

Flavor, Naturalness & the Tops in Composite Higgs

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Keren-Zur, Lodone, Nardecchia, Pappadopulo, RR, Vecchi [\[arXiv:1205.5803\]](#)
De Simone, Matsedonskyi, RR, Wulzer, to appear

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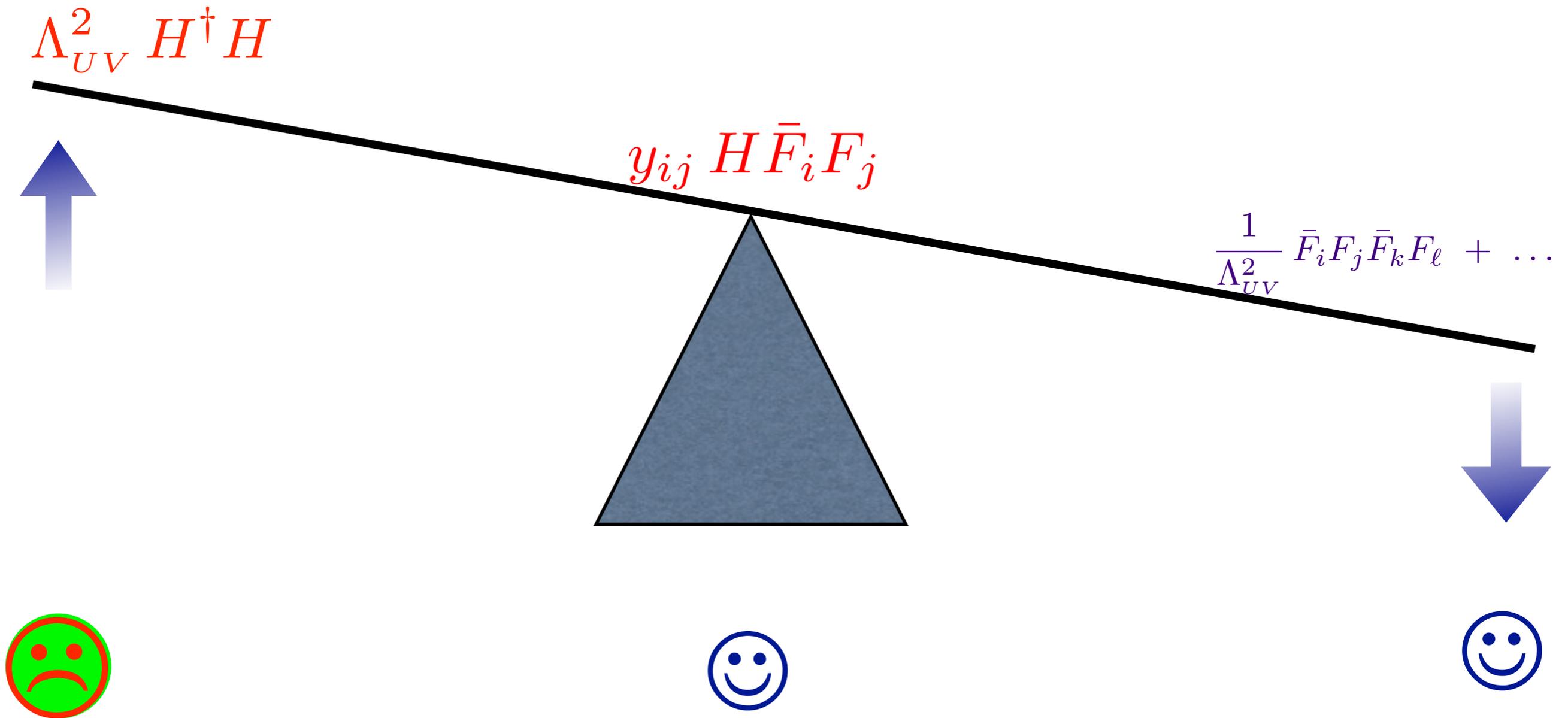
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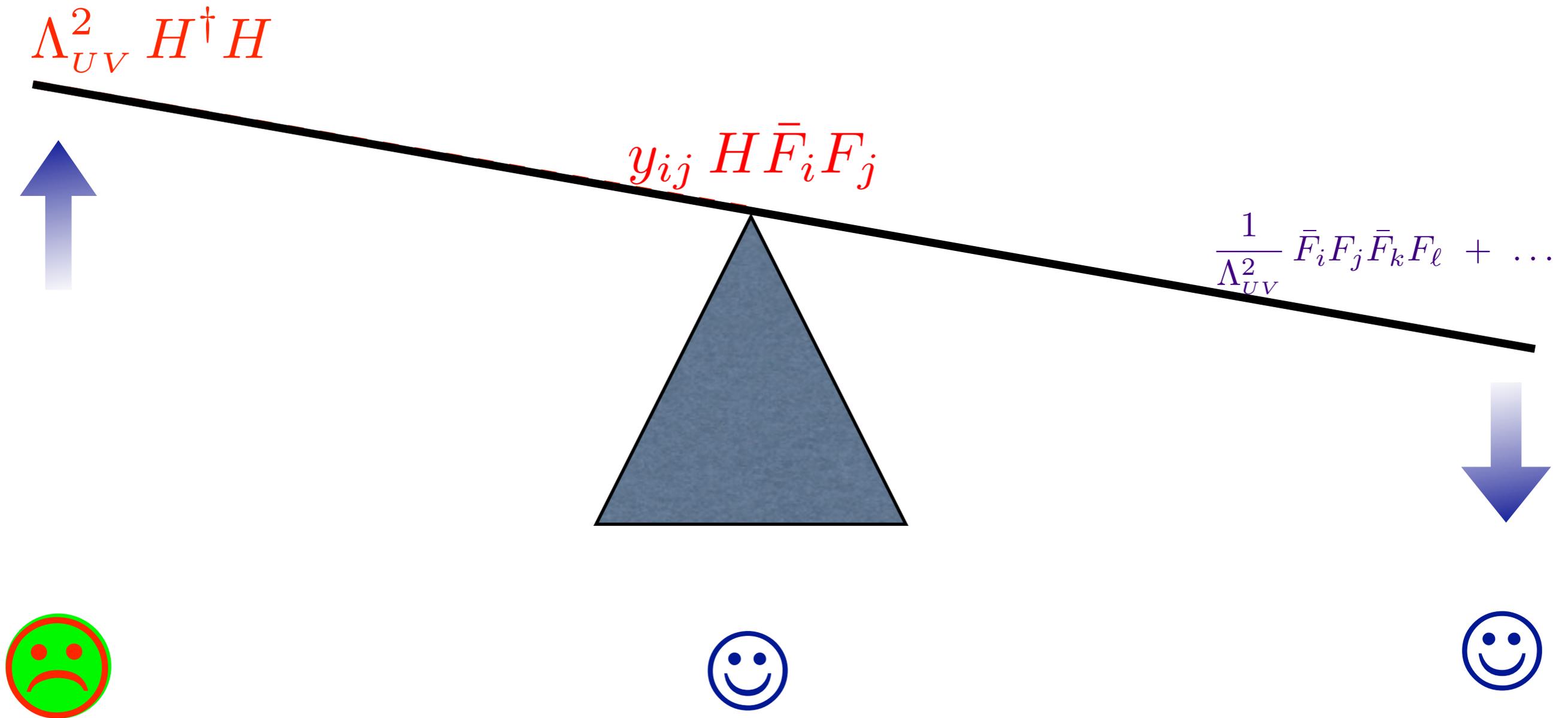
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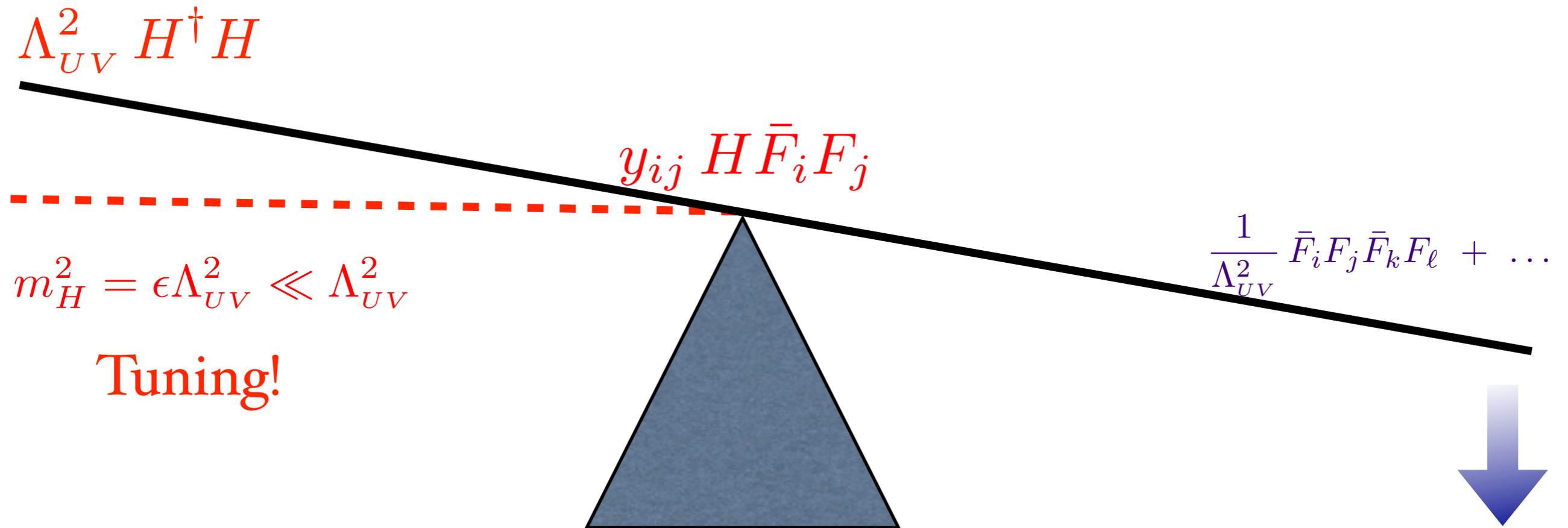
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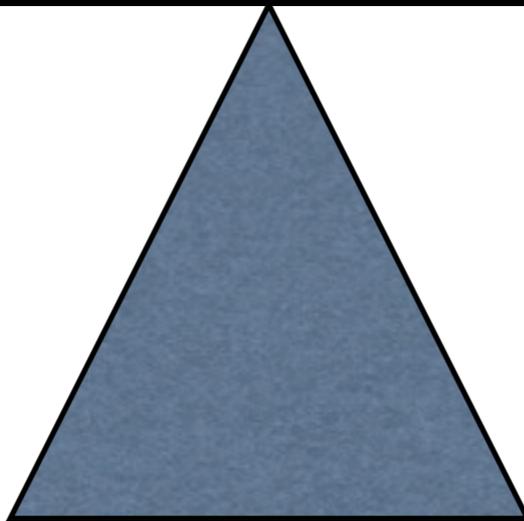
Natural SM :

$$\Lambda_{UV}^2 \lesssim 1 \text{ TeV}$$

$$\Lambda_{UV}^2 H^\dagger H$$

$$y_{ij} H \bar{F}_i F_j$$

$$\frac{1}{\Lambda_{UV}^2} \bar{F}_i F_j \bar{F}_k F_\ell + \dots$$



Focus on composite Higgs

◆ Flavor

◆ Naturalness and the search for top partners

 Λ_{UV}^{II}

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Use $\Lambda_{UV}^{II} \gg \text{TeV}$
to filter out unwanted
effects and produce a
realistic Flavor story

