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Composite Dynamics in the Early Universe

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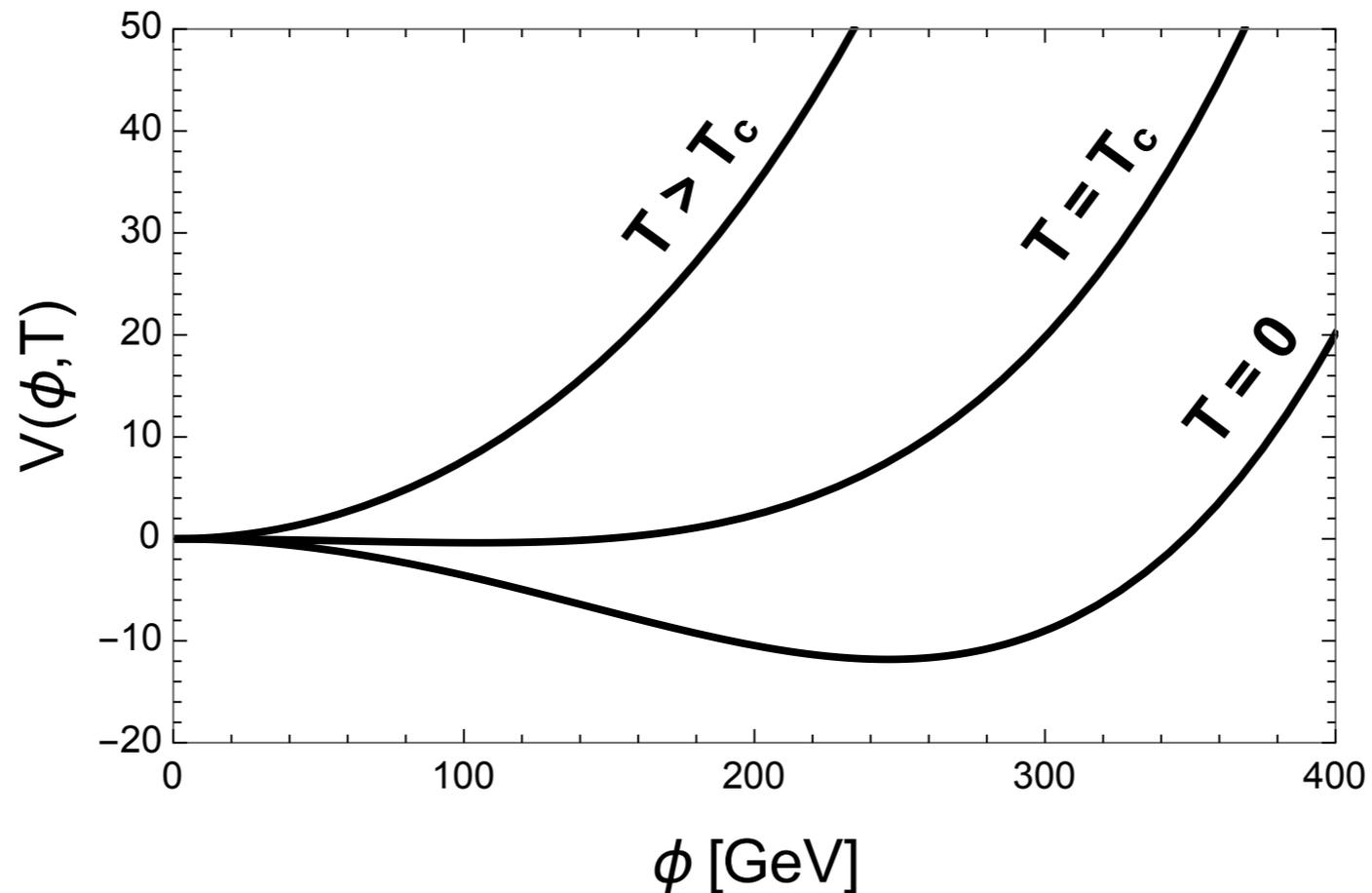
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Outline

- ☑ The Standard Model (and beyond) at finite temperature
- ☑ The ElectroWeak Phase Transition
- ☑ Composite Higgs models at finite temperature
- ☑ Gravitational wave spectrum and baryogenesis

The Standard Model at finite temperature



- ☑ The SM phase transition is a smooth crossover
- ☑ The EW symmetry is restored at $T > T_c$
- ☑ Different scenario if $m_h \lesssim 70$ GeV

The effective potential at finite temperature

$$V_{eff}(\phi, T) = V_0(\phi) + V_1(\phi) + V_1^T(\phi, T) + V_{ring}^T(\phi, T)$$

finite temperature one-loop corrections

$$V_1^T(\phi, T) = \sum_b \frac{n_b T^4}{2\pi^2} J_B \left(\frac{m_b^2(\phi)}{T^2} \right) + \sum_f \frac{n_f T^4}{2\pi^2} J_F \left(\frac{m_f^2(\phi)}{T^2} \right)$$

the thermal integrals $J_{B,F}(y) = \pm \int_0^\infty dx x^2 \log \left[1 \mp e^{-\sqrt{x^2 + y}} \right]$

resummation of daisy diagrams

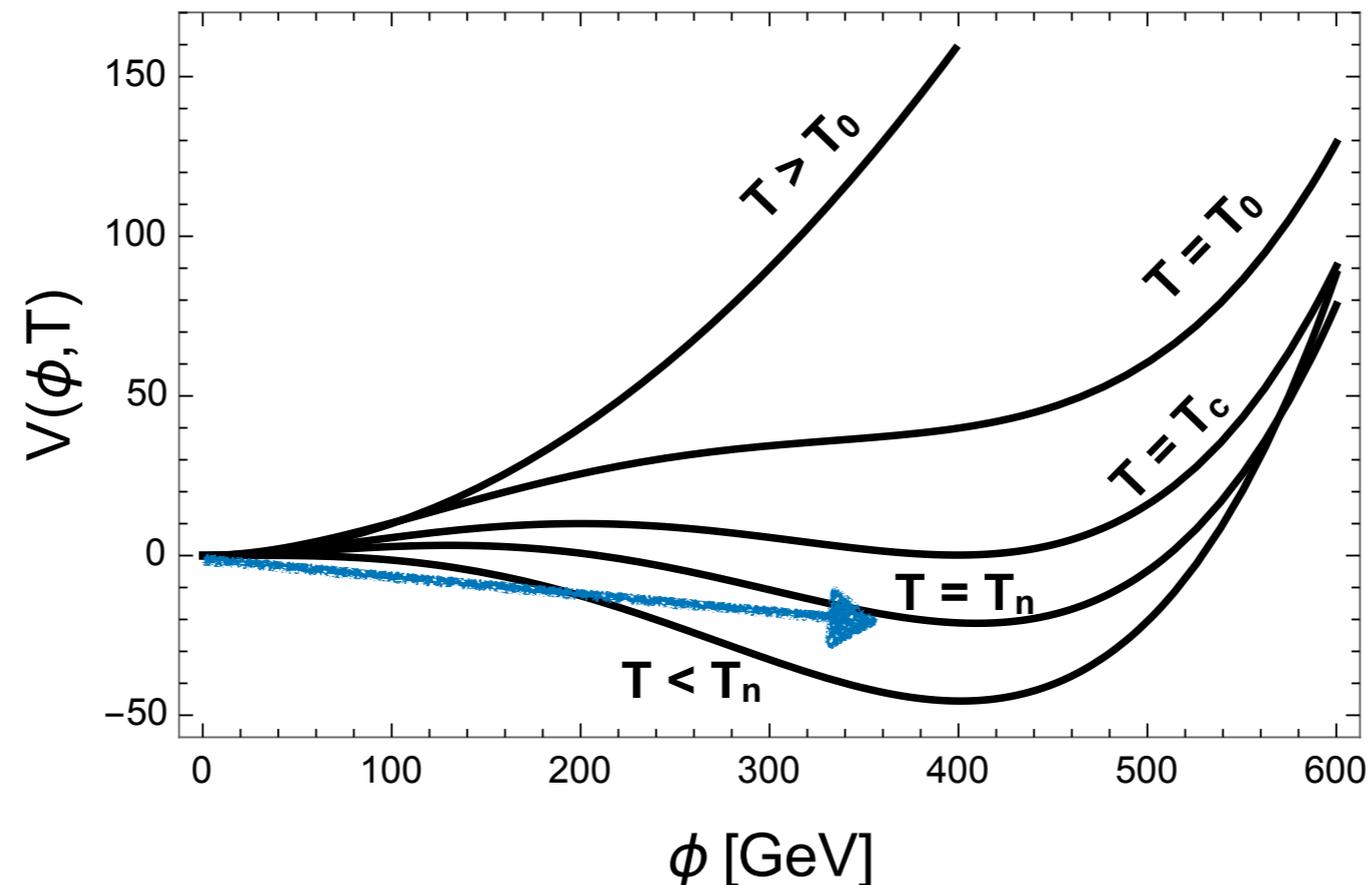
$$V_{ring}^T(\phi, T) = \sum_b \frac{n_b T}{12\pi} \left[m_b^3(\phi) - (m_b^2(\phi) + \Pi_b(T))^{3/2} \right]$$

high-temperature expansion

$$J_B(y) = -\frac{\pi^4}{45} + \frac{\pi^2}{12} y - \frac{\pi}{6} y^{3/2} + \dots$$

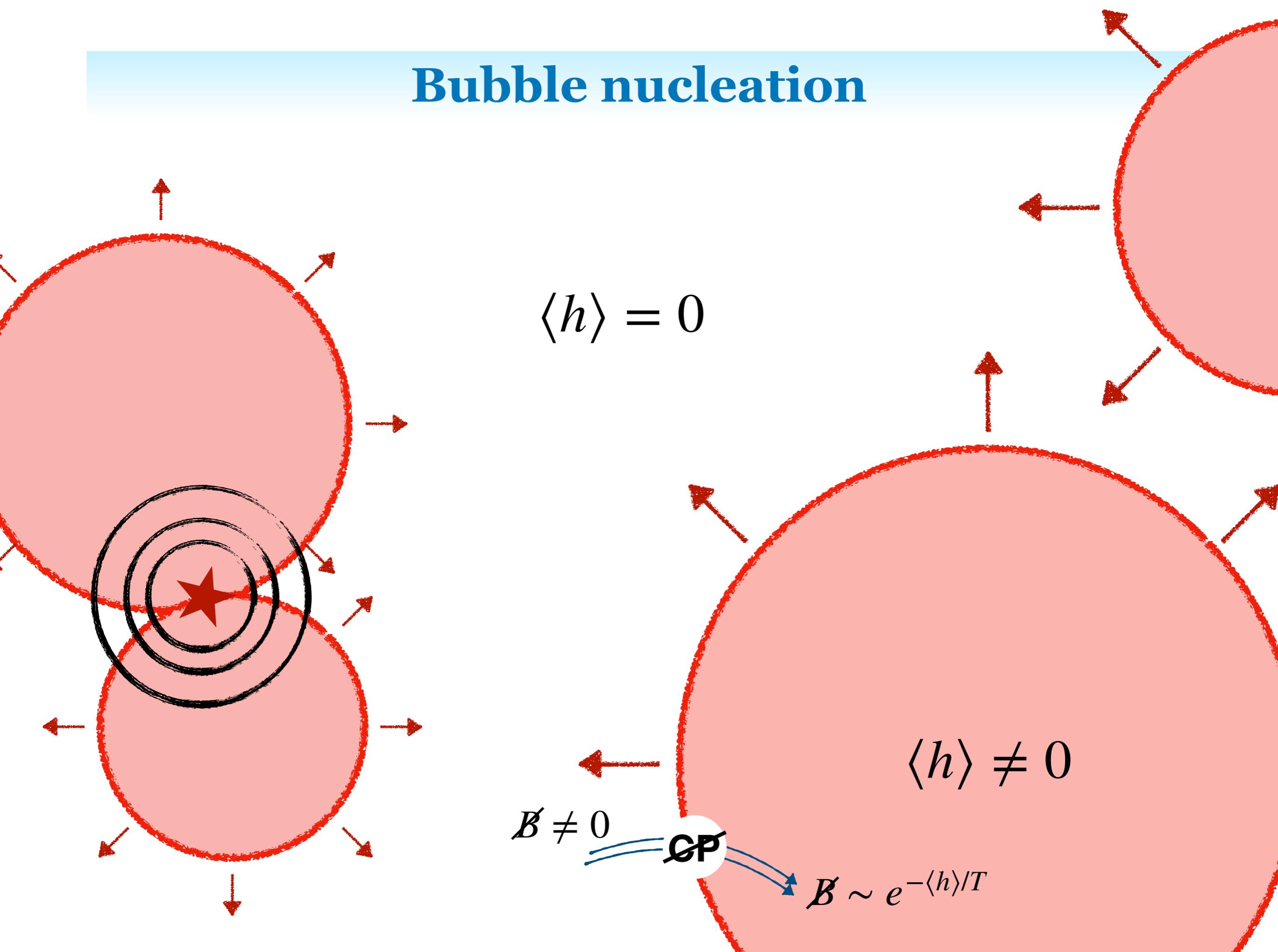
$$J_F(y) = -\frac{7\pi^4}{360} + \frac{\pi^2}{24} y + \dots$$

