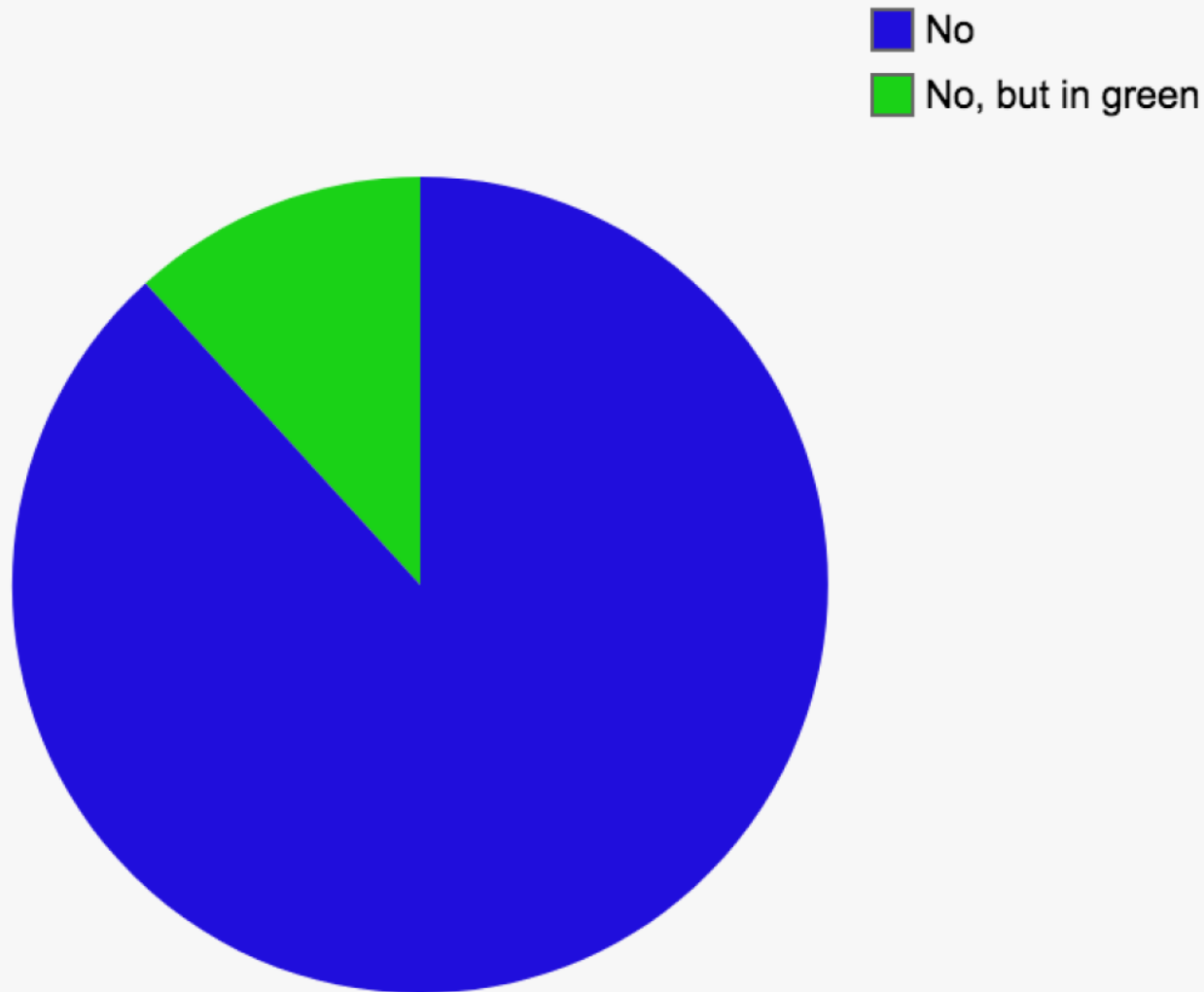


Has the LHC ruled out supersymmetry?



