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# Constraints on new physics from Higgs data

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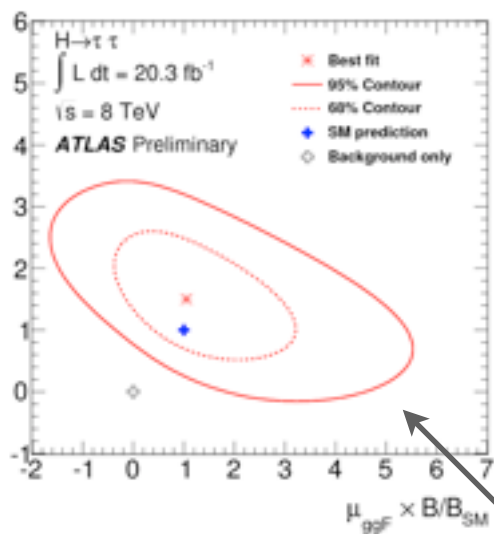


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# Higgs: the story so far



ATLAS			
Production	Decay	$\hat{\mu}$	Ref.
2D	$\gamma\gamma$	$1.55^{+0.33}_{-0.29}$	[5, 6]
	$ZZ$	$1.41^{+0.42}_{-0.33}$	[5, 7]
	$WW$	$0.98^{+0.33}_{-0.26}$	[5, 8]
	$\tau\tau$	$1.4^{+0.4}_{-0.5}$	[9]
VH	$bb$	$0.2^{+0.7}_{-0.6}$	[10]
ttH	$bb$	$2.69 \pm 5.53$	[11]
	$\gamma\gamma$	$-1.39 \pm 3.18$	[12]
inclusive	$Z\gamma$	$2.96 \pm 6.69$	[13]
	$\mu\mu$	$1.75 \pm 4.26$	[14]

CMS			
Production	Decay	$\hat{\mu}$	Ref.
2D	$\gamma\gamma$	$0.77^{+0.29}_{-0.26}$	[15]
	$ZZ$	$0.92^{+0.29}_{-0.24}$	[16]
	$WW$	$0.68^{+0.21}_{-0.19}$	[16]
	$\tau\tau$	$0.87 \pm 0.29$	[17]
VH	$bb$	$1.00 \pm 0.49$	[18]
VBF	$bb$	$0.7 \pm 1.4$	[19]
ttH	$bb$	$1.0^{+1.9}_{-2.0}$	[20]
	$\gamma\gamma$	$-0.2^{+2.4}_{-1.9}$	[20]
	$\tau\tau$	$-1.4^{+6.3}_{-5.5}$	[20]
	multi- $\ell$	$3.7^{+1.6}_{-1.4}$	[21]
inclusive	$Z\gamma$	$-0.21 \pm 4.86$	[22]
	$\mu\mu$	$2.9^{+2.8}_{-2.7}$	[23]



How we interpret that



# Effective Higgs Lagrangian

- Starting with SM + dimension 6 operators effective Lagrangian → For details see Eduard Masso's talk
- Ignoring 2-fermion vertex and dipole operators (most of them strongly constrained by precision measurements)
- Ignoring CP-violating operators (no interference in inclusive observables so effects expected smaller)
- Require no tree-level and no power divergent 1-loop corrections to electroweak precision observables



# Simplified Effective Higgs Lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L}_{h,\text{sim}} = \frac{h}{v} \left( 2c_V m_W^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- + c_V m_Z^2 Z_\mu Z_\mu \right. \\ \left. - c_u \sum_{q=u,c,t} m_q \bar{q}q - c_d \sum_{q=d,s,b} m_q \bar{q}q - c_l \sum_{l=e,\mu,\tau} m_l \bar{l}l \right. \\ \left. + \frac{1}{4} c_{gg} G_{\mu\nu}^a G_{\mu\nu}^a - \frac{1}{4} c_{\gamma\gamma} \gamma_{\mu\nu} \gamma_{\mu\nu} \right. \\ \left. - \frac{1}{2} c_{WW} W_{\mu\nu}^+ W_{\mu\nu}^- - \frac{1}{4} c_{ZZ} Z_{\mu\nu} Z_{\mu\nu} - \frac{1}{2} c_{Z\gamma} \gamma_{\mu\nu} Z_{\mu\nu} \right)$$

$$c_{WW} = c_{\gamma\gamma} + \frac{c_w}{s_w} c_{Z\gamma} \quad c_{ZZ} = c_{\gamma\gamma} + \frac{c_w^2 - s_w^2}{c_w s_w} c_{Z\gamma}$$

- Simpler effective theory with 7 free parameters
- Limit of SM+SILH with constraints  $\bar{c}_T = \bar{c}_6 = 0$   $\bar{c}_{HW} + \bar{c}_{HB} = 0$   $\bar{c}_B + \bar{c}_{HB} = 0$
- Standard Model limit:  $c_V = c_f = 1$ ,  $c_{gg} = c_{\gamma\gamma} = c_{Z\gamma} = 0$



# Global 7-parameter fit to Higgs couplings



# Global fits

- I fit couplings of the effective theory to available ATLAS, CMS, and Tevatron data and EW precision tests from LEP, SLC, Tevatron
- For EW precision observables, I assume vanishing contributions to EW observables from higher dimensional operators at threshold  $\Lambda=3\text{TeV}$  (only running effect from threshold to EW scale included)
- Starting with unconstrained 7 parameter, below I give central value and 68%CL range. Then I'm moving to constrained 2 parameter fits motivated by new physics models
- Ignoring systematic and theory errors. Assuming errors in different channels are Gaussian and uncorrelated (except for in EW precision tests)
- But taking into account 2D likelihoods in the GGF-VBF plane, whenever available

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Belusca-Maito, AA  
arXiv: 1311.1113

Best fit and 68% CL range for  
parameters (warning, some  
errors very non-Gaussian)

Islands of good fit with  
negative  $c_u$ ,  $c_d$ ,  $c_l$  ignored here

$\Delta\chi^2 = \chi^2_{SM} - \chi^2_{min} \approx 5.3$ , with 7 d.o.f.  
the SM hypothesis is a too perfect fit :-(((



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It couples to W and Z mass!!!

using only Higgs data:

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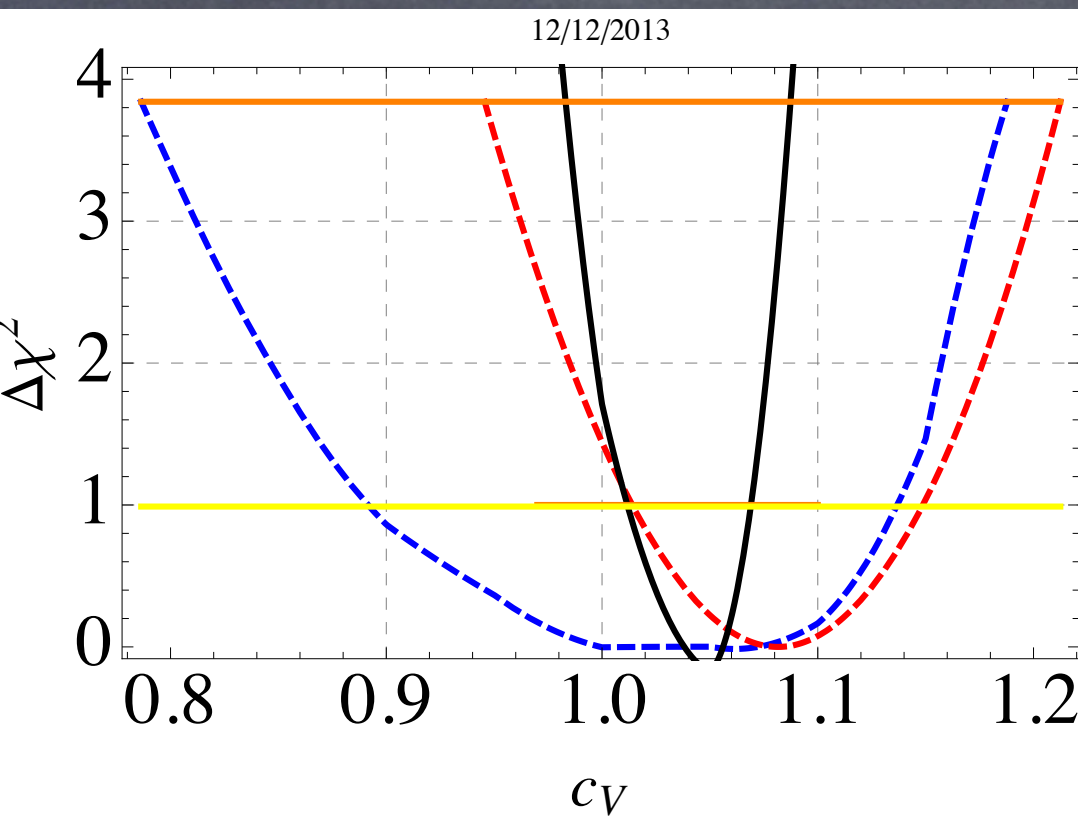
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Higgs data alone:

$$c_V = 1.05^{+0.10}_{-0.15} \quad 0.79 < c_V < 1.19 \quad @95\% \text{ CL}$$

EW data alone:

$$c_V = 1.08^{+0.07}_{-0.07} \quad 0.95 < c_V < 1.21 \quad @95\% \text{ CL}$$

Higgs+EW data:

$$c_V = 1.04^{+0.03}_{-0.04} \quad 0.98 < c_V < 1.09 \quad @95\% \text{ CL}$$

- Overwhelming evidence it is a Higgs boson
- Statement independent of possible higher order couplings to W and Z
- Smells like **the** Higgs boson