New Physics at finite temperature



- ☑ The EW symmetry is restored at $T > T_0$, below T_0 a new (local) minimum appears
- ☑ At a critical T_c the two minima are degenerate and separated by a barrier (two phases coexist)
- ☑ The transition starts at the nucleation temperature $T_n < T_c$

Bubble nucleation



$$\langle h \rangle = 0$$

$$\langle h \rangle \neq 0$$

$$\mathcal{B} \neq 0$$

CP

$$\mathcal{B} \sim e^{-\langle h \rangle / T}$$

A barrier in the effective potential

☑ Tree level effects

- ☐ renormalizable terms: *new scalars coupling to the Higgs* $\lambda_{h\eta} h^2 \eta^2$
- ☐ non-renormalizable operators: $c |H|^6$

☑ Thermal effects

$$V(h, T) \simeq \frac{1}{2}(-\mu_h^2 + cT^2)h^2 + \frac{\lambda}{4}h^4 - ETh^3$$

- E gets contributions from all the bosonic dof coupled to the Higgs
- E arises from the non-analyticity of $J_B(y)$ at $y = 0$

typical BSM scenario realising 1st order EWPhT: light stops in the MSSM

☑ $T = 0$ loop effects:

large loop corrections from the Coleman-Weinberg potential can generate $h^4 \log h^2$

**New Physics
in the Higgs sector**

**First order
phase transitions**

**Gravitational wave
spectrum**

EW Baryogenesis

DM candidate

**deviations in the
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Collider - cosmology synergy

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*observables at
future interferometers*

**deviations in the
Higgs couplings**

*observables at
future colliders*

EW Baryogenesis

First order phase transitions

key parameters

☑ Nucleation probability (per unit time and volume) **P**: $P = T^4 e^{-S_3/T}$

☑ Nucleation temperature **T_n**:

$$\int_{T_n}^{\infty} \frac{dT}{T} V_H^4 P \simeq O(1) \quad \text{for phase transitions at the EW scale}$$

$S_3/T_n \approx 140$

☑ Vacuum expectation value in the broken phase at T_n: **v_n**

☑ Vacuum energy released in the plasma: $\alpha = \epsilon/\rho_{rad}$

☑ Time duration of the phase transition: **β/H_n**

$$\frac{\beta}{H_n} = T \left. \frac{d}{dT} \frac{S_3}{T} \right|_{T_n}$$

**extracted from the solution
of the bounce equation**

☑ Bubble wall velocity: **v_w**

highly non-trivial: requires hydrodynamics
modelling of the bubble wall moving in the plasma

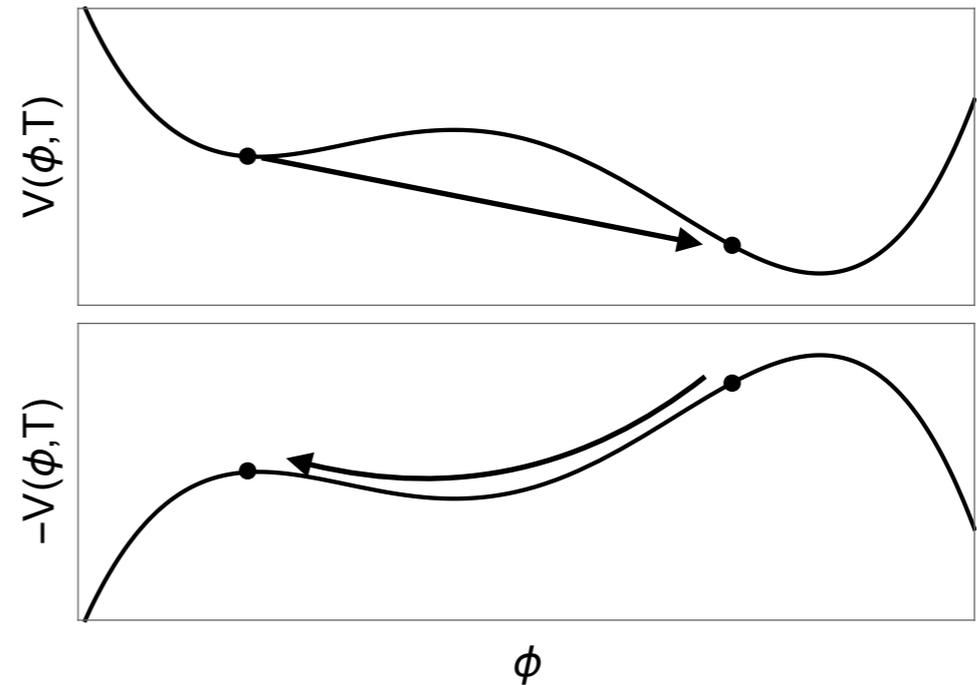
$$\frac{d^2\phi}{dr^2} + \frac{2}{r} \frac{d\phi}{dr} = \nabla V(\phi, T)$$
$$d\phi/dr|_{r=0} = 0 \quad \phi|_{r=\infty} = 0$$

The bounce equation

single-field equation

can be solved with the
overshoot-undershoot method

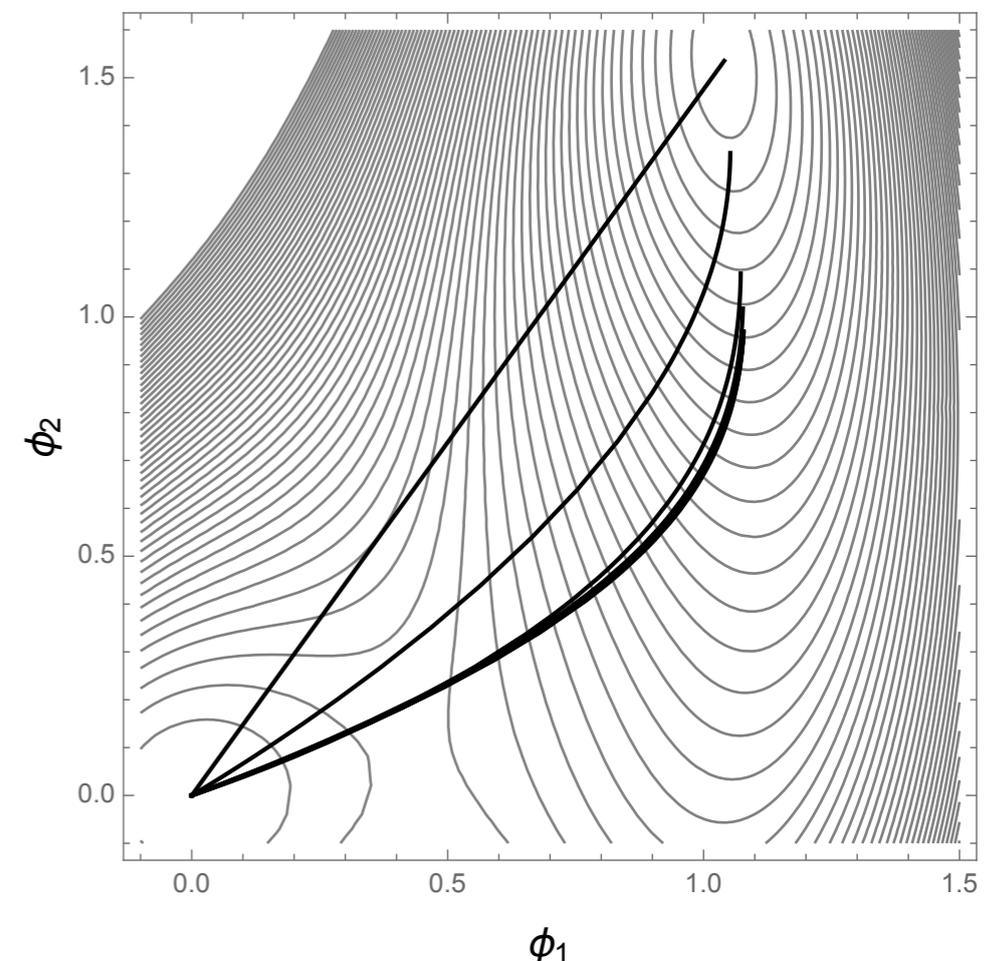
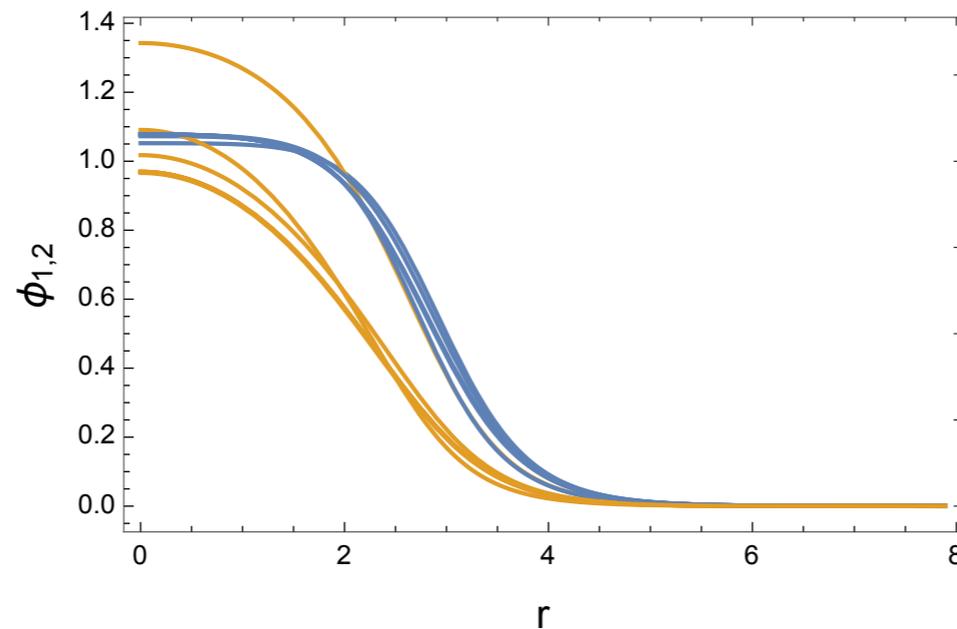
classical motion analogy:
particle at position ϕ moving in time r
under the potential $-V$ and
a time-dependent friction term



multi-field equation

trajectory not known:
the path is deformed from an initial guess
until convergence is reached

the bounce is
recomputed
along each path



The SM + scalar singlet

Higgs + singlet effective potential (Z_2 symmetric)
in the high-temperature limit

$$V(h, \eta, T) = \frac{\mu_h^2}{2}h^2 + \frac{\lambda_h}{4}h^4 + \frac{\mu_\eta^2}{2}\eta^2 + \frac{\lambda_\eta}{4}\eta^4 + \frac{\lambda_{h\eta}}{2}h^2\eta^2 + \left(c_h \frac{h^2}{2} + c_\eta \frac{\eta^2}{2} \right) T^2$$

thermal masses (count the dof coupled to the scalars)

$$c_h = \frac{1}{48}(9g^2 + 3g'^2 + 12y_t^2 + 24\lambda_h + 2\lambda_{h\eta}) \quad c_\eta = \frac{1}{12}(4\lambda_{h\eta} + \lambda_\eta)$$