Consistent Excesses in SUSY searches at the LHC: Physics case for a Linear Collider

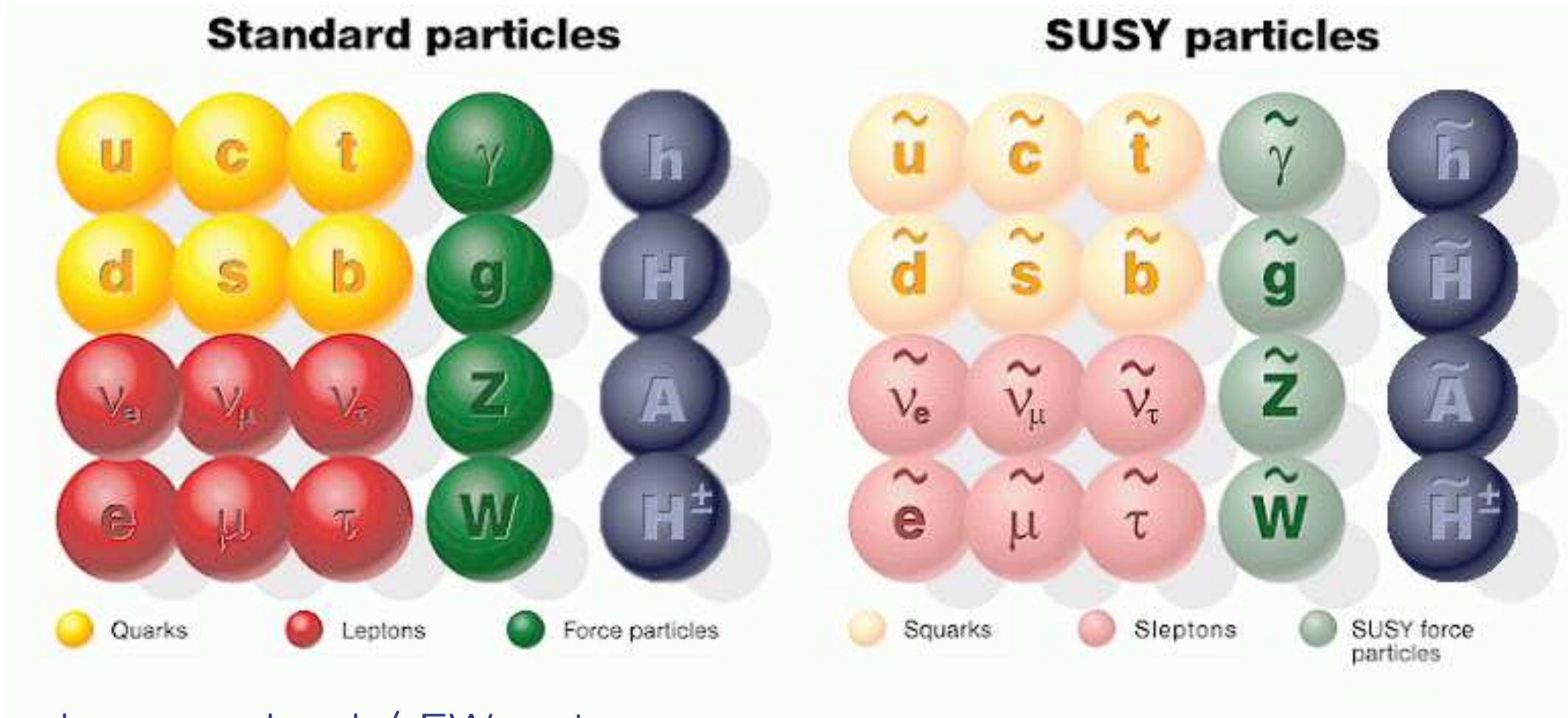
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1. The main idea

The MSSM



⇒ large uncolored / EW sector

charginos/neutralinos: $M_1, M_2, \mu, \tan \beta$ ⇒ Dark Matter candidate: $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$

Sleptons: $M_{\tilde{l}_L}, M_{\tilde{l}_R}$ (equal for all 3 generations, or different 1.2. vs. 3.)