Scale (conformal) invariant
theories are thus an essential
ingredient of model building

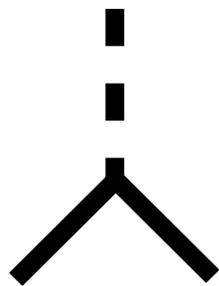
$$\text{TeV} \equiv \Lambda_{UV}^I$$

Composite sector is *broadly* described by:

Giudice, Grojean, Pomarol, RR, 2007

◆ one mass scale m_ρ (of order TeV)

◆ one coupling g_ρ $g_\rho \sim g_{KK}$ $g_\rho \sim \frac{4\pi}{\sqrt{N}}$



$$= g_\rho \bar{\Psi} \Psi \Phi$$



$$= \frac{g_\rho^2}{m_\rho^2} \bar{\Psi} \Psi \bar{\Psi} \Psi$$

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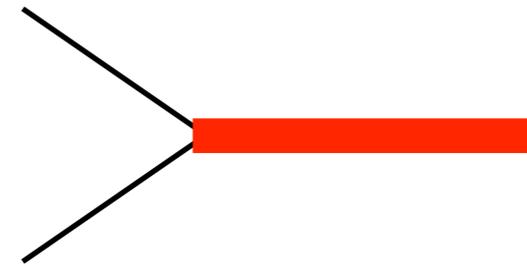
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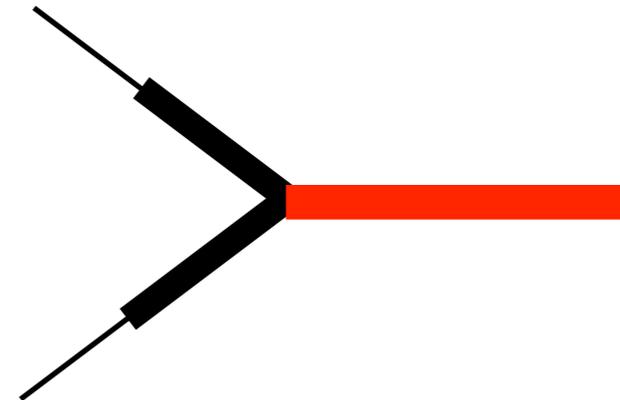
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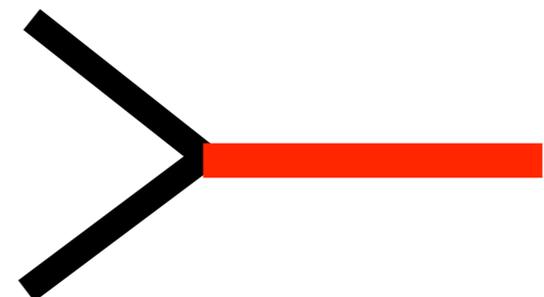
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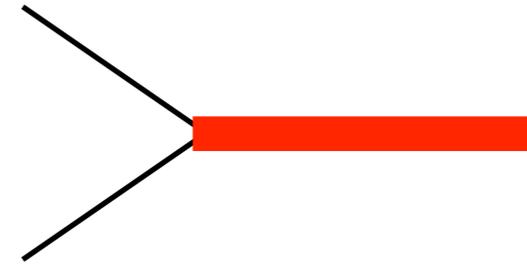
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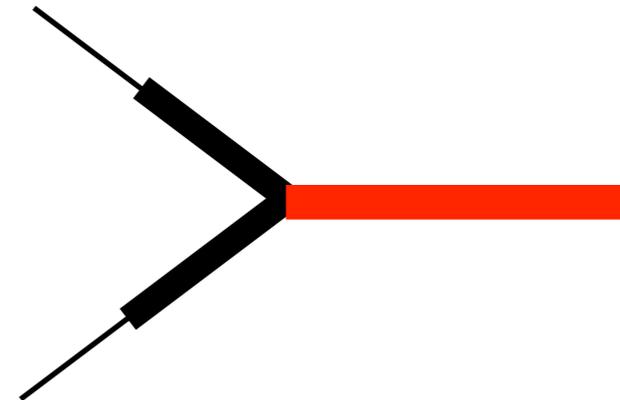
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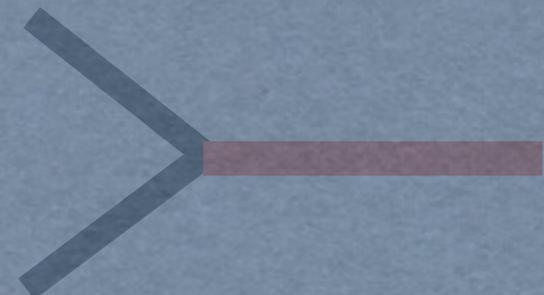
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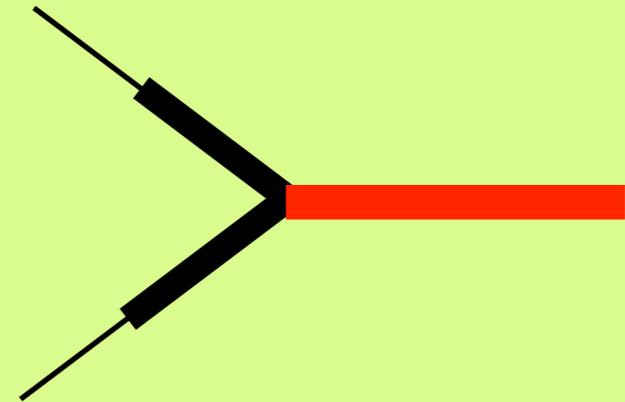
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Bilinear: ETC, disavored by CFT 'theorems'
Dimopoulos, Susskind, Rychkov, Rattazzi, Tonni, Vichi 2008
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Poland, Simmons-Duffin, Vichi 2011

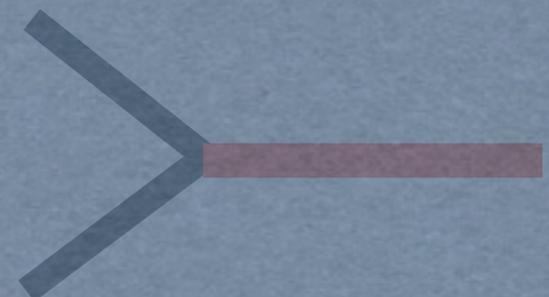
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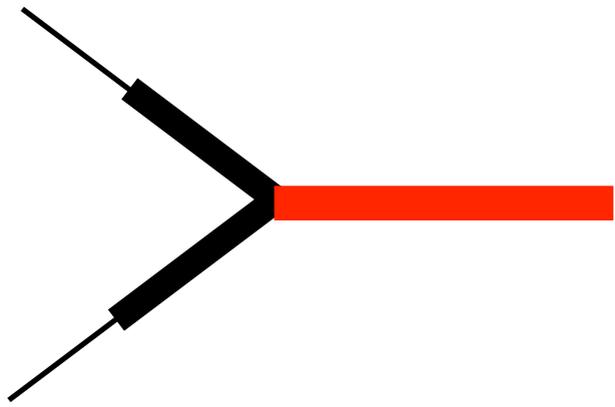
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$$\mathcal{L}_{Yukawa} = \epsilon_q^i q_L^i \mathcal{O}_q^i + \epsilon_u^i u_L^i \mathcal{O}_u^i + \epsilon_d^i d_L^i \mathcal{O}_d^i$$

Hypothesis

\exists at least 3 families of composite fermionic operators with same gauge quantum numbers as elementary ones

$$\dim \mathcal{O}^i \simeq \frac{5}{2} \quad \text{to ensure couplings slowly run}$$

Hypothesis seems a bit wishful to me, but I see no other option

Yukawas

$$Y_u^{ij} \sim \epsilon_q^i \epsilon_u^j g_\rho$$

$$Y_d^{ij} \sim \epsilon_q^i \epsilon_d^j g_\rho$$

Flavor transitions controlled by selection rules

(accidental non-compact $U(1)^9$ flavor symmetry)

$$\Delta F=1 \quad \epsilon_q^i \epsilon_u^j g_\rho \times \frac{v}{m_\rho^2} \times \frac{g_\rho^2}{16\pi^2} \bar{q}^i \sigma_{\mu\nu} u^j G_{\mu\nu}$$

$$\Delta F=2 \quad \epsilon_q^i \epsilon_d^j \epsilon_q^k \epsilon_d^\ell \times \frac{g_\rho^2}{m_\rho^2} (\bar{q}^i \gamma^\mu d^j) (\bar{q}^l \gamma_\mu d^\ell)$$

Bounds & an intriguing hint

Davidson, Isidori, Uhlig '07

Keren-Zur, Lodone, Nardecchia, Pappadopulo, RR, Vecchi '12

ϵ_k	$m_\rho \gtrsim 10 \text{ TeV}$
$\epsilon'/\epsilon, \quad b \rightarrow s\gamma$	$m_\rho \gtrsim \frac{g_\rho}{4\pi} \times (10 - 15) \text{ TeV}$
d_n	$m_\rho \gtrsim \frac{g_\rho}{4\pi} \times (20 - 40) \text{ TeV}$
<p>CP violation in D decays</p> <p>$\Delta a_{CP} = a_{KK} - a_{\pi\pi} = -(0.67 \pm 0.16)\%$</p>	$m_\rho \simeq \frac{g_\rho}{4\pi} \times 10 \text{ TeV}$