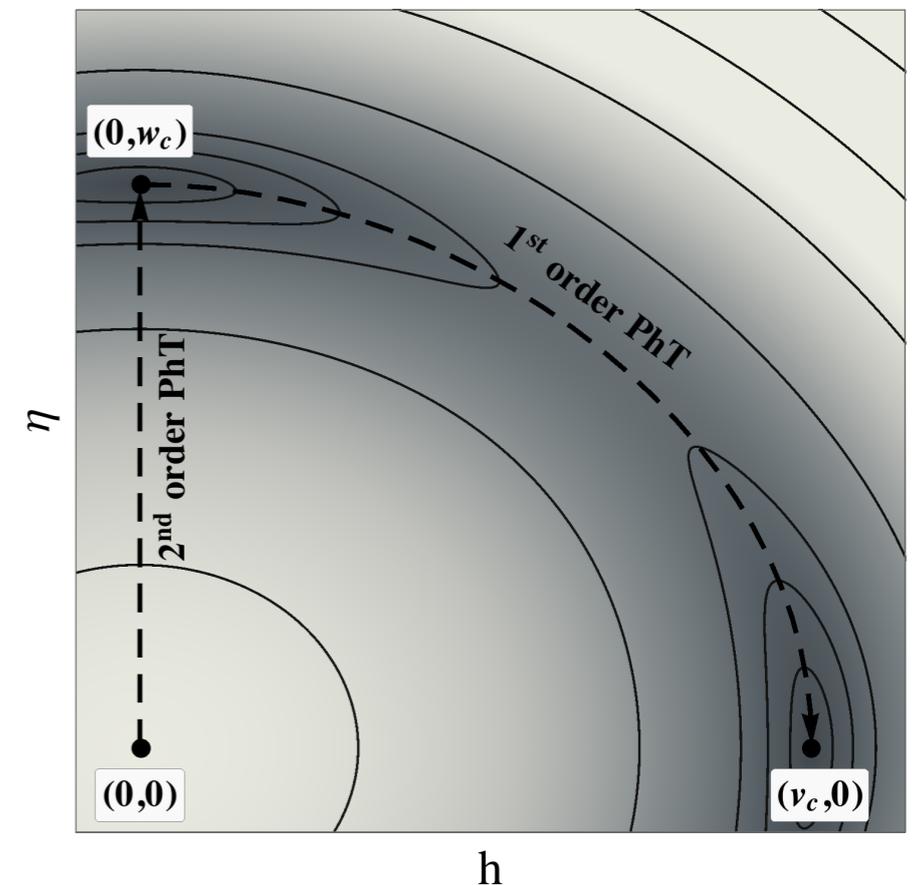
☑ EW symmetry restored at very high T:

$$\langle h, \eta \rangle = (0, 0)$$

☑ two interesting patterns of symmetry breaking
(as the Universe cools down)

1. $(0, 0) \rightarrow (v, 0)$ 1-step PhT
2. $(0, 0) \rightarrow (0, w) \rightarrow (v, 0)$ 2-step PhT

*2-step more natural as, typically, $c_\eta < c_h$
and the singlet is destabilised before the Higgs*



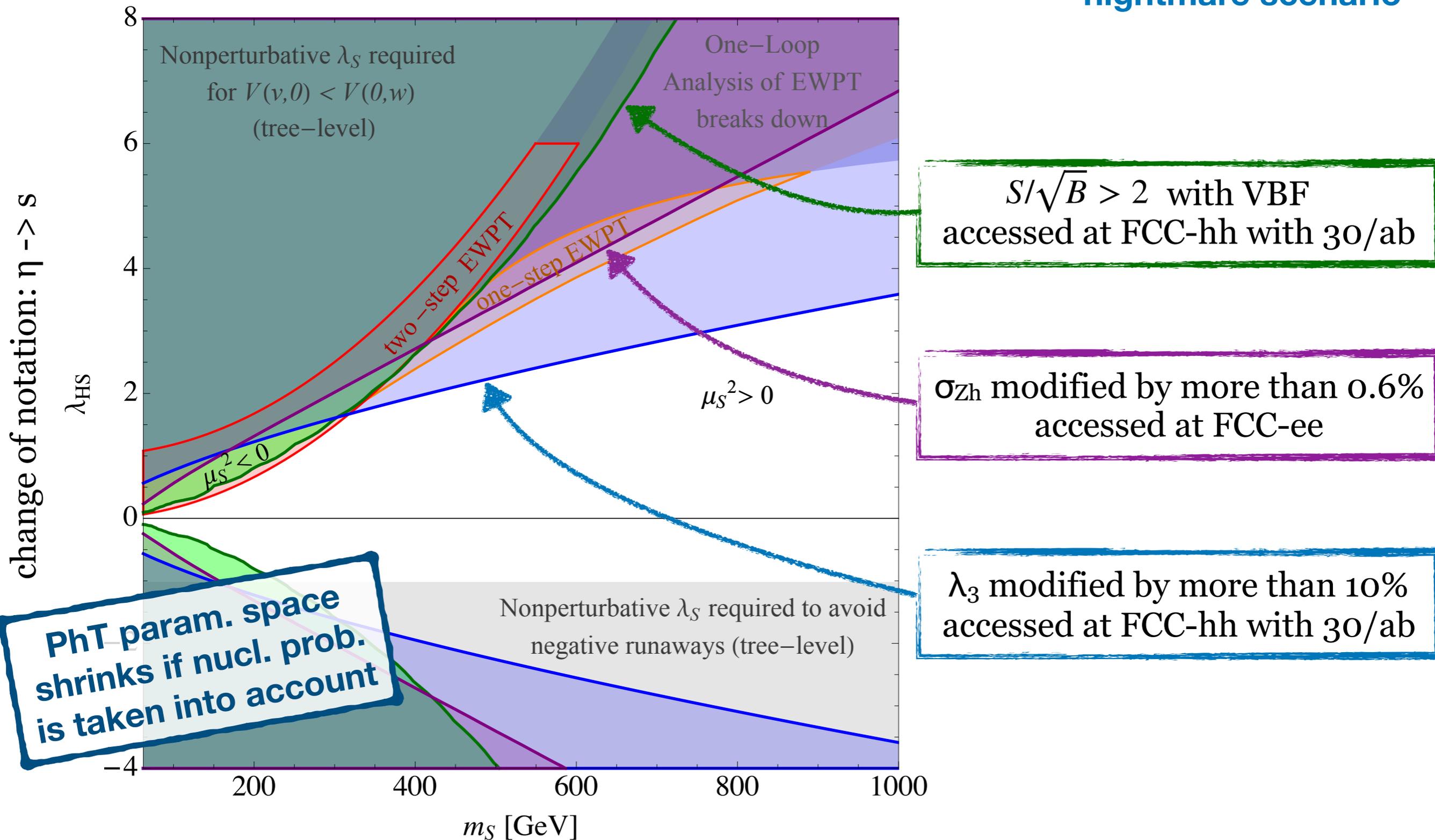
The SM + scalar singlet phenomenology

Higgs + singlet (with Z_2 symmetry and $m_\eta > m_h/2$) poorly constrained

- ☑ $m_\eta < m_h/2$ excluded by the invisible Higgs decay
- ☑ direct searches very challenging: need for a 100TeV collider.
interesting channel: $qq \rightarrow qq \eta\eta$ (VBF)
- ☑ indirect searches:
 - modification to the triple Higgs coupling $\lambda_3 = \frac{m_h^2}{2v} + \frac{\lambda_{h\eta}^3}{24\pi^2} \frac{v^3}{m_\eta^2} + \dots$
 - corrections to the Zh cross section at lepton colliders
- ☑ dark matter direct detection
 - the singlet can be a DM candidate
 - constraints are very model dependent.
the cosmological history depends on the hidden sector

