

Aspects of the same-sign diboson signature from wino pair production in natural SUSY at LHC

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- However, There are Supersymmetric models which are **radiatively-driven natural** and also respect LHC sparticle and Higgs mass constraints.

One such Radiatively- driven Natural SUSY (RNS) model is the two-extra-parameter non-universal Higgs model (NUHM2) which we have used with parameters as follows :

$$m_0 = 5 \text{ TeV}, A_0 = -1.6m_0, \tan\beta = 10, m_A = 1500 \text{ GeV}, \mu = 150 \text{ GeV}, \\ m_{1/2} = 800 \text{ GeV}$$

This spectrum has $\tilde{m}_g = 2007.40 \text{ GeV}$, $\tilde{m}_{t1} = 1470.30 \text{ GeV}$, $m_h = 124.38 \text{ GeV}$ and $\Delta_{EW} = 9.3$ for just 10.75% finetuning.

The Electroweak fine-tuning parameter (Δ_{EW}) is defined as

$$\Delta_{EW} = \max_i |C_i| / (M_Z^2/2) \quad (1)$$

Where, C_i is any one of the parameters on the RHS of the following equation :

$$\frac{M_Z^2}{2} \approx -m_{H_u}^2 - \mu^2 - \Sigma_u^u(\tilde{t}_{1,2}) \quad (2)$$

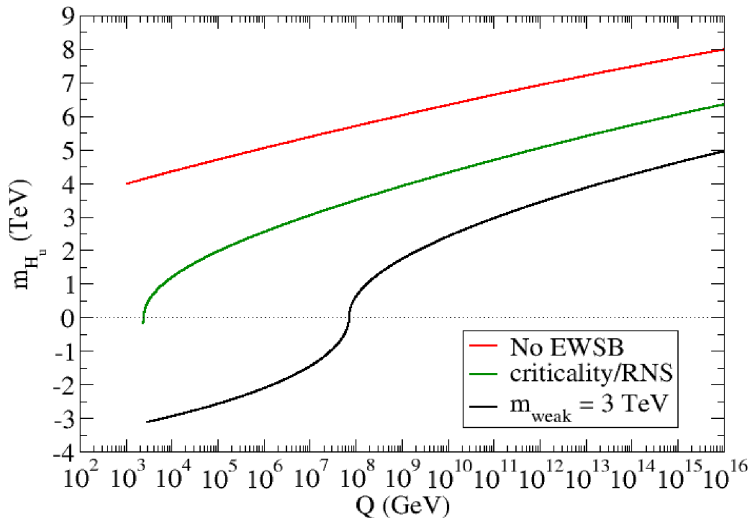


FIG 1: Evolution of the term $\text{sign}(m_{H_u}^2) \sqrt{m_{H_u}^2}$ for the case of *No EWSB*, criticality as in *RNS* and $m_{\text{weak}} = 3 \text{ TeV}$ as in [arXiv : 1602.07697](https://arxiv.org/abs/1602.07697)

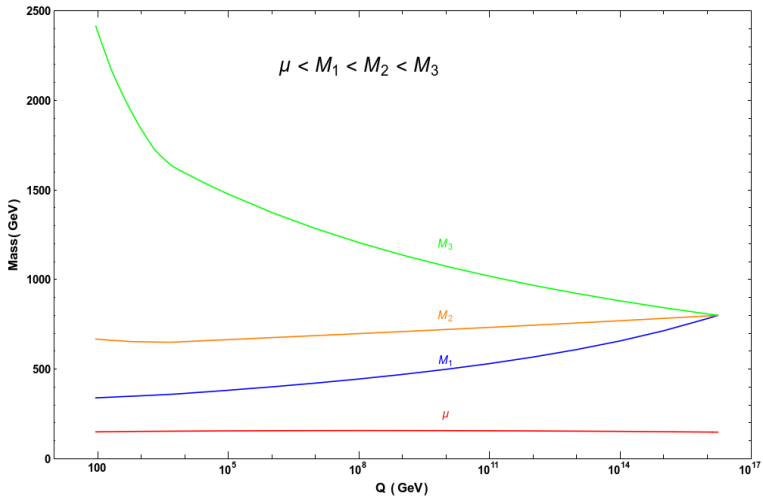


FIG 2

This hierarchy leads to a novel, rather clean same-sign diboson signature from wino pair production at hadron colliders.

