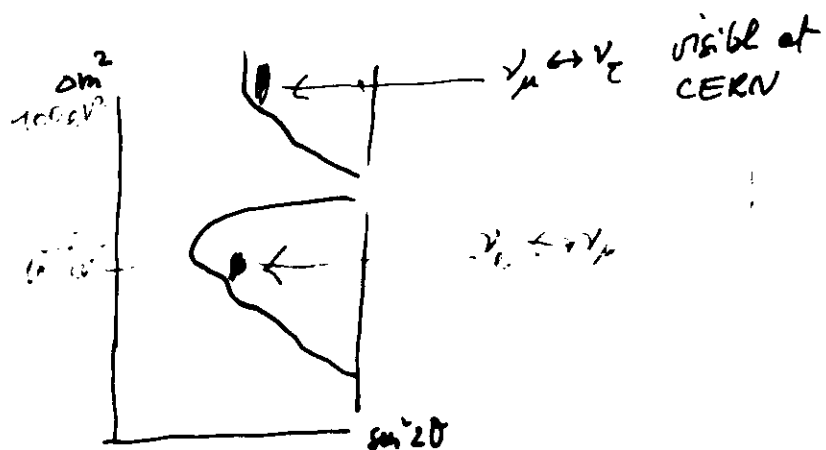
family index $i=1,2,3$

invariant under P_{ij}

$$m_{\nu_e} = \left(\frac{M_{pe}}{\langle \nu_R \rangle^2} \right) m_t^2(qut) \lesssim 100 \text{ eV} \quad \left. \vphantom{m_{\nu_e}} \right\} \text{sen } 2\theta_{\nu_e} \approx 0.1$$

$$m_{\nu_\mu} = m_{\nu_e} \left(\frac{m_c}{m_t} \right)_{qut}^2 \lesssim 3 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ eV} \quad \left. \vphantom{m_{\nu_\mu}} \right\} \text{sen } 2\theta_{\nu_\mu} \approx 0.1$$

$$m_{\nu_\tau} \approx m_{\nu_\mu} \left(\frac{m_c}{m_t} \right)_{qut}^2 \lesssim 10^{-7} \text{ eV}$$

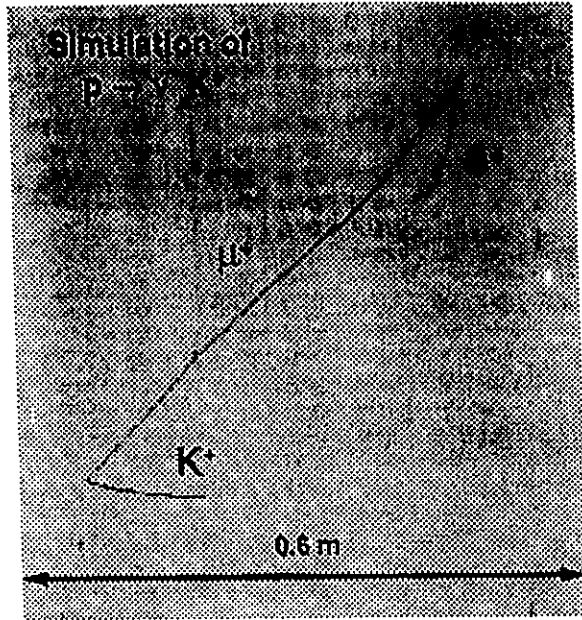


DISCOVERING SUPERSYMMETRY

Find	Sufficient	Almost sufficient	Necessary
One (more) superpartner below 1 TeV	X		X
$p \rightarrow K\nu$	X		
WIMP dark matter		X	
A light Higgs		X	X

(EVERY BOX REQUIRING AN
ELEMENT OF JUDGEMENT!
IS ALWAYS)

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$$\tau(p \rightarrow \nu K) \gtrsim 10^{32} \text{ y.s}$$