Theoretically many options:

[M. Chakraborti, S.H., I. Saha '20/21]

A) wino/bino DM with chargino co-annihilation ($M_1 \sim M_2 \lesssim \mu$)

relic DM density 100% fulfilled

$\Rightarrow m_{(N)\text{LSP}} \lesssim 650(700) \text{ GeV}$

B/C) bino DM with slepton co-annihilation ($M_1 \lesssim M_2, \mu$)

relic DM density 100% fulfilled

\Rightarrow two cases: all 3 generations degenerate vs. 3rd generation independent

$\Rightarrow m_{(N)\text{LSP}} \lesssim 550(600) \text{ GeV}$

D) higgsino DM: $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \sim m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0} \sim m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm} \sim \mu$ ($\mu \lesssim M_1, M_2$)

relic DM density as upper limit (otherwise $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$)

$\Rightarrow m_{(N)\text{LSP}} \lesssim 500 \text{ GeV}$

E) wino DM: $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \sim m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm} \sim M_2$ ($M_2 \lesssim M_1, \mu$)

relic DM density as upper limit (otherwise $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \sim 3 \text{ TeV}$)

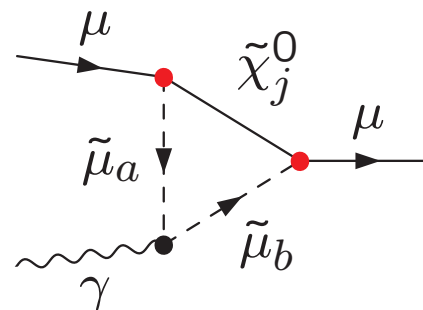
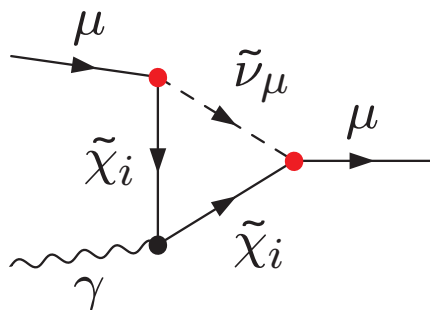
$\Rightarrow m_{(N)\text{LSP}} \lesssim 600 \text{ GeV}$

Upper limits on $m_{(N)\text{LSP}}$: assume 5σ deviation in $(g-2)_\mu$

$\Rightarrow 2\sigma$ deviation achieved by heavier sleptons (in A/D/E)

SUSY can easily explain “any” deviation in a_μ :

Feynman diagrams for MSSM 1L corrections:



- Diagrams with chargino/sneutrino exchange
- Diagrams with neutralino/smuon exchange

Enhancement factor as compared to SM:

$$\mu - \tilde{\chi}_i^\pm - \tilde{\nu}_\mu : \sim m_\mu \tan \beta$$

$$\mu - \tilde{\chi}_j^0 - \tilde{\mu}_a : \sim m_\mu \tan \beta$$

$$\text{SM, EW 1L: } \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \frac{m_\mu^2}{M_W^2}$$

$$\text{MSSM, 1L: } \frac{\alpha}{\pi} \frac{m_\mu^2}{M_{\text{SUSY}}^2} \times \tan \beta$$