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Couplings to gluons and top probed by gluon fusion Higgs production mode

$$\frac{\sigma_{ggF}}{\sigma_{ggF}^{SM}} = \frac{|\hat{c}_{gg}|^2}{|\hat{c}_{gg,SM}|^2}$$

$$\hat{c}_{gg} \approx c_{gg} + 0.0128 c_u$$

Constrained combination

$$|\hat{c}_{gg,SM}| \simeq 0.012$$

Degeneracy between  $c_{gg}$  and  $c_u$  broken (slightly) by diphoton decays and by the  $t\bar{t}h$  production mode

$$\frac{\sigma_{t\bar{t}h}}{\sigma_{t\bar{t}h}^{SM}} = |c_u|^2$$

Current limits on  $t\bar{t}h$  production still weak

$$\frac{\sigma_{t\bar{t}h}}{\sigma_{t\bar{t}h}^{SM}} = -0.4 \pm 2.7$$

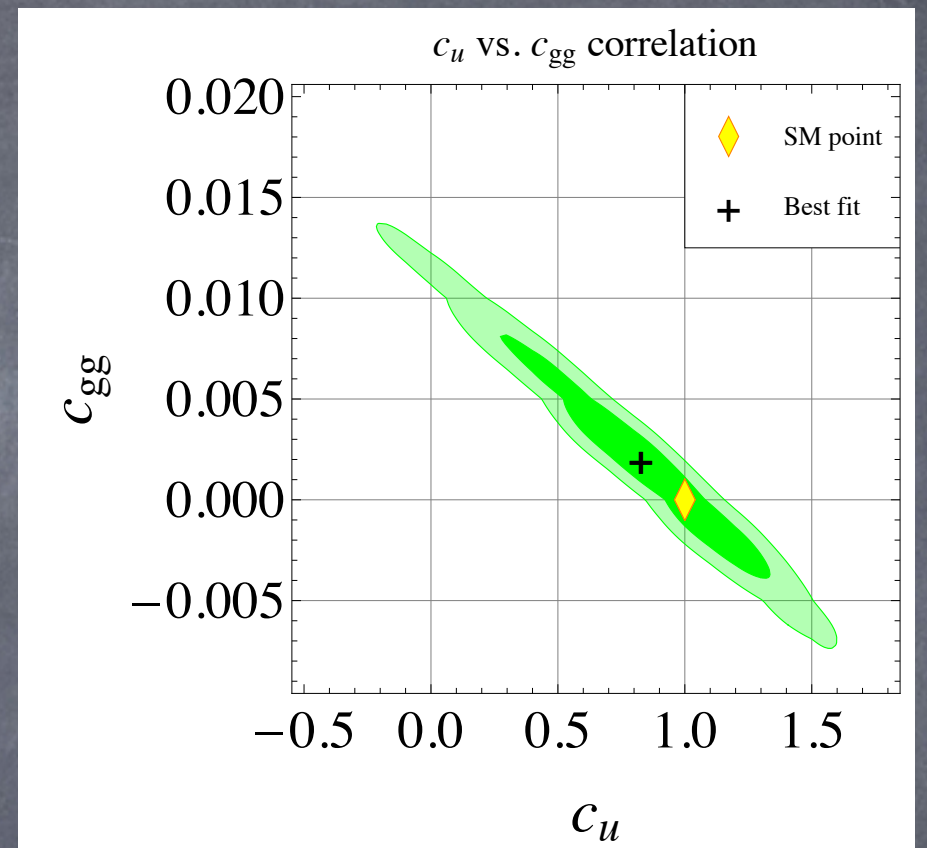
ATLAS

Combined BB and  $\gamma\gamma$  channels

$$\frac{\sigma_{t\bar{t}h}}{\sigma_{t\bar{t}h}^{SM}} = 2.5 \pm 1.0$$

CMS

New CMS  $t\bar{t}h$  combo  
 HIG-12-035  
 HIG-13-015  
**HIG-13-019**



ttH Channel	$\mu = \sigma/\sigma_{SM}$ ( $m_H = 125.7$ GeV)
$\gamma\gamma$	$-0.2^{+2.4}_{-1.9}$
$b\bar{b}$	$+1.0^{+1.9}_{-2.0}$
$\tau\tau$	$-1.4^{+6.3}_{-5.5}$
4l	$-4.8^{+5.0}_{-1.2}$
3l	$+2.7^{+2.2}_{-1.8}$
Same-sign 2l	$+5.3^{+2.2}_{-1.8}$
Combined	$+2.5^{+1.0}_{-1.0}$



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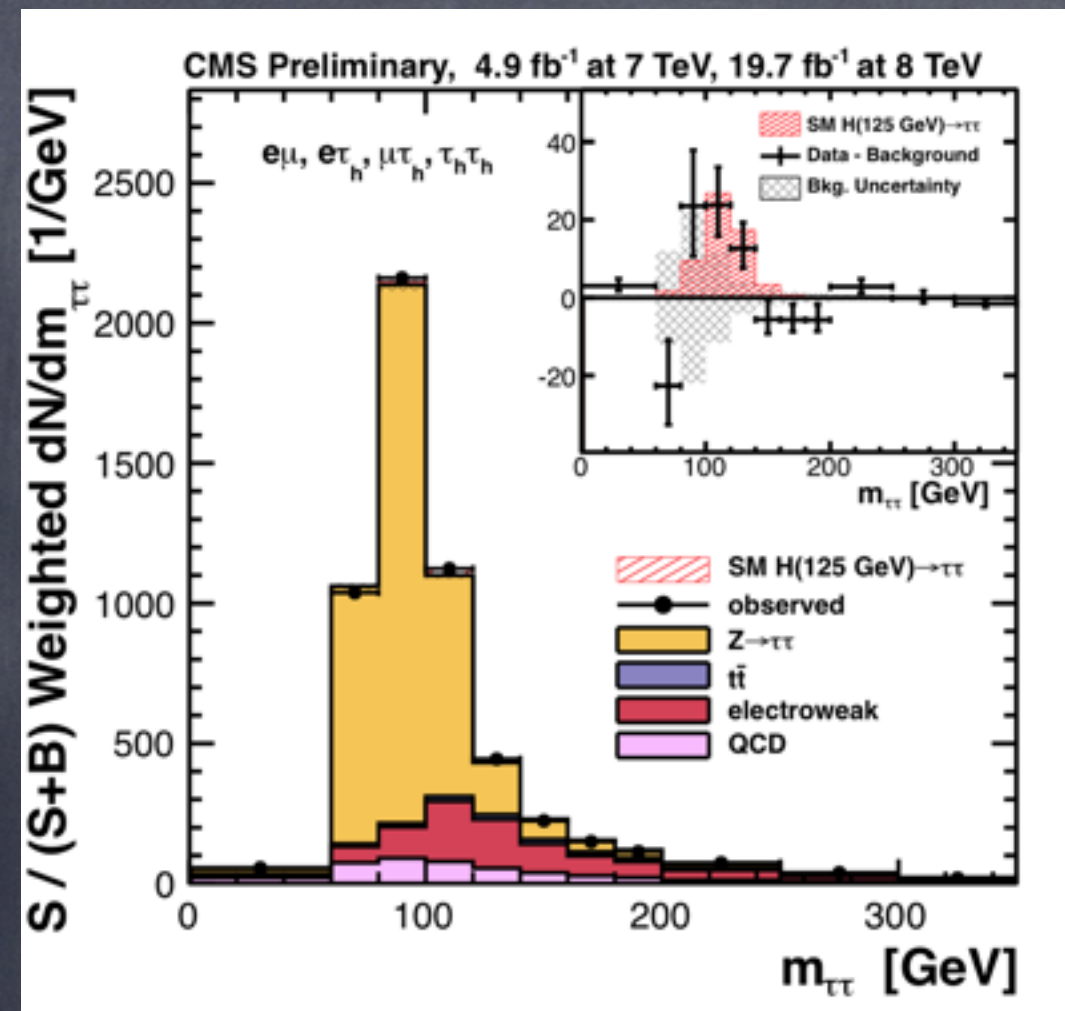
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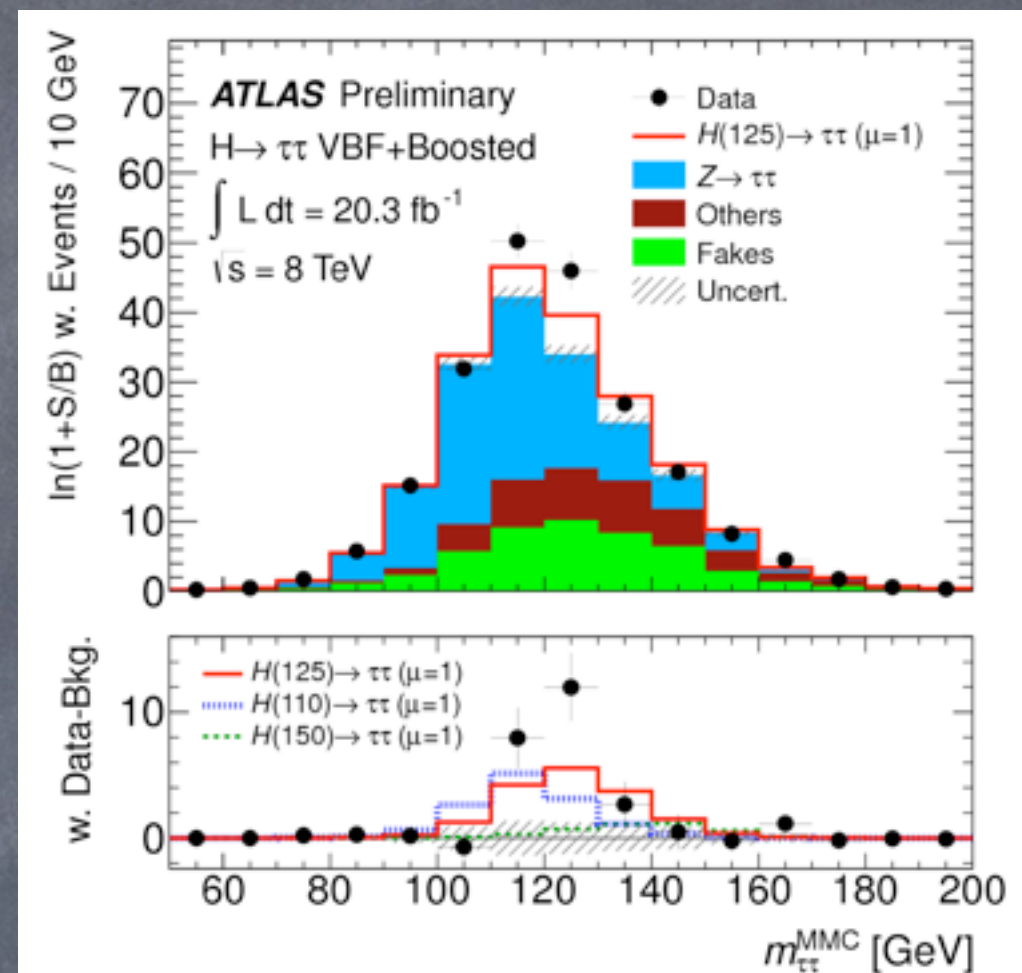
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# NEW! PROGRESS IN $\tau\tau$ CHANNEL