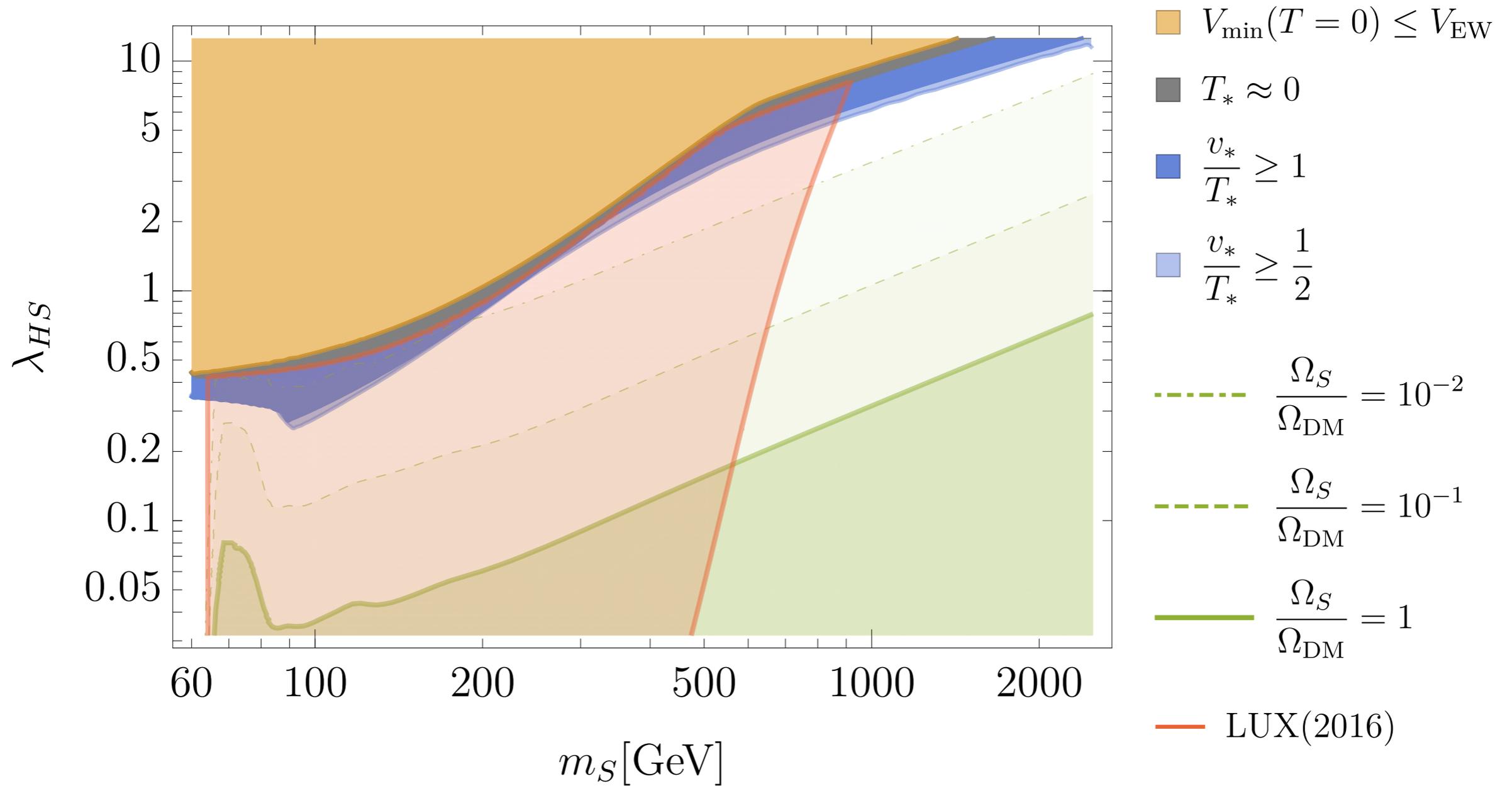
The SM + scalar singlet

nightmare scenario



The SM + scalar singlet

change of notation: $\eta \rightarrow s$



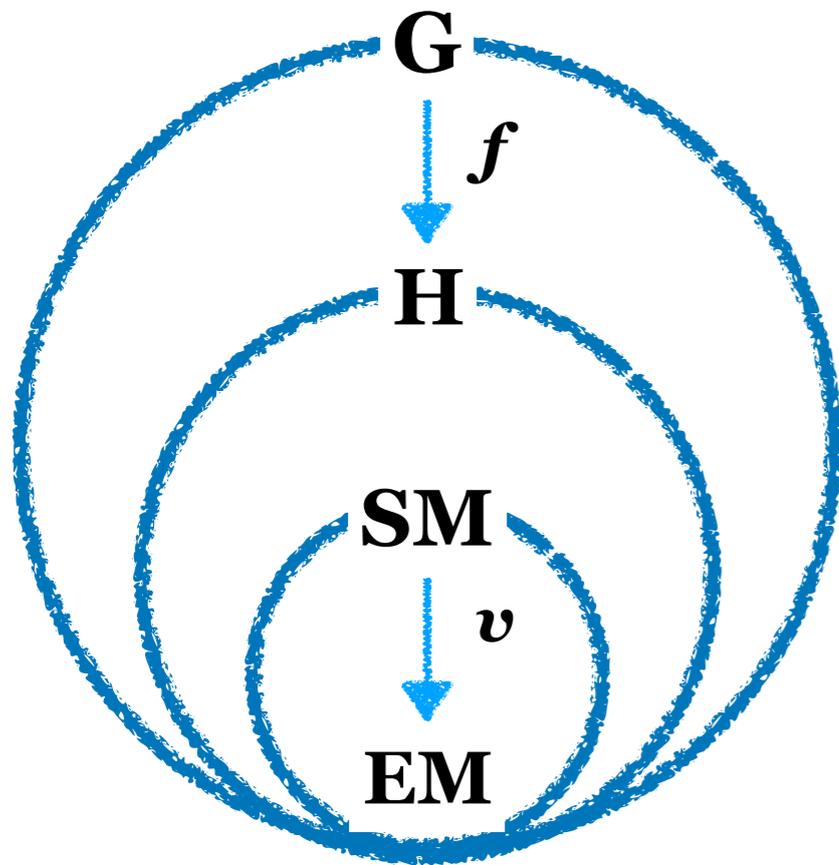
In the Z_2 symmetric model, the singlet scalar cannot account for all the DM without any new dark sector

EWPhT in Composite Higgs models

the basic idea:

Higgs as Goldstone boson of G/H of a strong sector

PhTs in Composite Higgs models

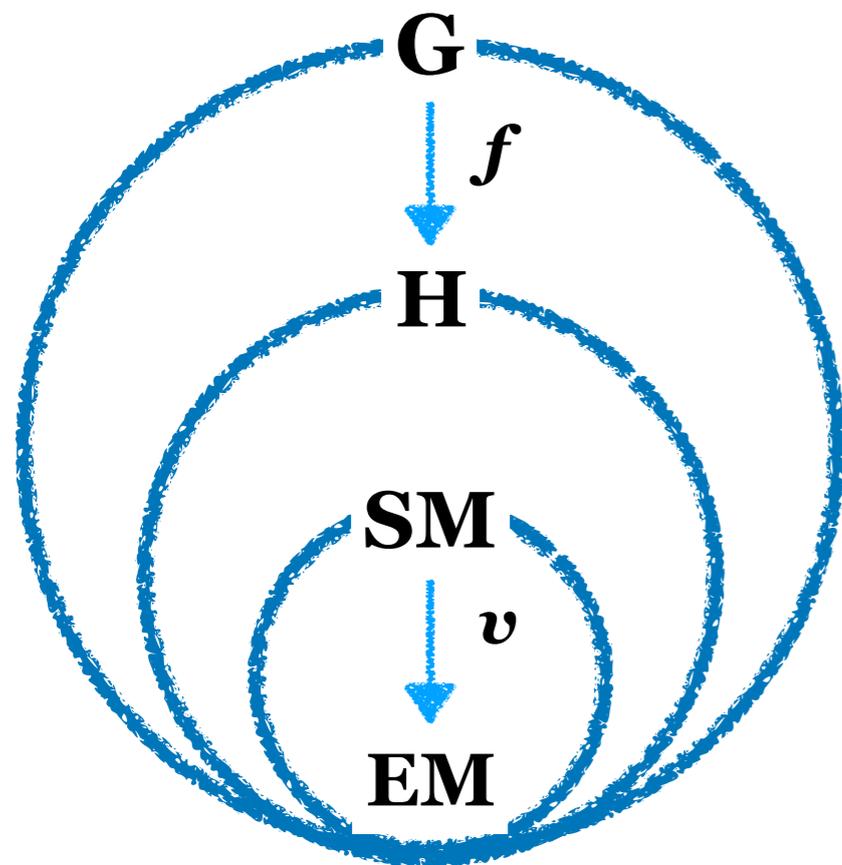


* *phase transition $G \rightarrow H$ in the strongly coupled sector*

* *EW phase transition*

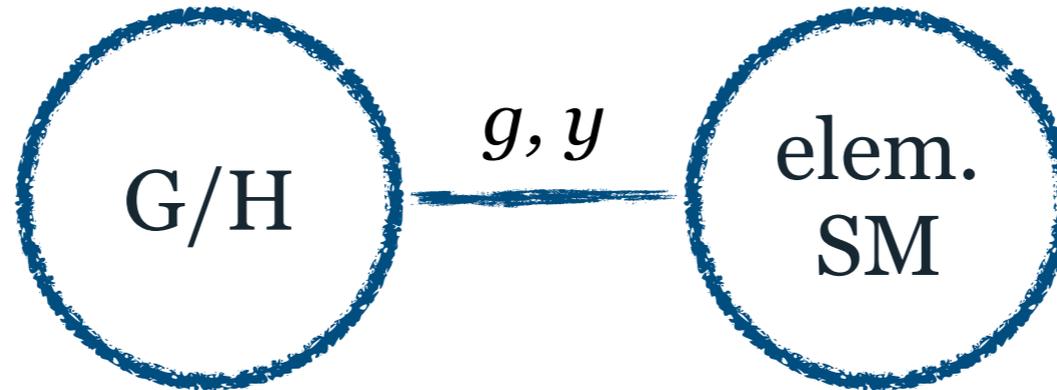
multiple peaks in the GW spectrum?

Basic rules for Composite Higgs models



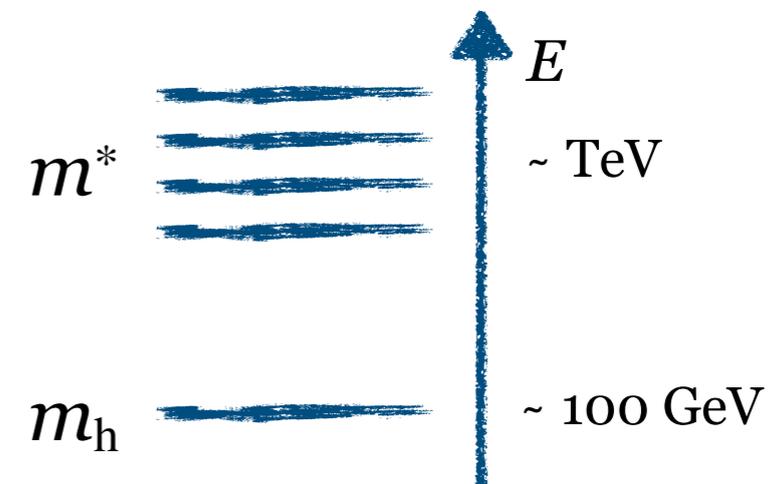
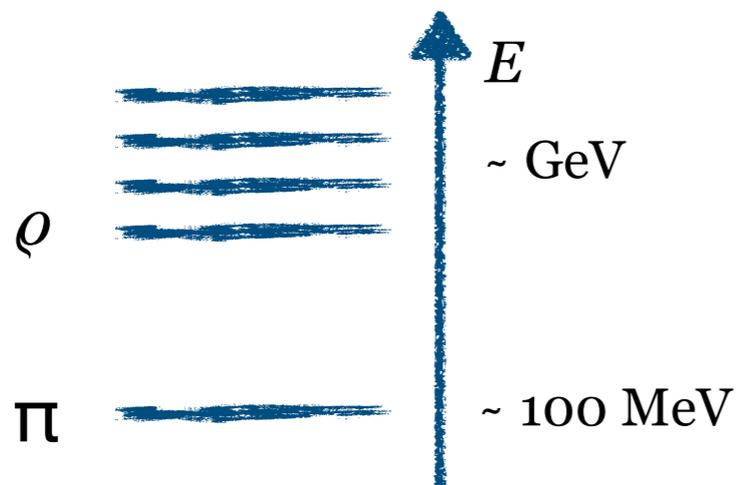
- ☑ a global symmetry G above f ($\sim \text{TeV}$) is spontaneously broken down to a subgroup H
- ☑ the structure of the Higgs sector is determined by the coset G/H
- ☑ H should contain the custodial group
- ☑ the number of NGBs ($\dim G - \dim H$) must be larger than (or at least equal to) 4
- ☑ the symmetry G must be explicitly broken to generate the mass for the (otherwise massless) NGBs

Mass spectra



we borrow the idea from QCD where we observe that the (pseudo) scalars are the lightest states

the Higgs could be a kind of pion arising from a new strong sector



Higgs mass = $h \cdots \text{strong} \cdots h + h \cdots \text{strong} \cdots h$

The diagram shows the Higgs mass as a sum of two terms. Each term consists of a horizontal line labeled h connected by a dotted line to a black circle labeled "strong", which is then connected by another dotted line to another horizontal line labeled h . The second "strong" circle is enclosed in a dashed blue circle labeled "SM".