- Not crazy at all to see deviation in D's first !
- d_n should be next
- connection with weak scale not perfect

tuning

$$0.1\% \left(\frac{m_h}{125 \text{ GeV}} \right)^2 \left(\frac{10 \text{ TeV}}{m_\rho} \right)^2$$

$$\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$$

$$\frac{\sqrt{m_\mu m_e}}{m_\rho^2} \bar{\mu} \sigma_{\alpha\beta} e F^{\alpha\beta}$$

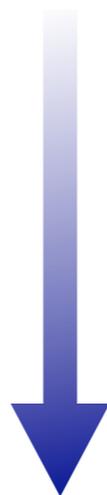
MEG: $\text{Br}(\mu \rightarrow e \gamma) < 2.4 \times 10^{-12}$

$$m_\rho \gtrsim 150 \text{ TeV}$$

Partial compositeness clearly cannot be the full story

Must assume strong sector possesses some flavor symmetry

Range of
possibilities



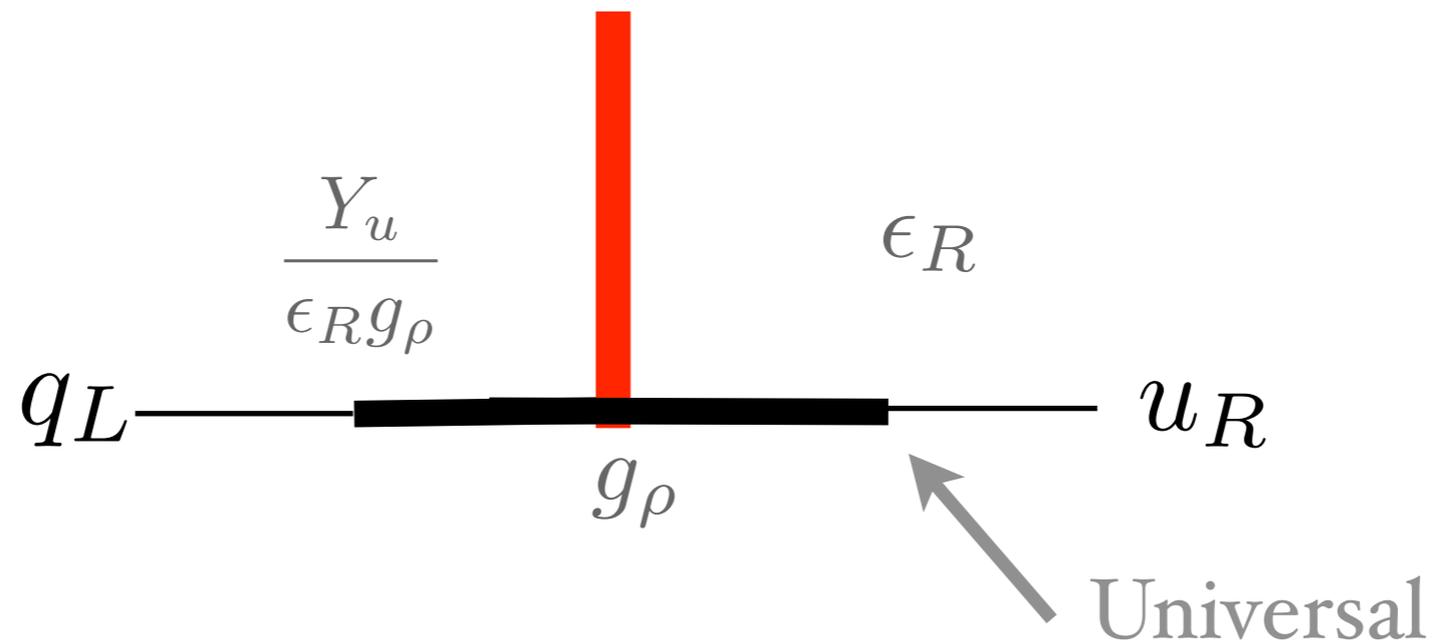
$$U(1)_e \times U(1)_\mu \times (1)_\tau$$

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$$SU(3) \times SU(3) \times \dots$$

Basically the only case where it makes sense to invoke MFV

Redi, Weiler '11

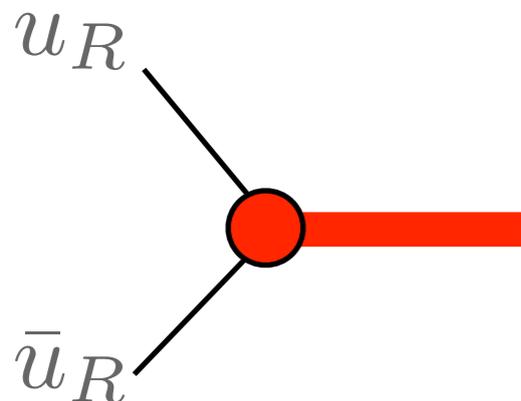


Observed m_t



$$\epsilon_R \gtrsim \frac{1}{g_\rho} > 0.1$$

Predict sizeable effects in right handed quarks

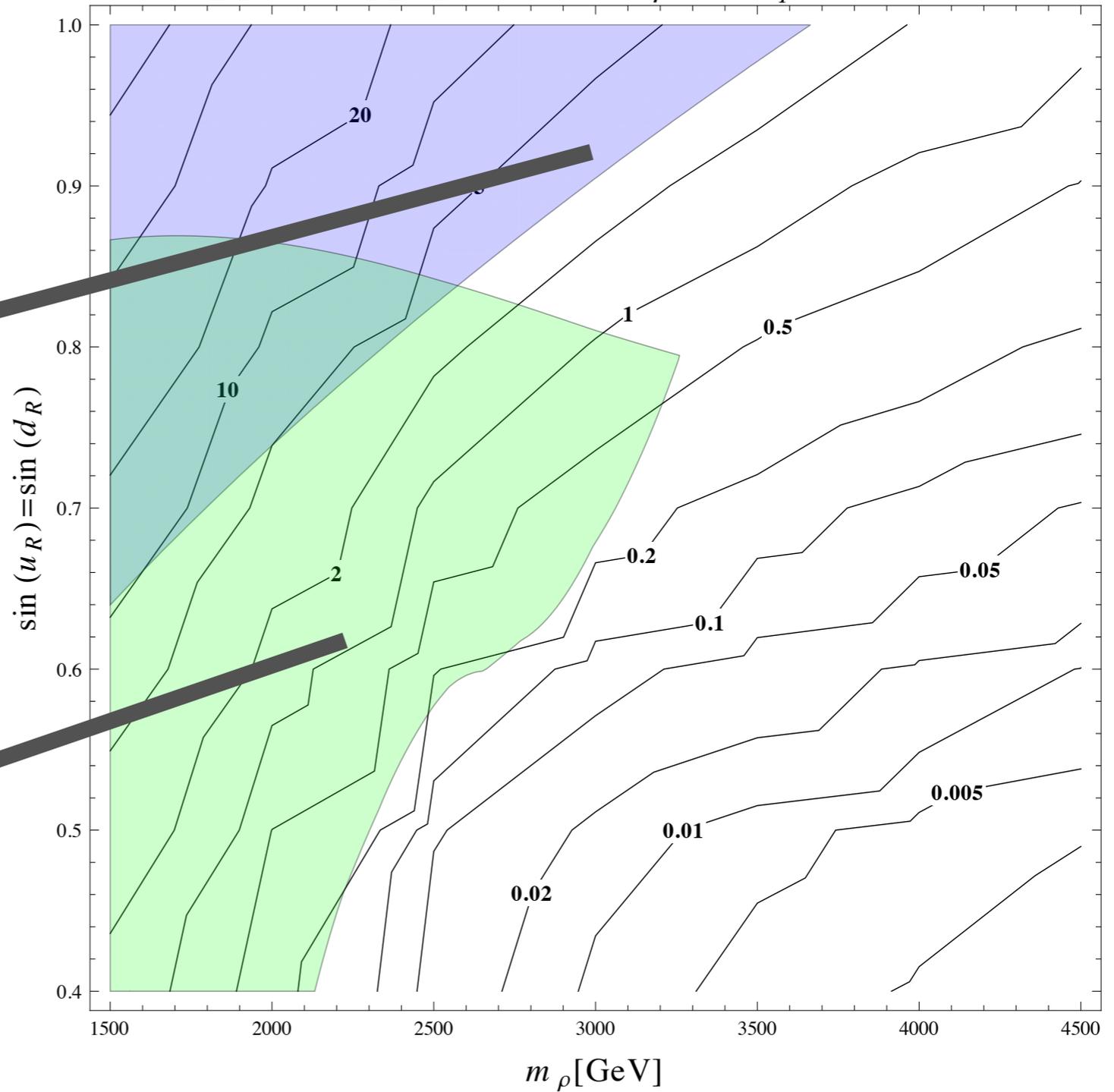


all possible resonances (Ex. massive gluon)

LHC bounds:

de Vries, Redi, Weiler: to appear

$\sigma(pp \rightarrow \rho \rightarrow qq)$ [pb] (CMS, $g_\rho=3, m_{q^*}=2000$ GeV)



Di-jet bounds

CMS 7 TeV 2.2 inv fb
(CMS-EXO-11-017)

Di-jet Bump hunt

CMS 8 TeV 4 inv fb
(CMS PAS EXO-12-016)

Expected signals in di-jet.

$$g_\rho = 3$$

◆ Flavor

◆ Naturalness and the search for top partners

Higgs's mass versus top-partners'

$$V(h) = \text{[Diagram: Top loop with } t_L \text{ and } T \text{]} + \text{[Diagram: Top loop with } t_R \text{ and } T \text{, crossed out]} + \dots$$

