New constraints on extended Higgs sectors from the trilinear Higgs coupling

Based on

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(as well as arXiv:1903.05417 (PLB), 1911.11507 (EPJC) in collaboration with Shinya Kanemura)

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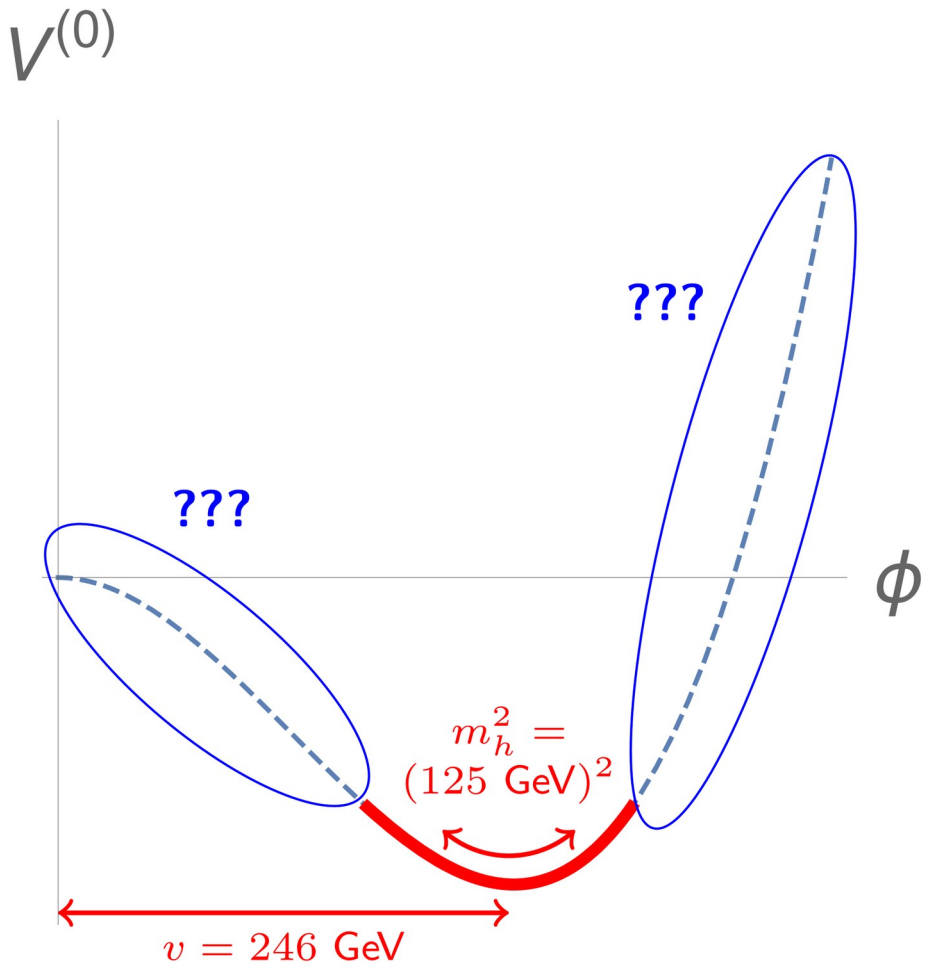
DESY.

Why study the trilinear Higgs coupling λ_{hhh}?

- **Probing the Higgs potential:**
  Since the Higgs discovery, the existence of the Higgs potential is confirmed, but at the moment we only know:
  → the location of the EW minimum:
  v = 246 GeV
  → the curvature of the potential around the EW minimum:
  m_h = 125 GeV
  However we still don't know the **shape** of the potential, away from EW minimum → **depends on** $\mathcal{L} \supset -\frac{1}{6}\lambda_{hhh}h^3$

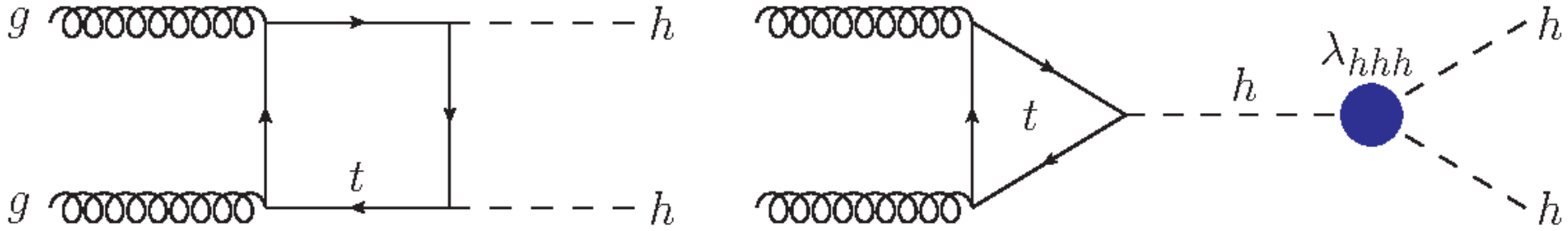


- **λ_{hhh} determines the nature of the EW phase transition (EWPT)!**
  ⇒ O(20%) deviation of λ_{hhh} from its SM prediction needed to have a strongly first-order EWPT → necessary for EW baryogenesis
  [Grojean, Servant, Wells '04], [Kanemura, Okada, Senaha '04]
  → see also **talk by L. Biermann!**

- ***New in this talk***: **studying λ_{hhh} can also serve to constrain the parameter space of Beyond-the-Standard-Model (BSM) theories!**

Experimental situation for λ_{hhh}

- **Double-Higgs production** → λ_{hhh} enters at LO → **most direct probe of λ_{hhh}**



[Note: Single-Higgs production (EW precision observables) → λ_{hhh} enters at NLO (NNLO)]

- Box and triangle diagrams **interfere destructively**
  → small prediction in SM
  → BSM deviation in λ_{hhh} can **significantly enhance double-Higgs production!**

- Search limits on double-Higgs production
  → **limits on $\kappa_\lambda \equiv \lambda_{hhh}/(\lambda_{hhh}^{(0)})^{SM}$**