Symmetry structure of the strong sector

G	H	N_G	NGBs rep. $[H] = \text{rep.}[SU(2) \times SU(2)]$
SO(5)	SO(4)	4	$4 = (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})$
SO(6)	SO(5)	5	$5 = (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1}) + (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})$
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SO(7)	G_2	7	$7 = (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{3}) + (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})$
SO(7)	SO(5) \times SO(2)	10	$10_0 = (\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{1}) + (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{3}) + (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})$
SO(7)	$[SO(3)]^3$	12	$(\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2}, \mathbf{3}) = 3 \times (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})$
Sp(6)	Sp(4) \times SU(2)	8	$(\mathbf{4}, \mathbf{2}) = 2 \times (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2}), (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2}) + 2 \times (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{1})$
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Minimal scenario: $SO(5)/SO(4)$

one Higgs doublet

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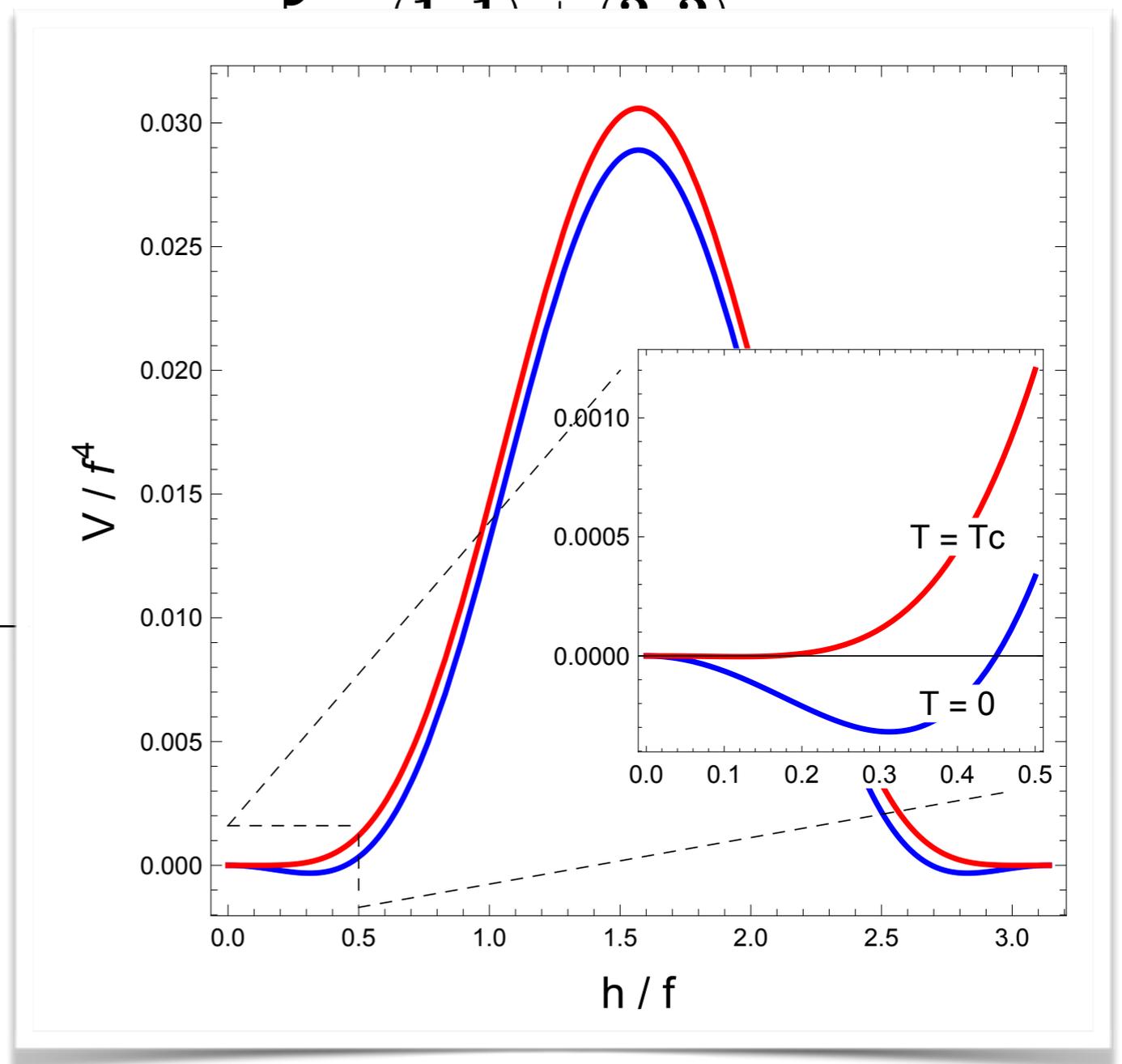
PhT similar to the SM

due to the pheno constraint

$$\xi = v^2/f^2 \lesssim 0.1 \quad \text{no 1st order PhT}$$

unless one allows for a small tilt

Di Luzio et al., 2019



Symmetry structure of the strong sector

Next to minimal scenario: **SO(6)/SO(5)**

*one Higgs doublet
+ a scalar singlet*

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the scalar potential

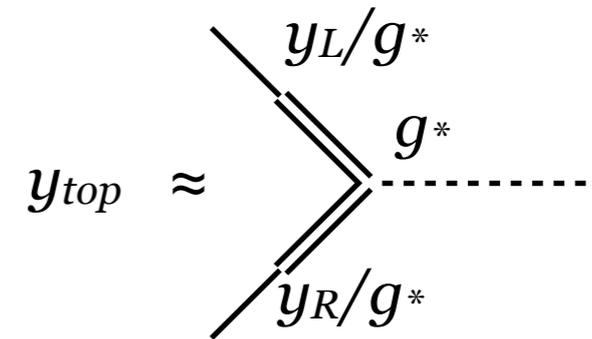
$$V(h, \eta) = \frac{\mu_h^2}{2} h^2 + \frac{\lambda_h}{4} h^4 + \frac{\mu_\eta^2}{2} \eta^2 + \frac{\lambda_\eta}{4} \eta^4 + \frac{\lambda_{h\eta}}{2} h^2 \eta^2$$

Partial compositeness

linear interactions between composite and elementary operators

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = g J_\mu W^\mu$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = y_L q_L \mathcal{O}_L + y_R t_R \mathcal{O}_R$$



in the IR $-\mathcal{L} = m^* \bar{T} T + y f \bar{t} T \longrightarrow$ **partial compositeness**

SO(6) representation decompositions under
 $SU(2)_L \otimes SU(2)_R \otimes U(1)_\eta$

$$4 = (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{1})_{+1} \oplus (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{2})_{-1} ,$$

$$6 = (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})_0 \oplus (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1})_{+2} \oplus (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1})_{-2} ,$$

$$10 = (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})_0 \oplus (\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{1})_{+2} \oplus (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{3})_{-2} ,$$

$$15 = (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{3})_0 \oplus (\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{1})_0 \oplus (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1})_0 \oplus (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})_{+2} \oplus (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})_{-2} ,$$

$$20' = (\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{3})_0 \oplus (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})_{+2} \oplus (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})_{-2} \oplus (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1})_{+4} \oplus (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1})_{-4} \oplus (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1})_0 .$$

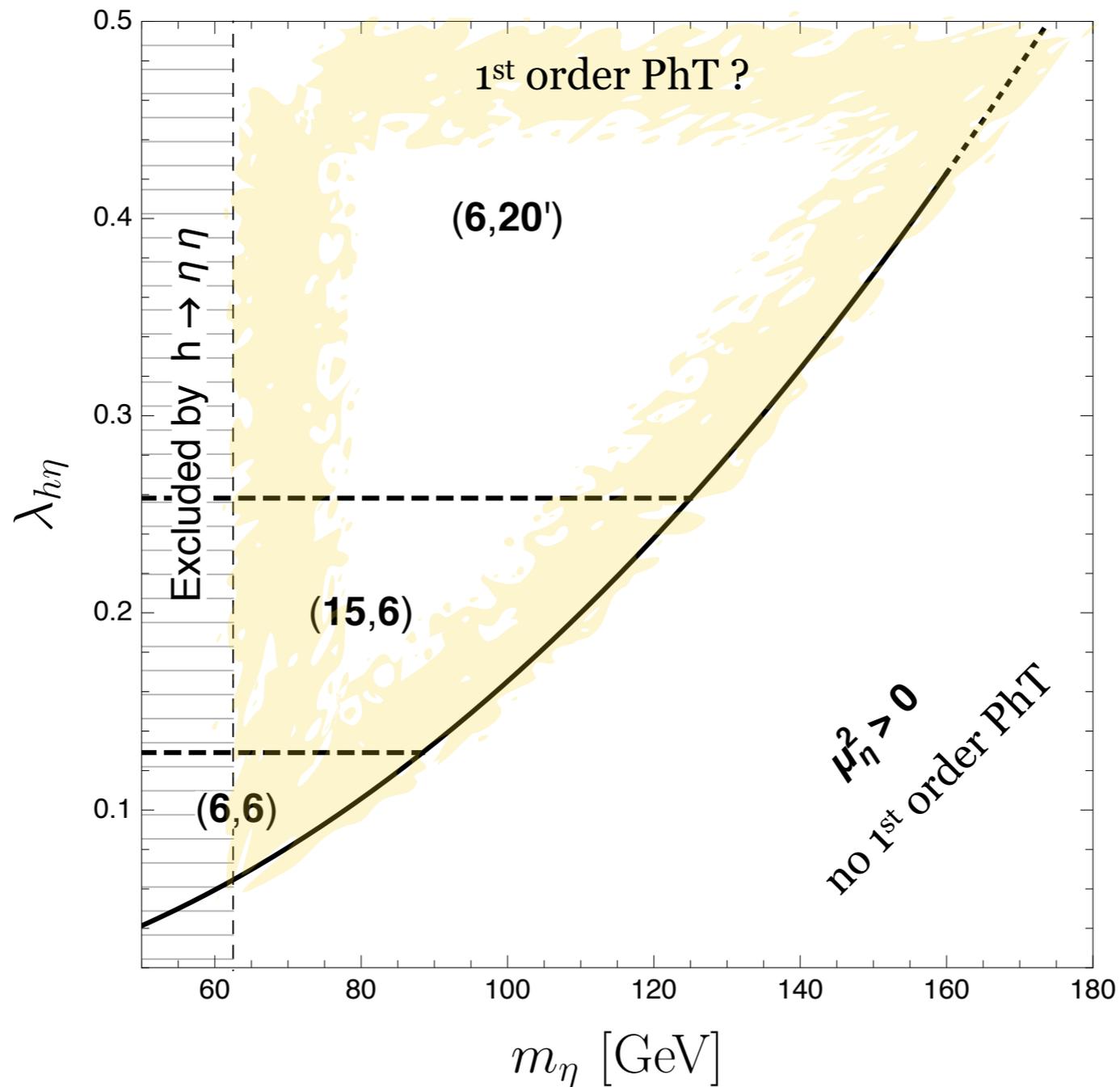
Classification of representations

- ☑ **4** — not suitable for the top quark: large $Zb_L b_L$ coupling
- ☑ **10** — no potential for the scalar singlet η
- ☑ **6, 15, 20'** — viable representations for the top quark

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- ☑ $(q_L, t_R) \sim (\mathbf{6}, \mathbf{6})$
 - typically predicts $\lambda_\eta \simeq 0$, $\lambda_{h\eta} \simeq \lambda_h/2$ unless we consider:
 - * large tuning in bottom quark and gauge sectors
 - * elementary-composite mixings $\lambda_{qL}, \lambda_{tR}$, up to the fourth power
 - ☑ $(q_L, t_R) \sim (\mathbf{15}, \mathbf{6})$
 - less-tuned scenario: no need to rely on bottom and gauge but λ_ψ still at the fourth power
 - ☑ $(q_L, t_R) \sim (\mathbf{6}, \mathbf{20}')$
 - large parameter space available without large tuning

