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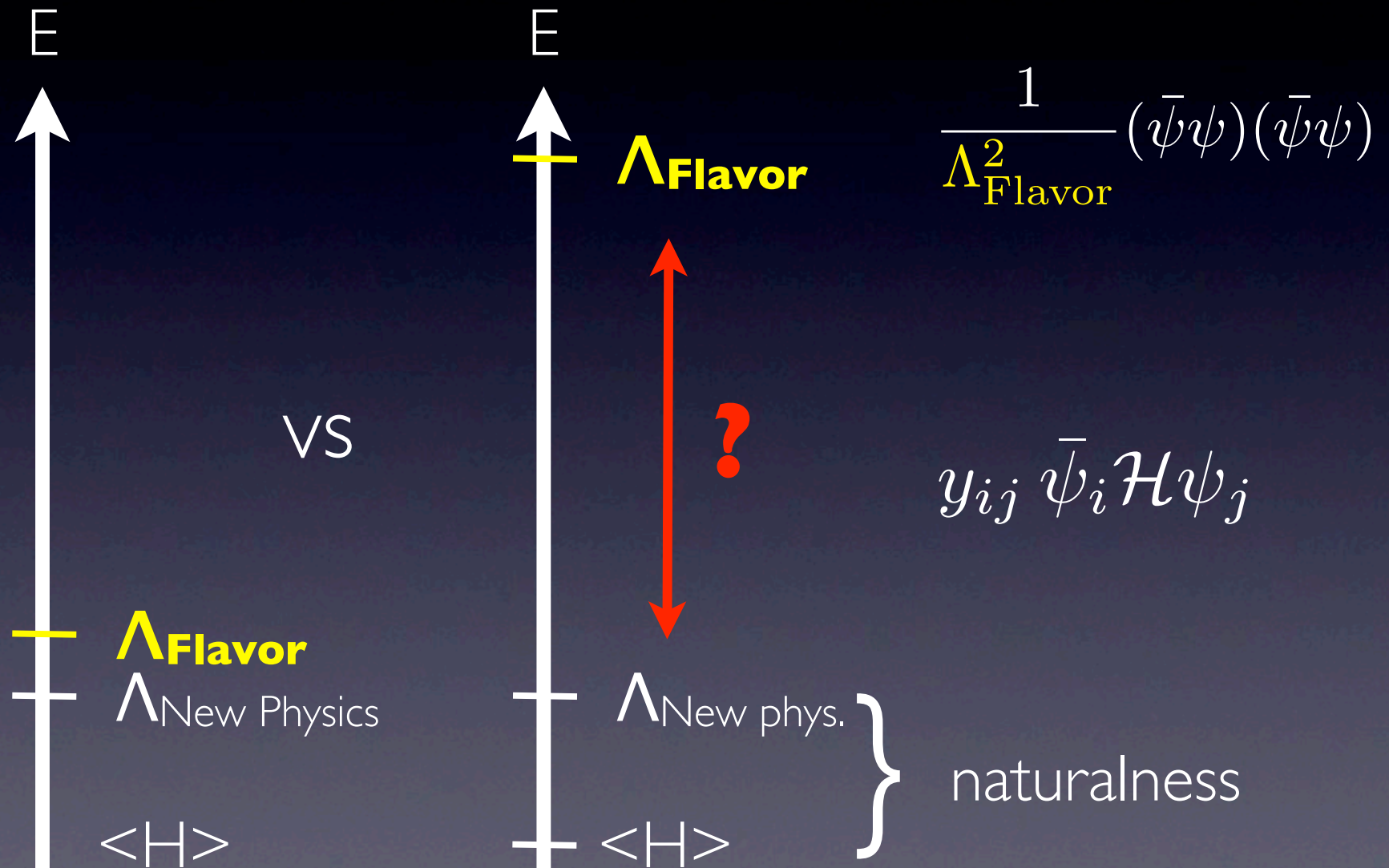
# The MFV composite Higgs at the LHC

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# Flavor genesis scale



# Flavor problem of naive techni-color

If e.g. EWSB through condensate  $D_{\mathcal{H}=\langle\bar{\psi}\psi\rangle} \approx 3$

$$\frac{1}{\Lambda^{D_{\mathcal{H}}-1}} y_{ij} \bar{\psi}_i \mathcal{H} \psi_j + \frac{1}{\Lambda^2} c_{ijkl} \bar{\psi}_i \psi_j \bar{\psi}_k \psi_l$$

$\Lambda$  cannot be too large, because top mass is large

$\Lambda$  must be very large because this leads to FCNCs

$K^0 - \bar{K}^0$

$$\Lambda = \mathcal{O}(\text{TeV})$$

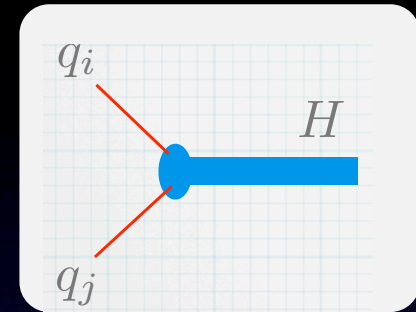
$$\Lambda > 10^5 \text{ TeV}$$



# Two ways of giving mass to fermions

Bi-linear (like SM):

$$\mathcal{L} = y f_L \mathcal{O}_H f_R, \quad \mathcal{O}_H \sim (1, 2)_{\frac{1}{2}}$$



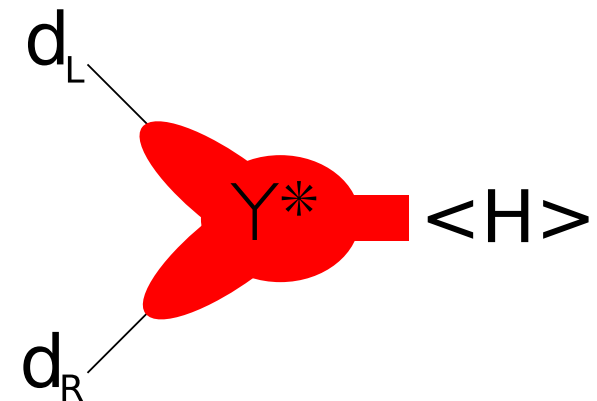
Linear:

D.B. Kaplan '91

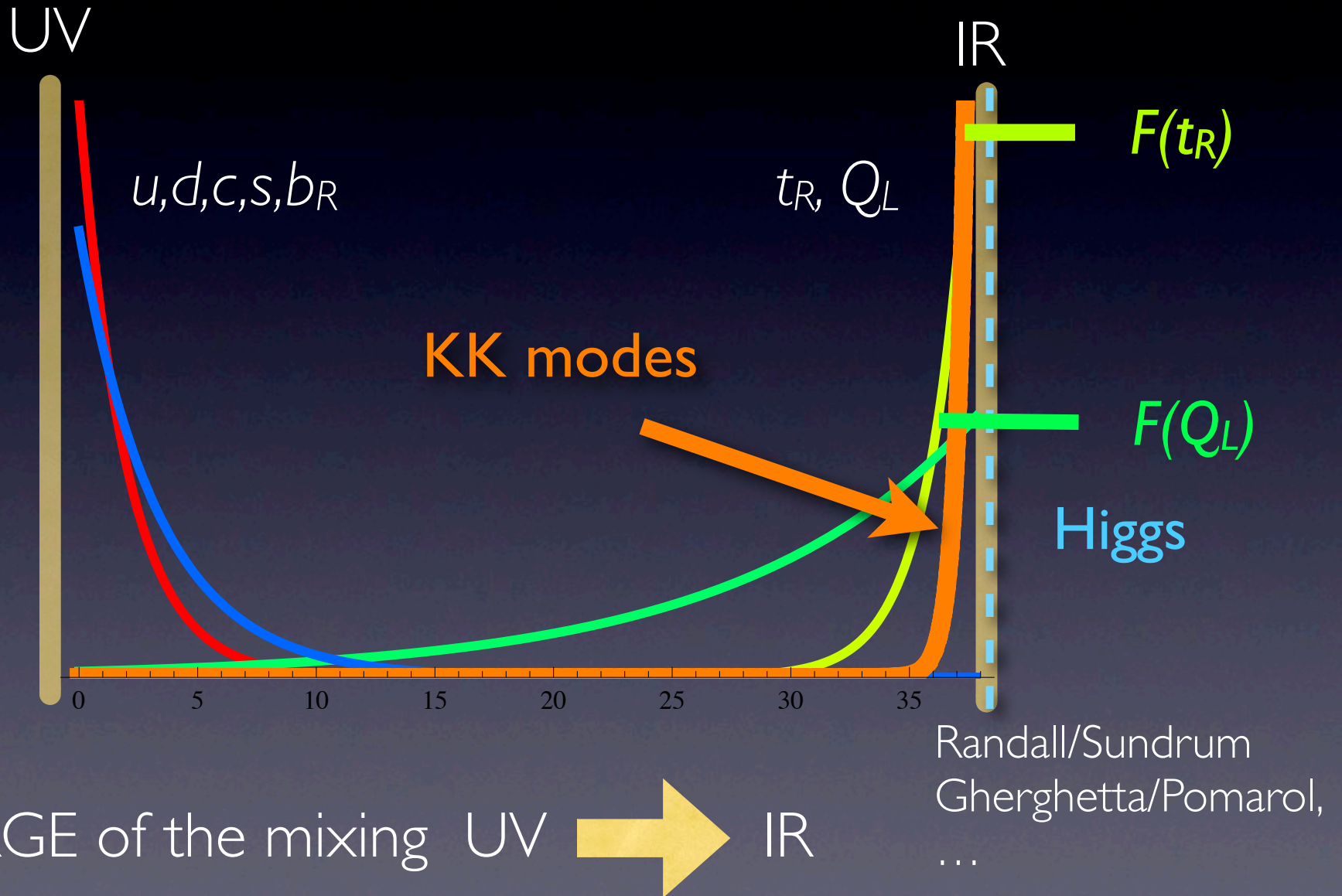
$$\mathcal{L} = y f_L \mathcal{O}_R + y_R f_R \mathcal{O}_L + m \mathcal{O}_L \mathcal{O}_R, \quad \mathcal{O}_R \sim (3, 2)_{\frac{1}{6}}$$