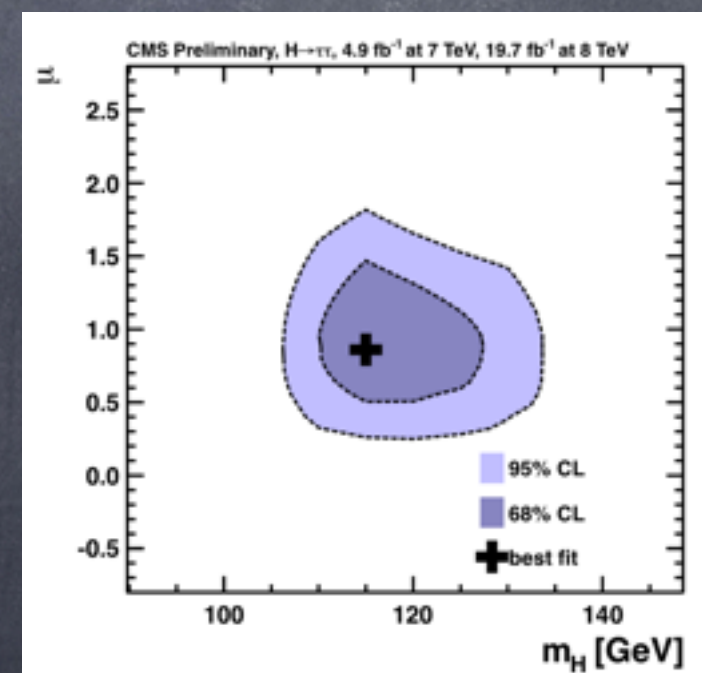


$\tau\tau$



- Rate slightly larger than in SM  
 $\mu = 1.4 - 0.4 + 0.5$

Mass resolution much worse in this channel





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# What does it mean for generic new physics

Operator  $\frac{c}{\Lambda^2} \partial^\mu (H^\dagger H) \partial_\mu (H^\dagger H) \Rightarrow \delta c_V = -\frac{c v^2}{\Lambda^2}$

95%CL Limit  $|\delta c_V| \lesssim 0.1 \Rightarrow \Lambda \gtrsim 800 \text{ GeV } c^{1/2}$

Operator  $\frac{c \alpha_s}{16\pi \Lambda^2} H^\dagger H G_{\mu\nu}^a G_{\mu\nu}^a \Rightarrow \delta c_{gg} = -\frac{c \alpha_s v^2}{4\pi \Lambda^2}$

95%CL Limit  $|\delta c_{gg}| \lesssim 0.01 \Rightarrow \Lambda \gtrsim 250 \text{ GeV } c^{1/2}$

and so on...



# Model Dependent Limits



New physics in loops



# 2-parameter fits: loop inspired

Assume Higgs couples to new scalars or fermions

$$\mathcal{L} = -c_s \frac{2m_s^2}{v} h S^\dagger S - c_f \frac{m_f}{v} h \bar{f} f$$

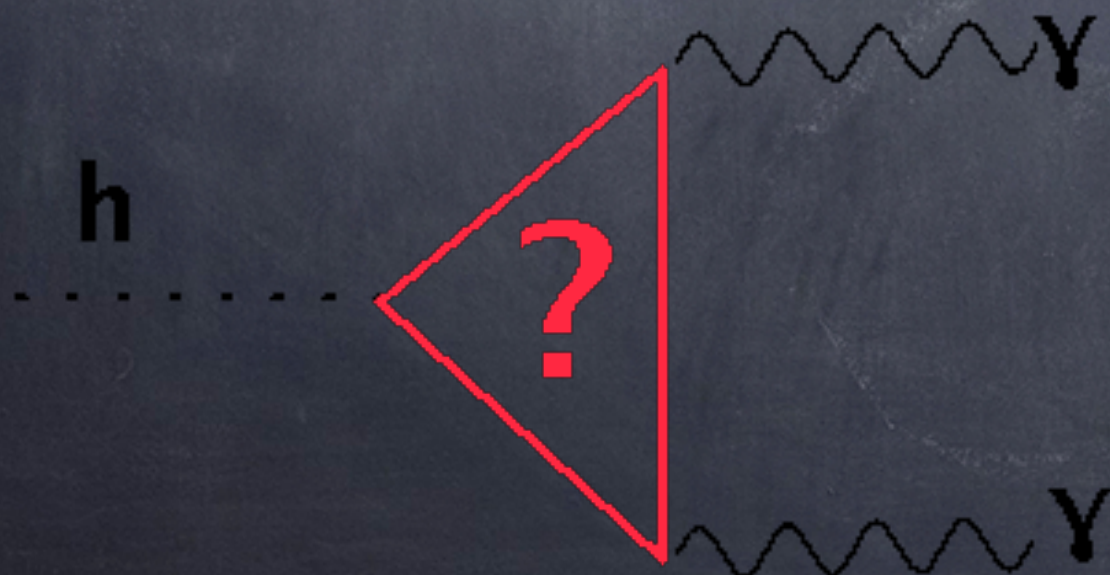
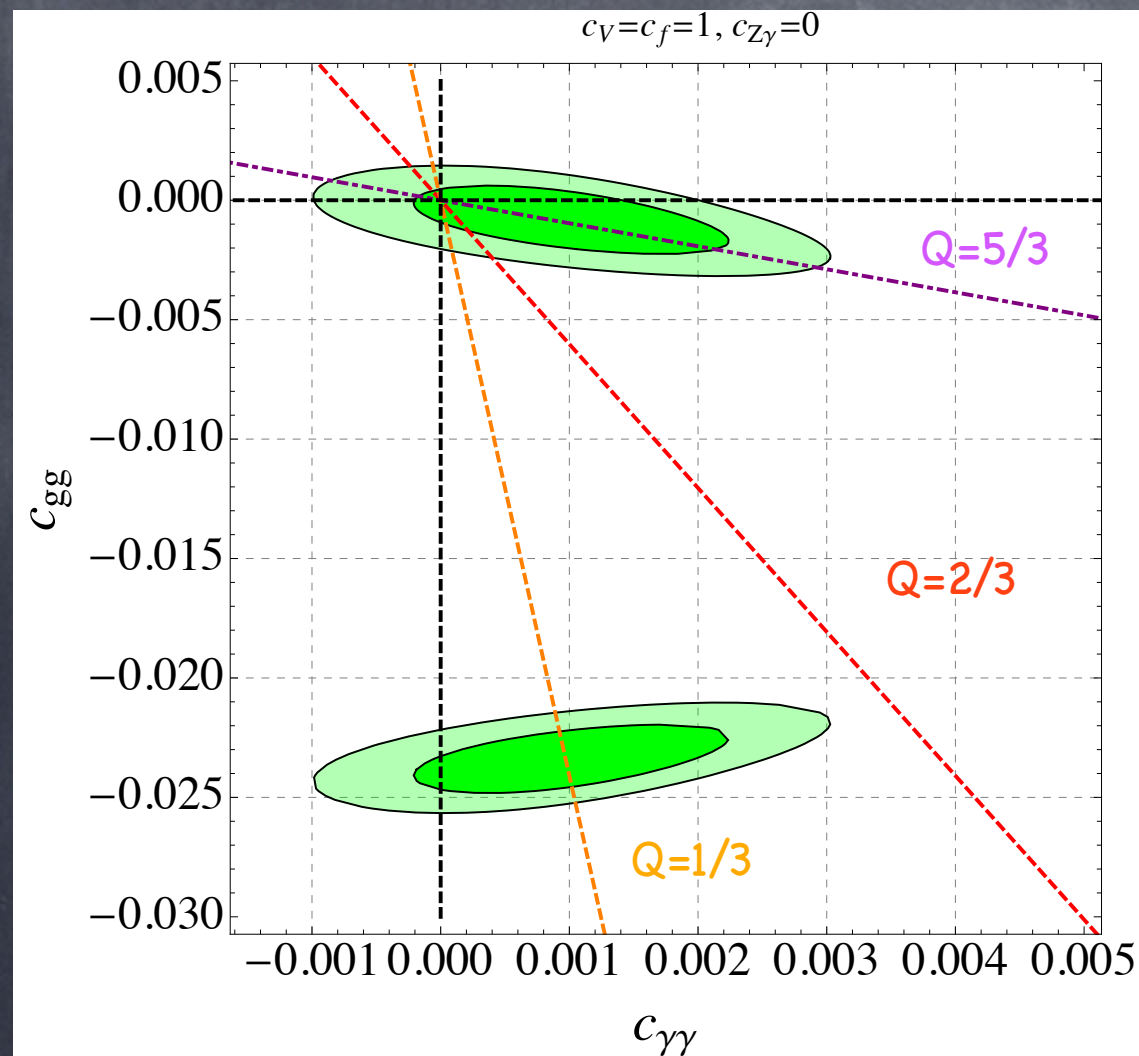
Heavy scalar or fermion in color representation  $r$  and charge  $Q$  contributes to eff. Lagrangian as