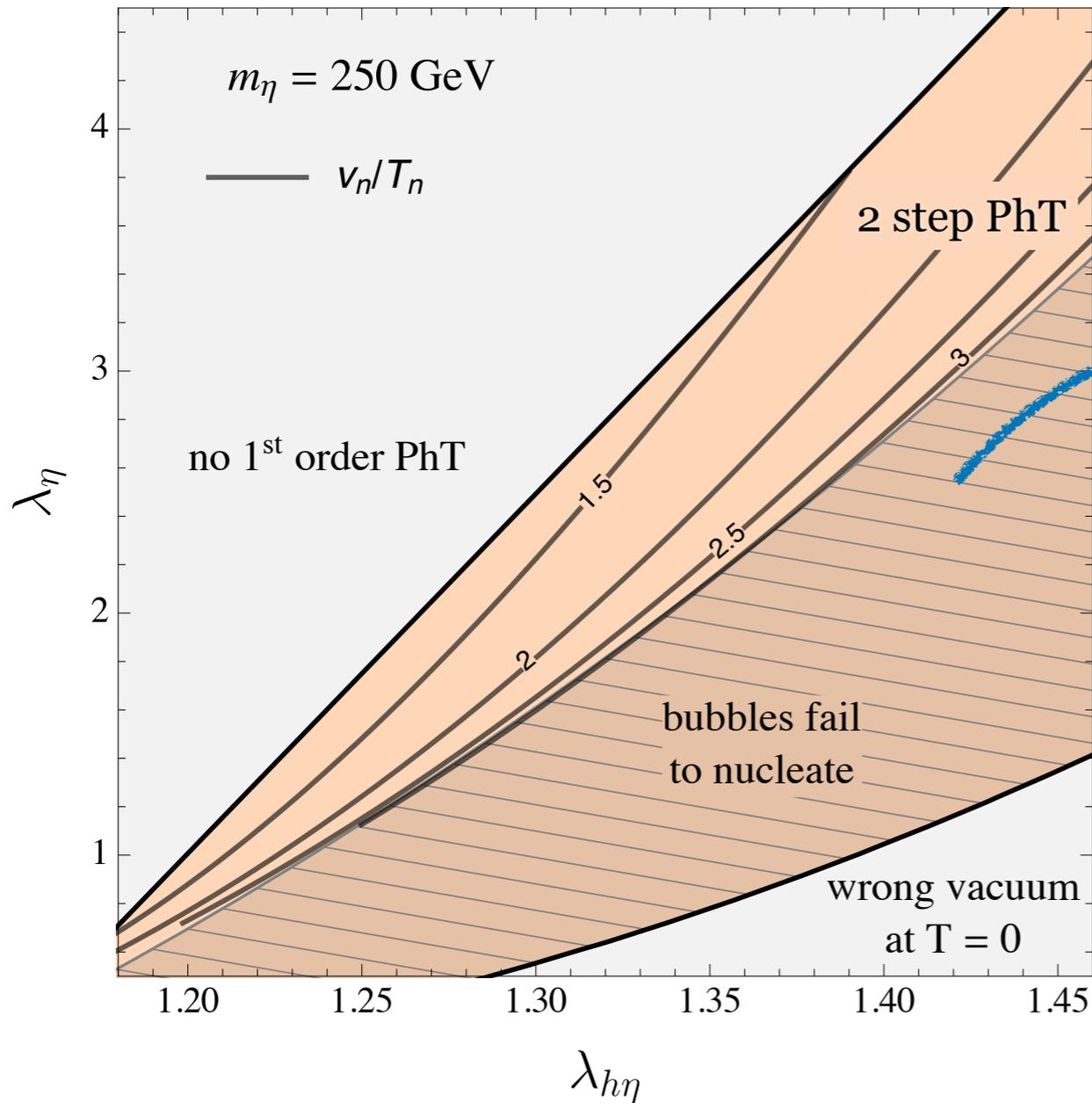
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Parameter space



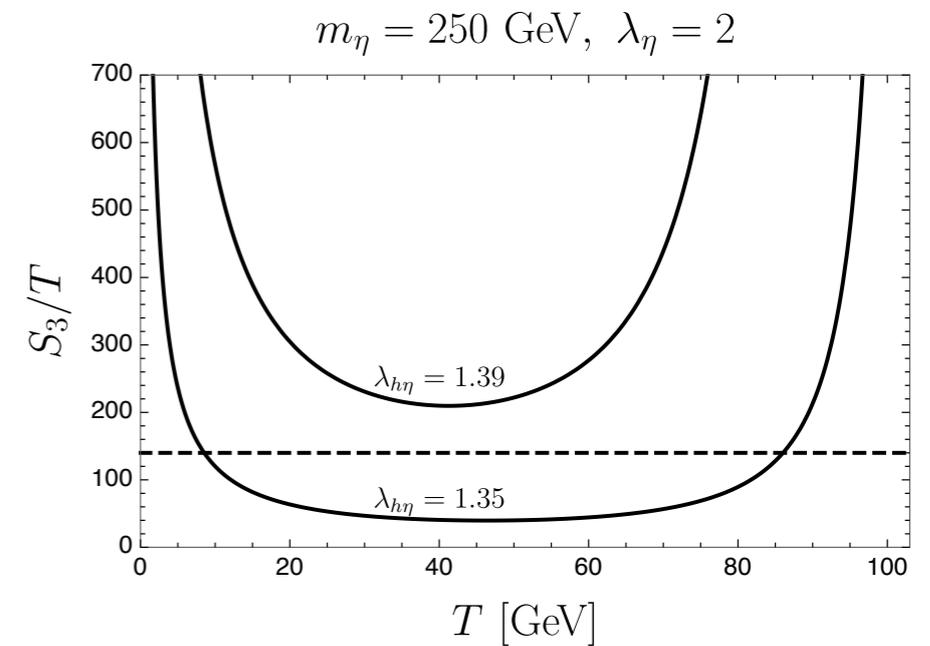
Properties of the EWPhT

$(q_L, t_R) \sim (6, 20')$



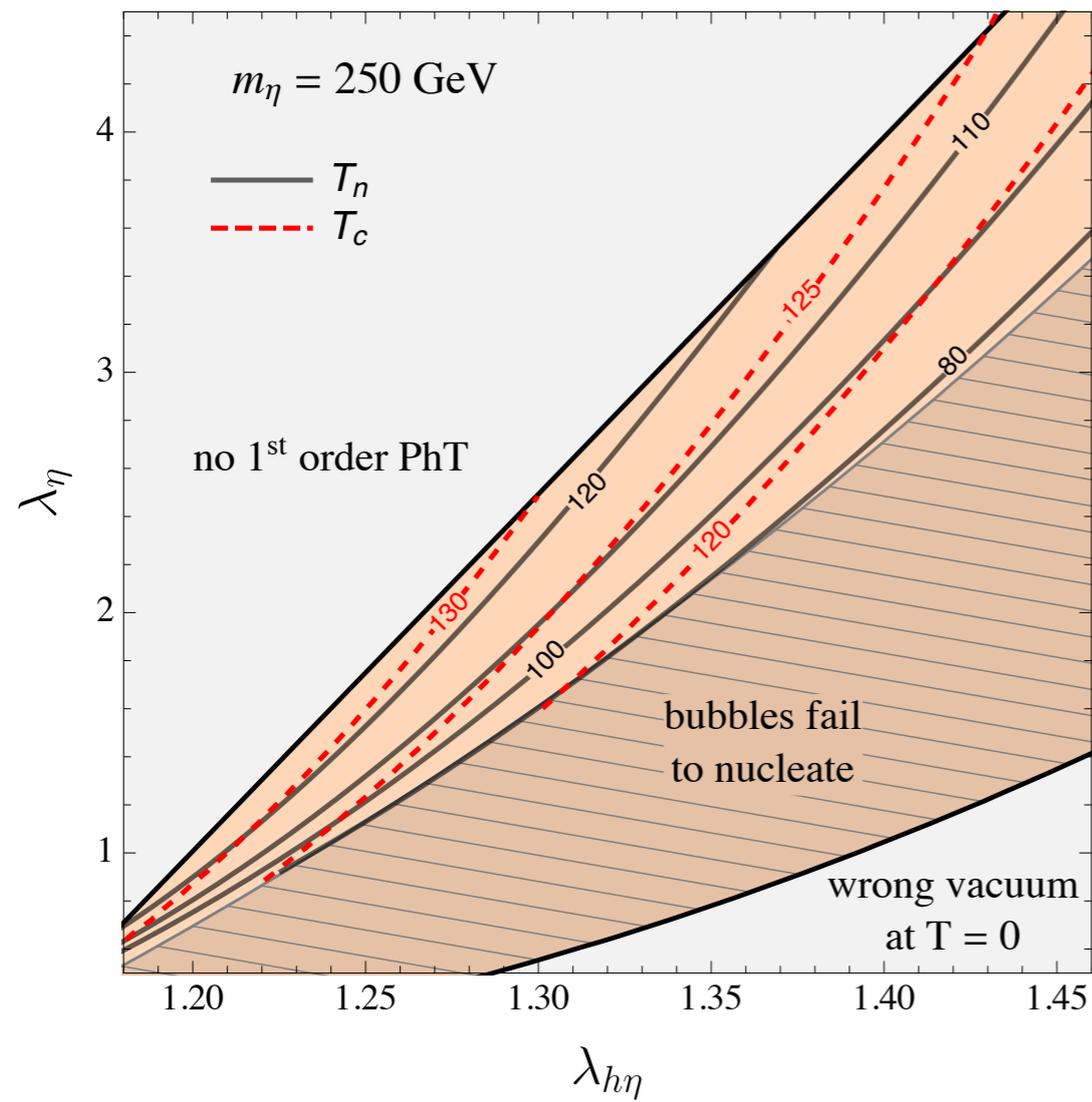
bubbles fail to nucleate:
the system is trapped in the false
metastable vacuum
(it may decay to the true EW vacuum
at zero temperature)