$-0.4 < \kappa_\lambda < 6.3$

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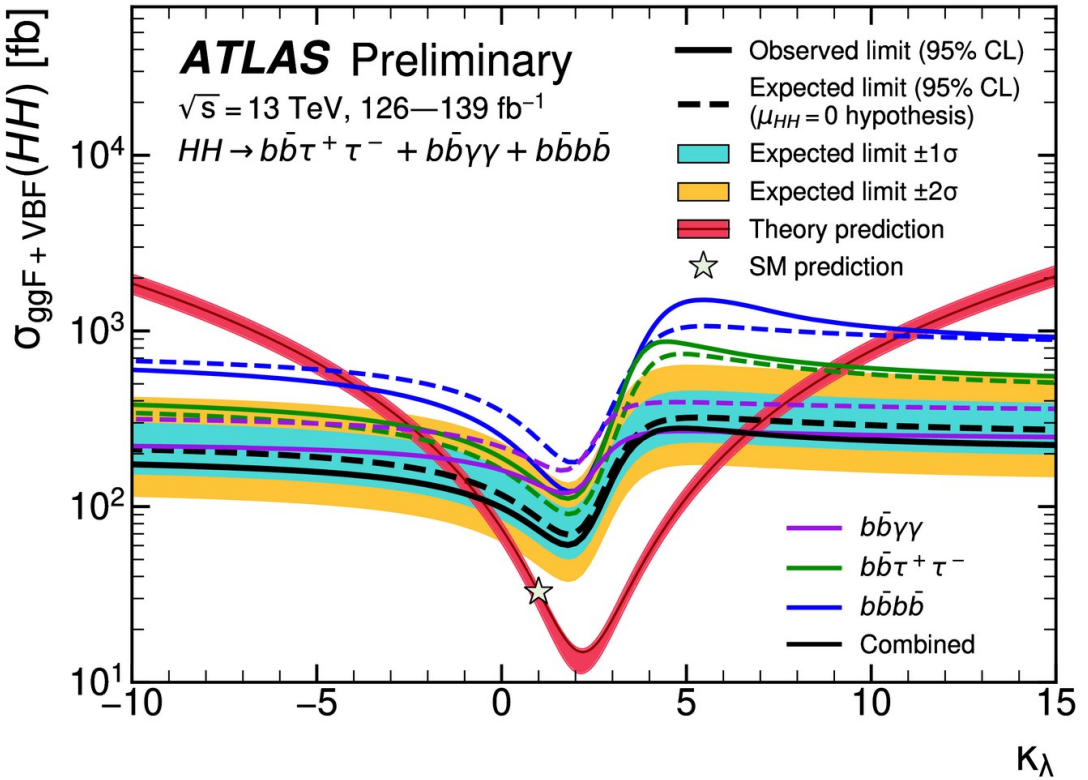
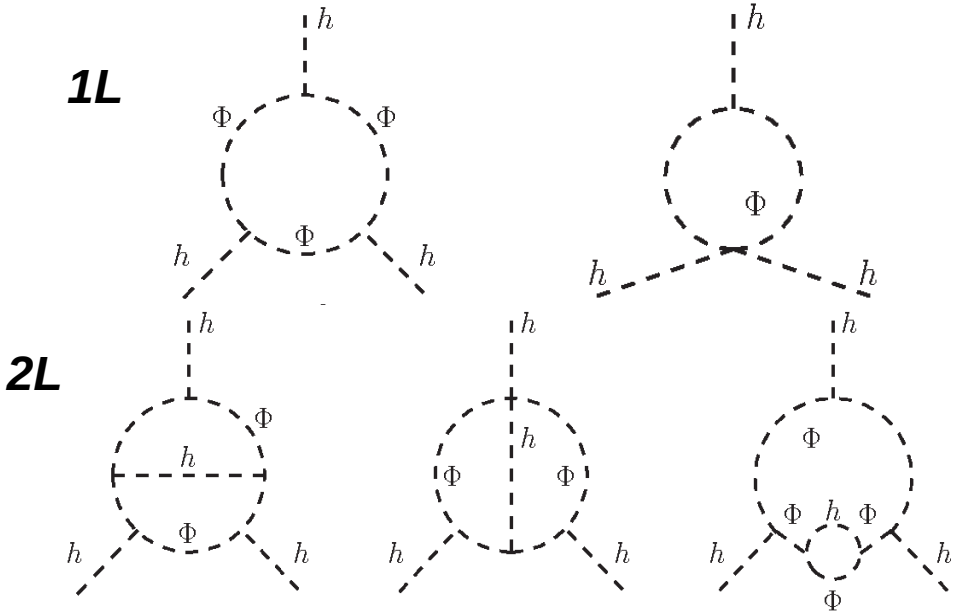


Non-decoupling effects in λ_{hhh}

- Calculations of BSM contributions at one loop (1L) in [Kanemura, Okada, Senaha, Yuan '04], and at two loops (2L) in [Senaha '18], [JB, Kanemura '19, '20]