$$\delta c_{gg} = \frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \left( \frac{2}{3} c_f C_2(r_f) + \frac{1}{6} c_s C_2(r_s) \right)$$

$$\delta c_{\gamma\gamma} = -\frac{\alpha_s}{\pi} \left( \frac{2}{3} c_f Q_f^2 d(r_f) + \frac{1}{6} c_s Q_s^2 d(r_s) \right)$$

For fundamental color representation (quark)

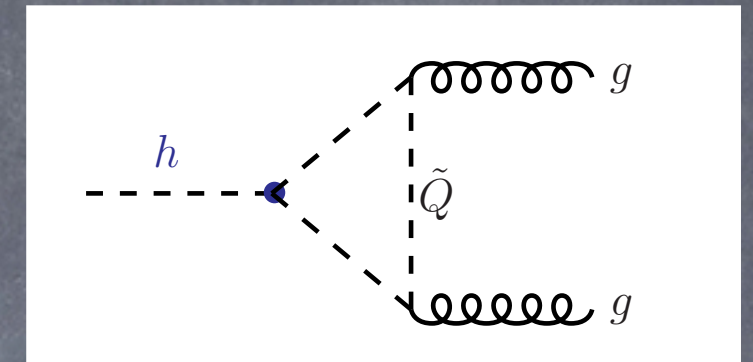
$C_2=1/2$  and  $d=3$





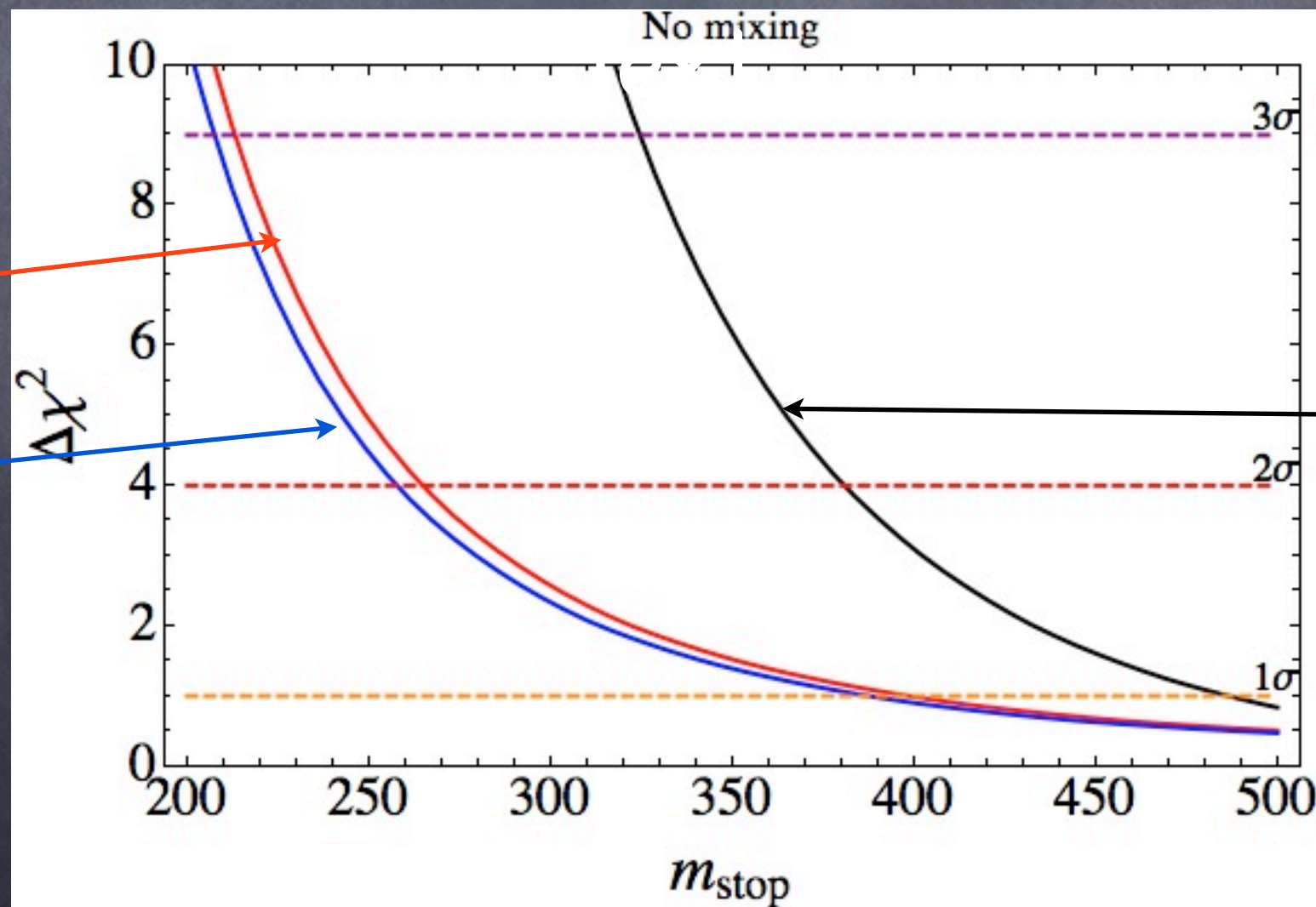
# Supersymmetric top partners (stops)

- If 2 stops are light and there's no mixing between left and right-handed stops, lower limit on the mass from Higgs searches around 380 GeV
- If only 1 stop is light and mixing is small, then limit around 260 GeV
- But for large mixing the coupling the Higgs may be reduced, in which case the limit goes away



LH stop

RH stop



LH+RH  
stop



# Composite Higgs



# GBHiggs couplings to SM fields

Higgs = Goldstone Boson of  $SO(5)/SO(4)$



described by angular variable  $\sin \frac{h}{f}$

$$\frac{g^2}{4} f^2 \sin^2 \frac{h}{f} W_\mu W^\mu \stackrel{h \rightarrow \langle h \rangle + h}{=} \frac{g^2}{4} f^2 \sin^2 \frac{\langle h \rangle}{f} W_\mu W^\mu + \frac{g^2}{4} \frac{2 \langle h \rangle h}{f^2} f^2 \sin \frac{\langle h \rangle}{f} \cos \frac{\langle h \rangle}{f} W_\mu W^\mu + \dots$$

$$+ \frac{g^2}{2} f \sin \frac{\langle h \rangle}{f} \sqrt{1 - \sin^2 \frac{\langle h \rangle}{f}} h W_\mu W^\mu + \dots$$