Quarks & Leptons mix with strong sector

mass  $\propto$  compositeness



Degree of compositeness:  $\sin \phi = F(c) \sim \left( \frac{\text{TeV}}{M_{\text{pl}}} \right)^{c - \frac{1}{2}}$



We can capture the relevant physics without using 5D constructions.

Simplified approach: 2 site picture.

→ talks by Michele Redi, Andrea Wulzer

Simplified 2 site picture:

Each SM chirality has a Dirac fermionic partner

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{composite}} = \bar{Q}^i (i\not{D} - m_Q^i) Q^i + \bar{U}^i (i\not{D} - m_U^i) U^i + Y_{ij}^U \bar{Q}_L^i \tilde{H} U_R^j$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{mixing}} = m_\rho \left[ \lambda_q^{ij} \bar{q}_{Li} Q_{Rj} + \lambda_u^{ij} u_{Ri} \bar{U}_{Lj} + h.c. \right]$$

Mass basis:

$$\begin{pmatrix} q_L \\ Q_L \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \varphi_{q_L} & -\sin \varphi_{q_L} \\ \sin \varphi_{q_L} & \cos \varphi_{q_L} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} q_L^{el} \\ Q_L^{co} \end{pmatrix}$$

Gauge fields:

$$\begin{pmatrix} A_\mu \\ \rho_\mu \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} A_\mu^{el} \\ \rho_\mu^{co} \end{pmatrix}$$



Composite sector has  $SU(2)_L \otimes SU(2)_R \otimes U(1)_X$  symmetry ( $Y = T_{3R} + U(1)_X$ )

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 q_L & \longrightarrow & (2, 2)_{\frac{2}{3}} \\
 u_R & \longrightarrow & (1, 1)_{\frac{2}{3}}
 \end{array}
 \quad
 L_U = \begin{pmatrix} T & T_{\frac{5}{3}} \\ B & T_{\frac{2}{3}} \end{pmatrix}$$

$U$

To generate Yukawa for the down sector

$$\begin{array}{ccc}
 q_L & \longrightarrow & (2, 2)_{-\frac{1}{3}} \\
 d_R & \longrightarrow & (1, 1)_{-\frac{1}{3}}
 \end{array}
 \quad
 L_D = \begin{pmatrix} B_{-\frac{1}{3}} & T' \\ B_{-\frac{4}{3}} & B' \end{pmatrix}$$

$D$

Corrections to SM couplings of down quarks are small and zero for right quarks.

## Yukawa couplings

$$(y^U)_{SM} = \lambda_q \cdot Y^U \cdot \lambda_u$$

Even with proto-Yukawa  $Y^U$  of strong sector anarchic, can generate masses and CKM by **hierarchical mixings**.

# Requirement to reproduce CKM fixes LH mixing

$$F_{Q_1}/F_{Q_3} \sim \theta_{13} \sim \lambda^3$$

$$F_{Q_2}/F_{Q_3} \sim \theta_{23} \sim \lambda^2$$

predict cabbibo angle

$$\theta_{12} \sim F_{Q_1}/F_{Q_2} \sim F_{Q_1}/F_{Q_3} \cdot F_{Q_3}/F_{Q_2} \sim \lambda \quad \checkmark$$

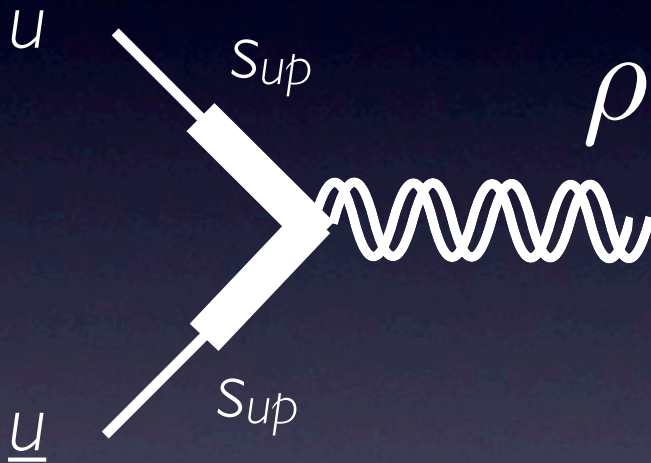
- Light generations mostly elementary
- Top strongly composite

Flavor hierarchies can be dynamically generated if the composite sector is conformal.

**Signatures**

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Resonance production (option 1)

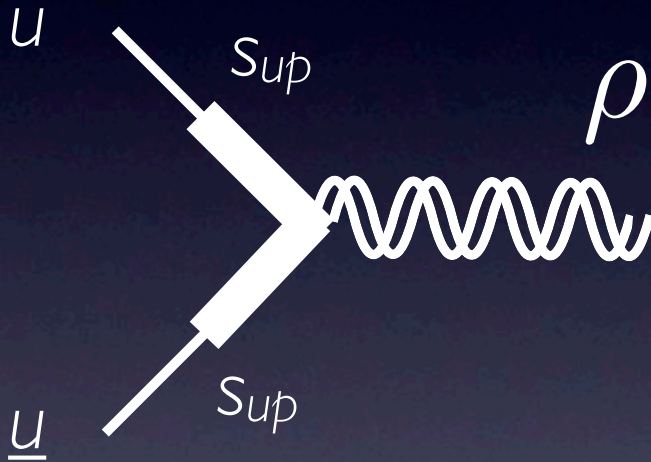


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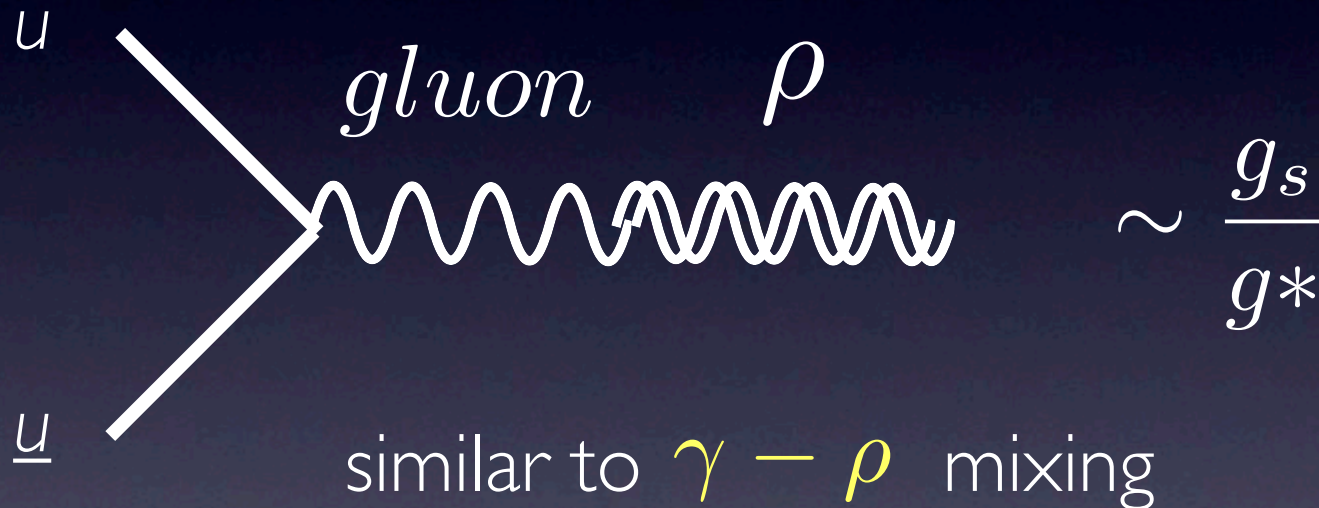
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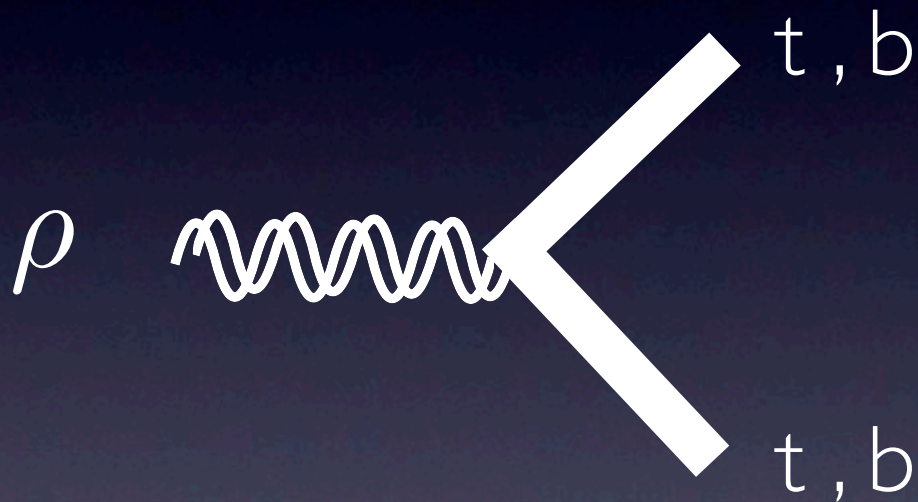
## Resonance production (option 2)