Kamioka

Bounds on supersymmetric particle masses

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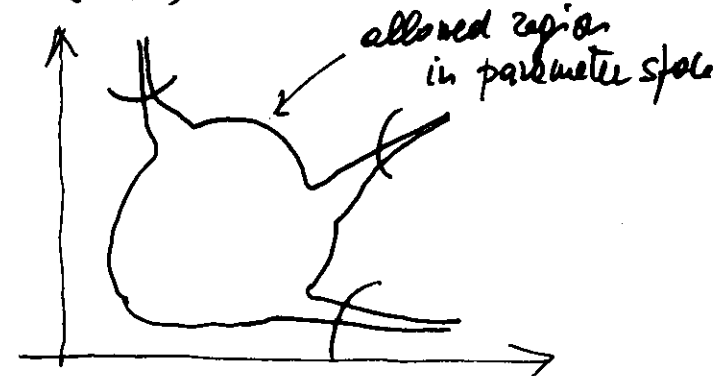
MSSM

$$a_i = (\mu, M, m, A, B)$$

λ, γ

$$M_{1/2}^2 = f_\mu \mu^2 + f_M M^2 + f_m m^2$$

$$f_i(g; g_t; A, B)$$



χ_i

$$\frac{\Delta M_{1/2}^2}{M_{1/2}^2} \lesssim \frac{1}{\delta} \frac{\Delta a_i}{a_i}$$

$$\delta = 10\%$$

$$m_{\chi_1} \lesssim 100 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{\chi_2^\pm} \lesssim 200 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_{\tilde{e}} \lesssim 200 \text{ GeV}$$

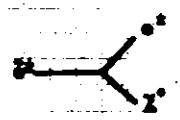
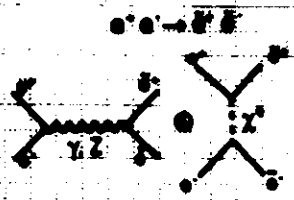
$$m_{\tilde{g}}, m_{\tilde{q}} \lesssim 700 \text{ GeV}$$

SUSY PARTICLE SIGNATURES

LEP II

SUSY PARTICLE PRODUCTION DECAY BR SIGNATURE

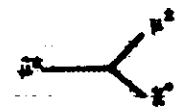
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Electron



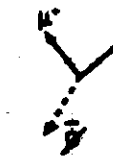
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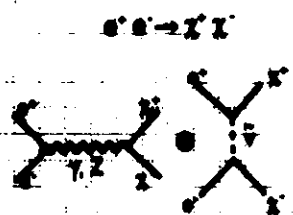
Scalar
Muon



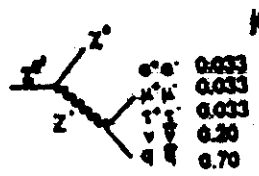
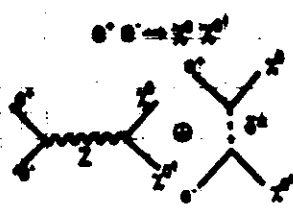
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Chargino