$$c_V = \sqrt{1 - \frac{v^2}{f^2}}$$

Coupling to W and model independent

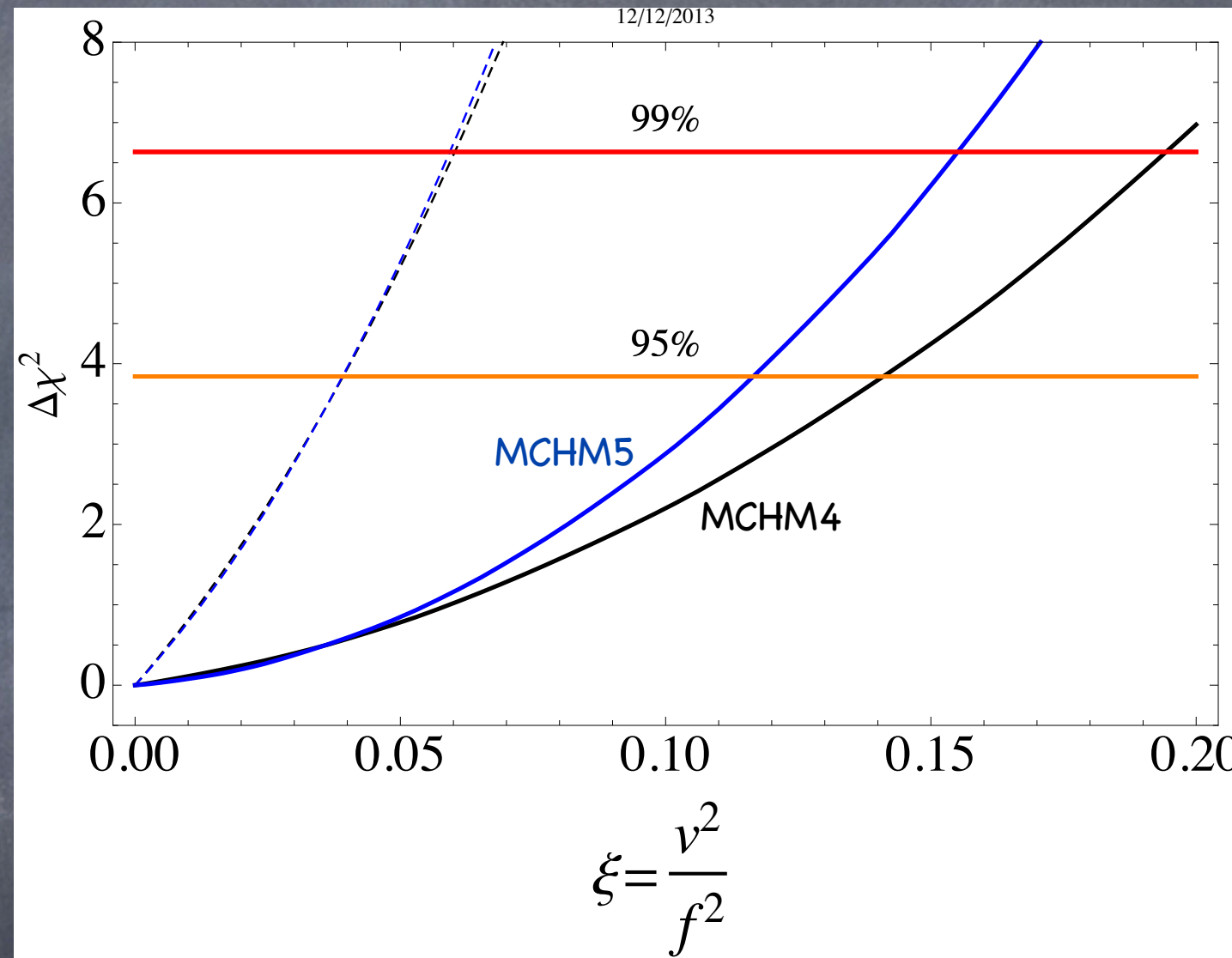
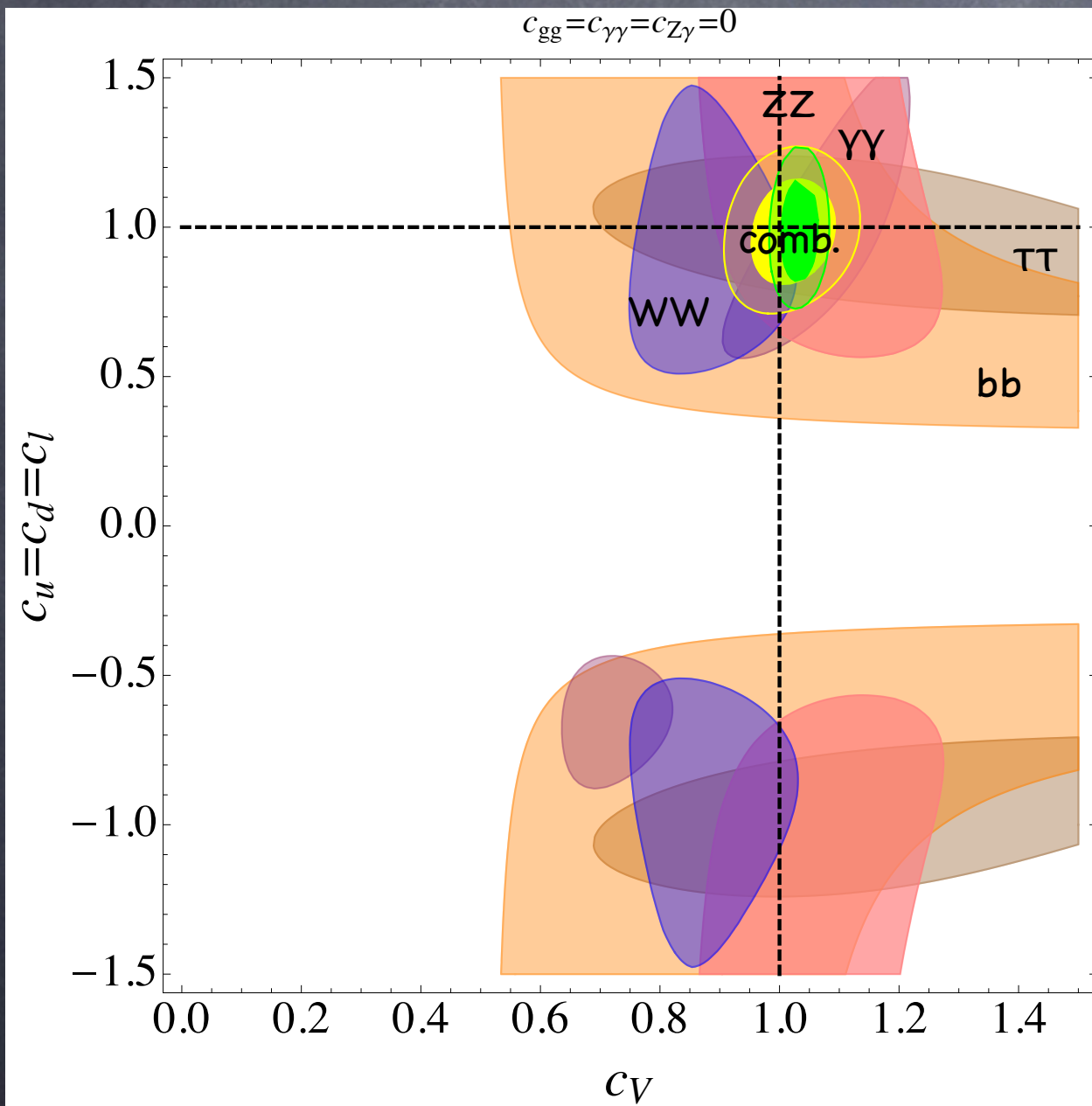
$$c_f = \frac{1 + 2m - (1 + 2m + n)v^2/f^2}{\sqrt{1 - v^2/f^2}}$$

Coupling to fermions model dependent

$$m_t \sim \sin^{2m+1} \left( \frac{h}{f} \right) \cos^n \left( \frac{h}{f} \right)$$



# Composite Higgs Fits



Higgs data:  $f \gtrsim 700$  GeV

Higgs+EW data:  $f \gtrsim 1.2$  TeV



# Composite Higgs and EWPT

Integrating out composite resonances produces a shift of S

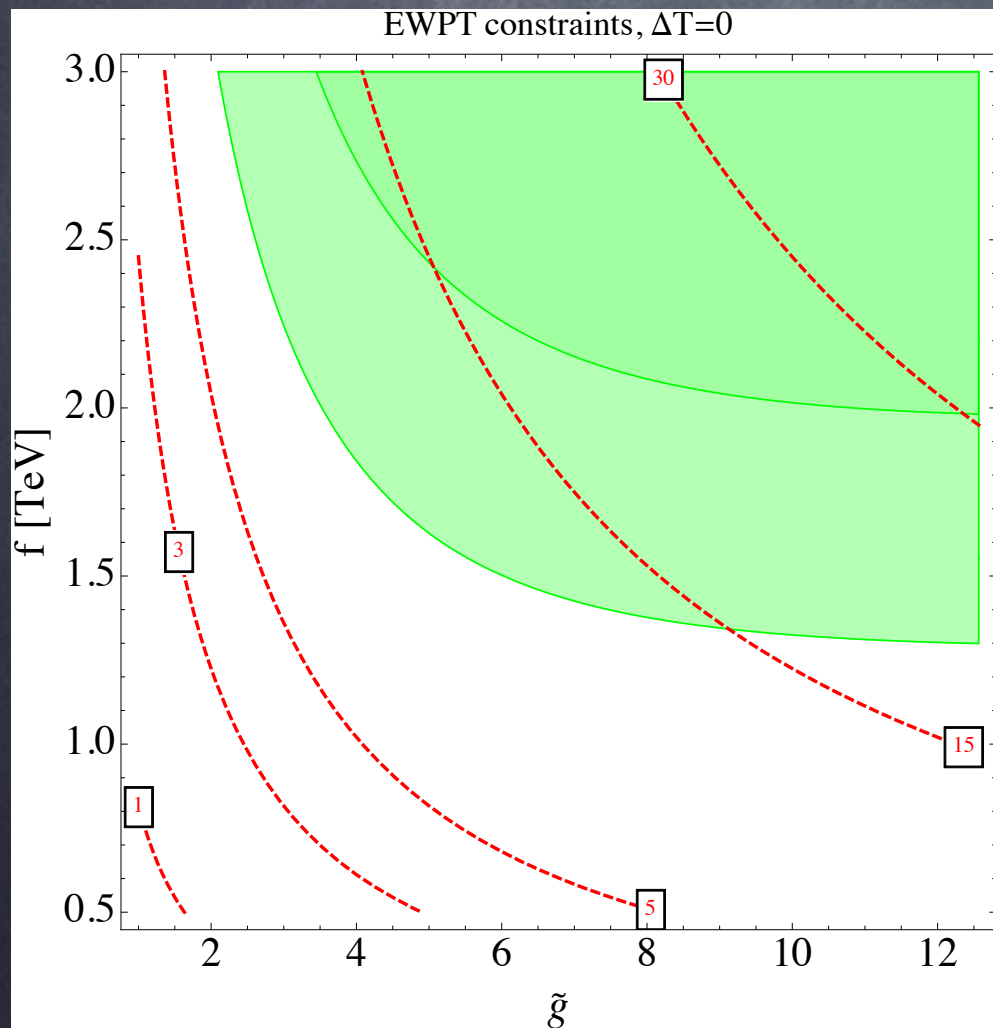
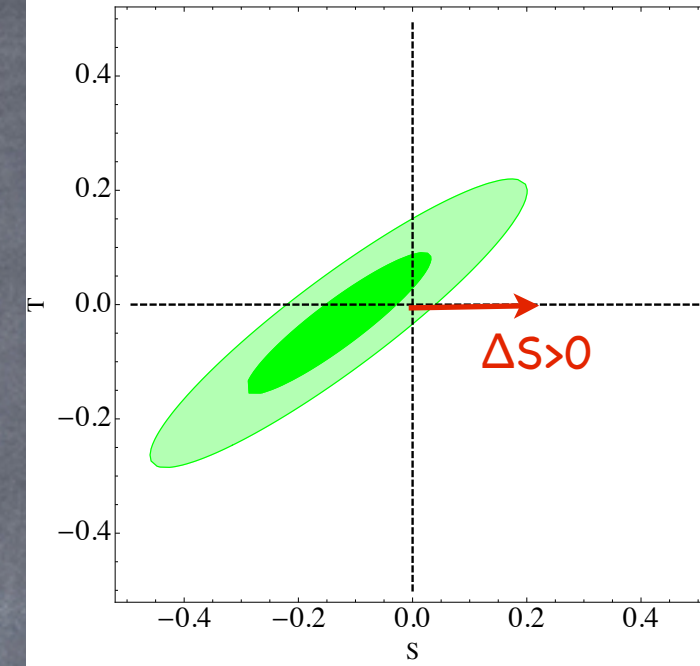
$$\Delta S = 8\pi v^2 / m_\rho^2 \quad m_\rho \approx 0.8\tilde{g}f$$