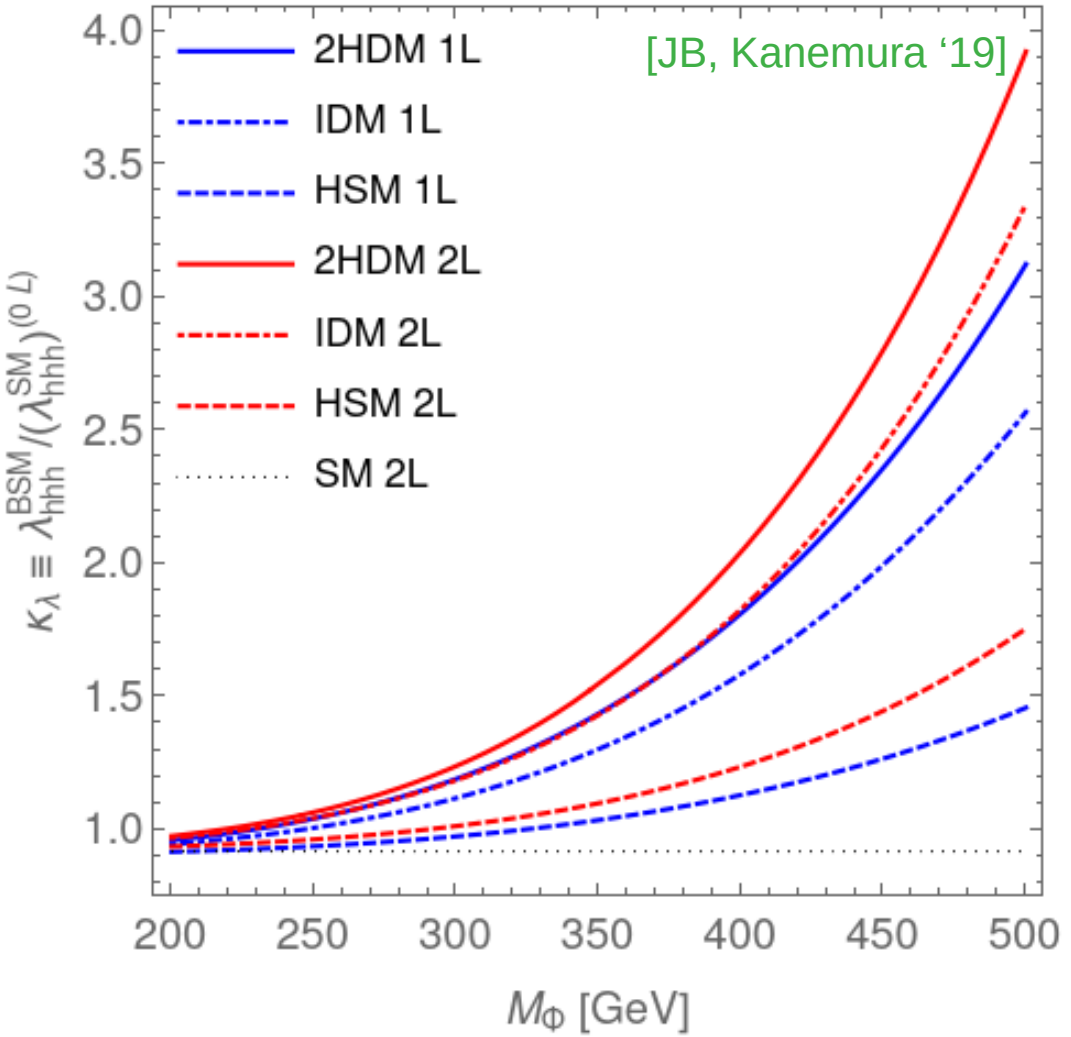
- Involve BSM scalars Φ and couplings

$$g_{hh\Phi\Phi} = -\frac{2(M^2 - m_\Phi^2)}{v^2}$$

BSM mass parameter *BSM scalar mass*

- **Deviations of tens/hundreds of % from SM possible,** for **large $g_{h\Phi\Phi}$ or $g_{hh\Phi\Phi}$ couplings**

- **Non-decoupling effects**, now found in various models, e.g. Two-Higgs-Doublet Model (2HDM), Inert Doublet Model (IDM), singlet extensions (like HSM), etc.



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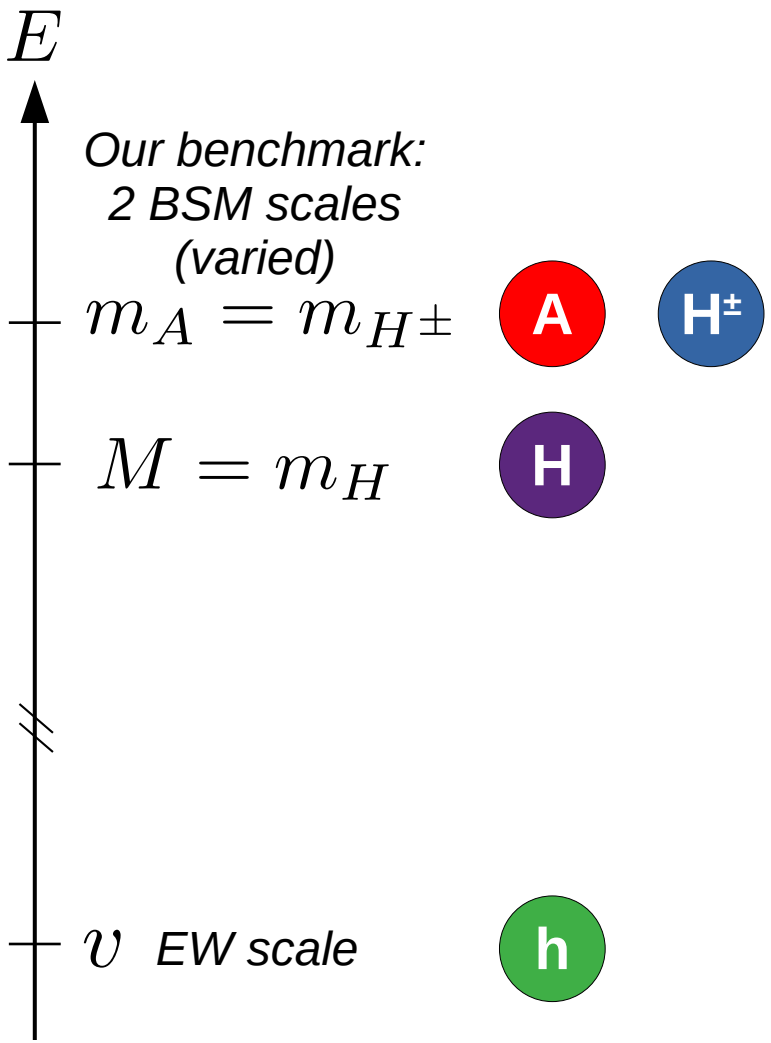
- **Two-Higgs-Doublet Model (2HDM)**:
  add a 2nd scalar doublet to the SM

  Here: CP conservation assumed, Yukawa couplings of type I

- Mass eigenstates:
  - 2 CP-even Higgs bosons

    h (125-GeV Higgs), H
  - CP-odd Higgs boson A
  - Charged Higgs bosons $H^{\pm}$
  - M: new mass term in 2HDM