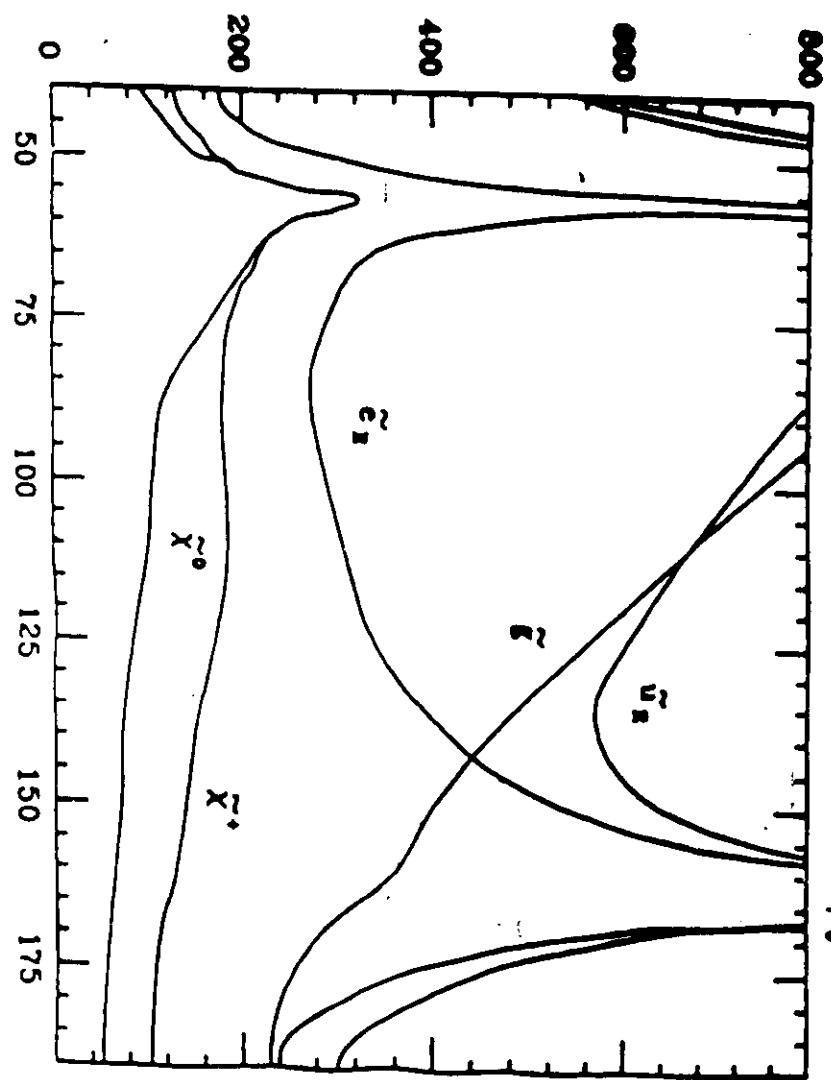
Neutralino



0.033
0.033
0.033
0.20
0.70



Mass (GeV)