Also, a shift of S and T due to  $cV \ll 1$

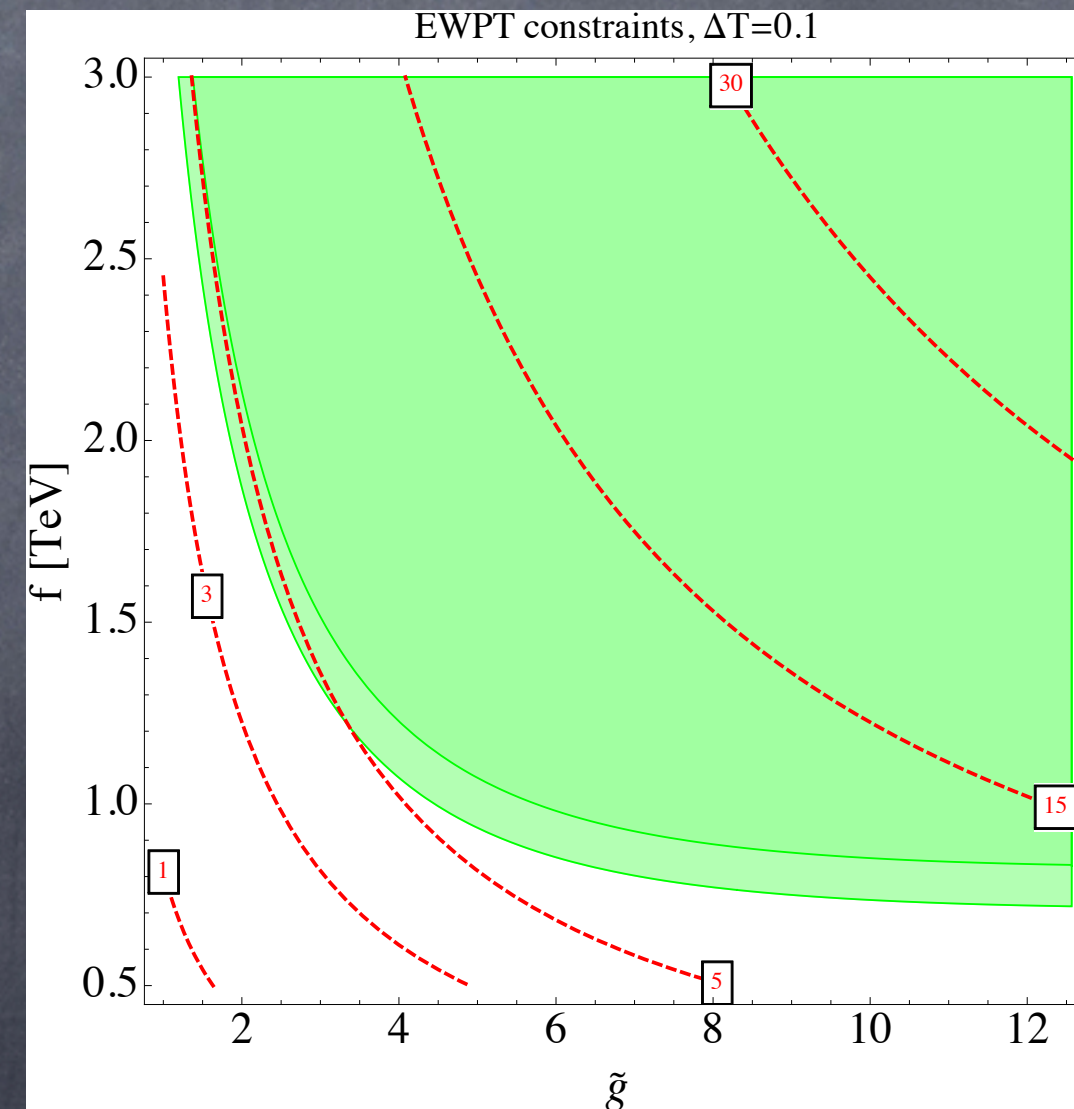
$$\Delta T \approx -\frac{3(g_L^2 + g_Y^2)}{8\pi g_L^2} \frac{v^2}{f^2} \log(m_\rho/m_Z),$$

$$\Delta S \approx \frac{1}{6\pi} \frac{v^2}{f^2} \log(m_\rho/m_Z)$$

But there can be other corrections to S and T, e.g. from heavy fermions...



$f > 1.3$  TeV (less than 5% corrections to Higgs rates)



with  $\Delta T \sim 0.1$ ,  $f$  below TeV allowed (>10% corrections)