NB, gluon-rho-rho = 0

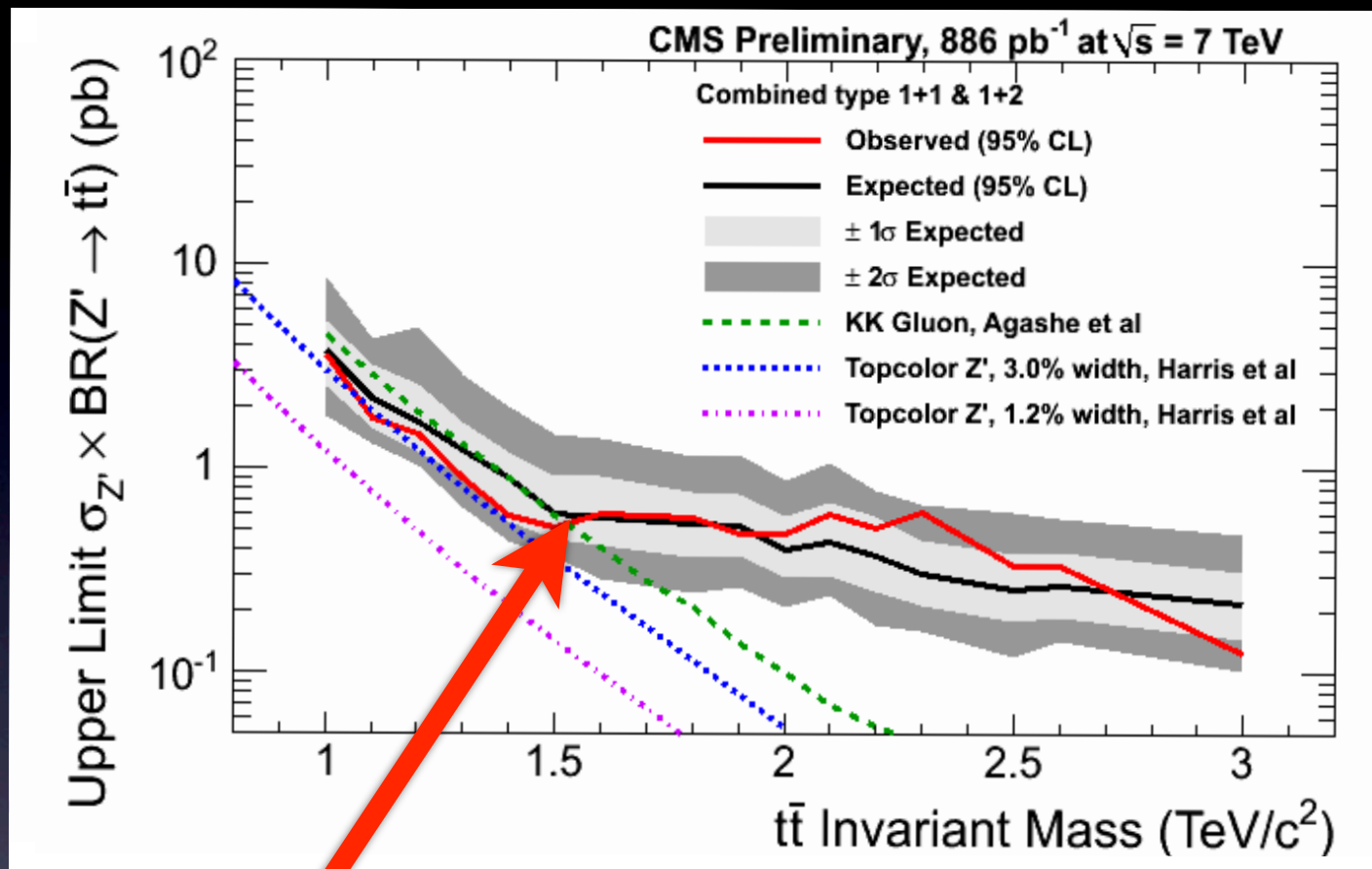


# Resonance decay



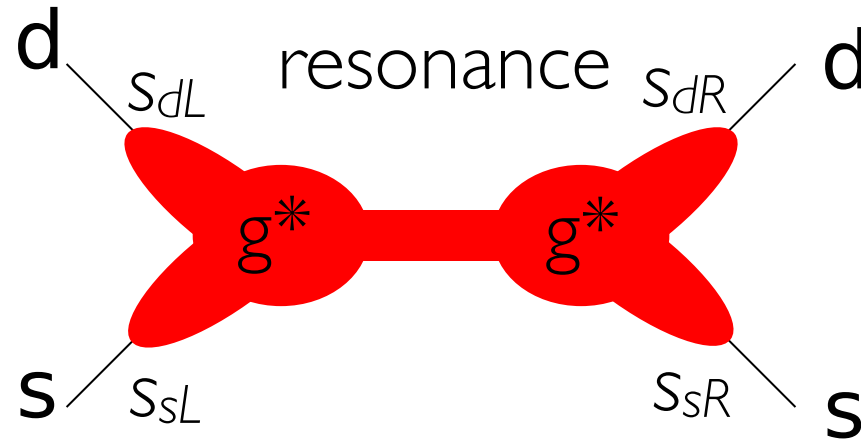
decays dominantly  
into 3rd generation  
( $tt$ ,  $bt$ ,  $bb$ ,  $TT$ ,  $Tt$ ) &  
Higgs

Agashe et al, Lillie et al,  
Bini, et al; Barcelo et al;  
Contino, Servant; Mrazek, Wulzer;



$M > 1.5 \text{ TeV @ } 95\text{CL}$

**FCNCs**



Csaki, Falkowski, AW

$$\sim \frac{g_\rho^2}{m_\rho^2} S_{dL} S_{dR} S_{sL} S_{sR} \quad \text{with } m_d \sim v S_{dL} Y S_{dR}$$

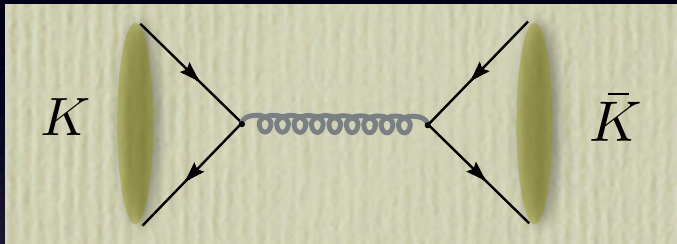
$$\sim \frac{g_\rho^2}{m_\rho^2} \frac{m_d m_s}{v^2 Y^2}$$

good, but not perfect...