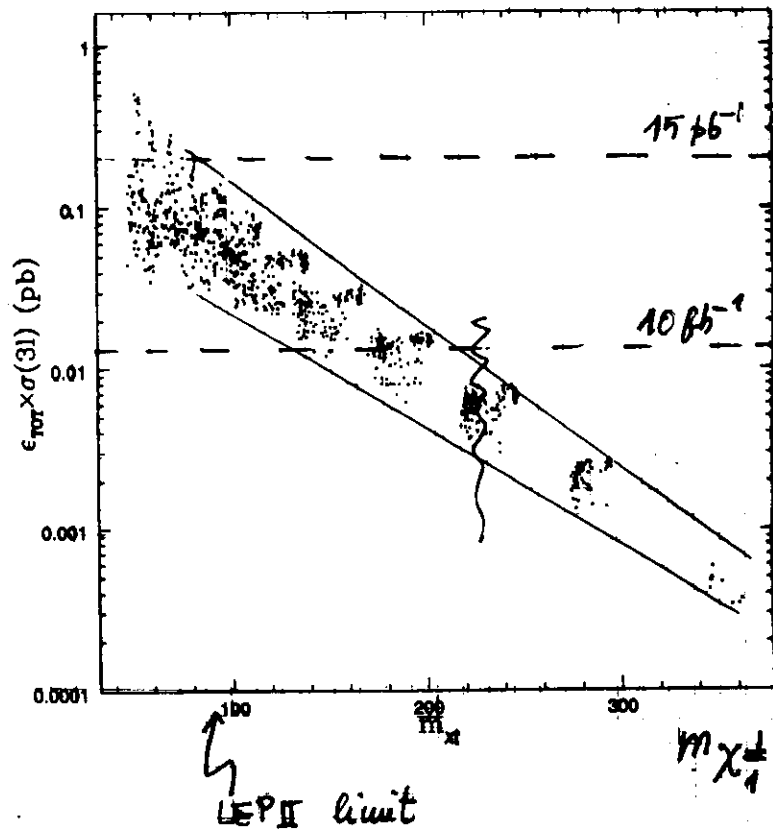


NATURALNESS UPPER BOUNDS
ON SUPERSYMMETRIC
PARTICLES
B, Gravitino

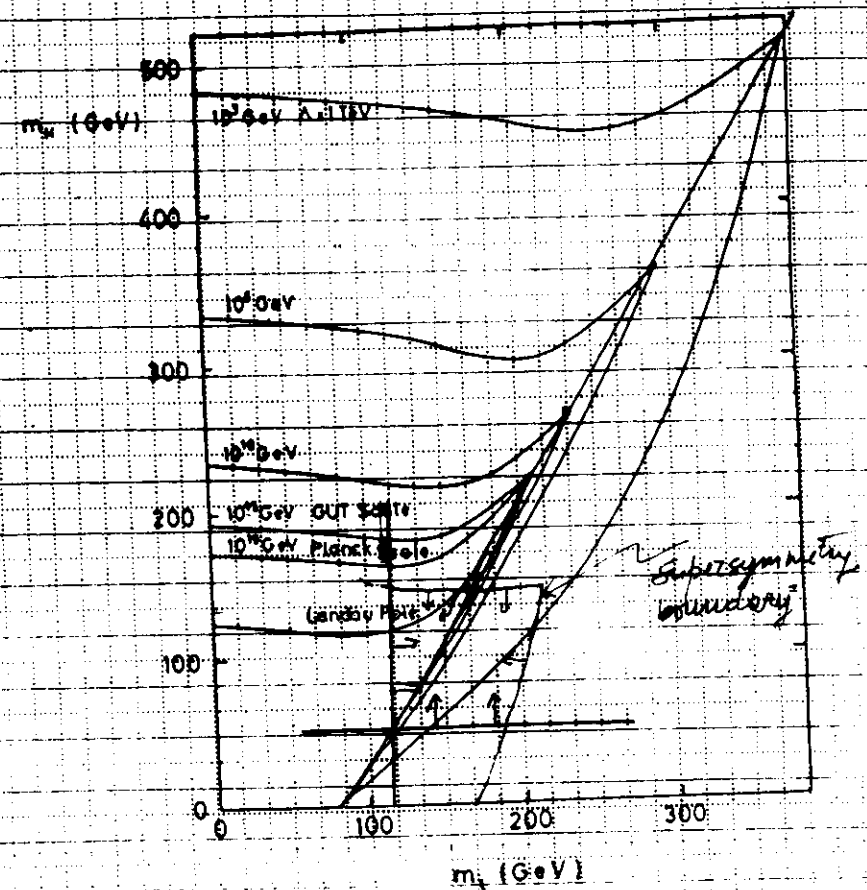
$$\phi\bar{\phi} \rightarrow \chi^+ \chi^- \rightarrow 3\ell^+ + \dots$$

$$\sqrt{s} = 2 \text{ TeV}$$

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Finding the top and the Higgs



Arbitrary supersymmetry

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$$\Lambda = 10^{16} \text{ GeV} \quad (\text{compare with SM})$$