2HDM

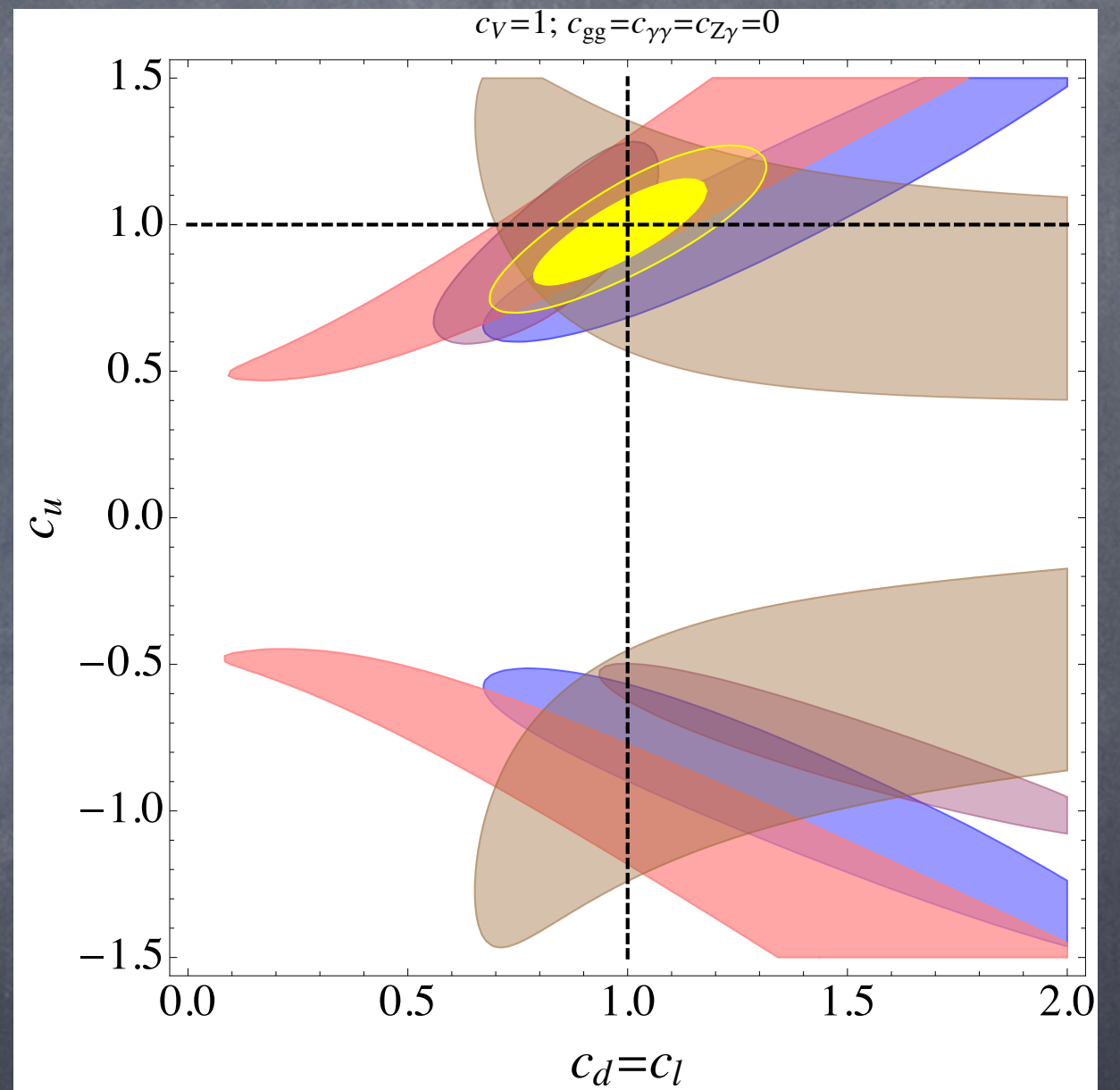


# Type II 2 Higgs Doublet Models

$$\frac{y_b}{y_b^{SM}} = 1 - 4\delta \tan \tilde{\beta} \frac{v^2}{m_H^2}$$

$$\frac{y_t}{y_t^{SM}} = 1 + 4\delta \cot \tilde{\beta} \frac{v^2}{m_H^2}$$

$$\Delta c_V \sim \frac{v^4}{m_H^4} \sim 0$$





# Higgs Portal

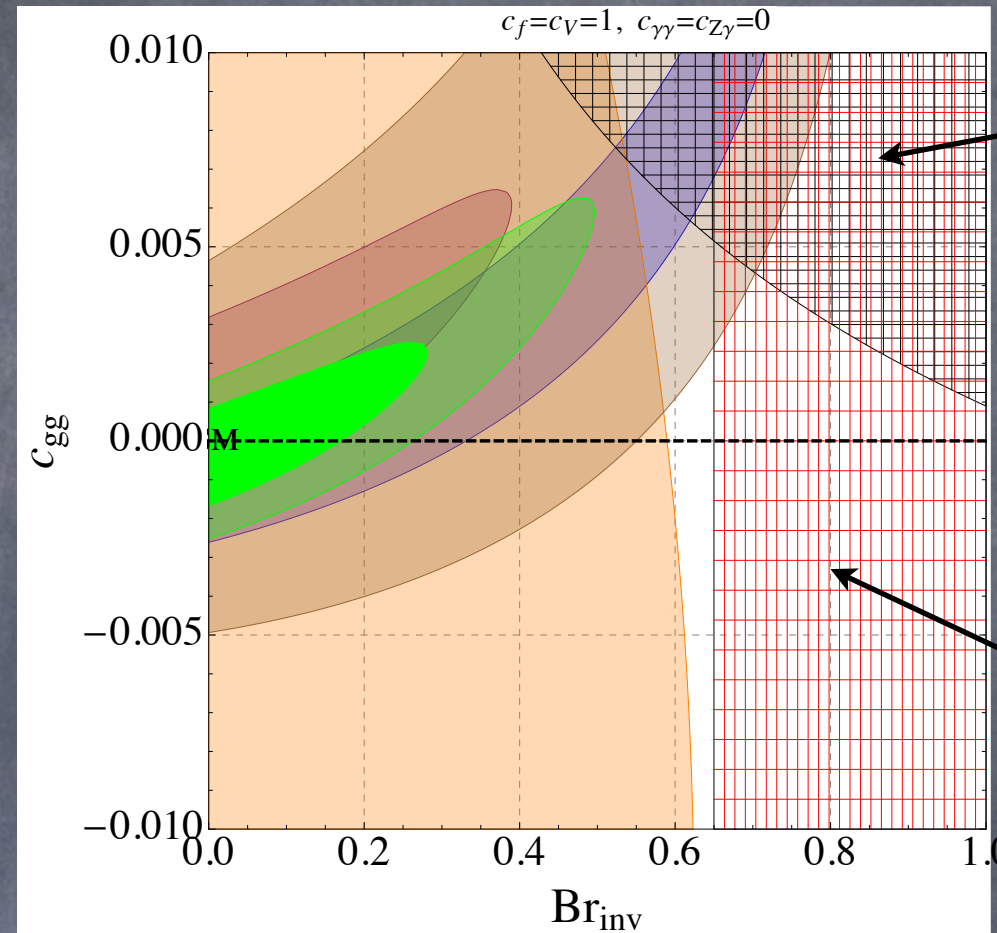
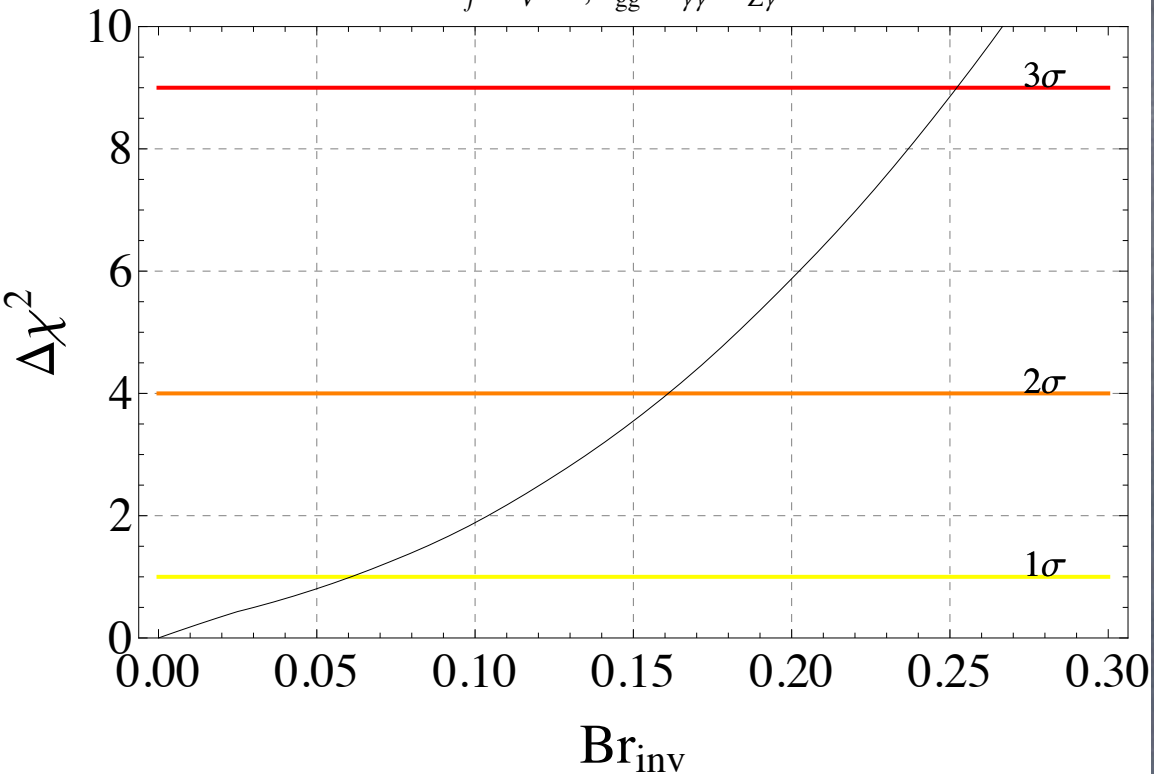


# 2 parameter fits: invisible width allowed

Excluded by monojet searches  
in CMS and ATLAS  
Djouadi et al. 1205.3169

Higgs-portal inspired new physics

$$c_f=c_V=1, c_{gg}=c_{\gamma\gamma}=c_{Z\gamma}=0$$



Excluded by  
ATLAS and CMS  
H→invisible searches

- If all couplings at SM value, invisible branching fraction larger than 22% disfavored at 95% CL
- Allowing invisible width and simultaneously new contributions to Higgs couplings to gluons gives more wiggle room
- For the sake of the fit, "invisible branching fraction" could be "branching fraction into anything that LHC is currently insensitive to", for example  $h \rightarrow 4j$
- But for truly invisible width, monojet searches and ATLAS LEP-like search place non-trivial bounds on this parameter space!