# CP problem

Csaki, Falkowski, AW; Buras et al; Casagrande et al

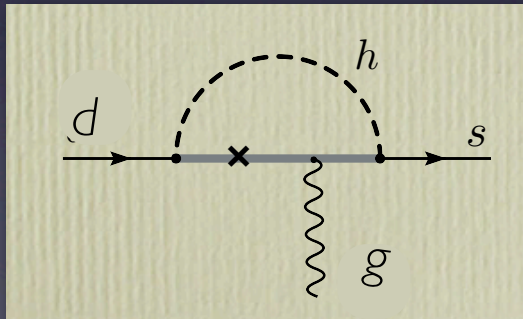
$\Delta F = 2$  (strongest from  $\epsilon_K$ )



$$M_* \gtrsim 10 \left( \frac{g_*}{Y_*} \right) \text{TeV}$$

$\Delta F = 1$  (constraint from  $\epsilon'/\epsilon$ )

Gedalia et. al



$$M_* \gtrsim 1.3 Y_* \text{TeV}$$

Even if one resolves the most severe FCNC constraint ( $\epsilon_K$ ), EDMs are still a problem:

$$\Delta F = 0 \quad \text{neutron EDM}$$

$$M_* \geq 2.5 Y_* \text{ TeV}$$

Agashe et. al, Delaunay et. al, Redi, AW

Combined Limit  $\geq 10 \text{ TeV}$

# Flavor transparent strong sector

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See also:

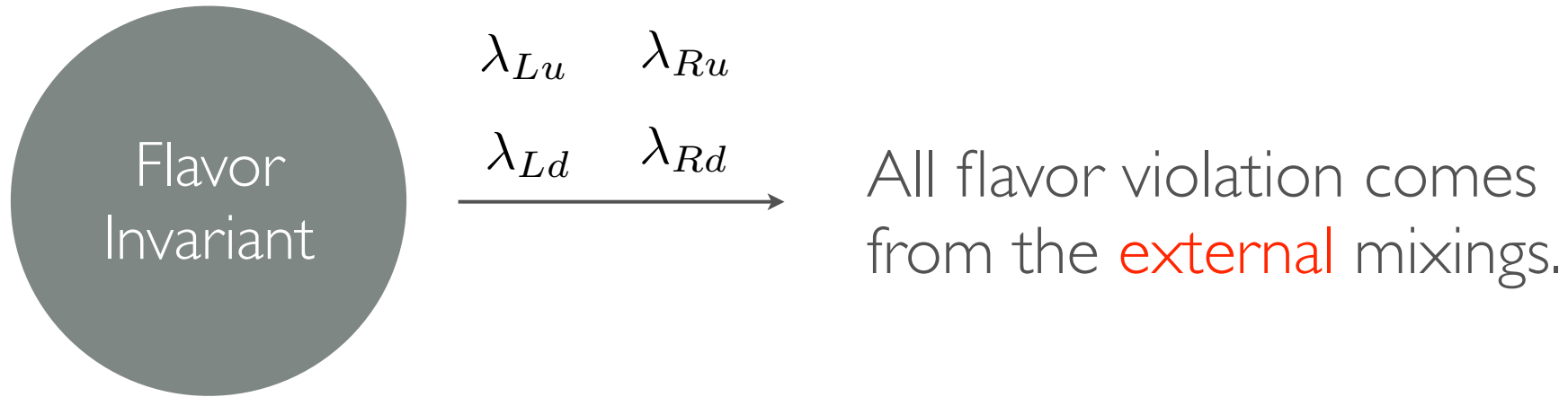
Rattazzi-Zaffaroni '01

Cacciapaglia, Csaki, Galloway, Marandella, Terning, AW. '07

Barbieri, Isidori, Pappadopulo '08

Delaunay, Gedalia, Lee, Perez, Ponton '11

Composite sector is trivial w.r.t flavor



$$y_u \propto \lambda_{Lu} \lambda_{Ru}$$

$$y_d \propto \lambda_{Ld} \lambda_{Rd}$$

Simple realization of Minimal Flavor Violation:

mixings  $\sim$  SM Yukawas



- Left-handed compositeness:

$$\begin{array}{ll}
 \lambda_{Lu} \propto Id, & \lambda_{Ld} \propto Id \\
 \lambda_{Ru} \propto y_u, & \lambda_{Rd} \propto y_d
 \end{array}
 + \begin{array}{l}
 SU(3)_F \\
 L_U, L_D, U, D \in 3_F
 \end{array}$$

- Right-handed compositeness:

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 \lambda_{Ru} \propto Id, & \lambda_{Rd} \propto Id
 \end{array}
 + \begin{array}{l}
 SU(3)_U \otimes SU(3)_D \\
 L_U, U \in (3, 1) \quad L_D, D \in (1, 3)
 \end{array}$$

MFV



Mixing of one chirality of light quarks is large.

Flavor bounds are automatically satisfied.  
No EDMs are generated to leading order.

LEP bounds,

$$R_b = \frac{\Gamma(Z \rightarrow b\bar{b})}{\Gamma(Z \rightarrow q\bar{q})} = .21629 \pm .00066$$

$$R_h = \frac{\Gamma(Z \rightarrow q\bar{q})}{\Gamma(Z \rightarrow \mu\bar{\mu})} = 20.767 \pm .025$$

Modified couplings strongly constrained

$$\frac{\delta R_h}{R_h} \approx .57 \frac{\delta g_{Lu}}{g_{Lu}} + .11 \frac{\delta g_{Ru}}{g_{Ru}} + 1.28 \frac{\delta g_{Ld}}{g_{Ld}} + .04 \frac{\delta g_{Rd}}{g_{Rd}}$$



$$\frac{\delta g_{Lu}}{g_{Lu}} < .002$$

$$\frac{\delta g_{Ru}}{g_{Ru}} < .01$$

$$\frac{\delta g_{Ld}}{g_{Ld}} < .001$$

$$\frac{\delta g_{Rd}}{g_{Rd}} < .02$$

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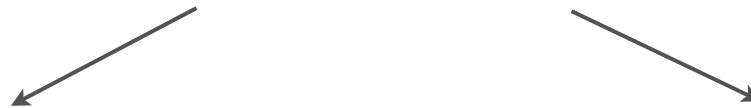
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Similar bound is found from unitarity of CKM

$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 \approx 1 - .7 \frac{\delta g_{Lu}}{g_{Lu}}$$

$$|V_{ud}|^2 + |V_{us}|^2 + |V_{ub}|^2 = .9999 \pm .0012$$

# LH COMPOSITENESS:

$$\delta g \sim \frac{Y^2 v^2}{2 m_\rho^2} \sin^2 \varphi_q^2$$

$$\frac{\delta g_{Lu}}{g_{Lu}} < .002$$

$$\xrightarrow{m_t}$$

$$\sin \varphi_{t_R} \geq 35 \frac{m_t}{m_\rho}$$

Strongly constrained and only possible if tR is composite.

# RH COMPOSITENESS:

## No bounds from LEP!

Main constraint from recent di-jet searches,

$$\mathcal{L}_{4-Fermi} = \frac{2\pi}{\Lambda^2} (\bar{q}_L \gamma^\mu q_L)^2 \quad \text{LHC: } \Lambda > 6 \text{ TeV}$$

$$\frac{g_\rho^2}{4m_\rho^2} \sin^4 \varphi_{qR} \left( \bar{q}_{R\alpha}^i \gamma^\mu q_{R\beta}^i \bar{q}_{R\beta}^j \gamma_\mu q_{R\alpha}^j \right) \xrightarrow{\text{COMPOSITENESS}} \sin^2 \varphi_{qR} \leq \frac{2}{g_\rho} \left( \frac{m_\rho}{3 \text{ TeV}} \right)$$

Large or full compositeness is still allowed with  $m_\rho = 3 \text{ TeV}$

If RH quarks are fully composite: MFV follows automatically from the flavor symmetry.

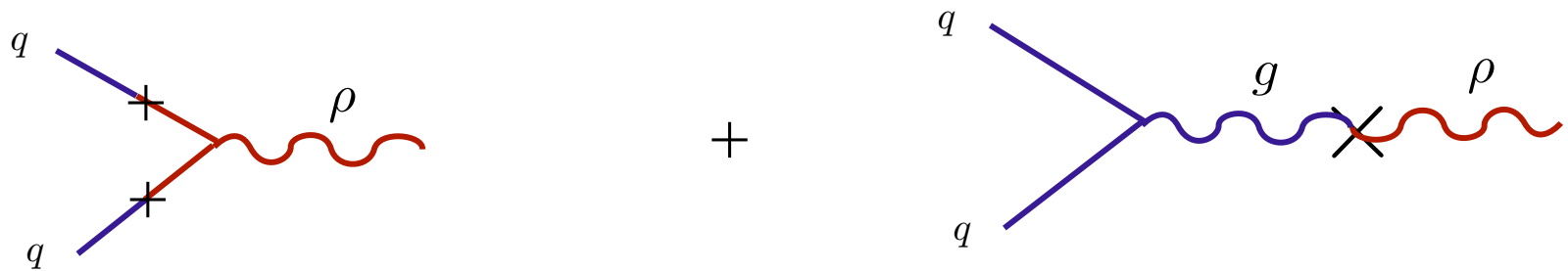
(Only two possible mixings with strong sector).