$$\lambda^{\text{eff}} = \alpha g^2 + \beta \lambda \quad \alpha, \beta < 1$$

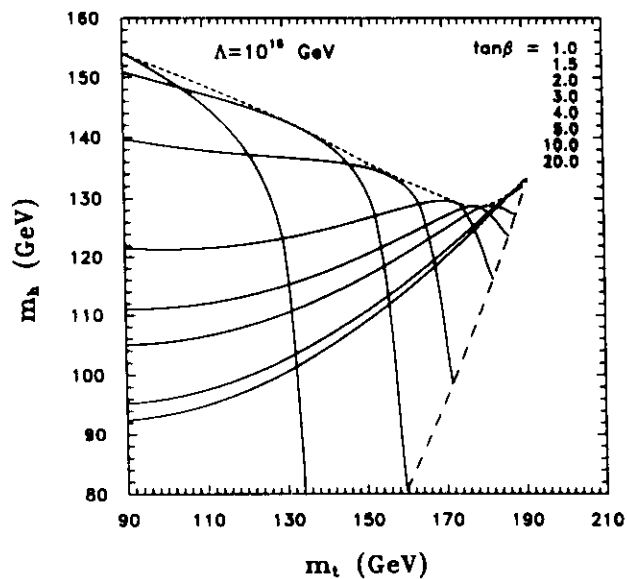


Fig. 4

$$m_h < 155 \text{ GeV}$$

$$m_h = 140 \text{ GeV} \rightarrow \tan \beta > 1.1 \quad m_h < 140 \text{ GeV}$$

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Supersymmetry with Higgs doublet only