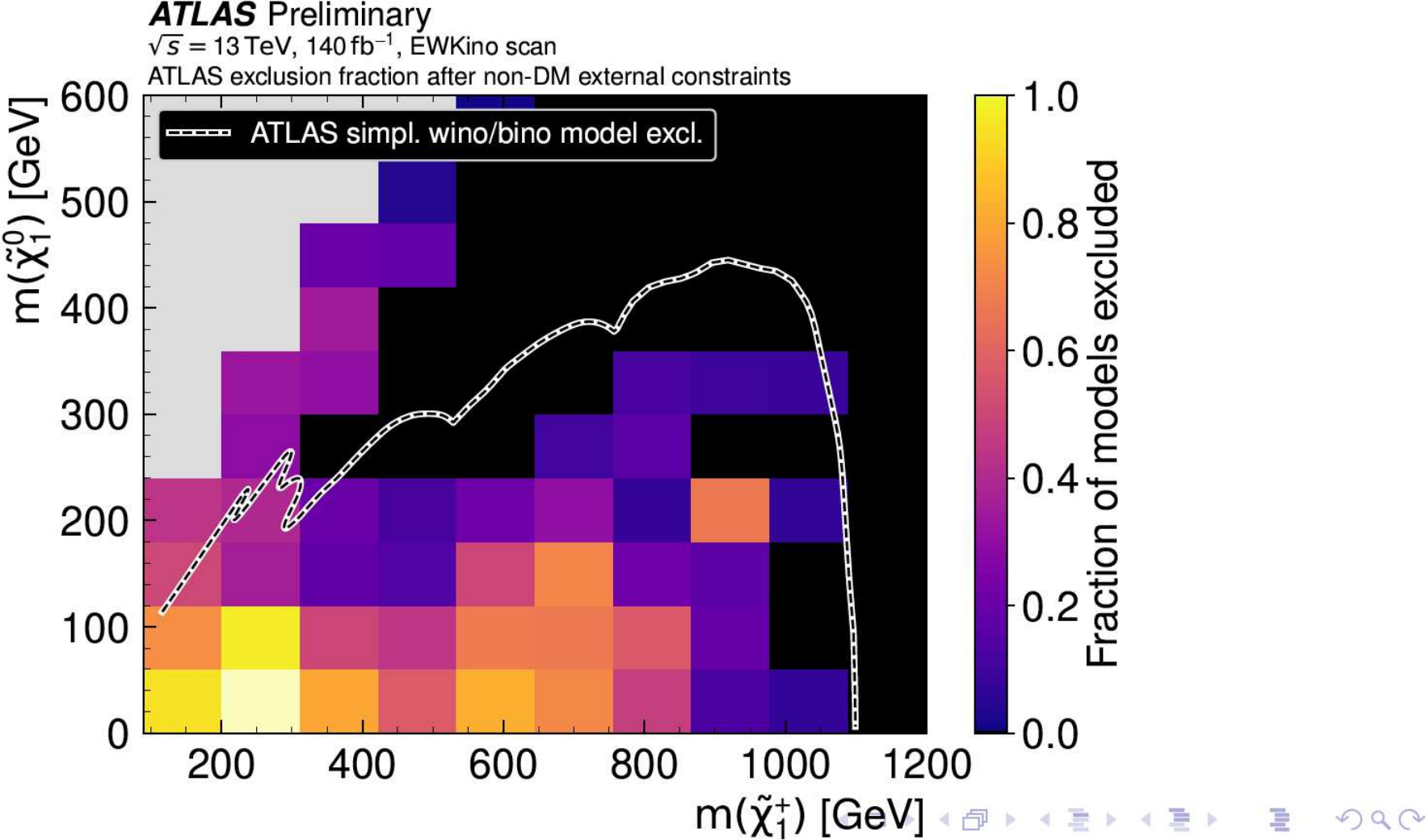
\Rightarrow slepton masses control the size of $\Delta a_\mu^{\text{MSSM}}$