- Scenario with **alignment**: couplings of h are SM-like at tree level



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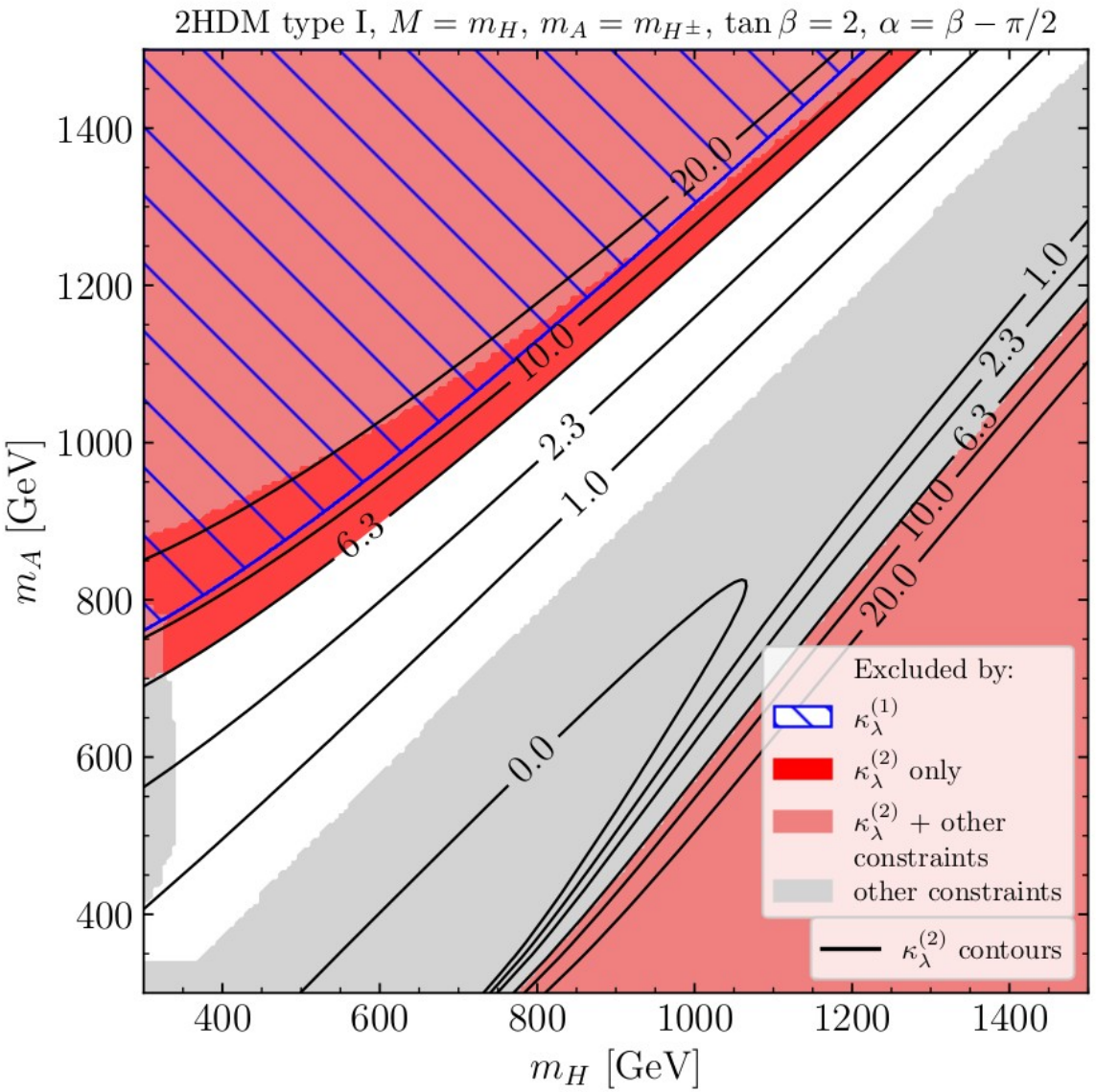

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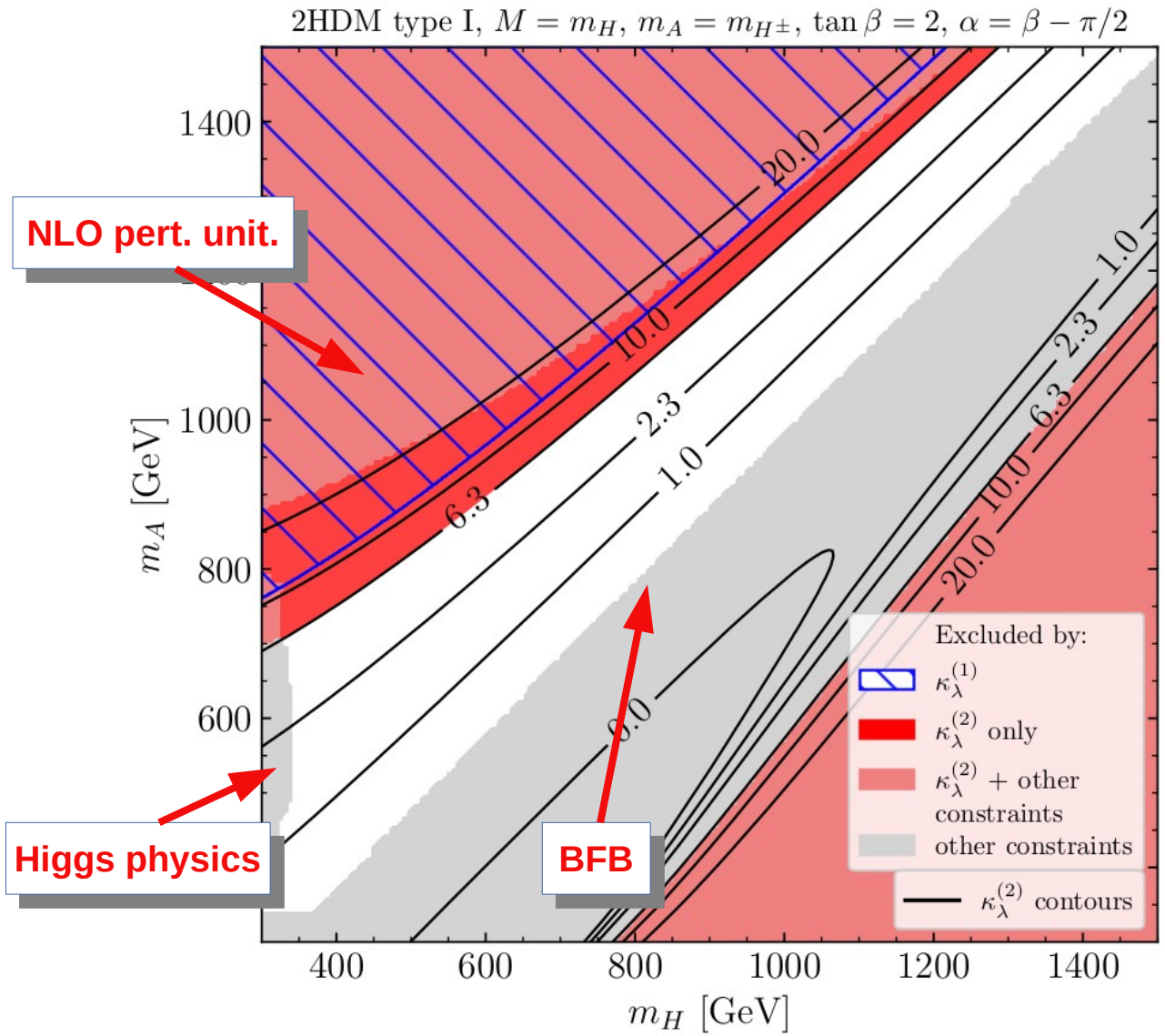