# LHC phenomenology

- 1) Proton is 1/2 composite!
- 2) Decay pattern change



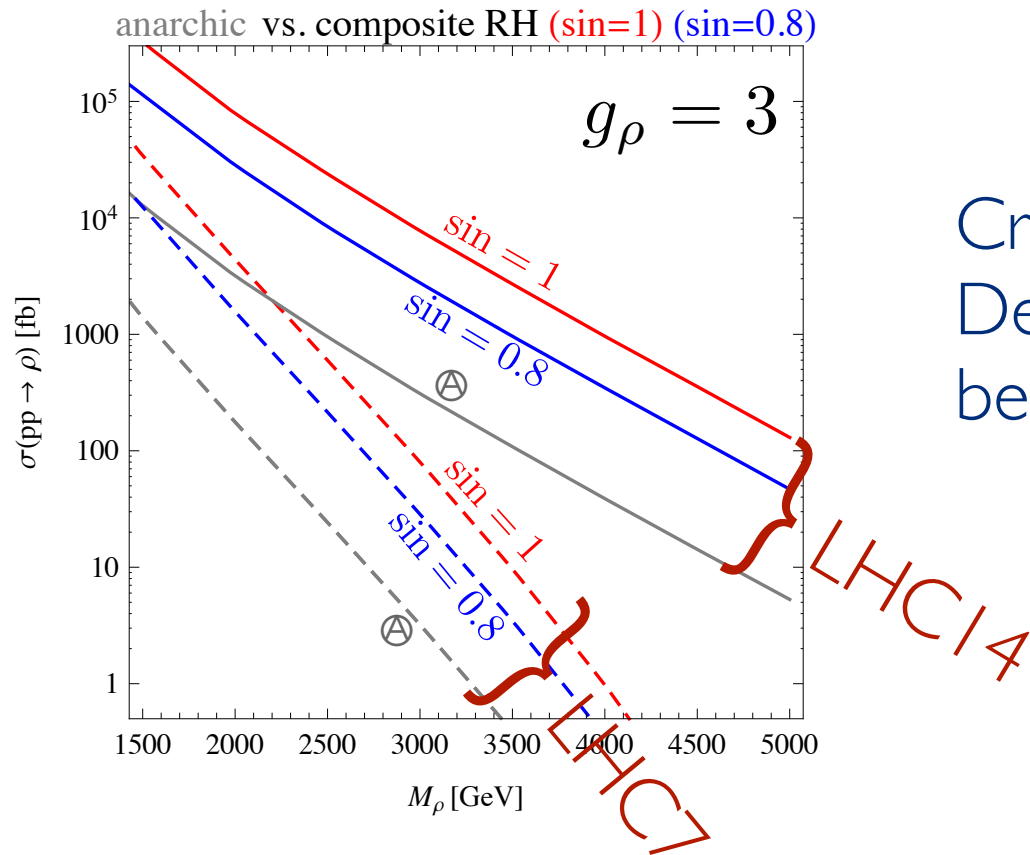
Spin-1: gluon, electro-weak, flavor resonances



$$g_{\rho\bar{q}q} = g(\sin^2 \varphi \cot \theta - \cos^2 \varphi \tan \theta)$$

First term easily dominates for RH compositeness.

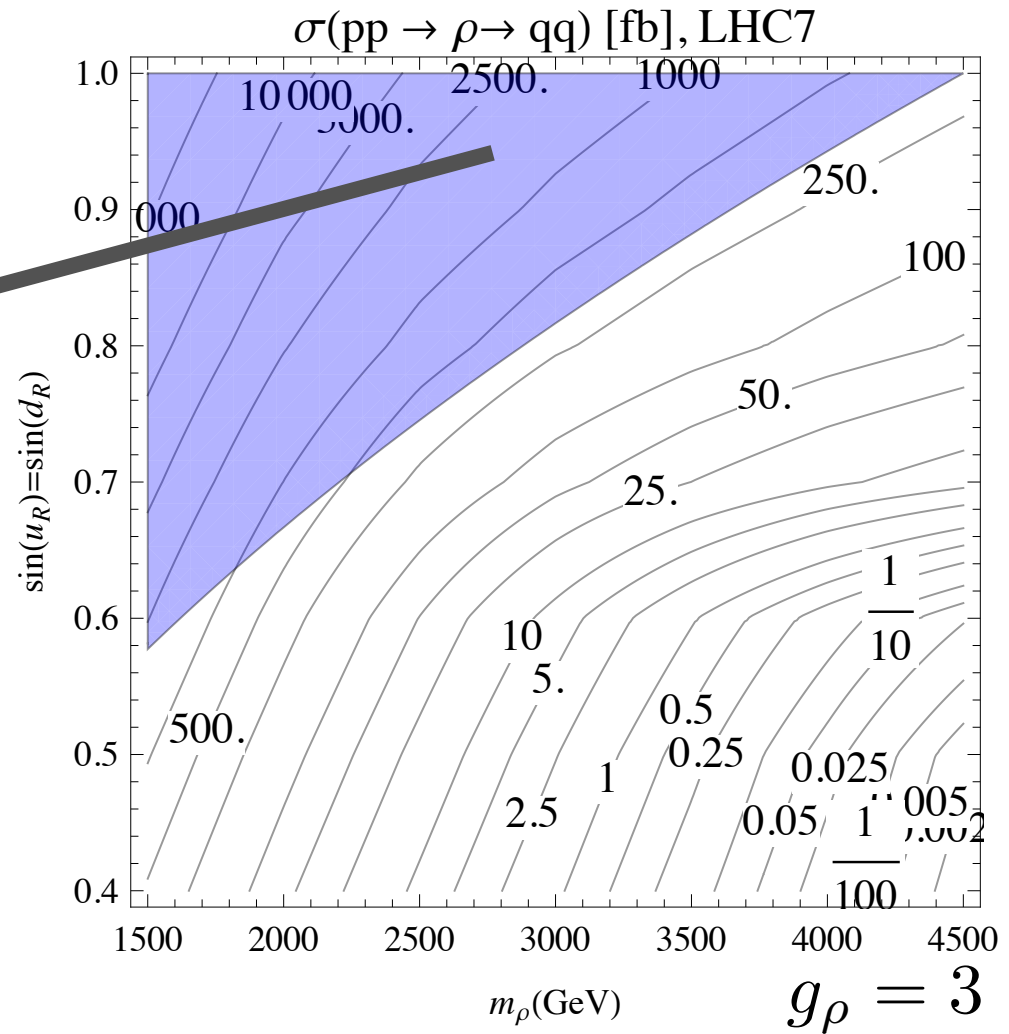
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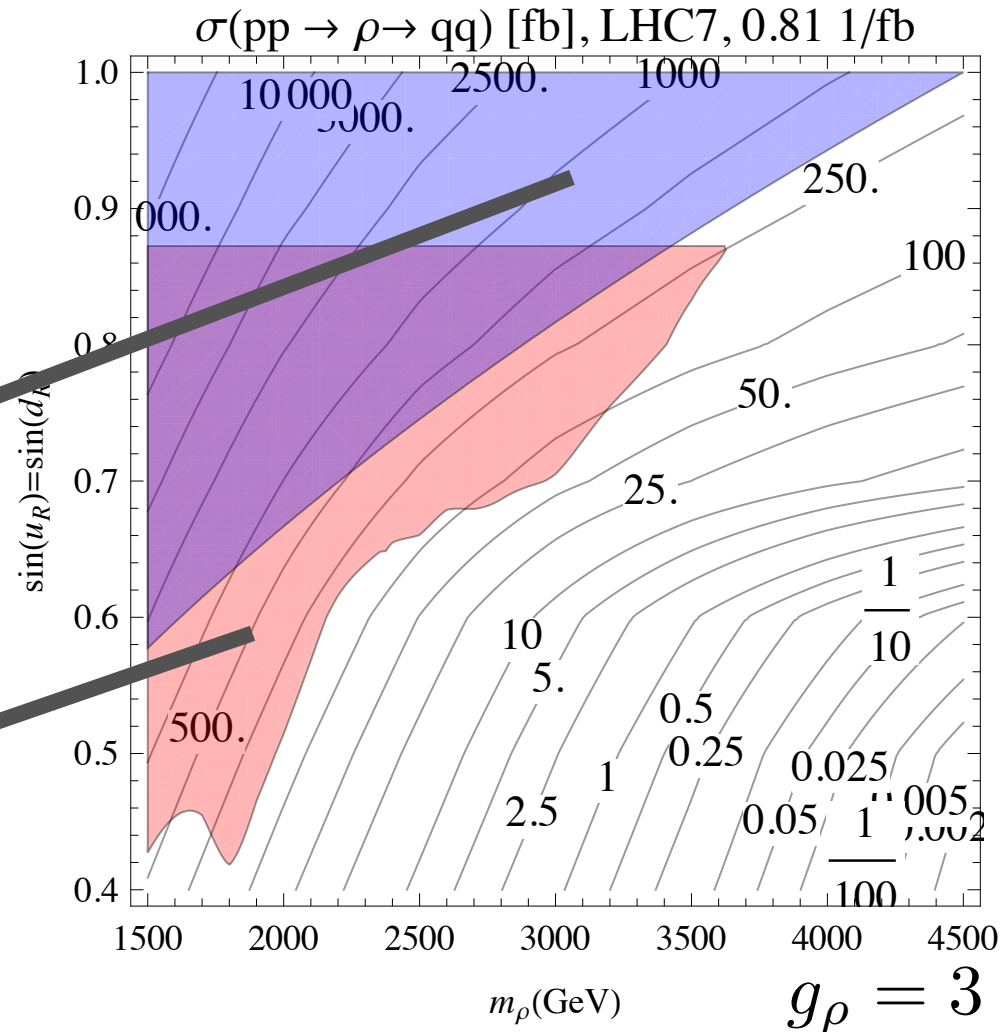
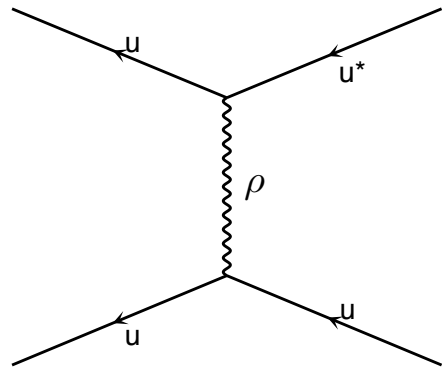
Cross-sections  $> O(10)$  larger.  
Decay into light generation can  
be important.