$O(\lambda_L^2)$
 $O(\lambda_R^2)$

$$\lambda_L \lambda_R \sim \lambda_t g_T$$

best option

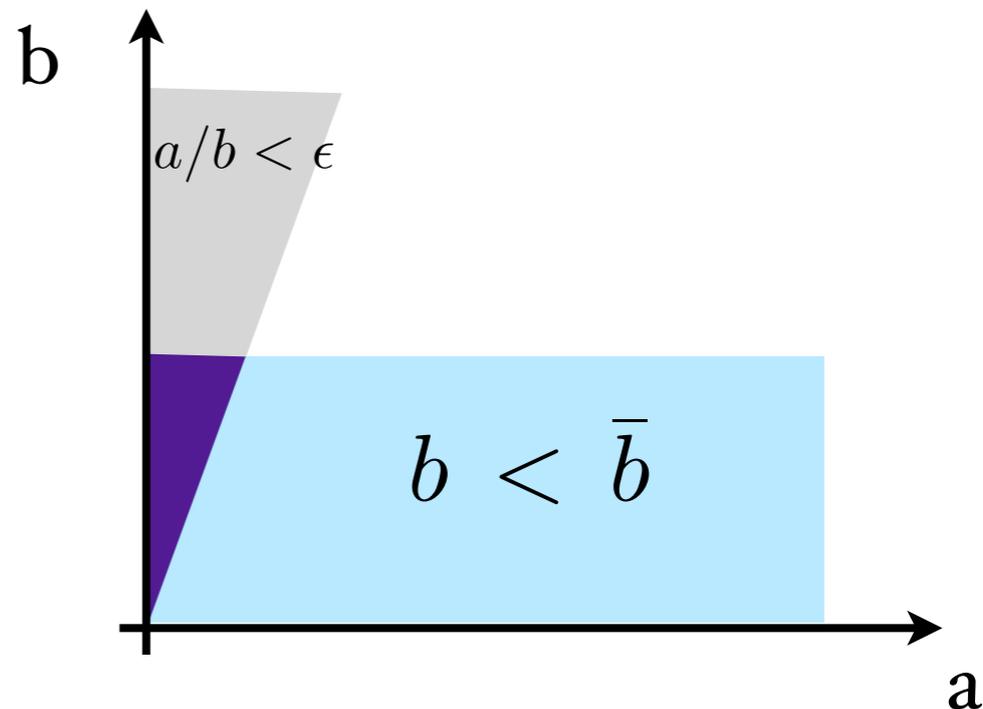
t_R is fully composite SO(5) singlet

$$\lambda_L \sim \lambda_t$$

$$\lambda_R \sim g_T$$

$$V(h) = \frac{m_T^4}{g_T^2} \times \frac{\lambda_t^2}{16\pi^2} \times F(h/f)$$

$$V = \frac{3\lambda_t^2 m_T^2}{16\pi^2} (ah^2 + bh^4/f^2 + \dots)$$



VEV

$$v^2/f^2 < \epsilon$$

$$a/b < \epsilon$$

tunings

quartic

$$b = \bar{b} \equiv \frac{m_h^2}{m_t^2} \frac{2\pi^2}{3g_T^2} \sim \frac{4}{g_T^2}$$

$$\text{Total tuning} \sim \text{area} = \epsilon \bar{b}^2 = \left(\frac{430 \text{ GeV}}{m_T} \right)^2 \times \frac{4}{g_T^2}$$

3 TeV



- Partners of light families
- Bosonic states

1 TeV



Top partners

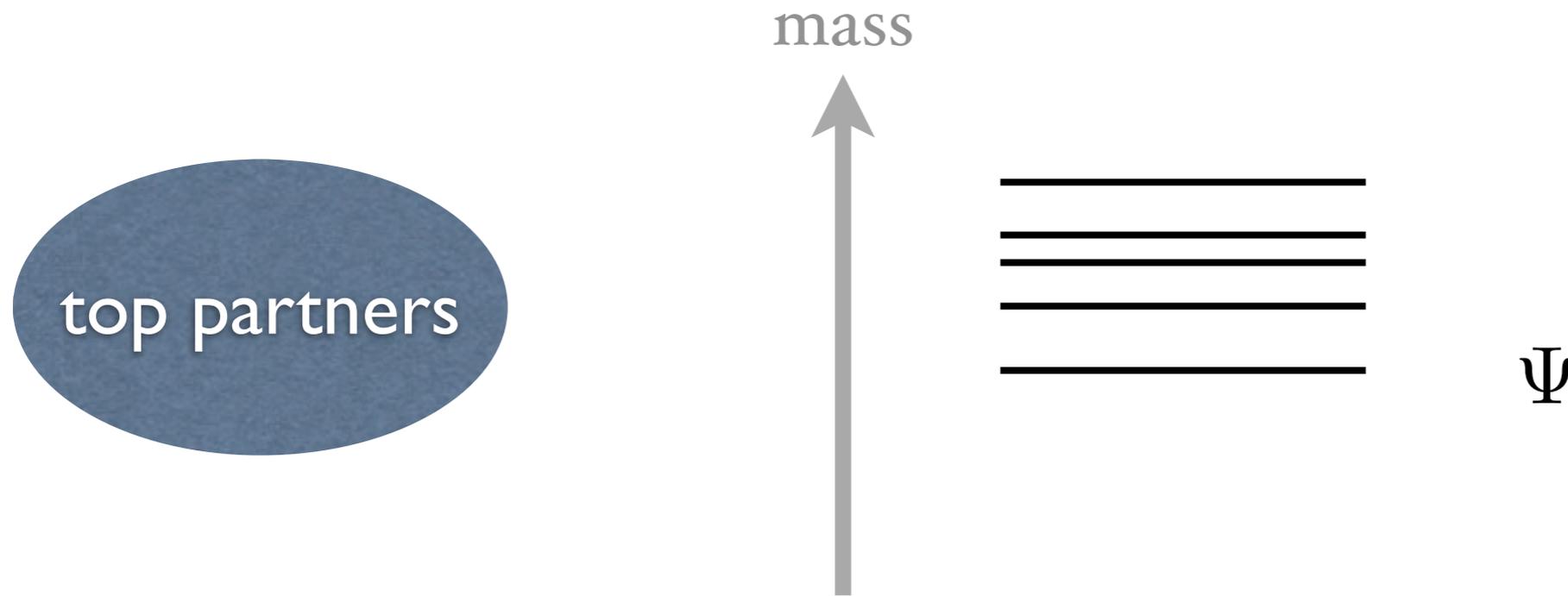
The main test of naturalness is the search for fermionic top partners

but how to proceed? given we do not have in our hand
a truly compelling and calculable model

how to help our experimental colleagues to express the
results of their searches in the light of more interesting
scenarios than, say, a fourth family