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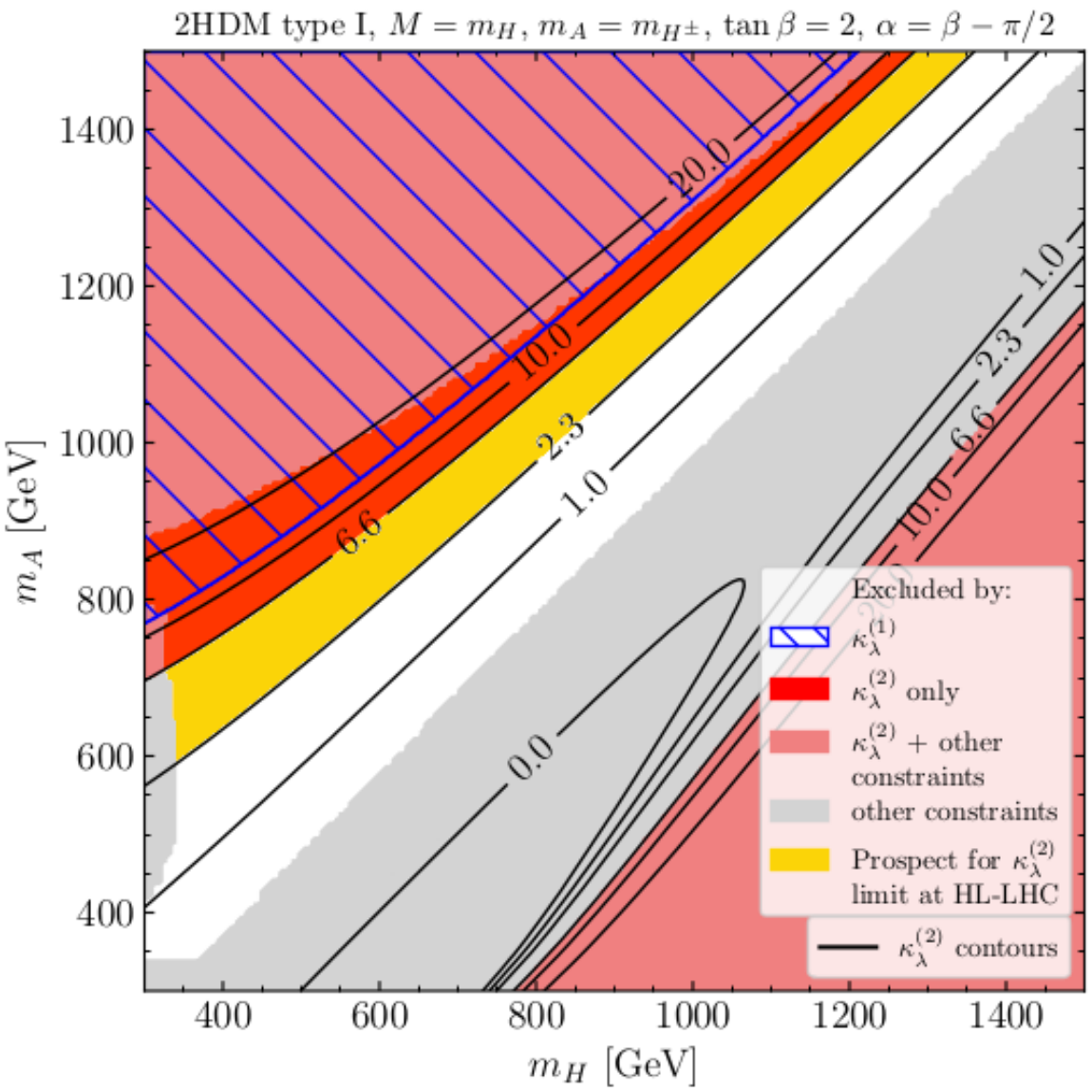
A benchmark scenario in the aligned 2HDM – future prospects



- ***Golden area:*** additional exclusion with the limit achievable at HL-LHC $\kappa_\lambda^{(2)} < 2.3$ (prospects even better with e^+e^- collider)

- Experimental constraints, such as Higgs physics, may also become more stringent, however **not** theoretical constraints (like BFB or perturbative unitarity)

Thank you for your attention!

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Backup

The Two-Higgs-Doublet Model

- 2 $SU(2)_L$ doublets $\Phi_{1,2}$ of hypercharge ½
- CP-conserving 2HDM, with softly-broken Z_2 symmetry ($\Phi_1 \to \Phi_1$, $\Phi_2 \to -\Phi_2$) to avoid tree-level FCNCs

$$V^{(0)}_{\text{2HDM}} = m_1^2|\Phi_1|^2 + m_2^2|\Phi_2|^2 - m_3^2(\Phi_2^\dagger\Phi_1 + \Phi_1^\dagger\Phi_2)$$
$$+ \frac{\lambda_1}{2}|\Phi_1|^4 + \frac{\lambda_2}{2}|\Phi_2|^4 + \lambda_3|\Phi_1|^2|\Phi_2|^2 + \lambda_4|\Phi_2^\dagger\Phi_1|^2 + \frac{\lambda_5}{2}\left((\Phi_2^\dagger\Phi_1)^2 + \text{h.c.}\right)$$
$$v_1^2 + v_2^2 = v^2 = (246\ \text{GeV})^2$$

- **Mass eigenstates**:
  h, H: CP-even Higgs bosons *(h → 125-GeV SM-like state);* A: CP-odd Higgs boson;
  $H^\pm$: charged Higgs boson; α: CP-even Higgs mixing angle