2. Evidence for low-energy SUSY?!

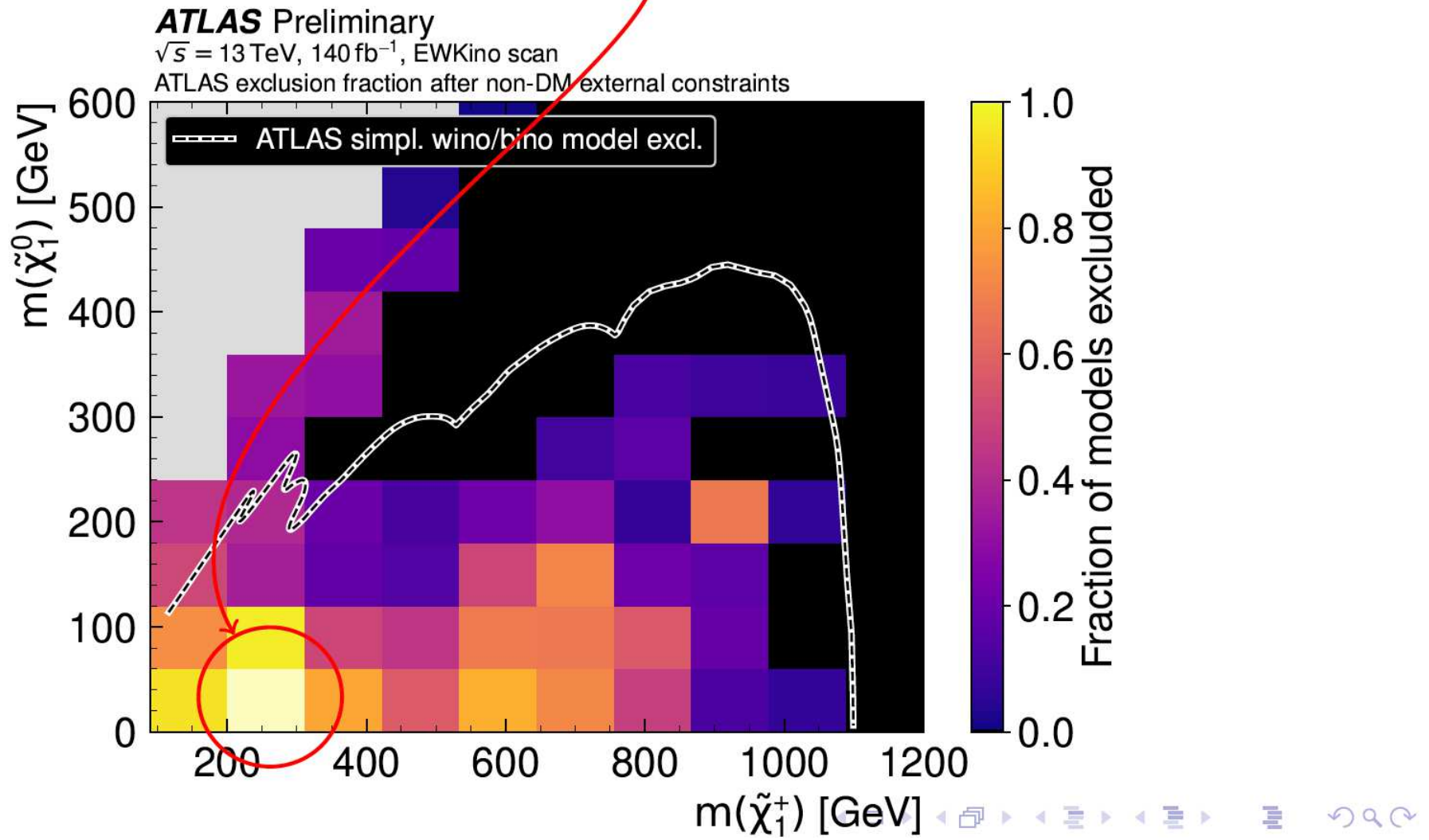


What have the LHC searches excluded?

[taken from M. Berggren '23]



Only this one is actually excluded !



⇒ Our “models” predict low chargino/neutralino masses

Possible search channels:

- $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 + X$
- $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^0 + H/Z$
- $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 H/Z \tilde{\chi}_1^0 W^\pm$
- $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^+ \tilde{\chi}_1^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 W^+ \tilde{\chi}_1^0 W^-$
- ...