# Exotic Higgs Decays



# Exotic Higgs Decays - Why?

- Indirect constraints (via visible decays) allow for up to ~25% branching fraction into exotic states (if the Higgs production rate is as in the SM), or even up to ~50% with some conspiracy (if the Higgs production rate is enhanced). That means the LHC cross section for exotic Higgs decays could easily be order picobarn
- The SM Higgs width is just 4 MeV, so even weakly coupled new physics can lead to a significant branching fraction for exotic decays. E.g., a new scalar  $X$  coupled as  $c|H|^2|X|^2$  corresponds to  $BR(h \rightarrow X^*X) = 10\% BR$  for  $c \sim 0.01$ .
- Thanks to the large Higgs cross section even tiny exotic branching fractions may possibly be probed. For spectacular enough signatures we can probe  $BR \sim O(10^{-5})$  now and  $BR \sim O(10^{-8})$  in the asymptotic future. [ Note that the Higgs was first discovered in the diphoton ( $BR \sim 10^{-3}$ ) and 4-lepton ( $BR \sim 10^{-4}$ ) channels ]



# Exotic Higgs Decays - How?

New light degrees of freedom affecting Higgs decays



SM+X

Multiple possibilities, large model dependence

No new light degrees of freedom beyond those of the SM



HEFT

Leading effects expected from dimension 6 operators beyond the SM



# Exotic Higgs Decays: SM+X

## Examples:

$h \rightarrow$  invisible

$h \rightarrow XX$ , possible e.g.  
Higgs portal DM models

$$X^2|H|^2$$

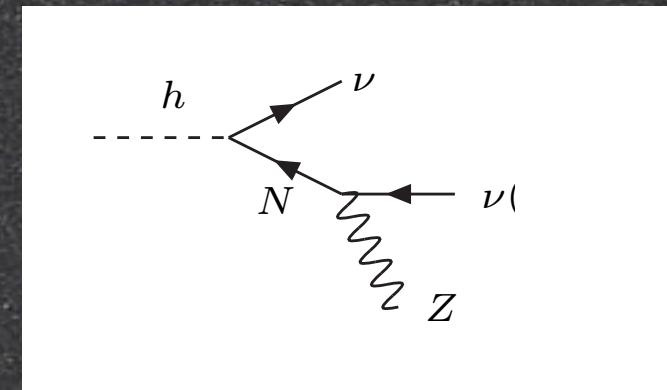
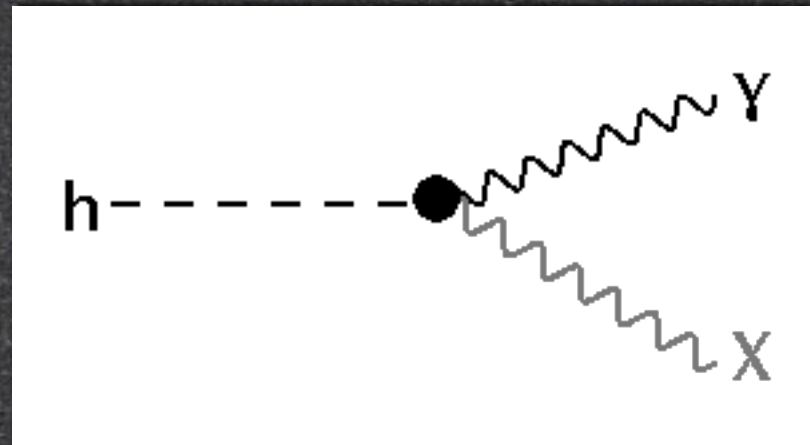
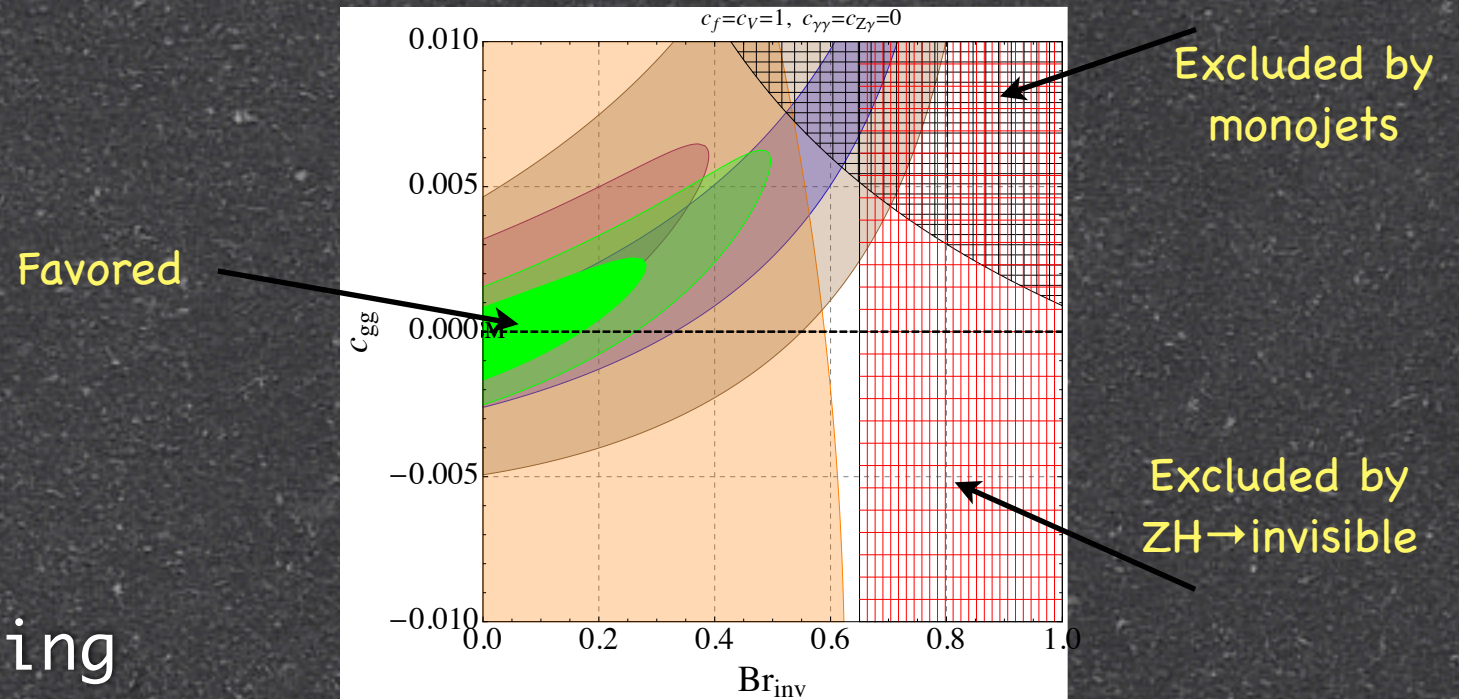
Searches ongoing, interesting  
experimental limits, but somewhat  
stronger indirect limits

$h \rightarrow$  monophoton/monoZ

$h \rightarrow XV$ , possible e.g.  
in hypercharge portal  
models or in inverse  
see-saw

$$|H|^2 X_{\mu\nu} B_{\mu\nu}$$

No experimental limits whatsoever, and I'm not  
aware of ongoing experimental searches....





# Exotic Higgs Decays: SM+X

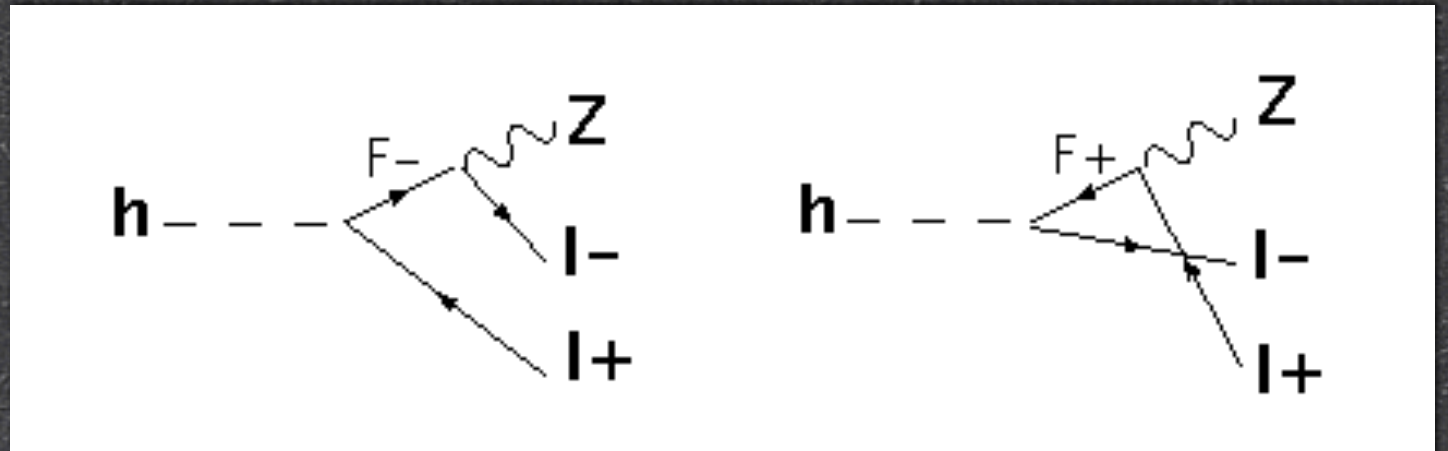
## Examples:

$h \rightarrow$  Four Fermions

e.g.  $h \rightarrow lX \rightarrow Zll \rightarrow 4l$

$$yh\bar{X}l + \text{h.c.}$$

$$gZ_\mu\bar{X}\gamma_\mu l + \text{h.c.}$$



*Not so fast: recent trilepton bounds exclude  $X \rightarrow Ze$  or  $X \rightarrow Z\mu$  with  $< 125$  GeV,*

*but  $X \rightarrow Z\tau$  is OK*

*AA, Straub, Vicente, in progress*

work in progress with R.Vega-Morales

- can arise e.g. in models of composite leptons

- F can be lighter than 125 GeV for all we know, so Higgs can decay to on-shell F

- Yukawa coupling as small as 0.01 leads to  $\text{BR}(h \rightarrow lX) \sim 0.01$

- Distinct kinematics from the golden channel (Z-l resonance,)

- If F couples to 2 different fermions then Z l l' signatures with no SM background



## Conclusions

- Higgs is here to stay.
- In first approximation looks very much like the SM Higgs
- Combination of Higgs and electroweak data puts strong constraint on certain dimension-6 operators containing Higgs field
- 68% CL constraints on 7 leading parameters governing Higgs interactions with matter at the level between 5-30%
- No slightest hint of new physics at this point