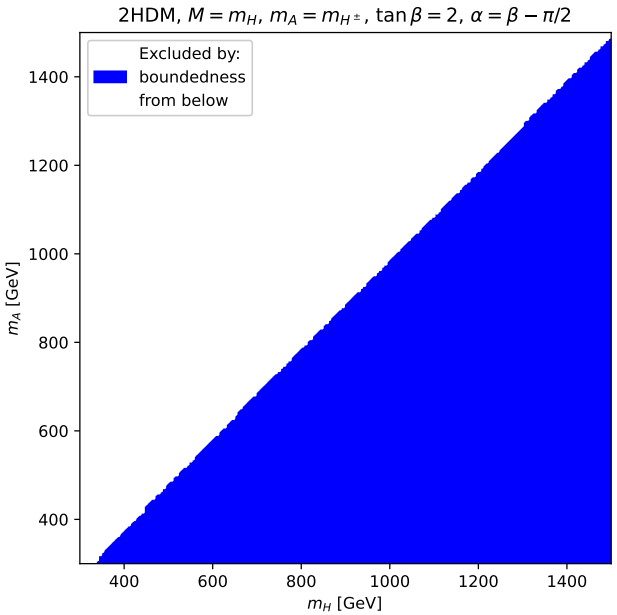
- **BSM parameters**: 3 BSM masses m_H, m_A, $m_{H^\pm}$, BSM mass scale M (defined by $M^2 \equiv 2m_3^2/s_{2\beta}$), angles α and β (defined by $\tan\beta = v_2/v_1$)

- **BSM-scalar masses** take form $m_\Phi^2 = M^2 + \tilde{\lambda}_\Phi v^2\,, \quad \Phi \in \{H, A, H^\pm\}$

- We take the **alignment limit α=β-π/2** → all Higgs couplings are SM-like at tree level
  → compatible with current experimental data!

2HDM benchmark plane – individual theoretical constraints

Constraints shown below are independent of 2HDM type



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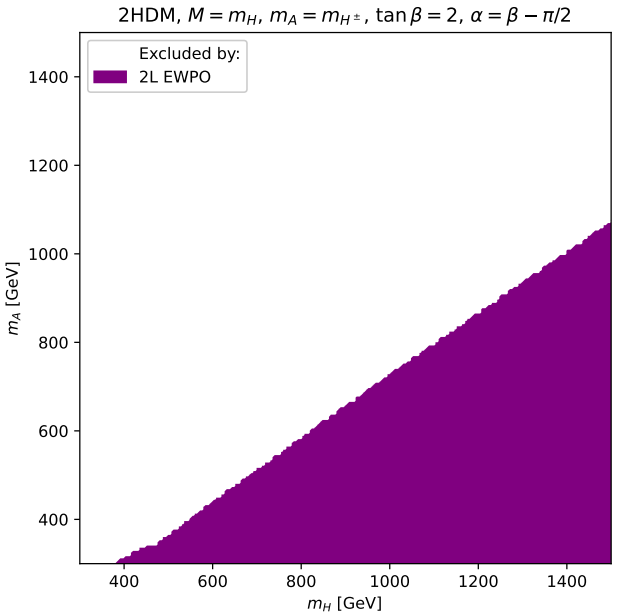
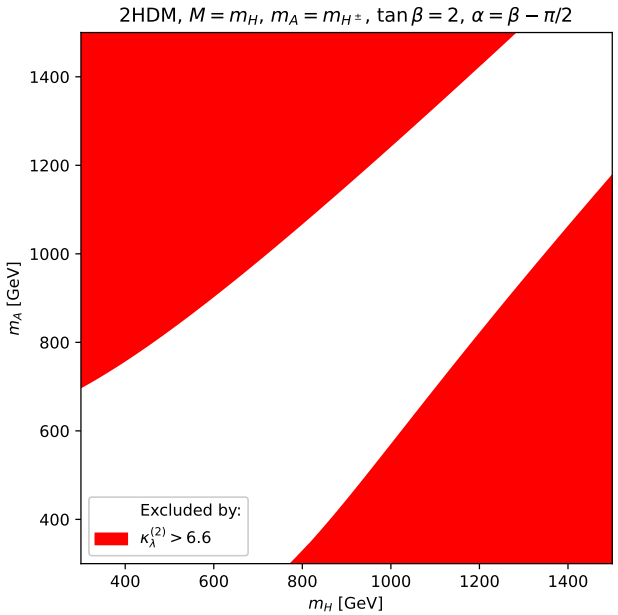


EW precision observables computed at 2L



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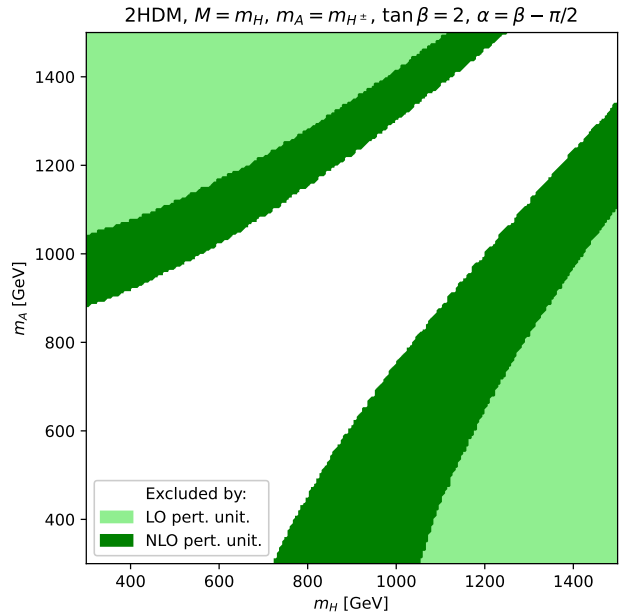