the bounce action is
bounded from below

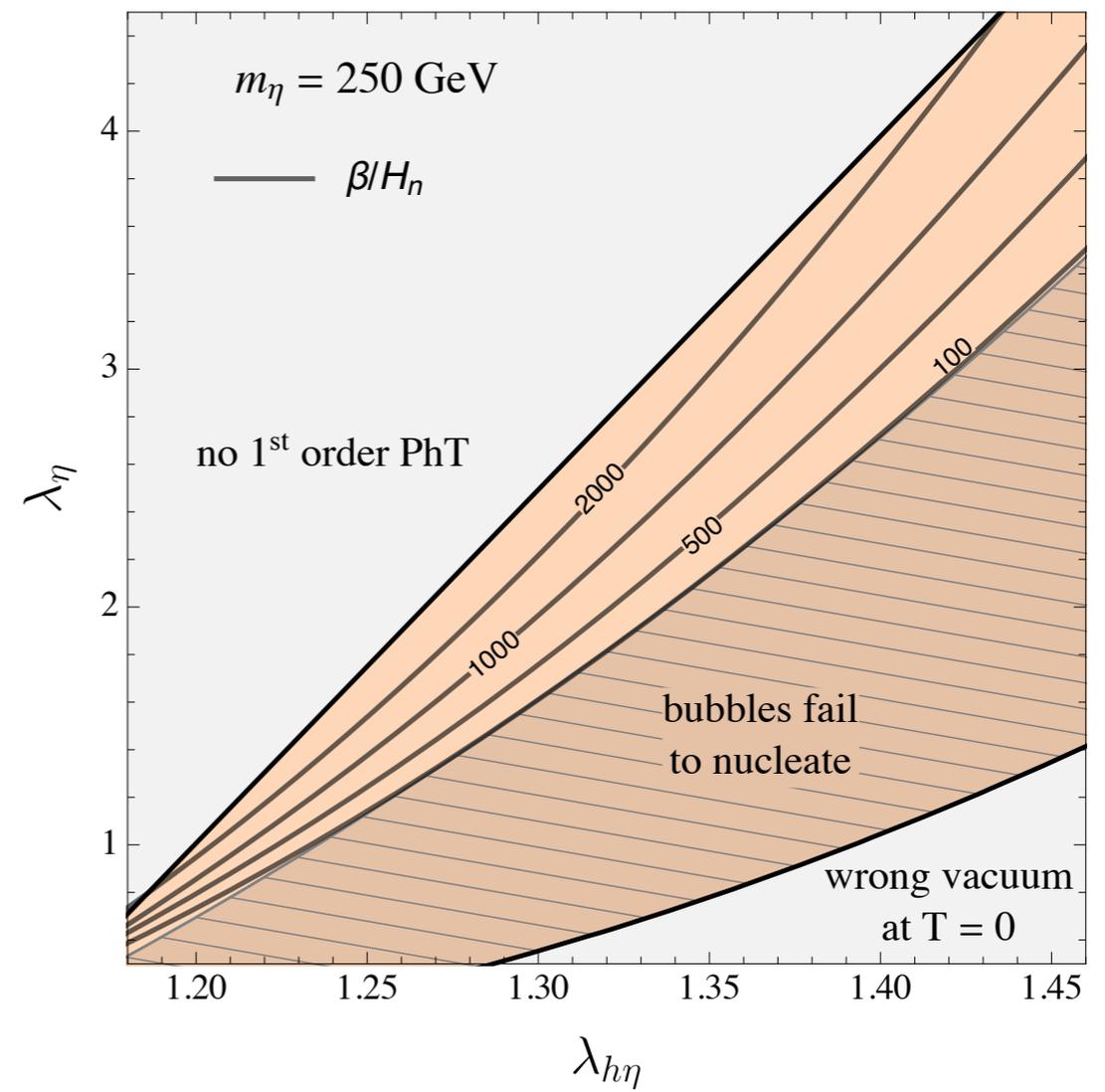


v_n/T_n : strength of the PhT
a crucial parameter for EWBG

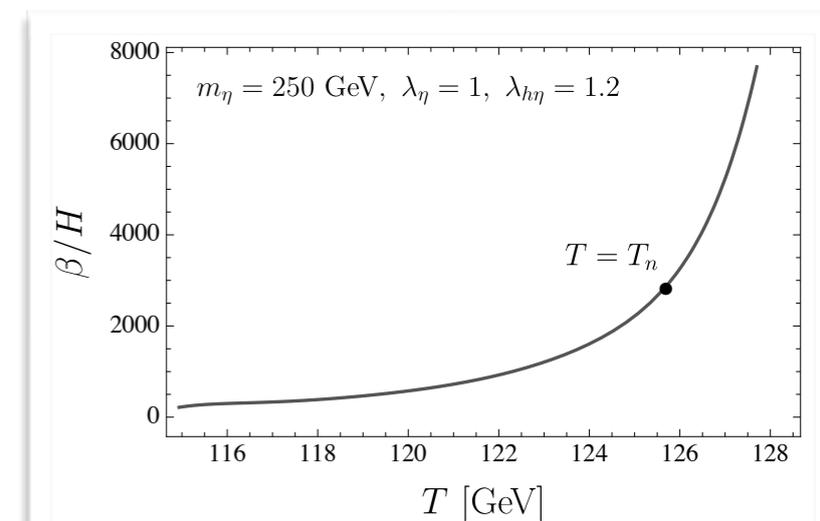
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Nucleation and critical temperatures



Inverse time duration of the phase transition



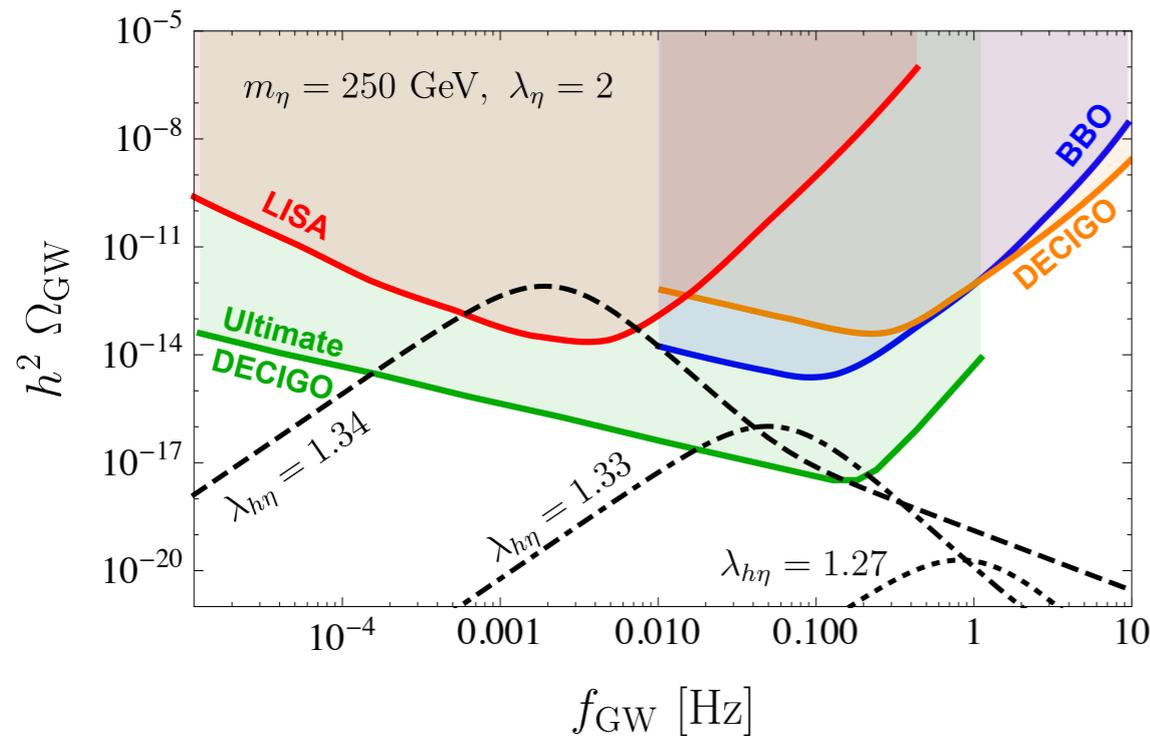
Gravitational waves

1st order phase transitions are sources of a stochastic background of GW:

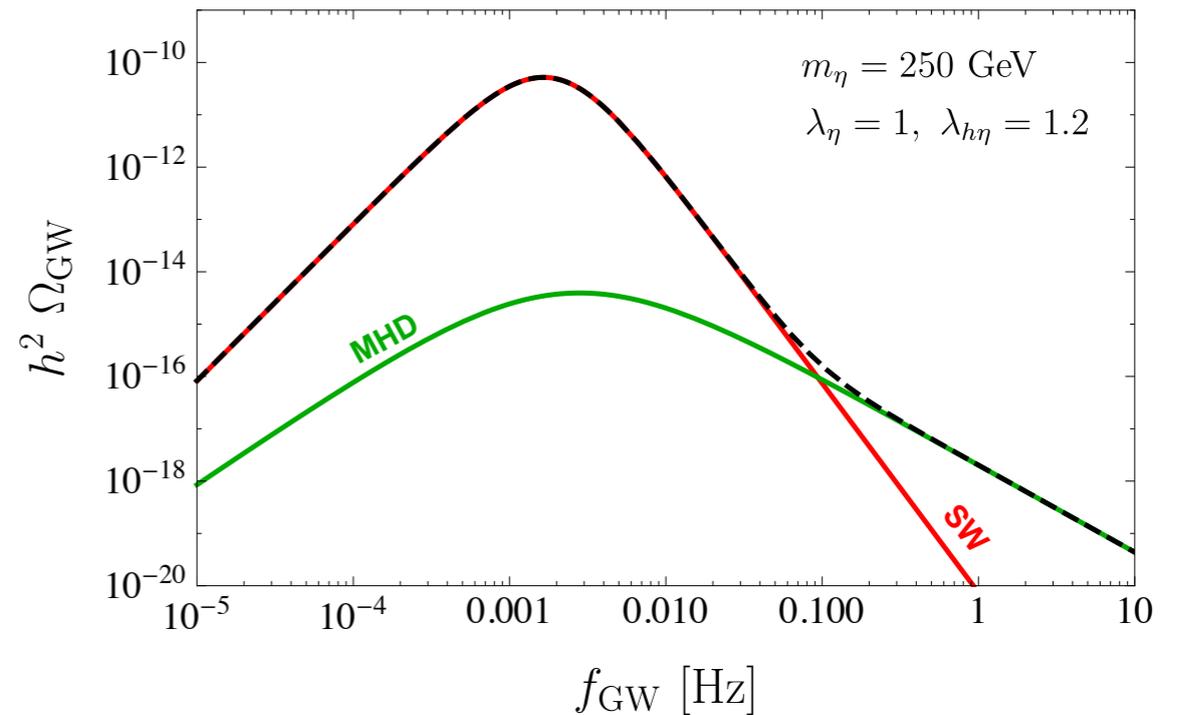
- ★ *bubble collision*
- ★ *sound waves in the plasma*
- ★ *turbulence in the plasma*

$$f_{\text{peak}} = f_* \frac{a_*}{a_0} \sim 10^{-3} \text{ mHz} \left(\frac{f_*}{\beta} \right) \left(\frac{\beta}{H_*} \right) \left(\frac{T_*}{100 \text{ GeV}} \right) \left(\frac{g_*}{100} \right)^{1/6} \quad f_*/\beta \equiv (f_*/\beta)(v_w)$$

$$\beta/H_* \simeq \mathcal{O}(10^2) - \mathcal{O}(10^3)$$



peak frequencies within the sensitivity reach of future experiments for a significant part of the parameter space



GW spectra with non trivial structure

bubble velocity v_w taken from
Dorsch, Huber, Konstandin, No, 2017

EW Baryogenesis

- ☑ explain matter - antimatter asymmetry $\eta = \frac{n_B - n_{\bar{B}}}{n_\gamma} \simeq 6 \times 10^{-10}$
- ☑ baryogenesis at the EW scale is testable (by definition)

Sakharov's conditions

	SM	SO(6)/SO(5)
* B violation	✓ <i>EW sphaleron processes violate B+L</i>	✓ <i>as in the SM, η is a gauge singlet</i>
* Out of equilibrium dynamics	✗ <i>EWPhT not first order</i>	✓ <i>EWPhT can be 1st order and sufficiently strong</i>
* C and CP violation	✗ <i>δ_{CKM} not enough</i>	✓ <i>CP violation in the $\eta\bar{t}t$ coupling</i>

CP violation from the scalar singlet

an additional source of CPV is present in CHMs due to the non-linear dynamics of the GBs: dim-5 operator can have a complex coefficient

$$\mathcal{O}_t = y_t \left(1 + i \frac{b}{f} \eta \right) \frac{h}{\sqrt{2}} \bar{t}_L t_R + \text{h.c.}$$

A phase in the quark mass is generated. The phase becomes physical during the EW phase transition at $T \neq 0$, when η changes its vev

this is realised in the two-step phase transition

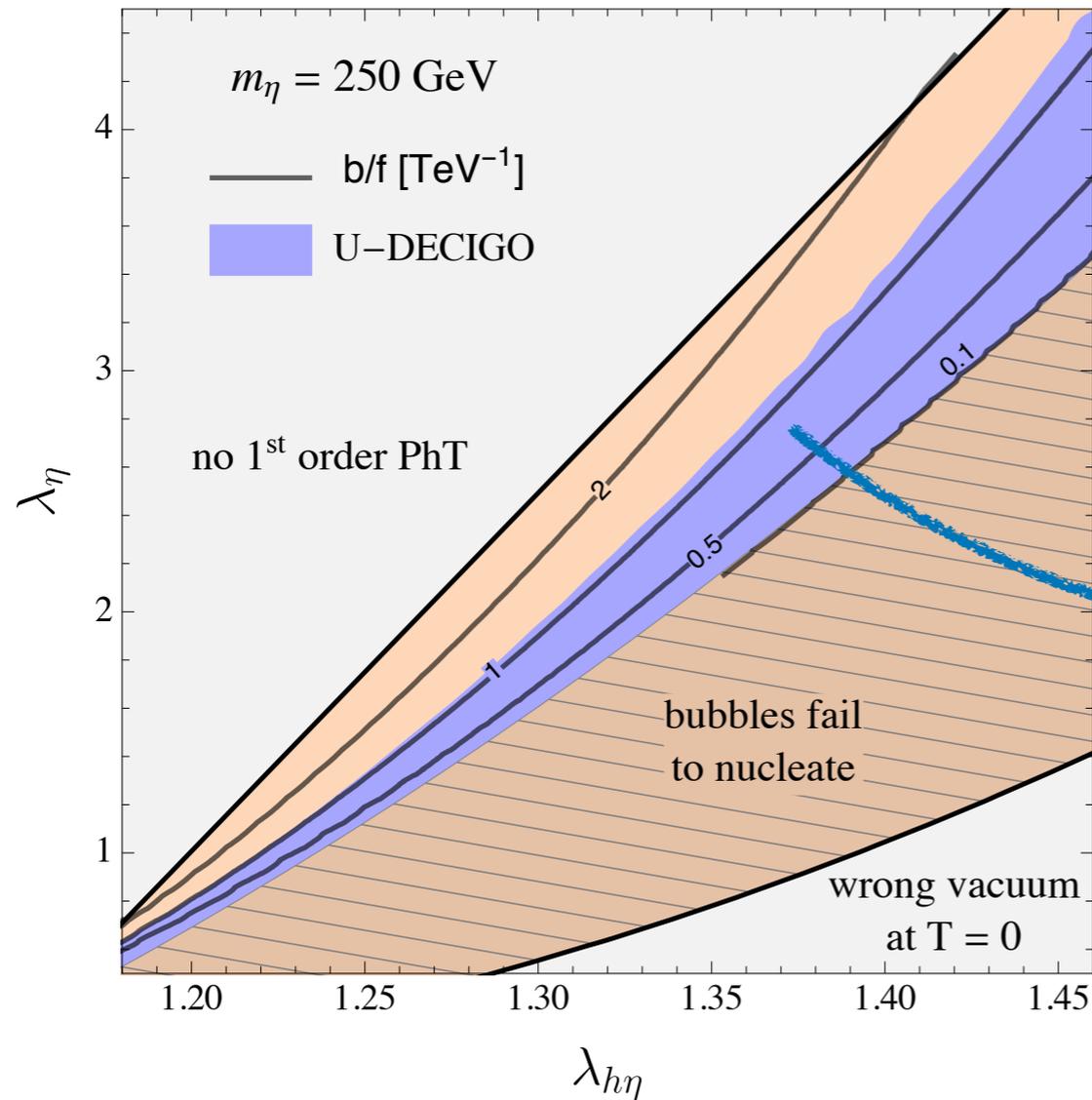
$$(0,0) \rightarrow (0,w) \rightarrow (v, 0)$$