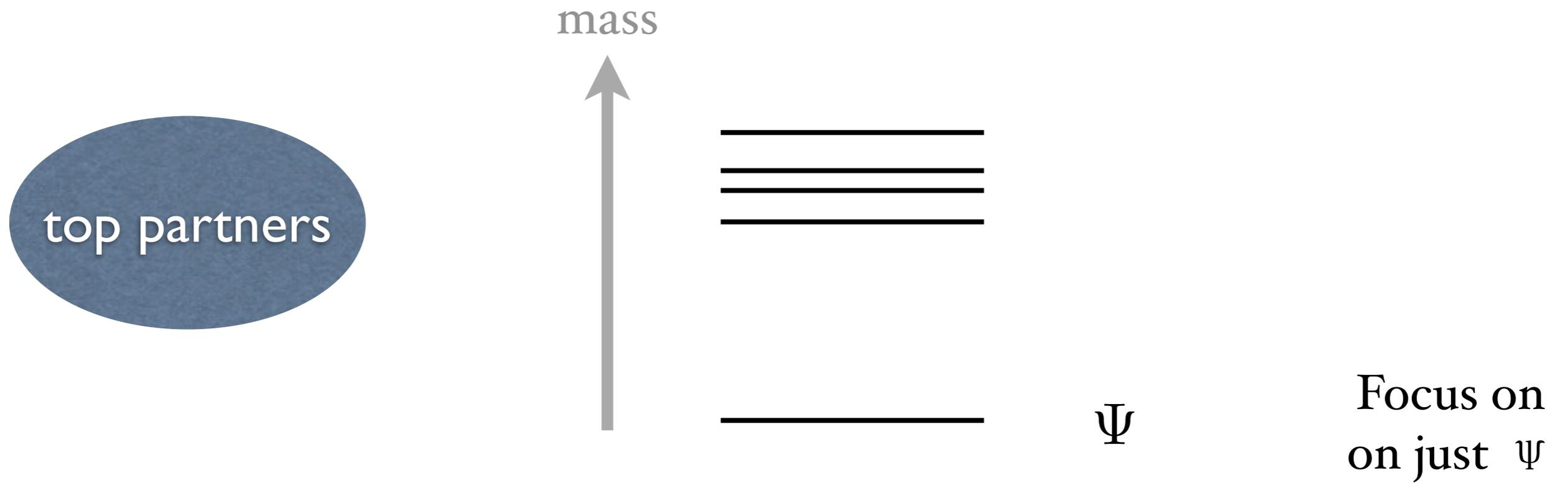
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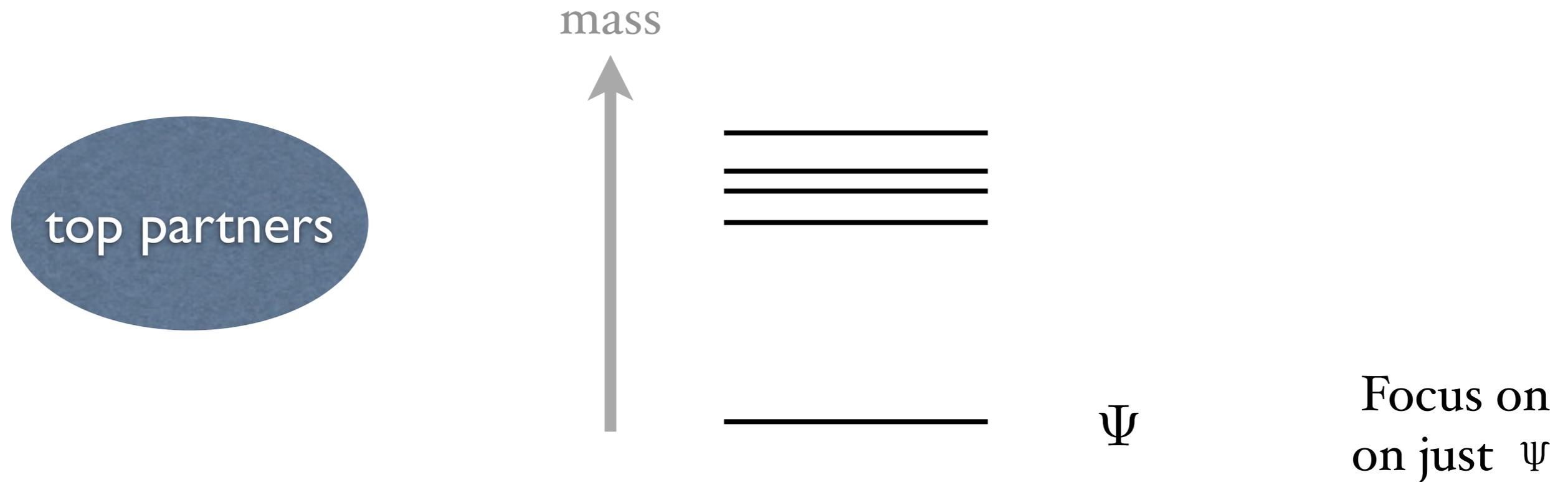
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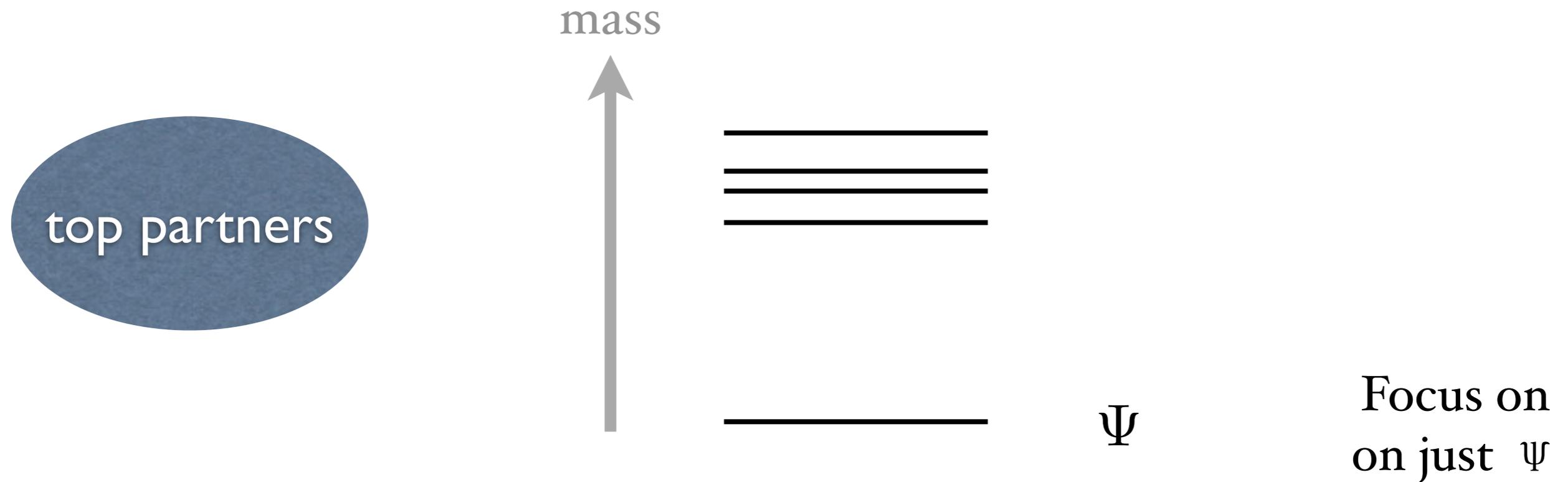
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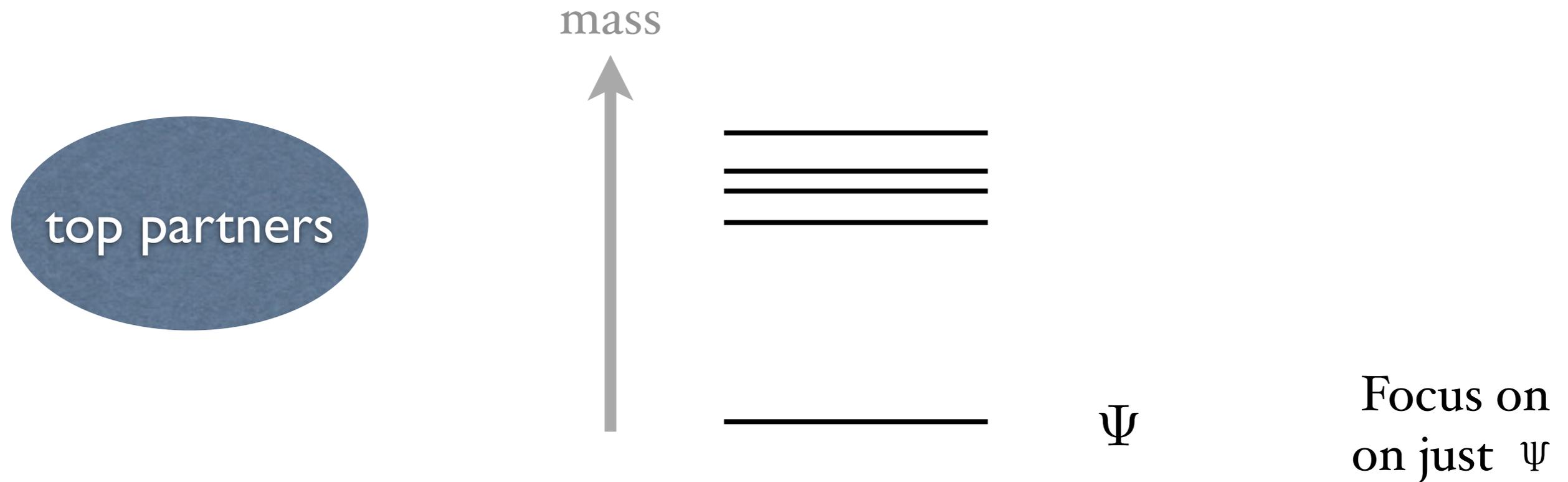
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In formal limit $m_\Psi \ll m_\rho$ can consistently take Ψ weakly coupled
describe by effective lagrangian

already discussed for bosonic resonances in: Contino, Marzocca, Pappadopulo, RR, 2011

Expect results to semi-quantitatively remain the same even in
more realistic case $m_\rho - m_\Psi = O(m_\Psi)$

Focus on $SO(5)/SO(4)$ with totally composite t_R

Which irrep could ψ be?

$$\mathcal{L}_{top} = \lambda_L q_L \bar{\mathcal{O}}_R + \text{h.c.}$$

simplest
options

\mathcal{O}_R

$$\mathbf{5} = \mathbf{4} \oplus \mathbf{1}$$

$$\mathbf{14} = \mathbf{9} \oplus \mathbf{4} \oplus \mathbf{1}$$

$\mathbf{4}$ and $\mathbf{1}$ are interpolated
by \mathcal{O}_R in both options

	$\mathcal{O}_R = \mathbf{5}$	$\mathcal{O}_R = \mathbf{14}$
$\Psi = \mathbf{1}$	$M1_5$	$M1_{14}$
$\Psi = \mathbf{4}$	$M4_5$	$M4_{14}$

\mathcal{L}_Ψ based on

- symmetry ($\text{SO}(5)/\text{SO}(4)$ σ -model)
- selection rules (λ_L dependence)
- naive power counting

Ex. $M4_5$

$$\mathcal{L}_\Psi = i \bar{q}_L \not{D} q_L + i \bar{t}_R \not{D} t_R + i \bar{\Psi} (\not{D} + i\phi) \Psi - M_\Psi \bar{\Psi} \Psi$$

$$+ \left[i c_1 (\bar{\Psi}_R)_i \gamma^\mu d_\mu^i t_R + \lambda_L f (q_L^{\bar{5}})^I U_{Ii} \Psi_R^i + \lambda_L c_2 f (q_L^{\bar{5}})^I U_{I5} t_R + \text{h.c.} \right]$$



$$\sim \partial_\mu H \equiv h, W_L^i$$

in unitary gauge

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \cos \frac{h}{f} & \sin \frac{h}{f} \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -\sin \frac{h}{f} & \cos \frac{h}{f} \end{pmatrix}$$

4 free parameters

$$(\lambda_L, c_1, c_2, M_\Psi, f) - m_t$$

expect

$$\lambda_L \sim \lambda_t$$

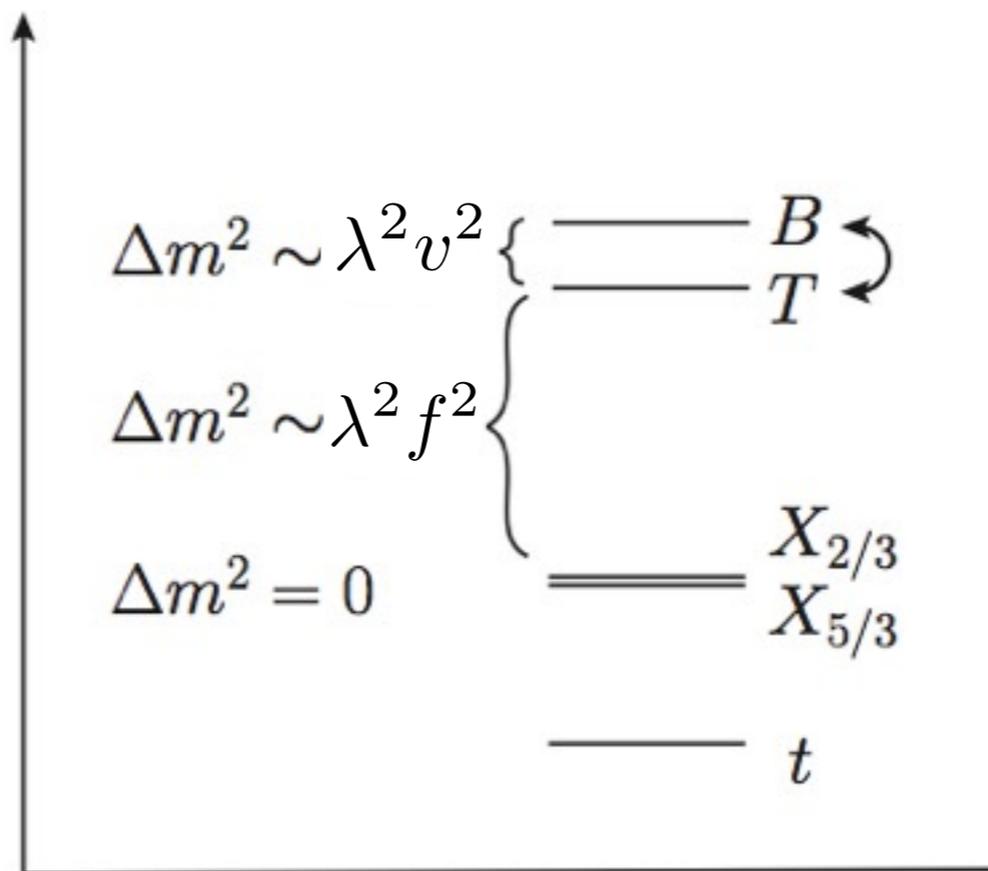
$$c_{1,2} = O(1)$$

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3 free parameters $(\lambda_L, c_2, M_\Psi, f) - m_t$