LHC7 bounds already relevant:

Di-jet bounds 35/pb  
Compositeness



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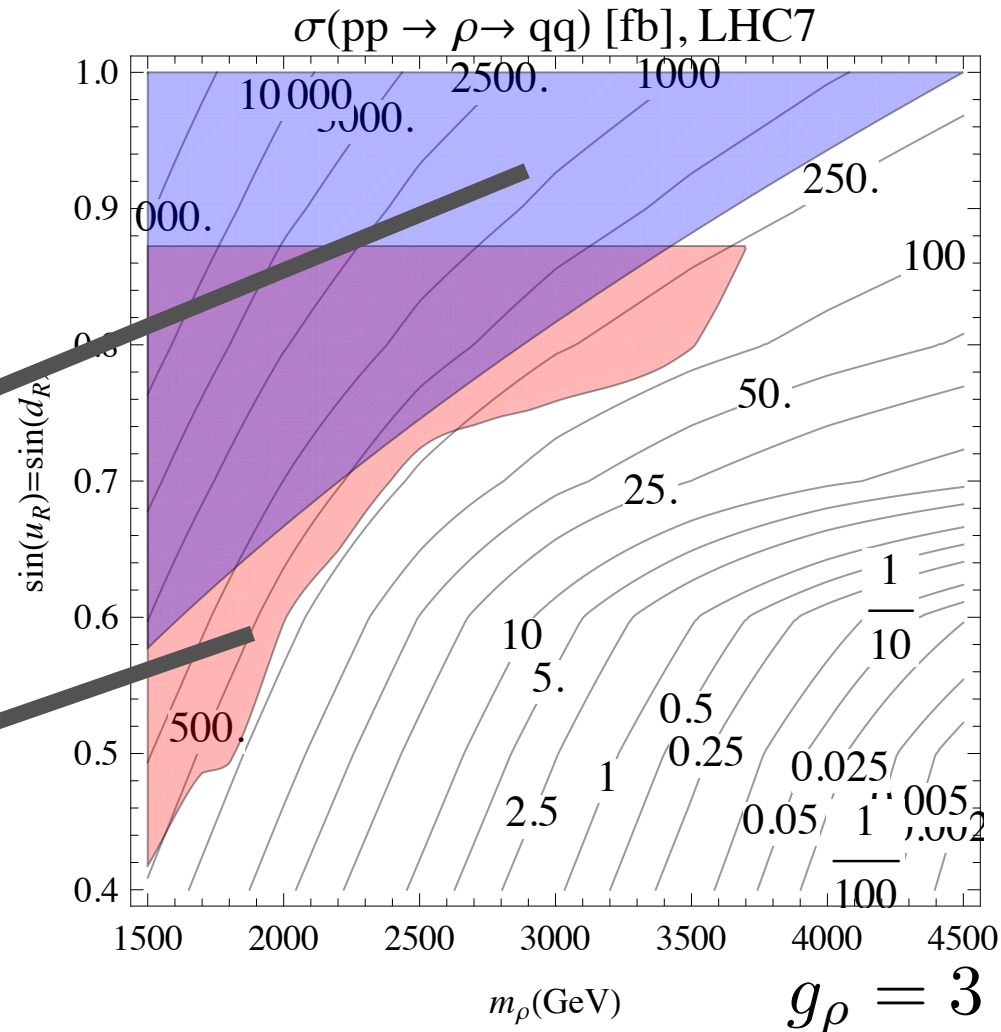
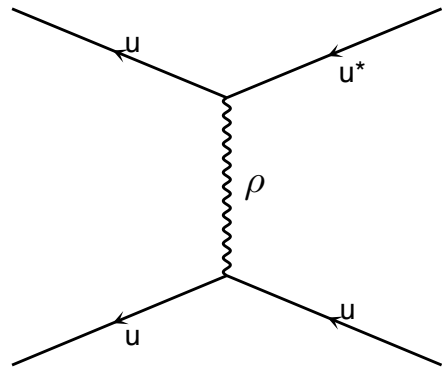


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**Bump** search 810/pb

Expected signals in di-jet.