$$V = \lambda \phi^4 + \dots$$

$$\lambda = g^2$$

$$m_H \sim g v$$

$$W = H_{1/2} \cancel{H_{1/2}} H_{1/2}$$

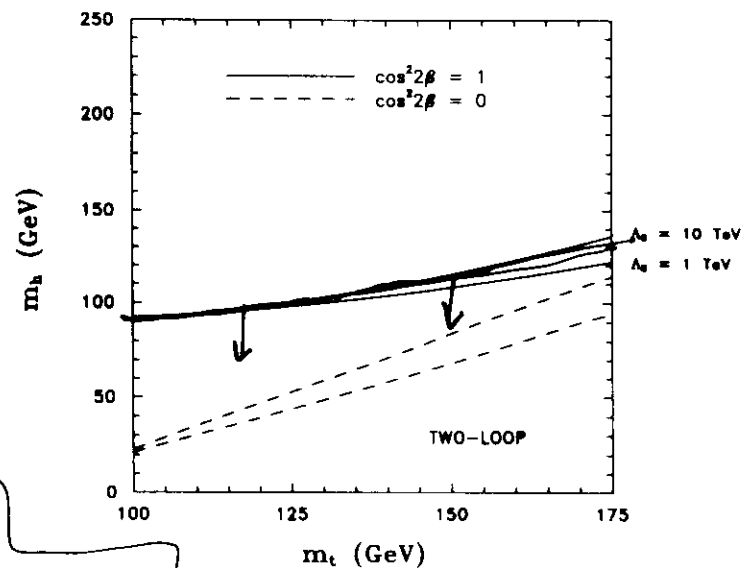


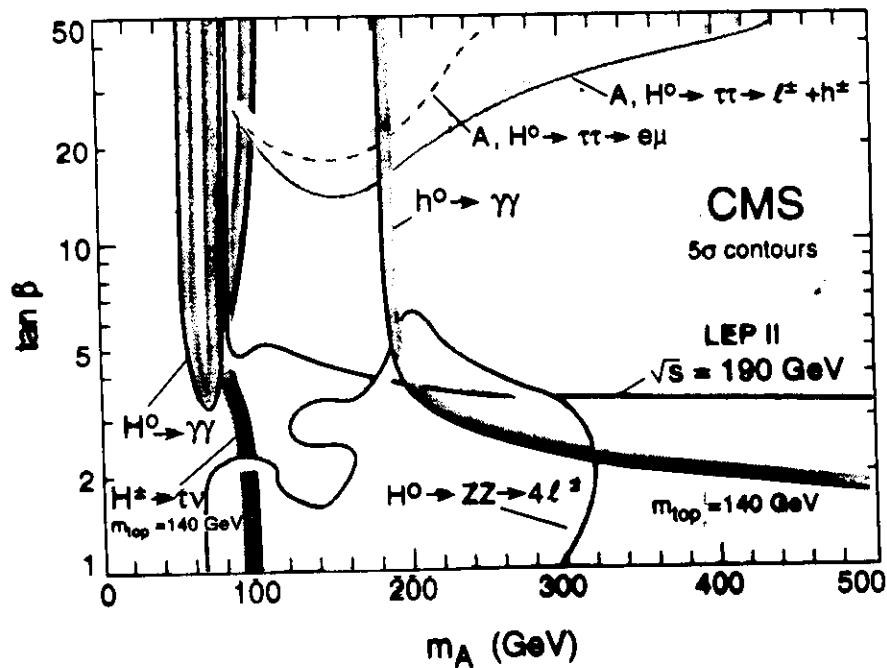
Fig. 1

no problem
from the convergence
of the expansion

Regions of the MSSM parameter space ($m_A, \tan\beta$) explorable through various SUSY Higgs channels
 $\leftarrow \cdot \bar{Z}.$

$h^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma; H^0 \rightarrow \gamma\gamma, H^0 \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4\ell^\pm$ for 10^5 pb^{-1}

$H^\pm \rightarrow \tau\nu; A, H \rightarrow \tau\tau \rightarrow \ell\ell'$ or ℓh for 10^4 pb^{-1}



	LEP II	Terrestrial upgraded	LHC
χ $\chi^\pm$ $\tilde{e}$ $\tilde{\mu}$ $\tilde{\tau}$ $\tilde{g}$ $\tilde{q}$	$m \lesssim \frac{\sqrt{s}}{2} - 5 \text{ GeV}$	?	$m \lesssim 150 \pm 200 \text{ GeV}$
h	$m \lesssim \sqrt{s} - 100 \text{ GeV}$	?	very m

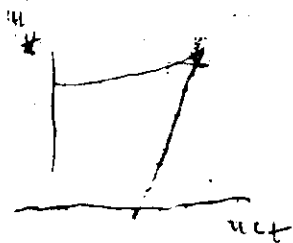
A top-Higgs correlation

1. Fixed point behaviour of g_t :

SM : $m_t \gtrsim 230 \text{ GeV}$ ($M \approx 10^{15} \pm 10^{16} \text{ GeV}$)
 ($m_H \gtrsim 260 \text{ GeV}$)