Possible kinematic situations:

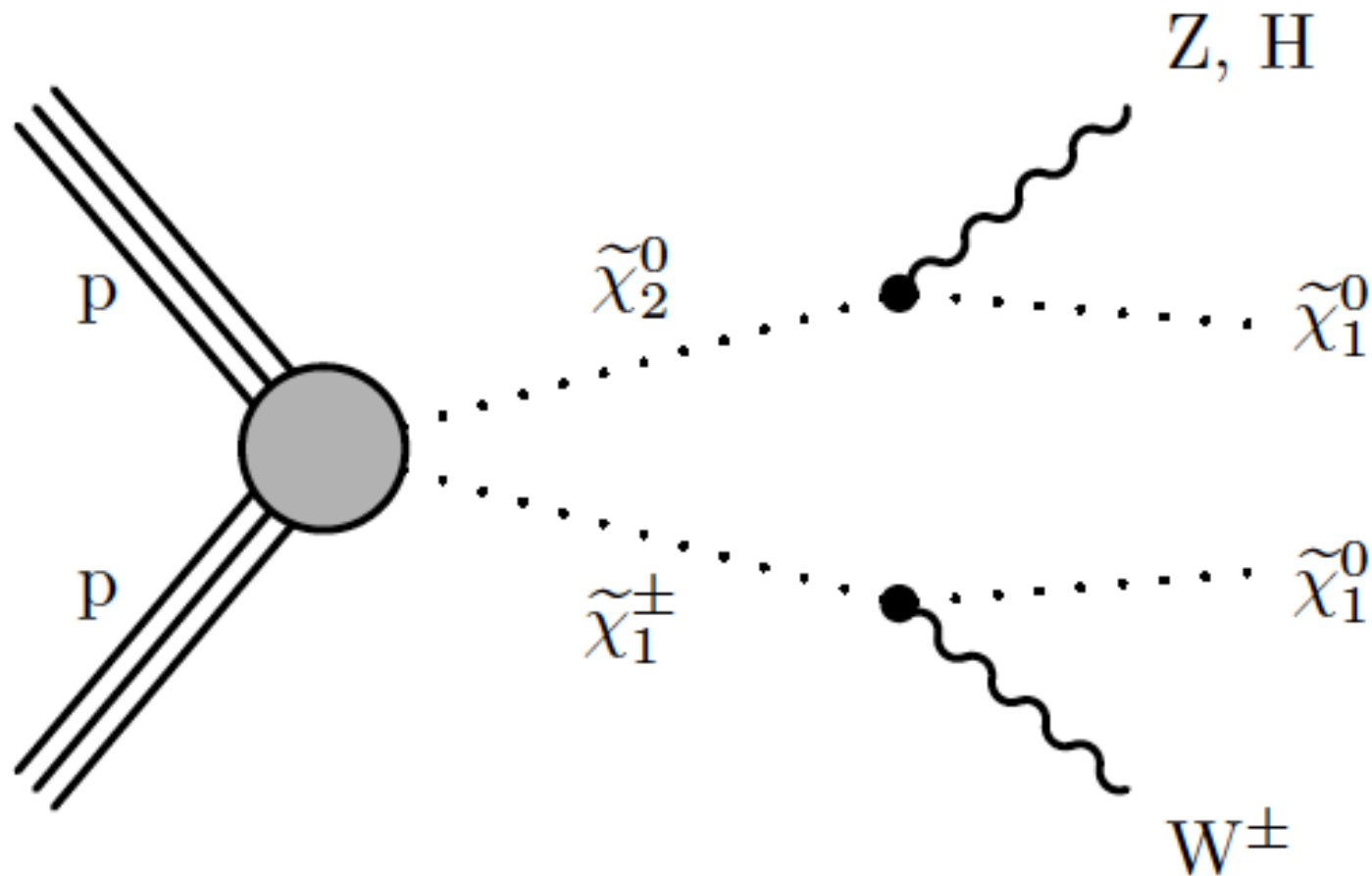
- non-compressed spectra: on-shell decays to $H/Z, W^\pm$
- compressed spectra: off-shell decays to Z, W^\pm
- light sleptons that appear in the decay chains
- heavy sleptons that are absent from the decay chains
- ...