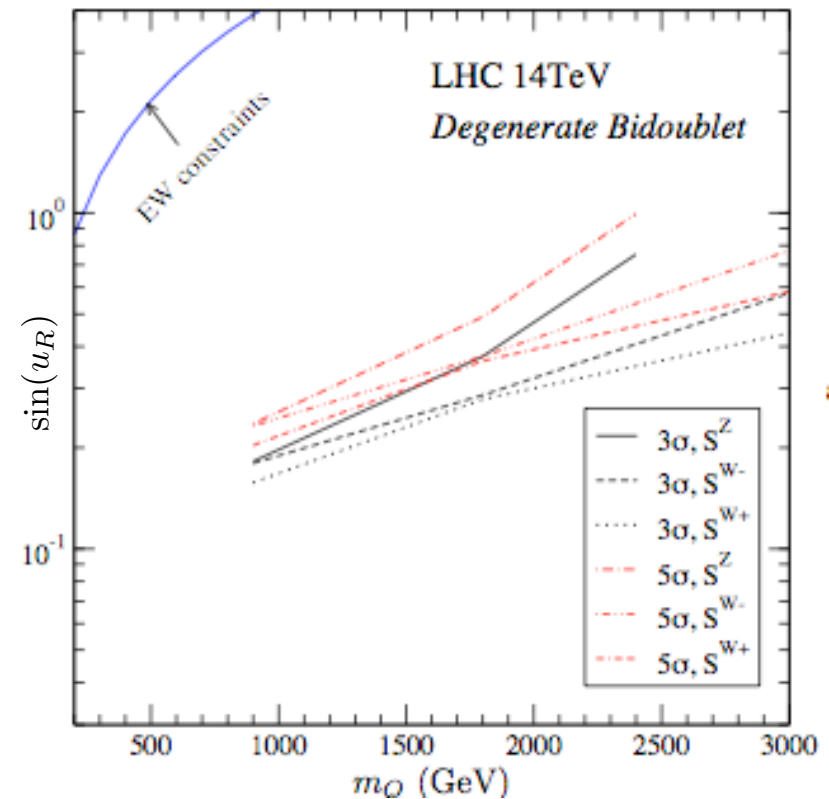
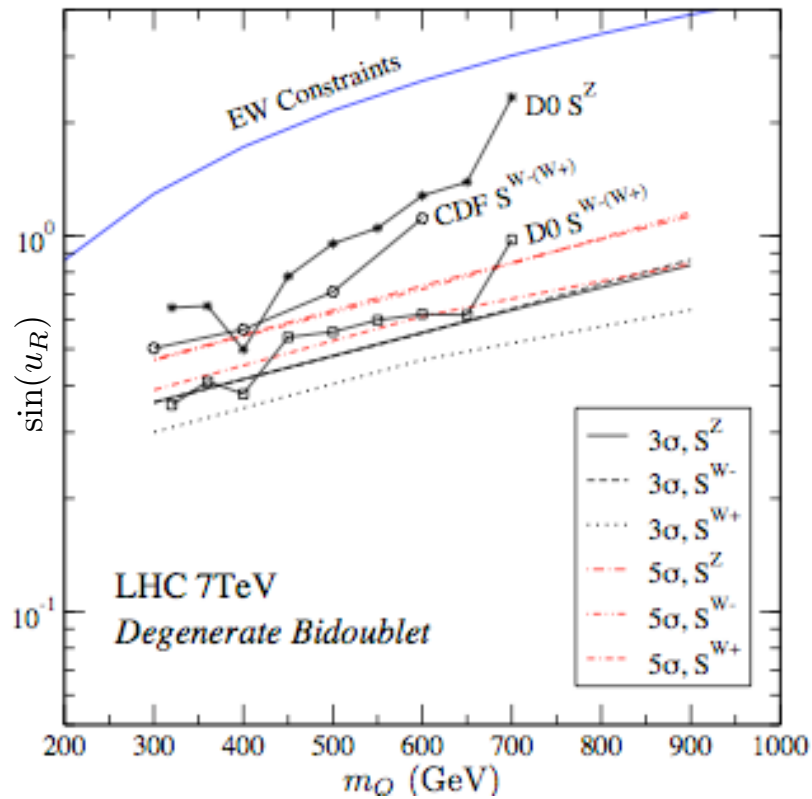
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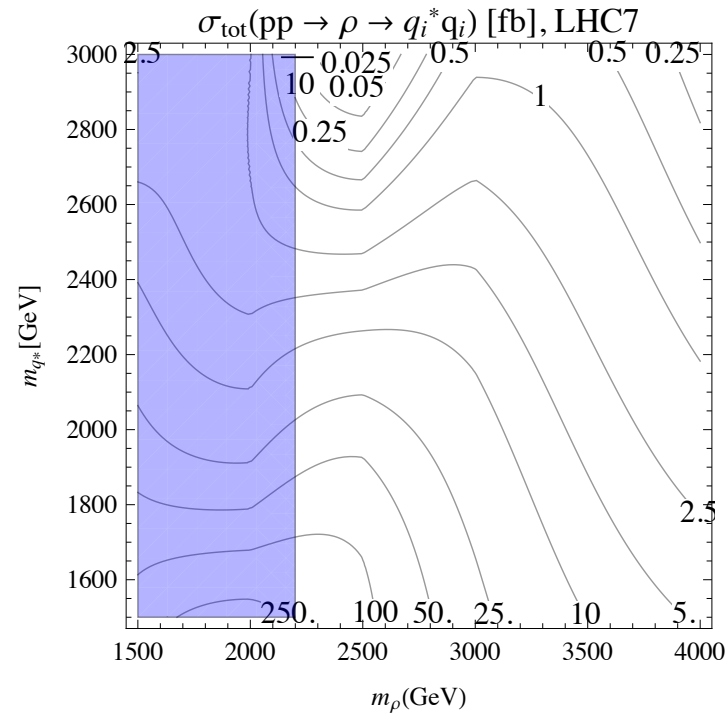
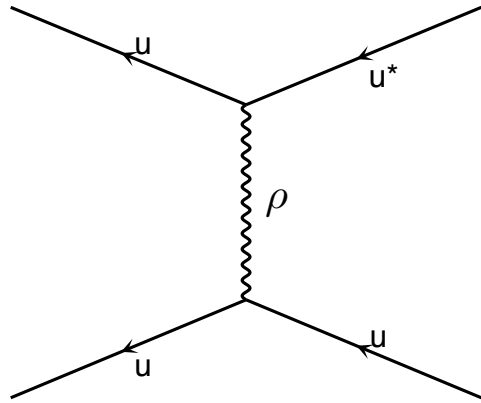
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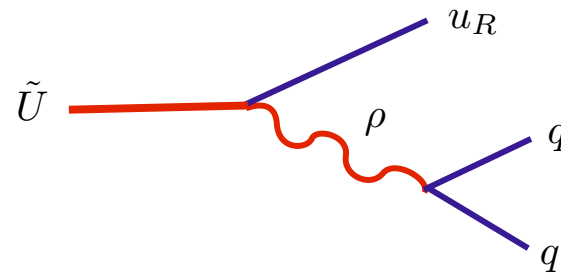
Atre, Azuelos, Carena, Han,  
Ozcan, Santiago, Unel '11

LHC searches could probe fermions up to 1 TeV.  
LHC14 will either discover or exclude the model.

# Right quark partners produced by resonance exchange.



$$g_\rho = 3, \sin \varphi_{u_R} = .7, \sin \varphi_{d_R} = 1/6$$



MR, Sanz, Weiler, in progress

3-4 jet final states.

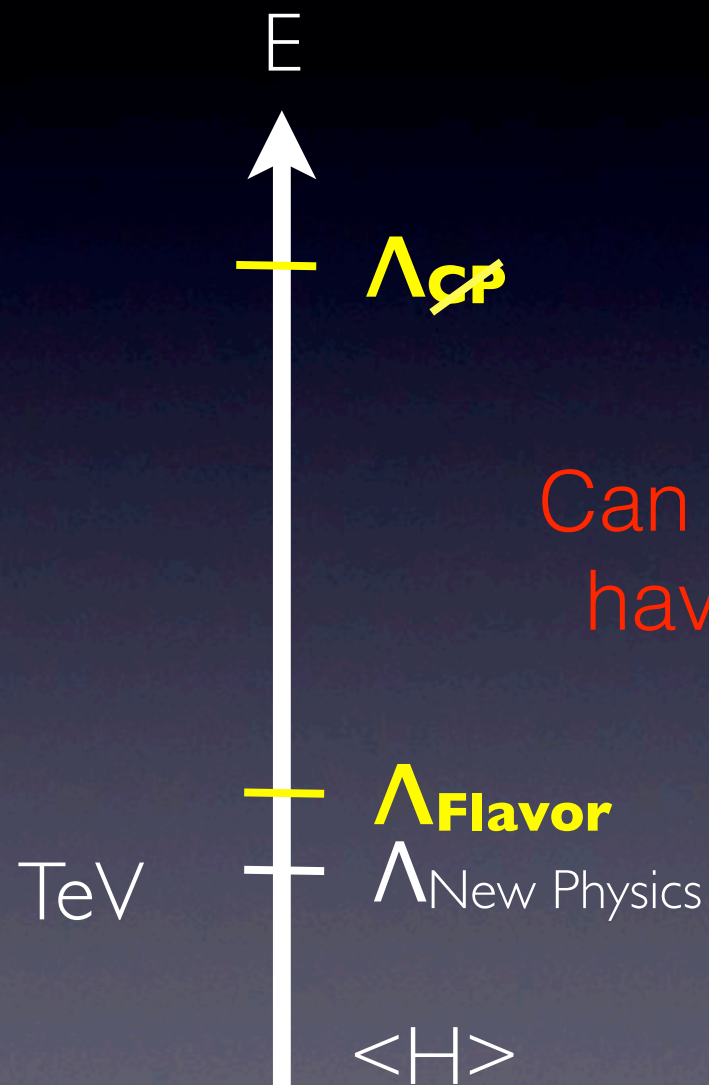
Can we keep the explanation  
of flavor while evading the CP bounds?



# Minimal CP Violation

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# Sequestering CP & Flavor



Can Flavor and CPV  
have separate origins?

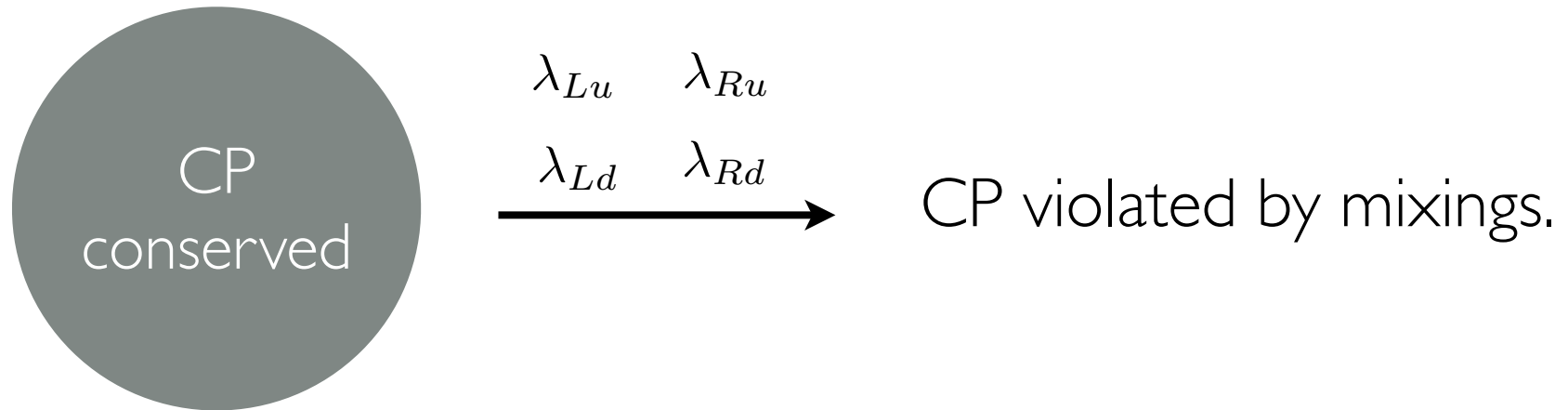
# CP and Flavor linked in SM

Jarlskog determinant measure of CPV

$$\det \left( \left[ M_u M_u^\dagger, M_d M_d^\dagger \right] \right) =$$
$$-2i(m_t^2 - m_c^2)(m_t^2 - m_u^2)(m_c^2 - m_u^2) \times$$
$$(m_b^2 - m_d^2)(m_b^2 - m_s^2)(m_s^2 - m_d^2) s_1 s_2 s_3 c_1 c_2^2 c_3 \sin \delta$$

O(1) CP phase :  $\sin \delta \sim 1$

## Composite sector CP invariant



Composite Yukawas anarchic real matrices:  
compatible with anarchic generation of flavor.