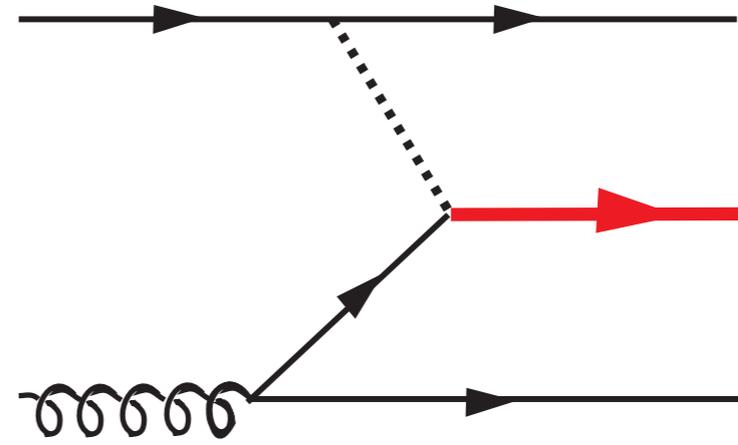
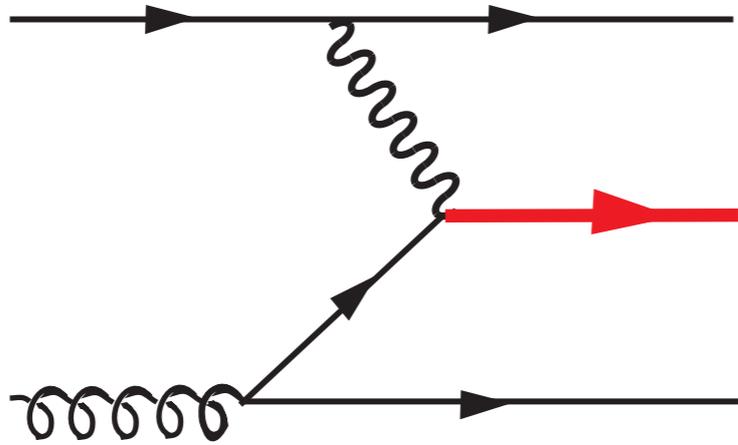
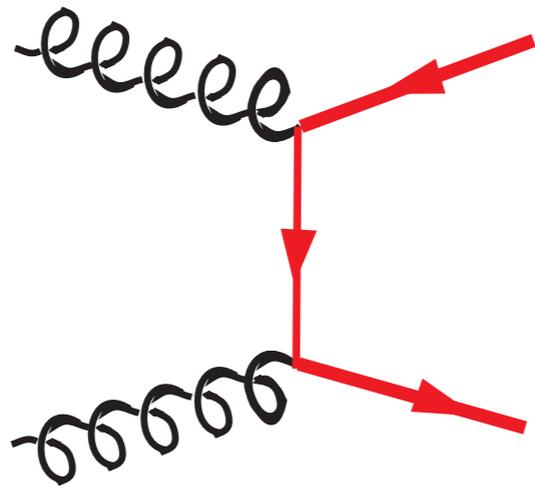
spectrum



$$\begin{pmatrix} \bar{t}_L \\ \bar{T}_L \\ X_{2/3_L} \end{pmatrix}^T \begin{pmatrix} -\frac{c_2 \lambda f}{\sqrt{2}} \sin \epsilon & \lambda f \cos^2 \frac{\epsilon}{2} & \lambda f \sin^2 \frac{\epsilon}{2} \\ 0 & -M_\psi & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -M_\psi \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} t_R \\ T_R \\ X_{2/3_R} \end{pmatrix}$$

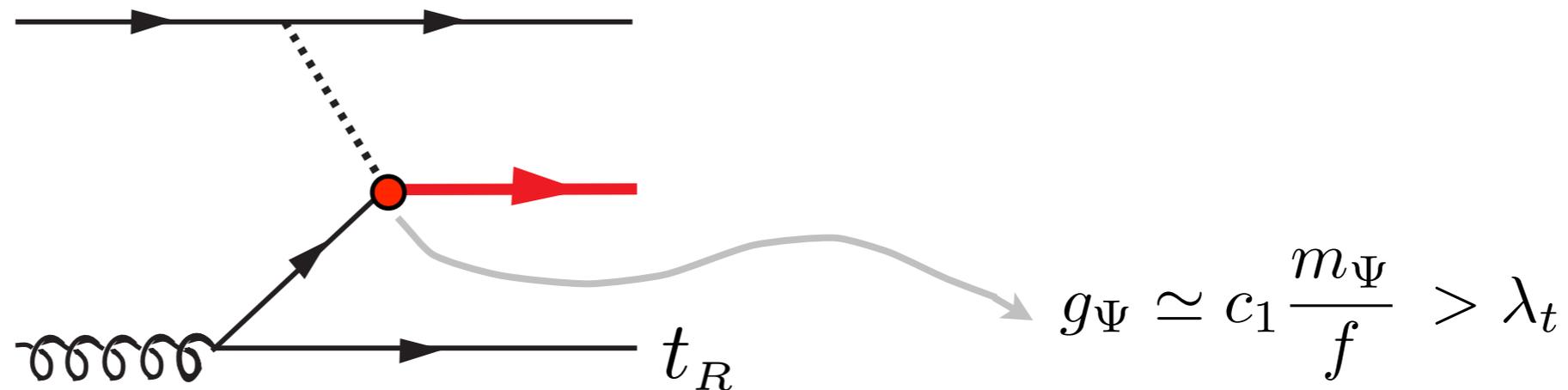
σ -model zeroes protect splitting between $X_{2/3}$ and $X_{5/3}$

Production



Contino, Servant 2008

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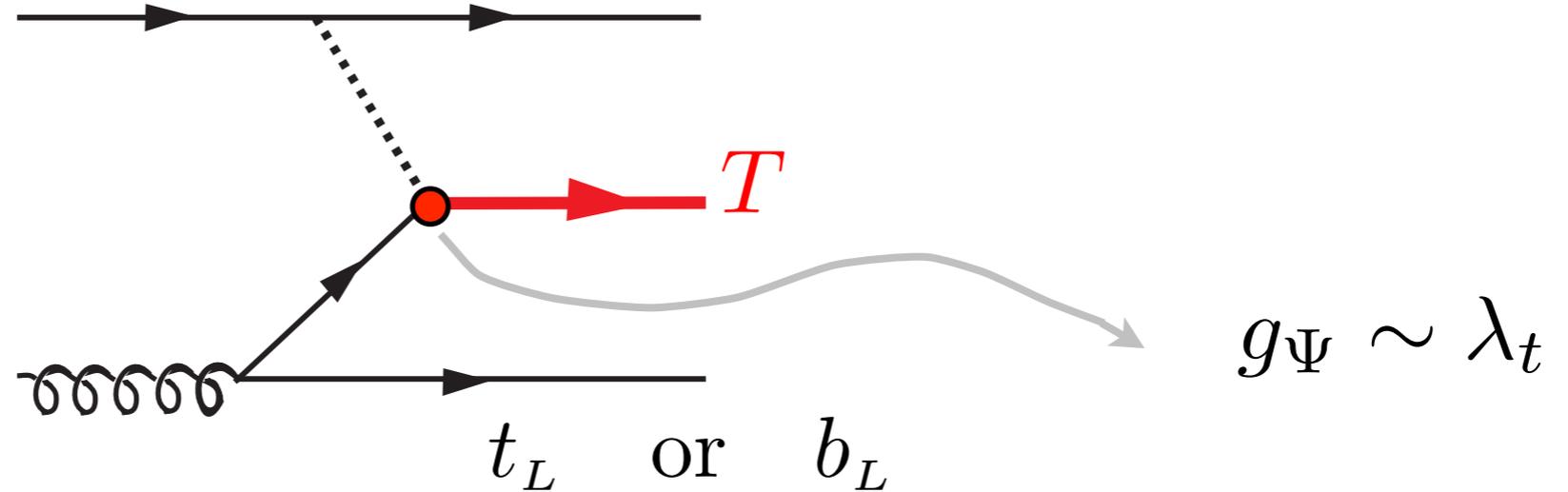
$pp \rightarrow \Psi, t_R + j$
└───┬───> forward jet
not presently exploited in searches

$$Br(X_{5/3} \rightarrow W t_R) = 1$$

$$Br(X_{2/3} \rightarrow h t_R) \simeq Br(X_{2/3} \rightarrow Z t_R) \simeq 0.5$$

$$Br(B \rightarrow W t_R) \simeq 1$$

Ex. $M15$



$$Br(T \rightarrow Zt_L) \simeq Br(T \rightarrow ht_L) \simeq \frac{1}{2} Br(T \rightarrow Wb_L) \simeq 0.25$$

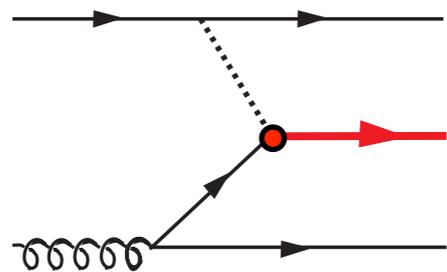
available searches tailored on 4th family double production
not very sensitive to single production in this model