⇒ only one of these can be realized

⇒ only one of them should show up in the LHC searches

⇒ Our “models” predict low chargino/neutralino masses

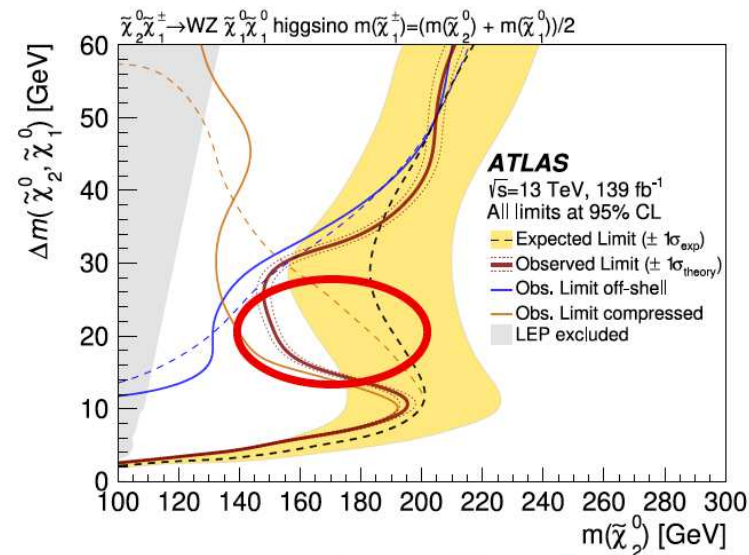