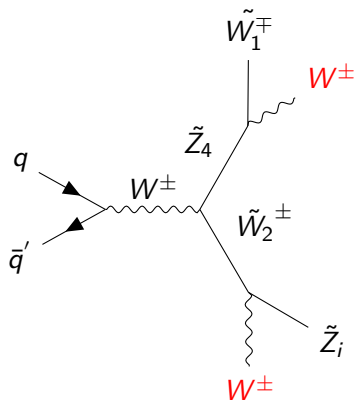


FIG 3 : Same-sign diboson production at LHC in SUSY models with light higgsinos. Here, \tilde{Z}_4 and \tilde{W}_2^\pm in the intermediate step are winos and \tilde{W}_1^\mp and \tilde{Z}_i in the final step are light higgsinos.

SM Background

- $t\bar{t}$
- $W^{\pm}Z$
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- $W^{\pm}W^{\pm}W^{\mp}$
- $t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$
- $W^{\pm}W^{\pm}jj$

NLO contribution in signal from prospino

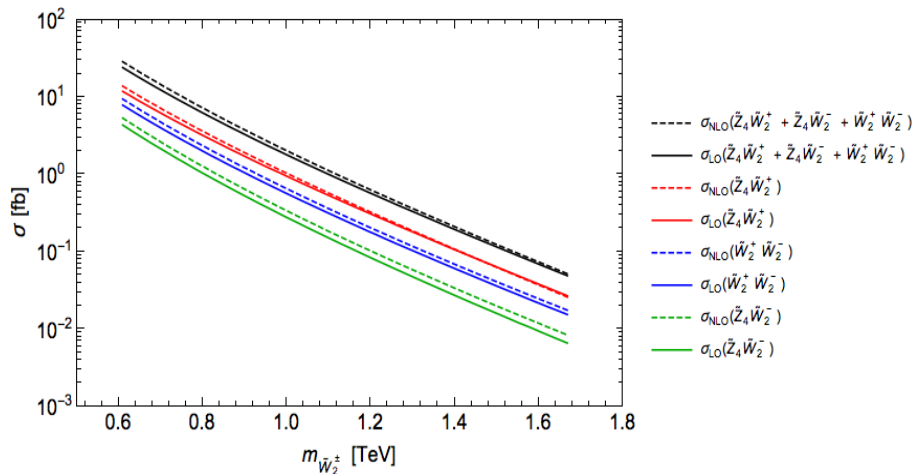


FIG 4

C1-Cuts :

- Exactly two same-sign isolated leptons with $p_{\text{TL1}} > 20 \text{ GeV}$ and $p_{\text{TL2}} > 10 \text{ GeV}$
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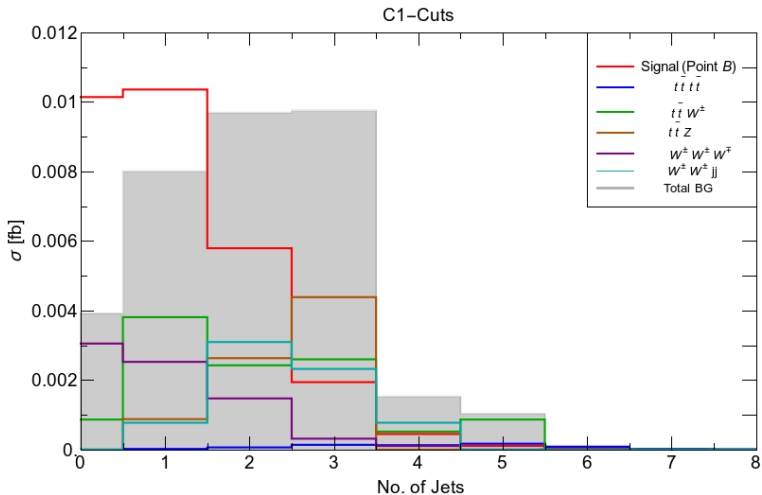


FIG 5 : Jet Multiplicity Distribution for the signal and SM Backgrounds after C1 cuts. (Hence, we require $n_{\text{jets}} \leq 1$)

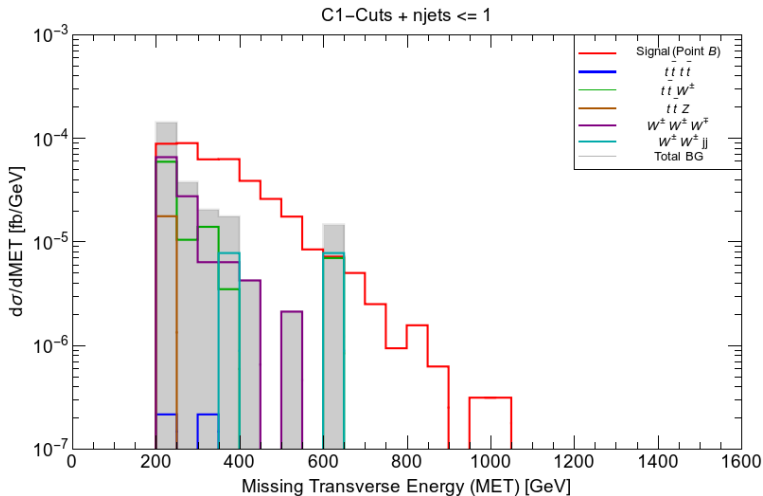


FIG 6 : Missing Transverse Energy distribution for the signal and SM Backgrounds after C1 cuts+ njets ≤ 1 .