details depend on the fermion embeddings, for instance in the $(q_L, t_R) \sim (\mathbf{6}, \mathbf{6})$ case

$$\frac{y_t}{\sqrt{2}} h \bar{t} \left(\cos \theta \sqrt{1 - \frac{h^2}{f^2} - \frac{\eta^2}{f^2}} + i \sin \theta \frac{\eta}{f} \gamma^5 \right) t$$

a phase in the top mass is generated only when η gets a vev

EW Baryogenesis



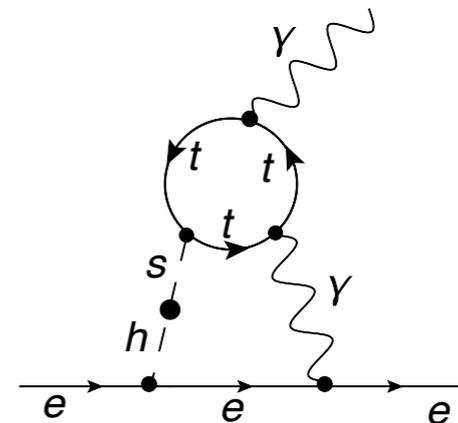
$b/f \sim$ phase in the top mass needed to guarantee the amount of CPV for EWBG

$b/f \lesssim \text{TeV}^{-1}$ is enough to reproduce the observed baryon asymmetry

there is a region where EWBG and an observable GW spectrum can be achieved simultaneously

this crucially depends on the bubble wall velocity

caution: if Z_2 is broken ($w \neq 0$) at $T = 0$ constrains on the EDM can challenge EWBG



Some future developments

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SO(7)	G_2	7	$7 = (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{3}) + (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})$
SO(7)	SO(5) \times SO(2)	10	$10_0 = (\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{1}) + (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{3}) + (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})$
SO(7)	$[\text{SO}(3)]^3$	12	$(\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2}, \mathbf{3}) = 3 \times (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})$
Sp(6)	Sp(4) \times SU(2)	8	$(\mathbf{4}, \mathbf{2}) = 2 \times (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2}), (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2}) + 2 \times (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{1})$
SU(5)	SU(4) \times U(1)	8	$4_{-5} + \bar{4}_{+5} = 2 \times (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2})$
SU(5)	SO(5)	14	$14 = (\mathbf{3}, \mathbf{3}) + (\mathbf{2}, \mathbf{2}) + (\mathbf{1}, \mathbf{1})$

Composite 2HDM

Custodial symmetry

The predicted leading order correction to the T parameter arises from the non-linearity of the GB Lagrangian. In the SO(6)/SO(4)xSO(2) model is

$$\hat{T} \propto 16 \times \frac{v^2}{f^2} \times \frac{\text{Im}[\langle H_1 \rangle^\dagger \langle H_2 \rangle]^2}{(|\langle H_1 \rangle|^2 + |\langle H_2 \rangle|^2)^2}$$

*no freedom in the coefficient,
fixed by the coset*

possible solutions:

- CP (*assumed here*)
- C₂: (H₁ → H₁, H₂ → -H₂) which forbids H₂ to acquire a vev

**need to be relaxed
for EWBG**

Higgs-mediated FCNCs

FCNCs can be removed by

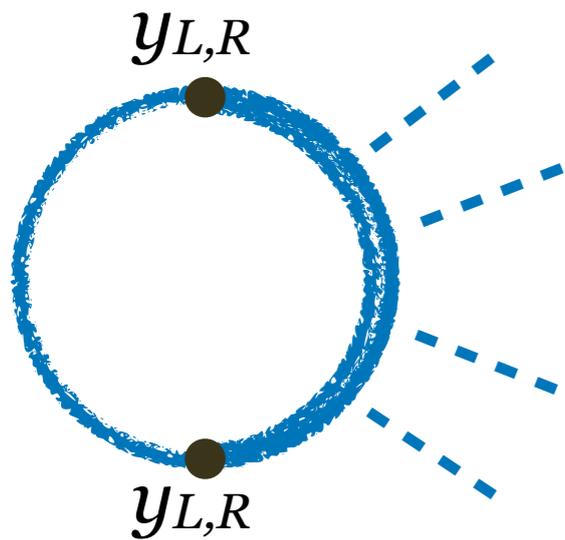
1. assuming C₂ in the strong sector and in the mixings inert C₂HDM
(not considered here)

2. requiring (flavour) alignment in the Yukawa couplings Y₁^{IJ} ∝ Y₂^{IJ}

$$Y_u^{ij} Q^i u^j (a_{1u} H_1 + a_{2u} H_2) + Y_d^{ij} Q^i d^j (a_{1d} H_1 + a_{2d} H_2) + Y_e^{ij} L^i e^j (a_{1e} H_1 + a_{2e} H_2) + h.c.$$

the ratio a₁/a₂ is predicted by the strong dynamics

C₂HDM - the scalar potential



the potential up to the fourth order in the Higgs fields:

$$\begin{aligned}
 V = & m_1^2 H_1^\dagger H_1 + m_2^2 H_2^\dagger H_2 - \left[m_3^2 H_1^\dagger H_2 + \text{h.c.} \right] \\
 & + \frac{\lambda_1}{2} (H_1^\dagger H_1)^2 + \frac{\lambda_2}{2} (H_2^\dagger H_2)^2 + \lambda_3 (H_1^\dagger H_1)(H_2^\dagger H_2) + \lambda_4 (H_1^\dagger H_2)(H_2^\dagger H_1) \\
 & + \frac{\lambda_5}{2} (H_1^\dagger H_2)^2 + \lambda_6 (H_1^\dagger H_1)(H_1^\dagger H_2) + \lambda_7 (H_2^\dagger H_2)(H_1^\dagger H_2) + \text{h.c.}
 \end{aligned}$$

the entire effective potential is fixed by the parameters of the strong sector and the scalar spectrum is entirely predicted by the strong dynamics

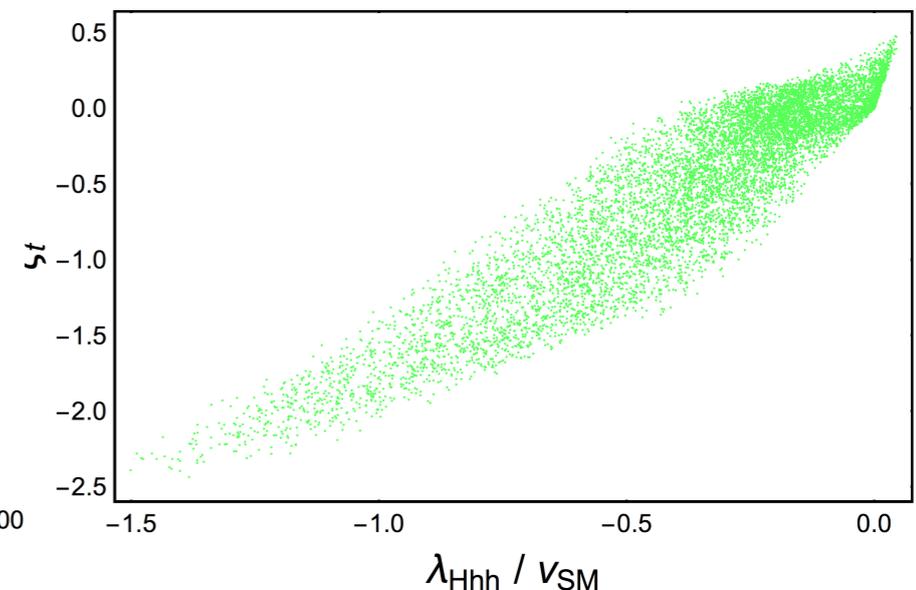
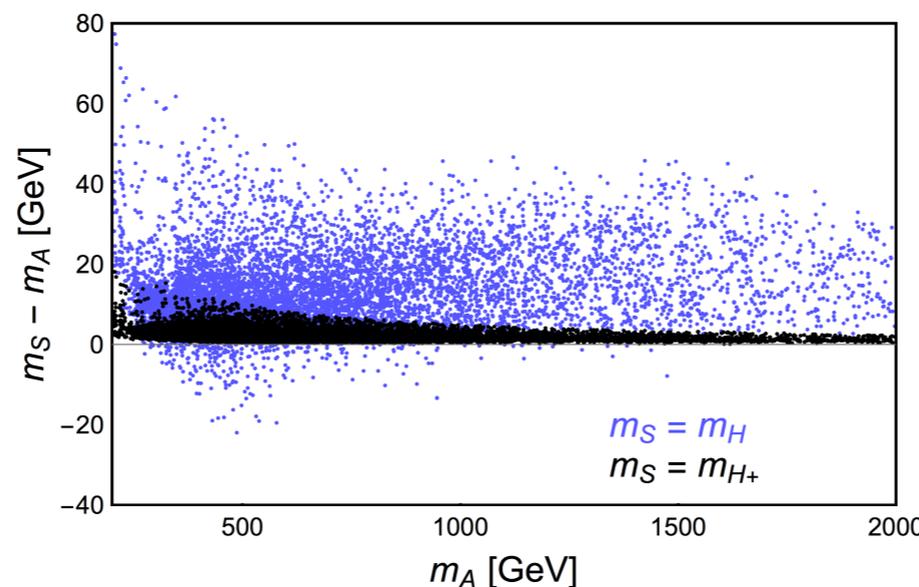
$$m_3^2 \neq 0, \lambda_6 \neq 0, \lambda_7 \neq 0$$

C₂ breaking in the strong sector induces:

$$\lambda_6 = \lambda_7 = \frac{5}{3} \frac{m_3^2}{f^2}$$

it is not possible to realise a 2HDM-like scenario with a softly broken Z₂

very strong correlations among several parameters



Conclusions

- ☑ Higgs as a pseudo Nambu-Goldstone Boson is a compelling possibility for stabilising the EW scale
- ☑ Non-minimal CHMs can link the dynamics of a strong first order EWPhT to the structure of GW spectrum and the possibility to realise EW Baryogenesis
- ☑ Future collider and space-based gravitational interferometry experiments can provide complementary ways to test the Higgs sector