CP violation can be induced by left mixings

$$y_u = e^{i\vec{\alpha}} \cdot \lambda_{Lu} \cdot Y^U \cdot \lambda_{Ru} \quad \vec{\alpha} = (\alpha_1, \alpha_2, \alpha_3)$$

$$y_d = \lambda_{Ld} \cdot Y^D \cdot \lambda_{Rd}$$

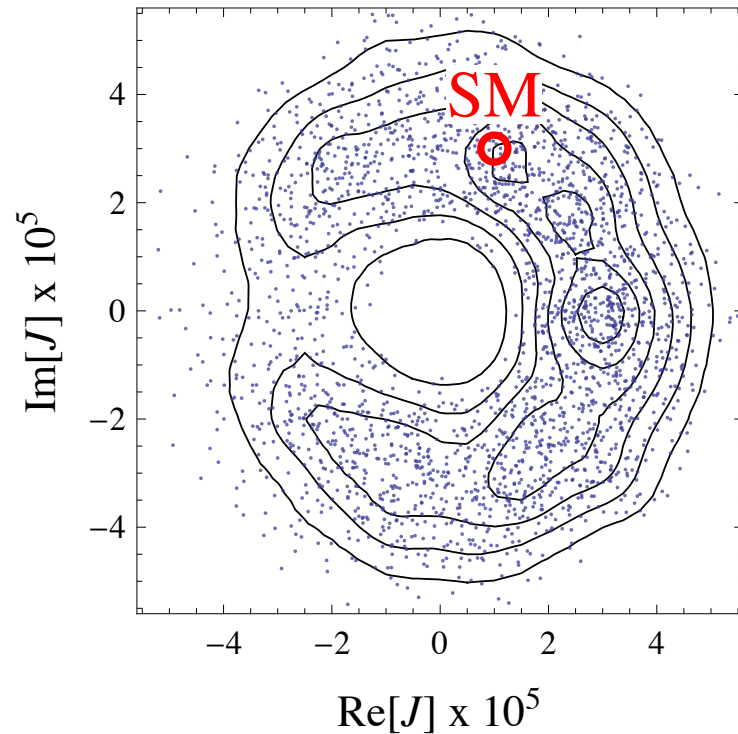
**CPV spurion**

[everything real]

Diagonalization matrices:

$$\begin{aligned} U_L &= e^{i\vec{\alpha}} \cdot V_{Lu} \\ D_L &= V_{Ld} \end{aligned} \quad \longrightarrow \quad V^{CKM} = V_{Lu}^T \cdot e^{-i\vec{\alpha}} \cdot V_{Ld}$$

# O(1) CKM phase generated

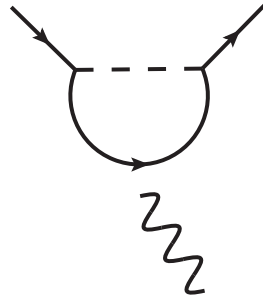


$$J = V_{12}^{CKM} V_{23}^{CKM} (V_{13}^{CKM})^* (V_{22}^{CKM})^*$$

average Jarlskog

$$\langle J \rangle = 2 \times 10^{-5} \quad (J_{SM} = 3 \times 10^{-5})$$

No EDMs at leading order:



$$d_d \sim \frac{1}{32\pi^2} \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}m_\rho^2} \text{Im} \left[ D_L^\dagger \cdot f_{Ld} \cdot Y^D \cdot Y^{D\dagger} \cdot Y^D \cdot f_{Rd}^\dagger \cdot D_R \right]_{11}$$

Rotate into basis with phases in  $\tilde{Y}$ .

$\tilde{Y}$  do not contribute to EDM.

FCNC model dependent.

Severely suppressed CP violation in light generations if the CP phase induced through top mixing

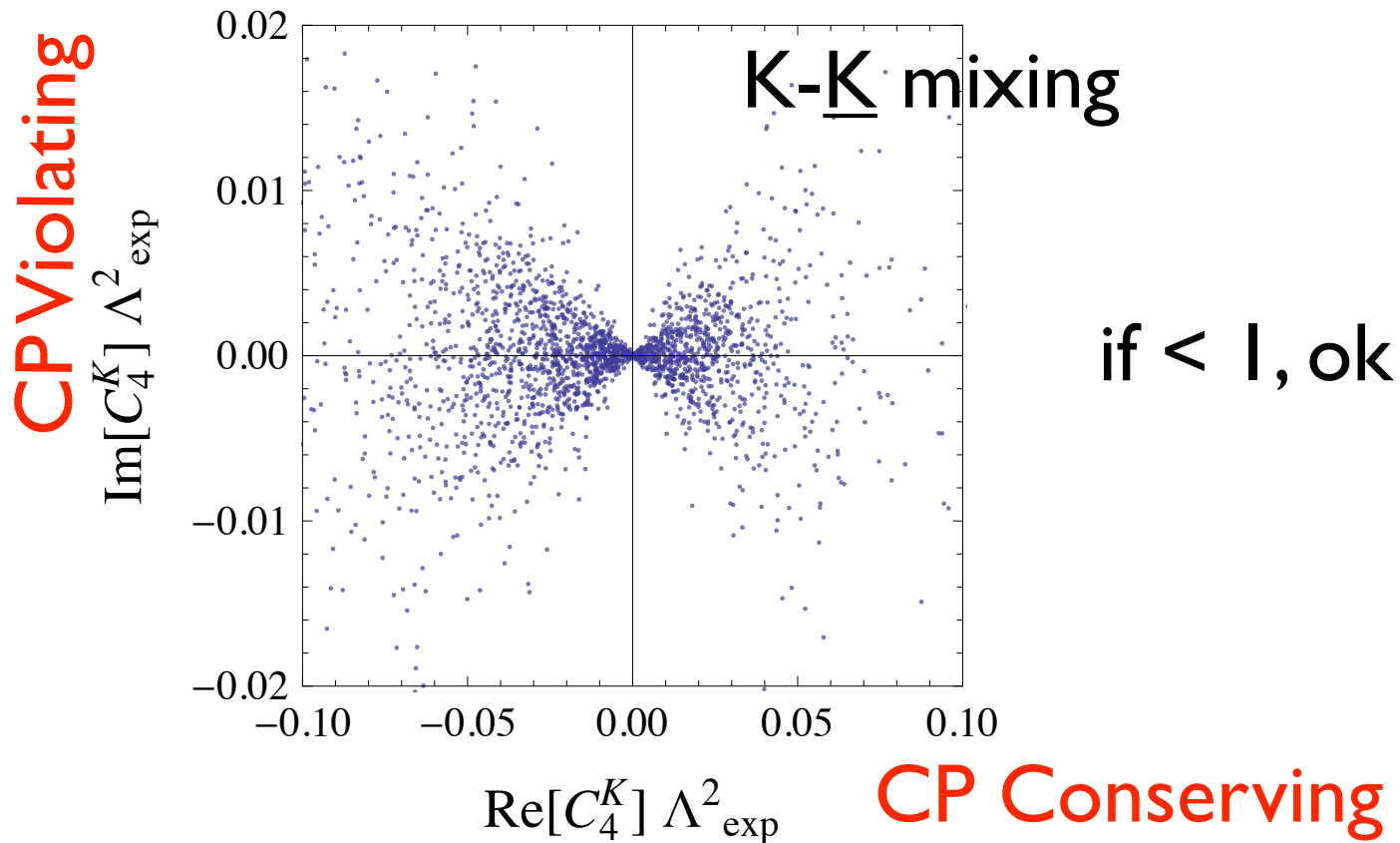
$$\vec{\alpha} \sim (0, 0, 1)$$

Flavor bounds easily satisfied.



# Numerical Example

$m_\rho$ (GeV)	$g_\rho$	$Y^U$	$Y^D$	$\sin \varphi_{t_L}$	$\sin \varphi_{t_R}$	$\sin \varphi_{b_L}$	$\sin \varphi_{b_R}$
3000	3	3.1	3.2	0.5	0.75	0.125	0.035



All points allowed (vs. almost none in the anarchic case.)

# CONCLUSIONS

- Flavor problems in composite Higgs models can be solved if the composite sector is flavor (or CP) invariant.
- MFV requires some light quarks to be composite. RH compositeness is weakly constrained, allowing large compositeness of light quarks.
- RH compositeness is extra-visible at LHC and signals could be seen at LHC7.