(Hence, we require MET > 250 GeV)

C2-Cuts :

- Exactly two same-sign isolated leptons with $p_{TL1} > 20 \text{ GeV}$ and $p_{TL2} > 10 \text{ GeV}$
- Number of b-jets = 0
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- **Number of jets ≤ 1**

Cut-Flow Table

Process	Sigma (in ab)		
	$\sigma(\text{NLO})$	C1-cuts	C2-cuts
Signal($m_{1/2} = 800$ GeV)	$1.55 \cdot 10^4$	28.8	16.1
$t\bar{t}$	$9.5 \cdot 10^8$	0	0
$W^\pm Z$	$5.2 \cdot 10^7$	0	0
$t\bar{t}W^\pm$	$5.2 \cdot 10^5$	11.1	1.73
$t\bar{t}Z$	$8.8 \cdot 10^5$	7.9	0
$W^\pm W^\pm W^\mp$	$3.2 \cdot 10^5$	7.5	2.3
$t\bar{t}t\bar{t}$	$1.1 \cdot 10^4$	0.6	0.011
$W^\pm W^\pm jj$	$3.9 \cdot 10^5$	7.0	0.8
Total BG	$1.0065 \cdot 10^9$	34.1	4.83

The Signal has been adjusted to include the NLO contribution as well according to the prospino result.

The Background processes include k-factors as obtained from literature and verified using MCFM.

Direct Event Counting

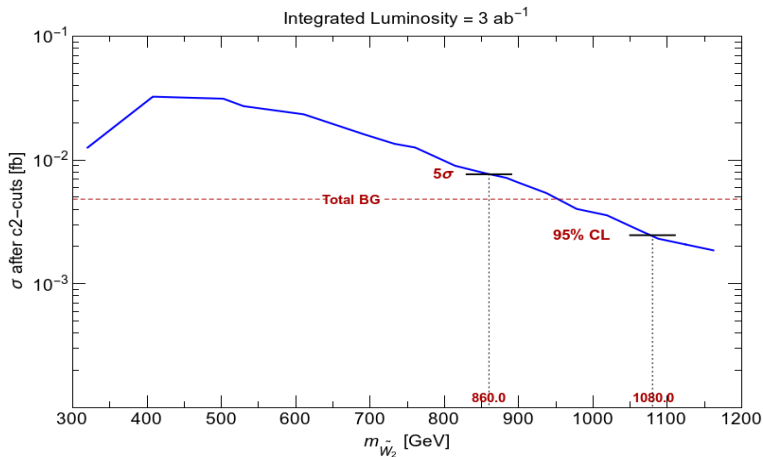


FIG 7 : Production cross-section of $\tilde{W}_2 \tilde{W}_2 + \tilde{W}_2 \tilde{Z}_4$ vs Mass of wino.

Charge Asymmetry

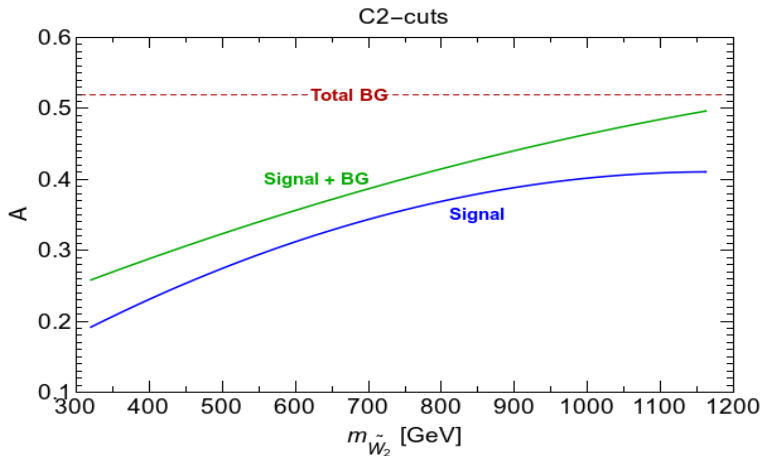


FIG 8 : Same-Sign Diboson Charge Asymmetry vs Mass of wino $m_{\tilde{W}_2}$,
with Charge Asymmetry $A = \frac{\sigma(++) - \sigma(--)}{\sigma(++) + \sigma(--)}$.