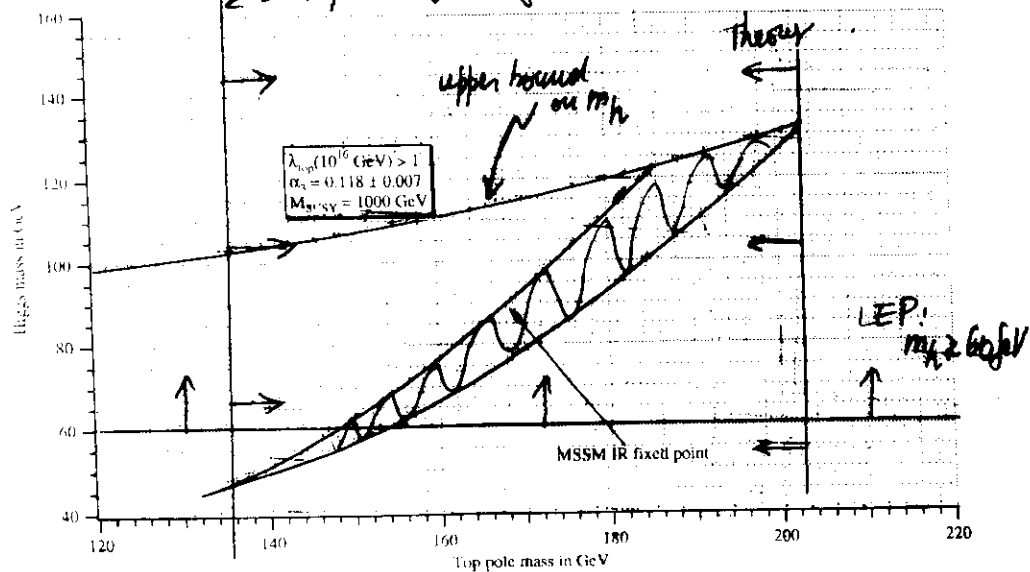
2. $m_b/m_c|_M = 1$

SM : $m_t \lesssim 90 \text{ GeV}$



MSSM

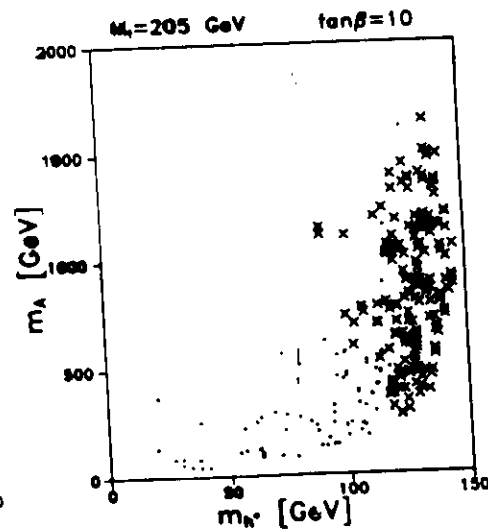
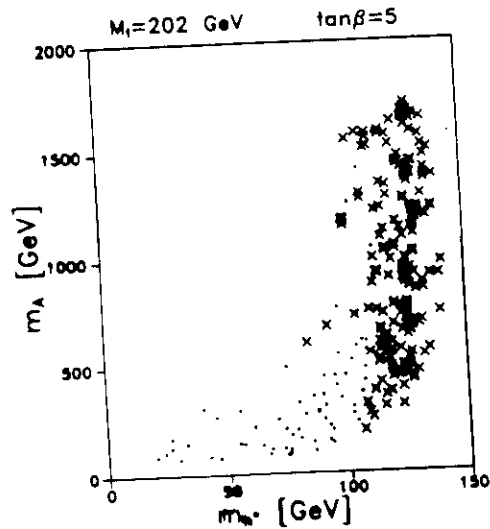
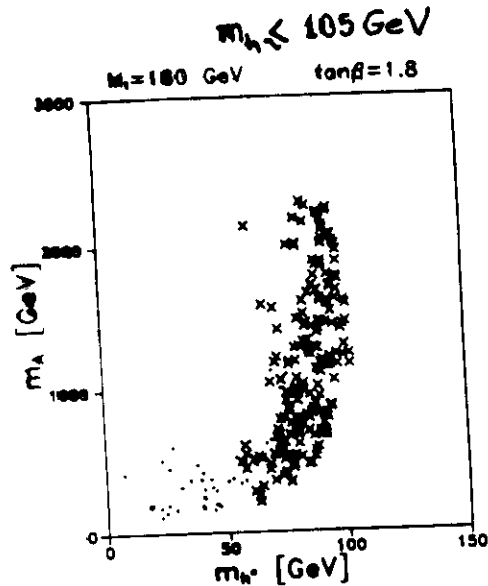
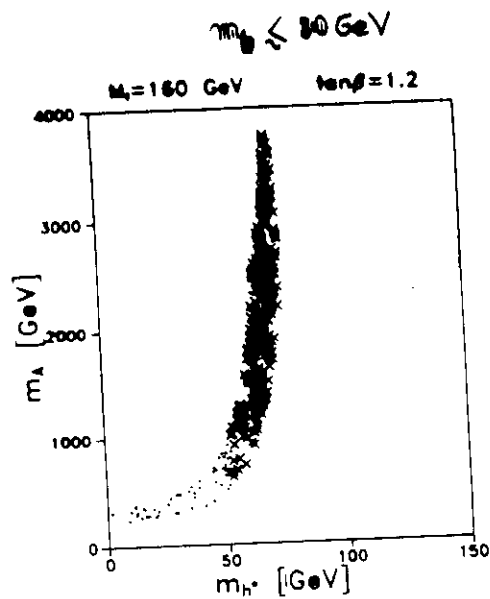
$\leftarrow D\phi : m_t > 135 \text{ GeV}$



CONCLUSIONS

1. Since first theoretical proposals of SQUTs experiments have (slowly) moved in the expected (foreseen) direction
2. Overall picture not yet at hand, but...
3. Clear discovery potentials

WHEN (IF) FIRST SEEN ...