We have employed CMS searches for 4th family quarks to bound the simplified top models for top partners

Our own estimate of the efficiency of signal:

including trigger and b-tagging efficiencies reported by CMS papers not including showering, hadronization & detector checking our estimates are at most 30% off for the 4th family signal

No need of full simulation point by point in parameter space



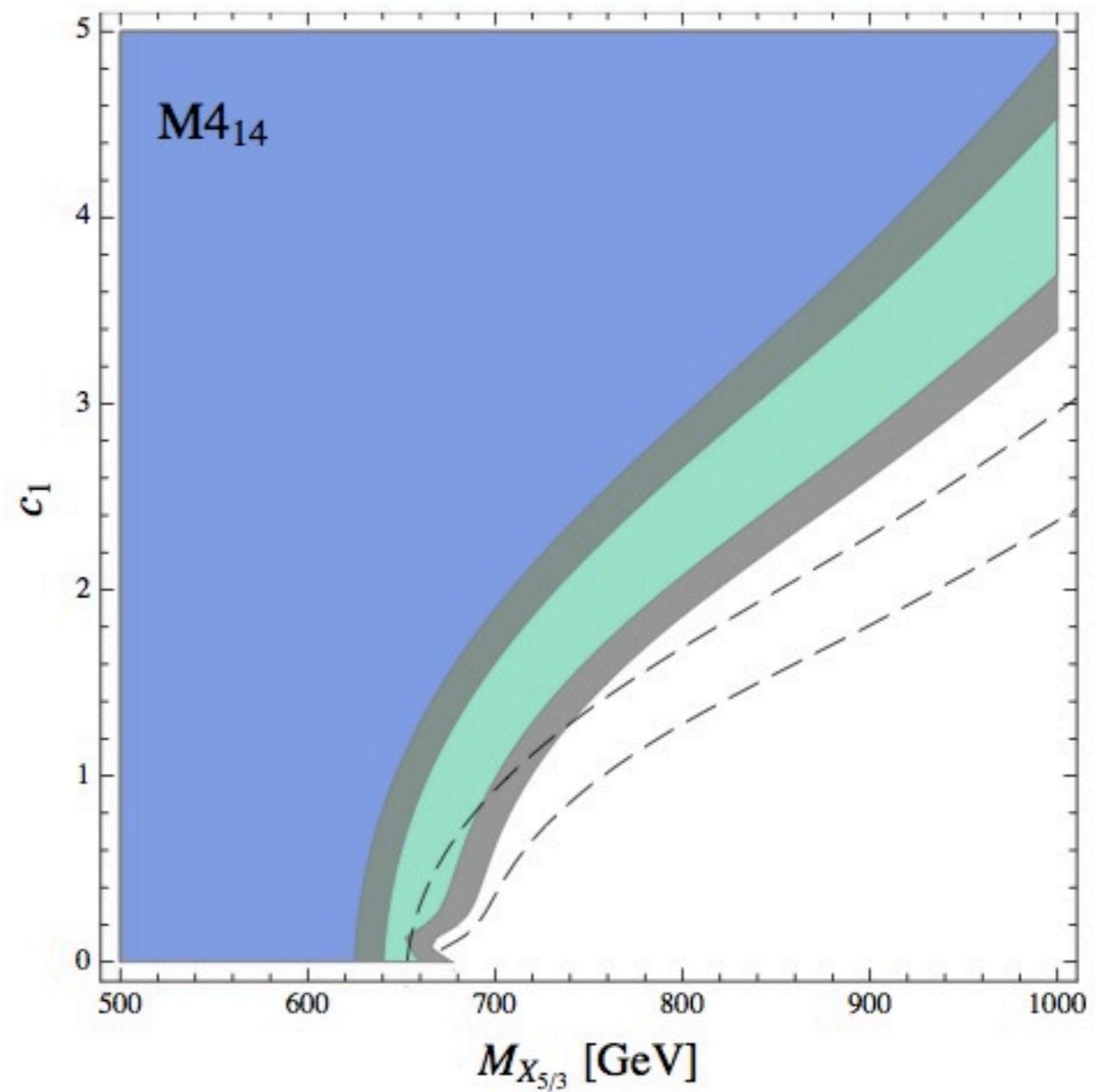
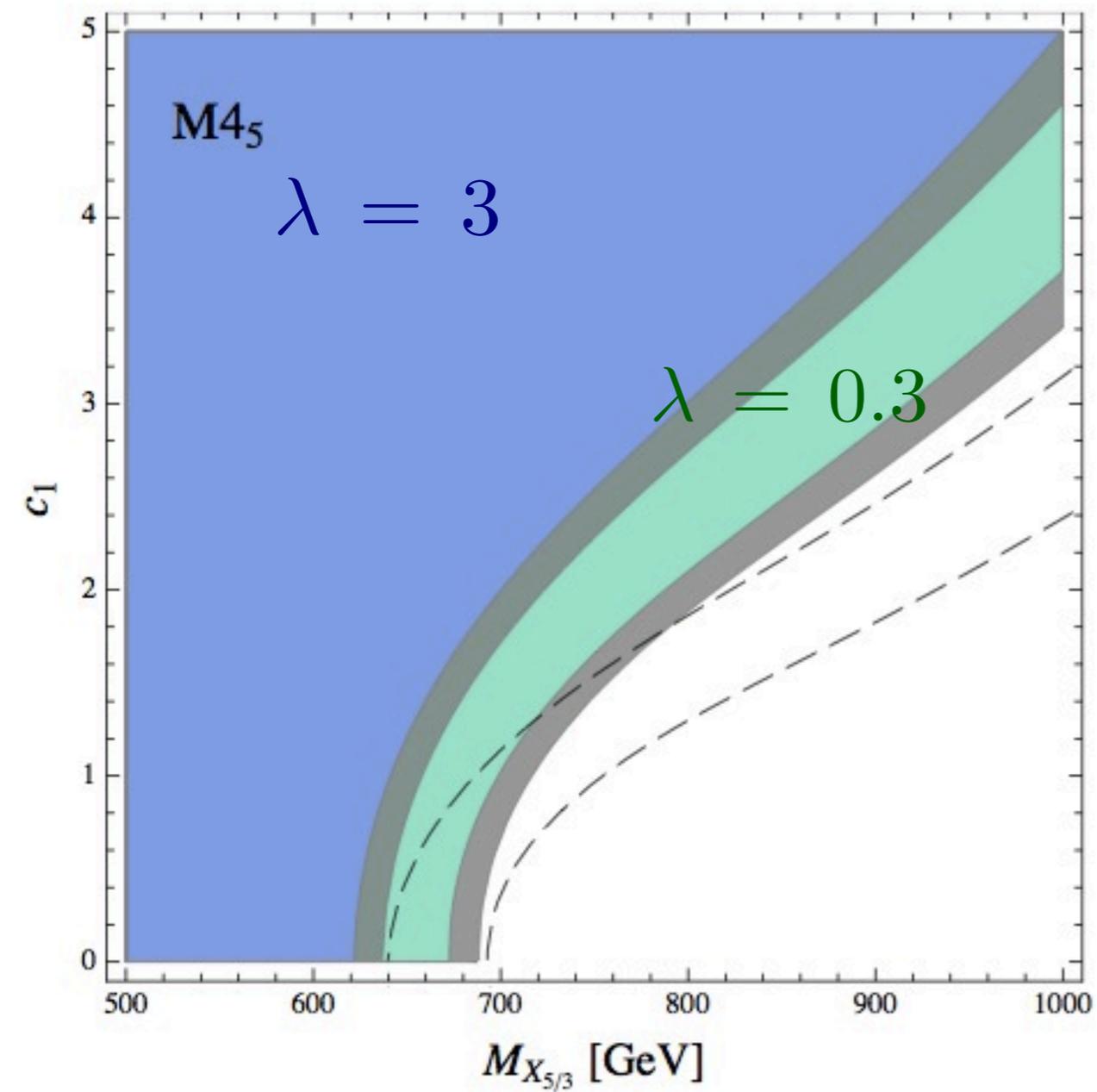
$$\sigma(\Psi t) = g_{\Psi t}^2 \times \bar{\sigma}(\Psi t)$$

analytic dependence
on parameters

simulated numerically
once for all

$X_{5/3}$ and B production constrained by 4th family search $b' \rightarrow Wt$
same sign dileptons (trileptons) + b + 3 (2) jets