Perturbative unitarity at (N)LO

2HDM benchmark plane – experimental constraints

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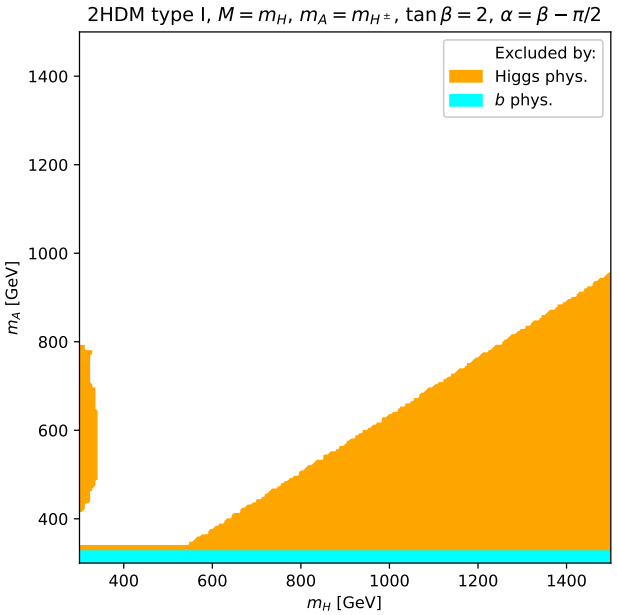

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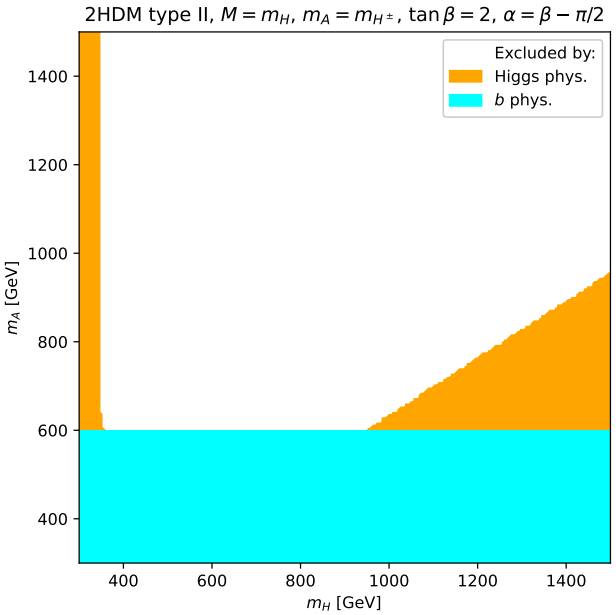

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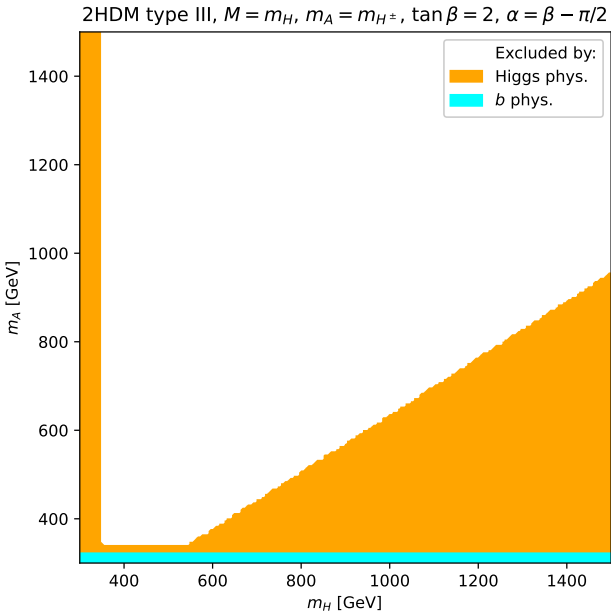

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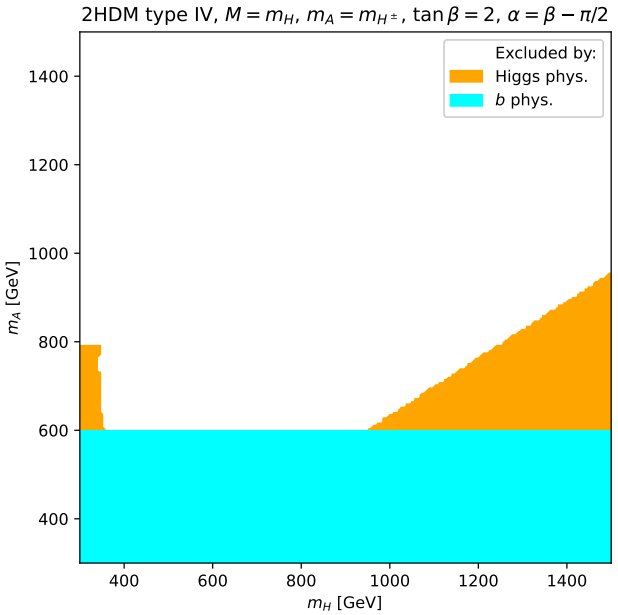

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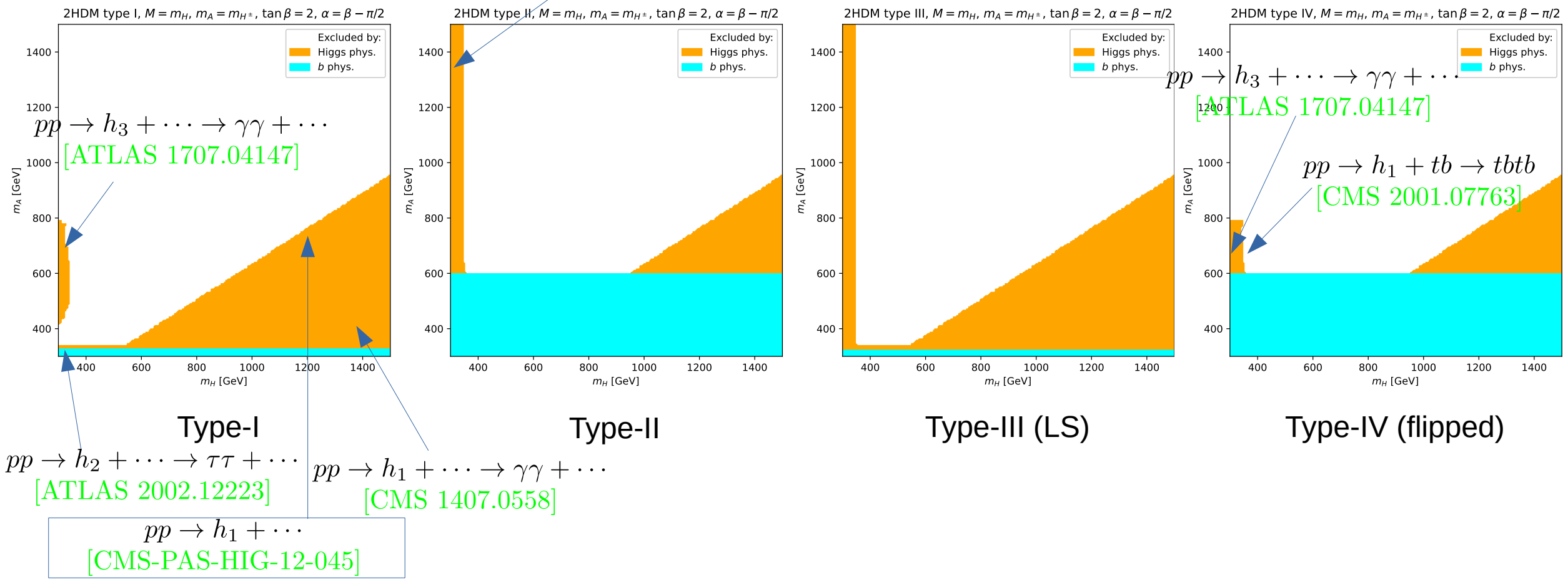