Fits to Distribution

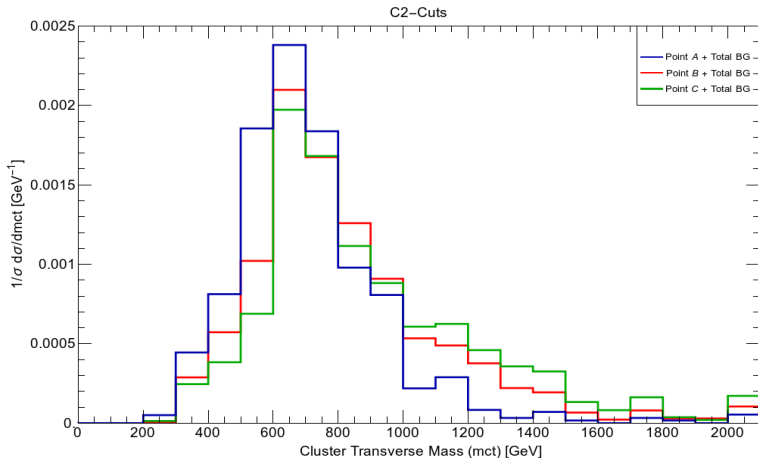


FIG 9 : Distribution in Cluster Transverse Mass for three signal benchmark points and summed SM backgrounds in SSdB production after C2 cuts.

$$m_{\tilde{W}_2} \approx 530 \text{ GeV}; m_{\tilde{W}_2} \approx 692 \text{ GeV}; m_{\tilde{W}_2} \approx 884 \text{ GeV}$$

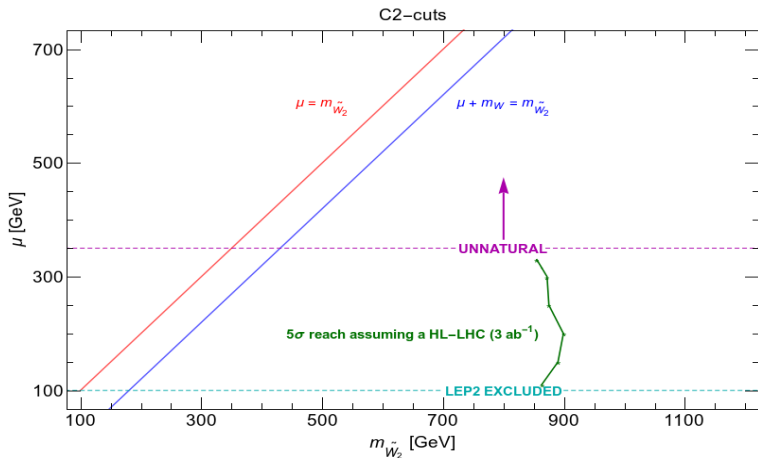


FIG 10 : Simplified model for SSdB discovery in the $m_{\tilde{W}_2}$ vs μ plane.

Conclusion

- In this project we have used a radiatively-driven natural Supersymmetric Model with light higgsino, thereby giving rise to a clean same-sign diboson signal from wino pair production.
- Certain cuts have been selected in order to efficiently reduce the background so that the signal is clean enough to be detected experimentally.
- For an integrated luminosity of 3000 fb^{-1} this Same-Sign diboson signal should be observable at LHC14 for wino mass upto 860 GeV.
- Assuming gaugino mass unification, this result is consistent with the gluino mass reach ($\approx 2.8 \text{ TeV}$) in the paper arXiv : 1612.00795 (H.Baer *et.al.*)
- We recommend to extract the wino mass through three different channels : Event Counting, Charge Asymmetry, Fits to Distribution. Thus we can have a better measurement and consistency check of the Wino mass.

THANK YOU

QUESTIONS ?

Back Up Slides

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Sensitivity to High Scale Parameters Δ_{BG}

$$m_Z^2 \approx -2m_{H_u}^2 - 2\mu^2 \quad (5)$$

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A simple fix for Δ_{HS} is to regroup the dependent terms as follows :

$$m_h^2 \approx \mu^2 + (m_{H_u}^2(\Lambda) + \delta m_{H_u}^2) \quad (7)$$

This regrouping now leads back to Δ_{EW} measure because now $(m_{H_u}^2(\Lambda) + \delta m_{H_u}^2) = m_{H_u}^2(Weak)$.