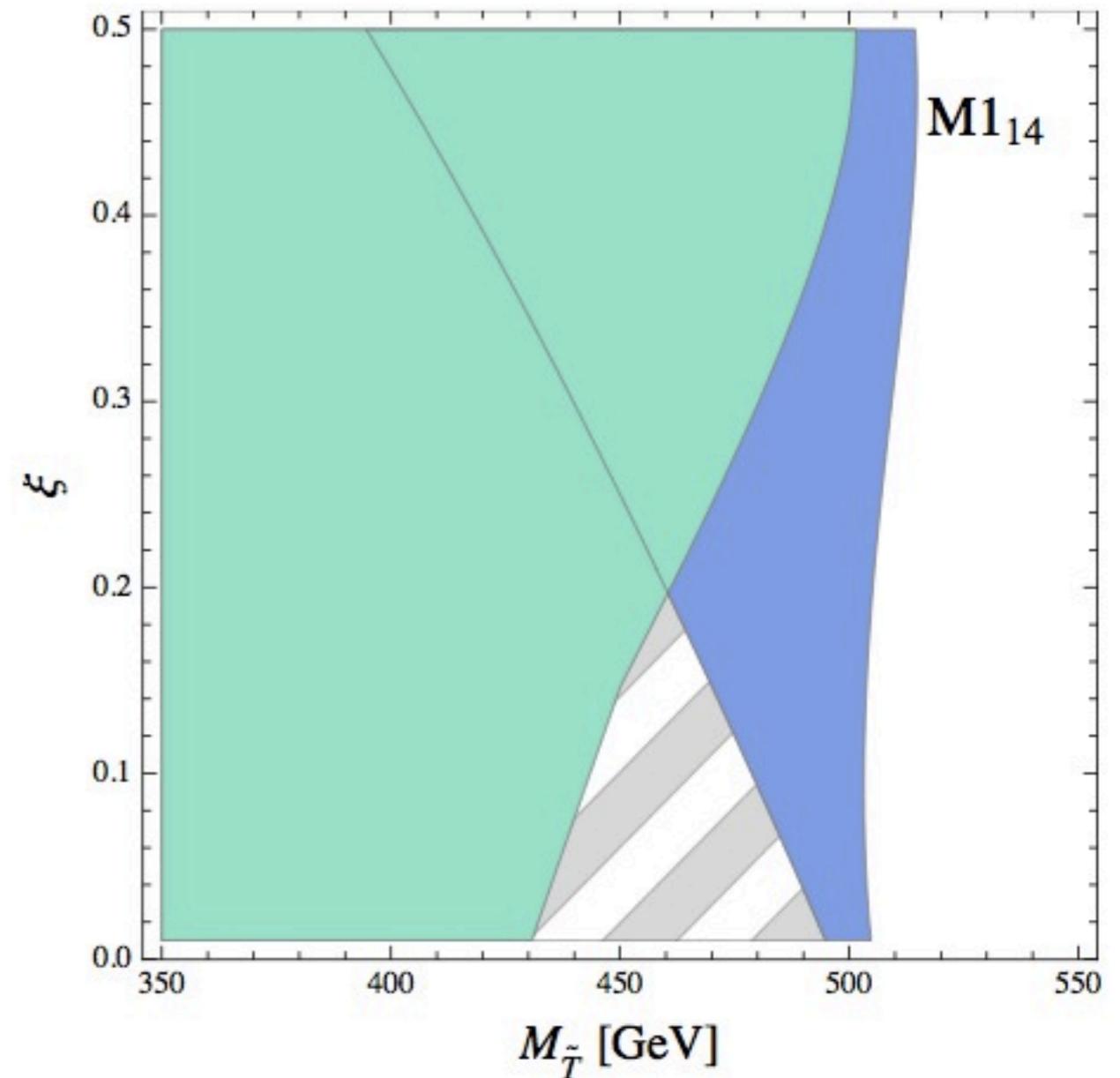
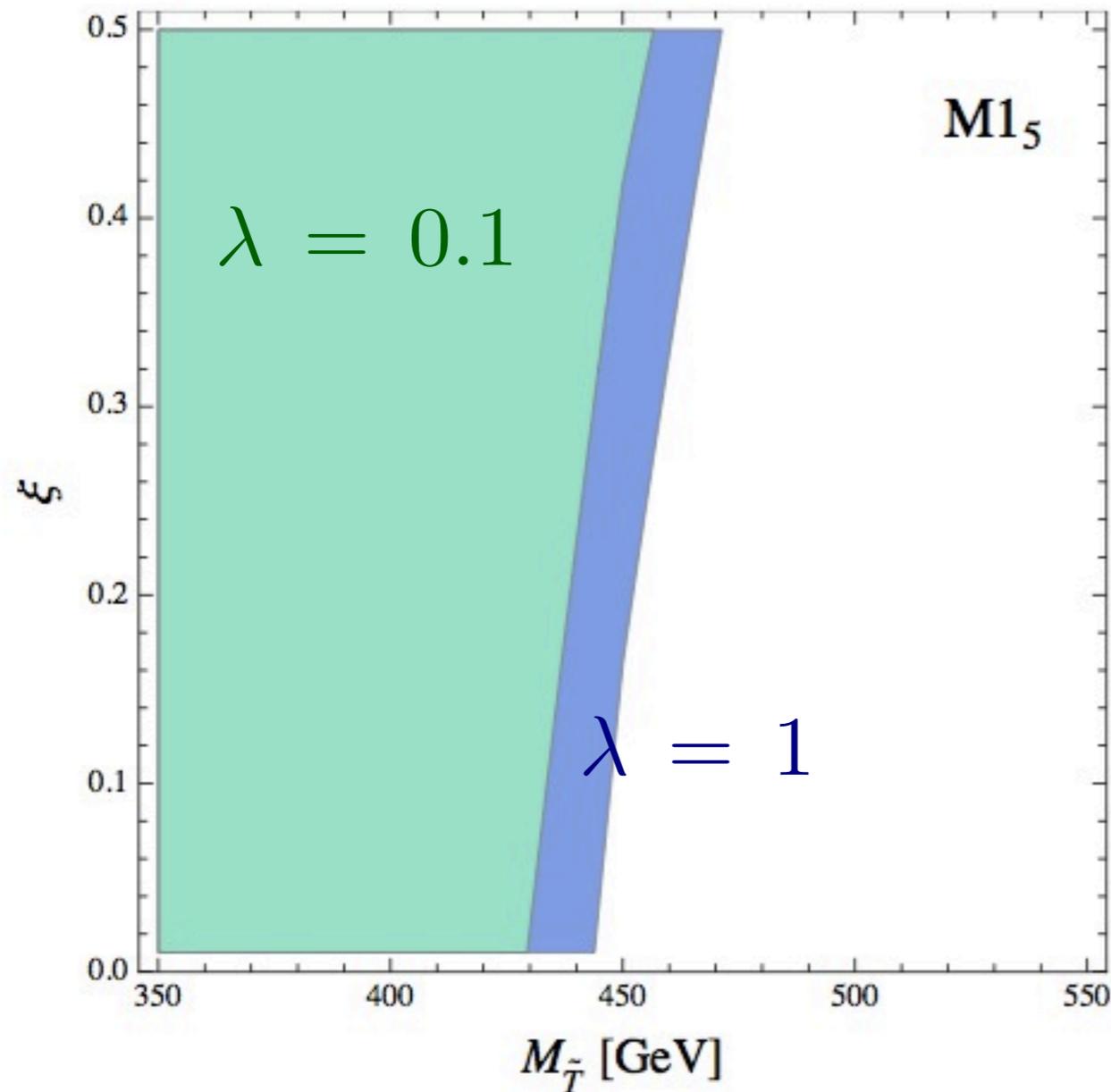
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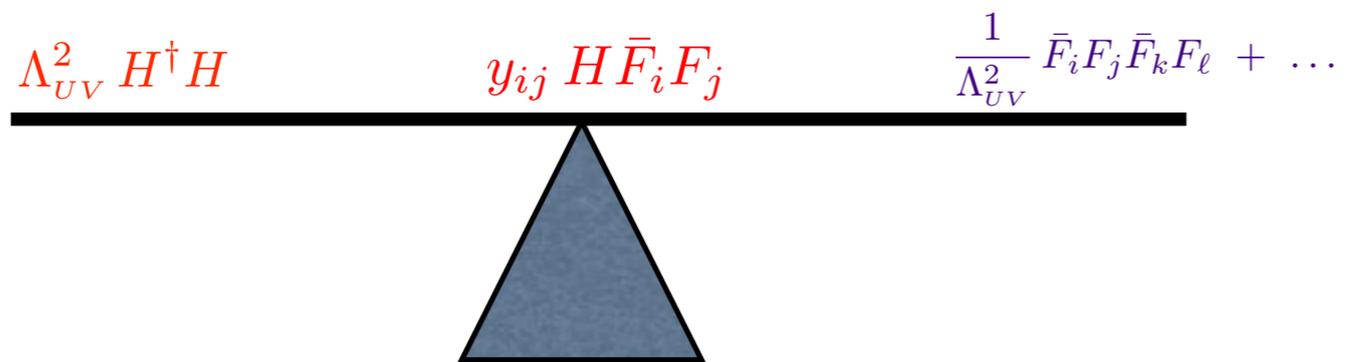
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$$t' \rightarrow Wb$$

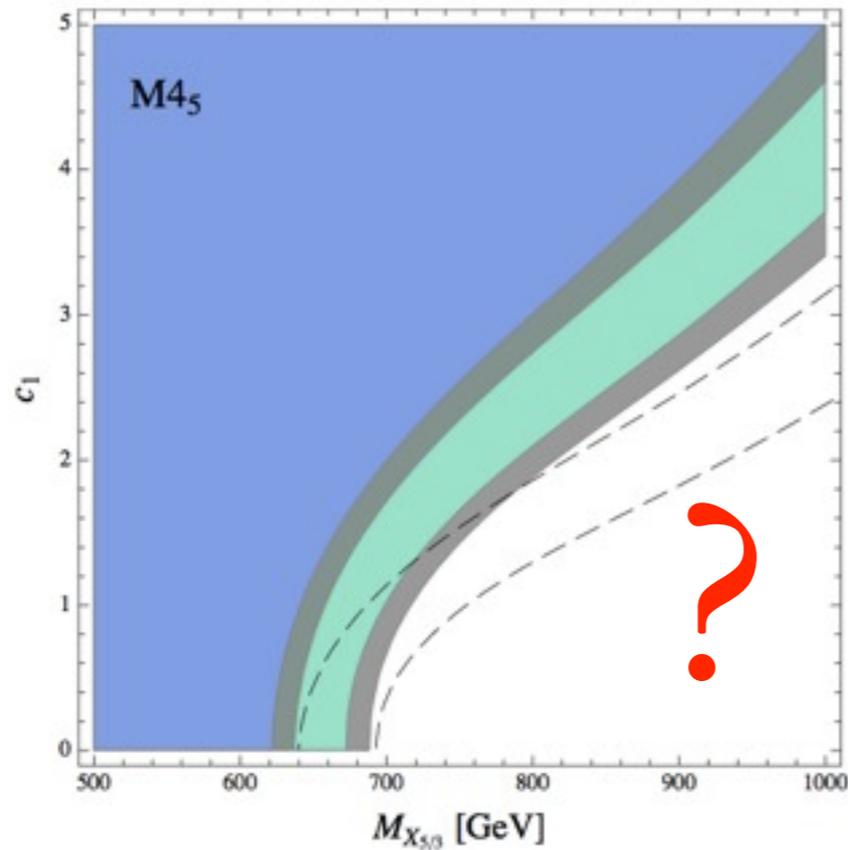


I.



Flavor remains crucial
to assess
the riddle of the weak scale

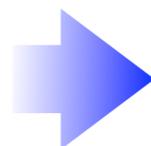
II.



tuning $\approx \left(\frac{400 \text{ GeV}}{m_T} \right)^2$

III.

$m_h \simeq 125 \text{ GeV}$



strong sector is not so strong