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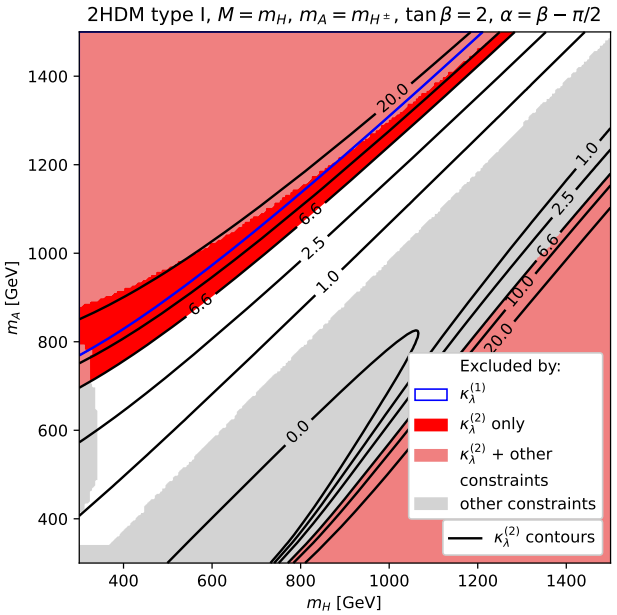

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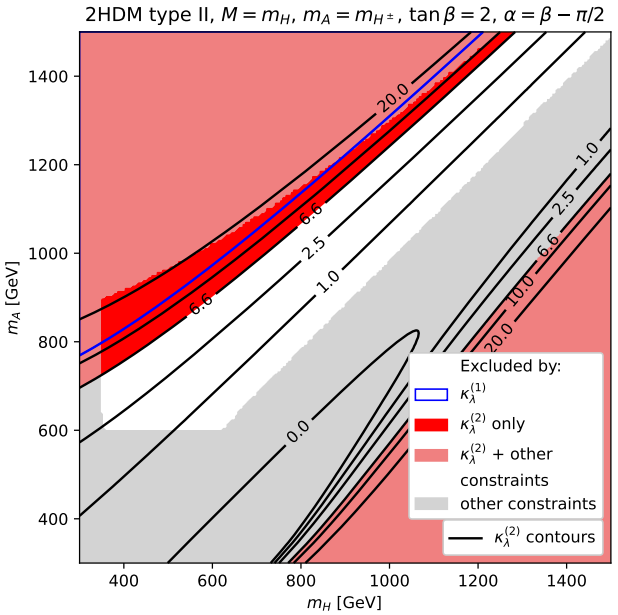

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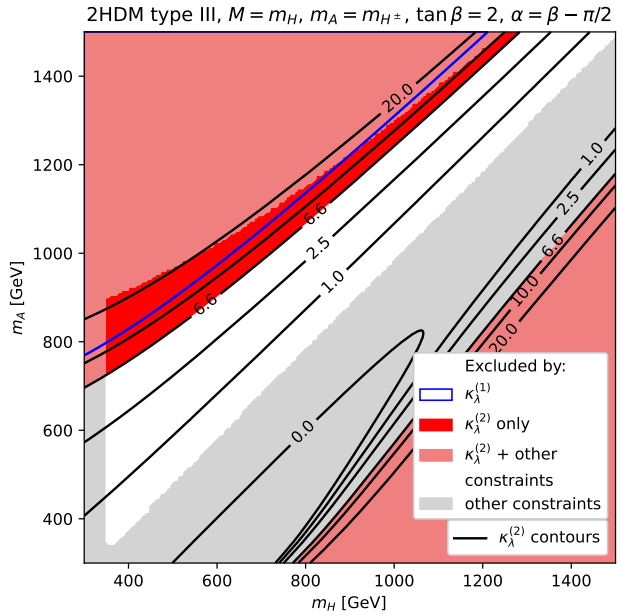

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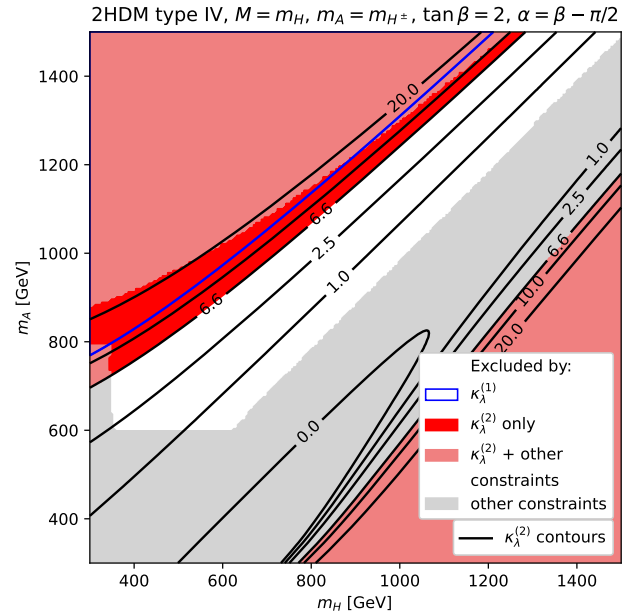

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