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y_t "infrared" fixed point $\rightarrow$ Pendleton, Ross
Hill (in SM)
...

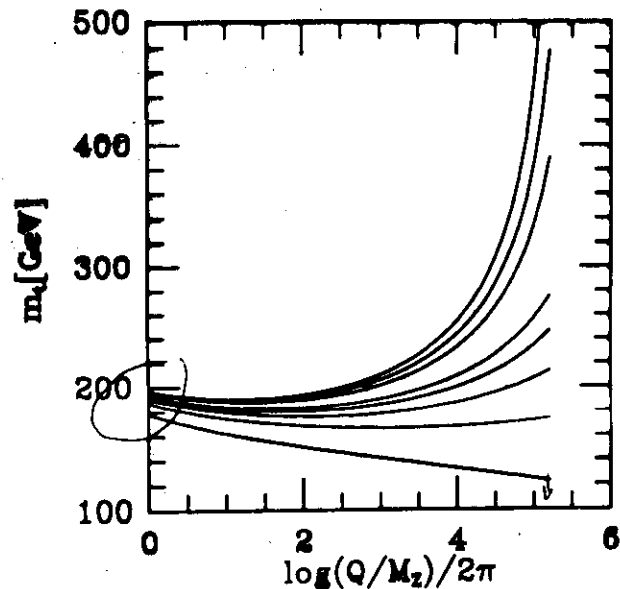


Fig. 1

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Barber et al
Langacker, Polonsky
Polonsky et al
Carena, Wagner

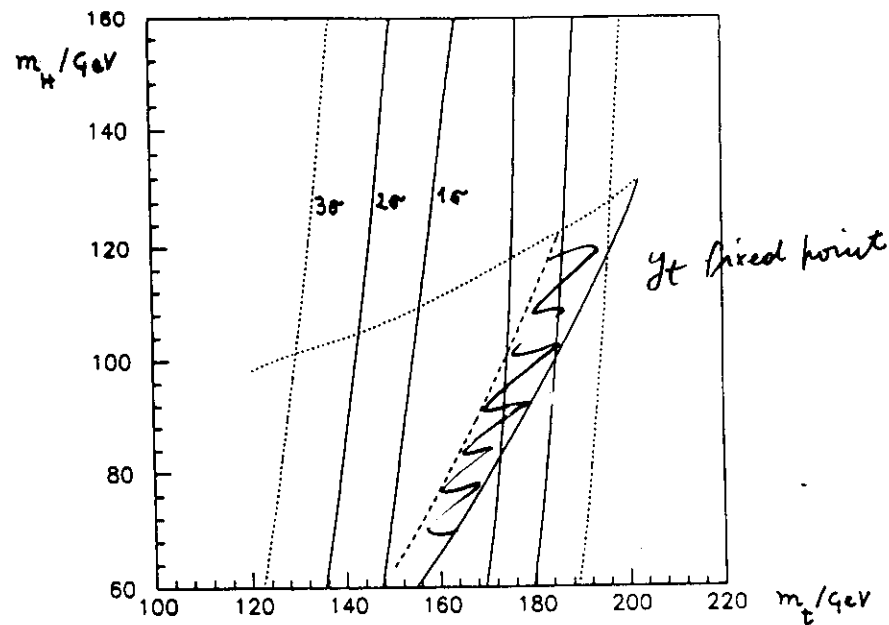


Figure 7. The same as in figure 6, compared with the isoplot of the χ^2 from the precision tests, as in figure 1.

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