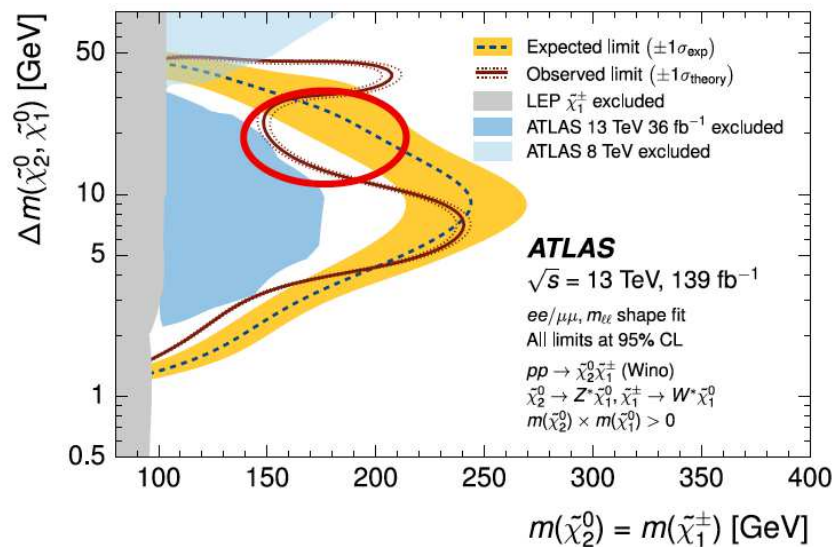
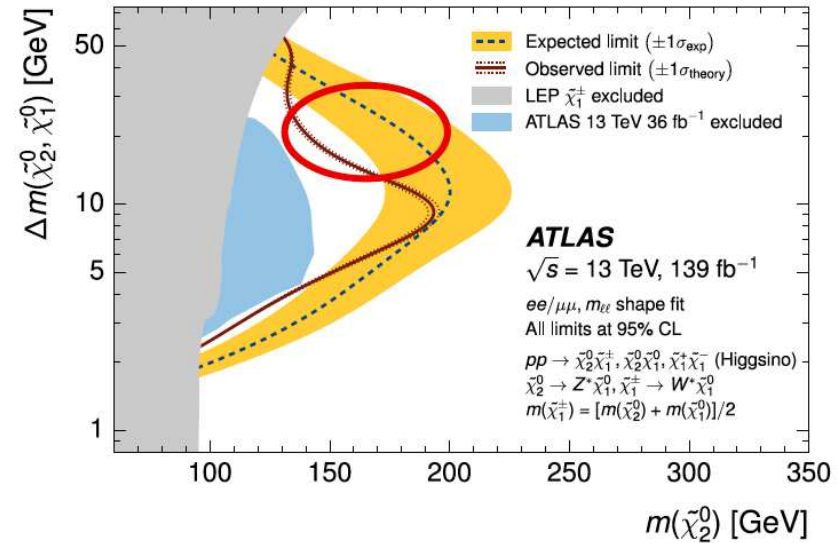
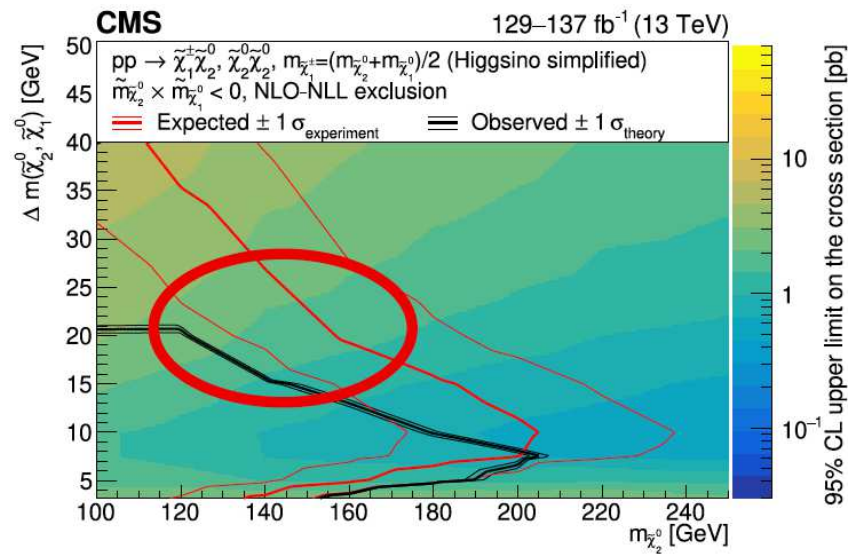
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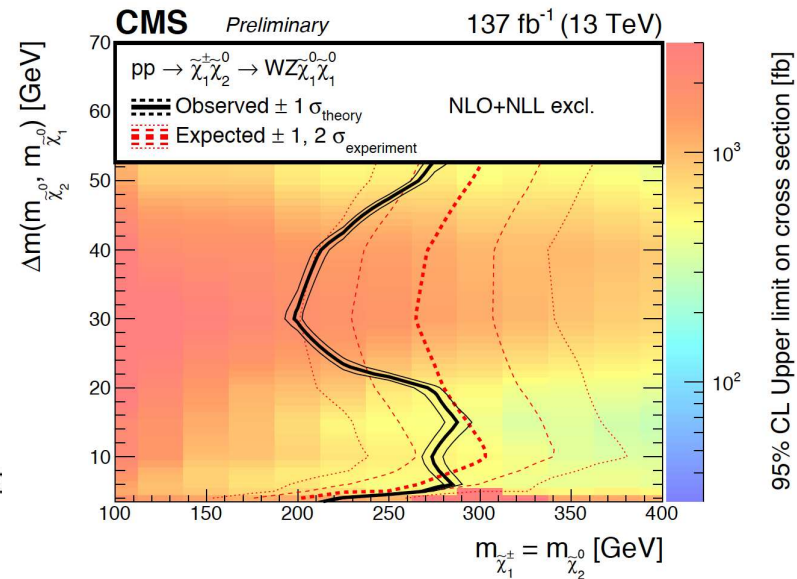
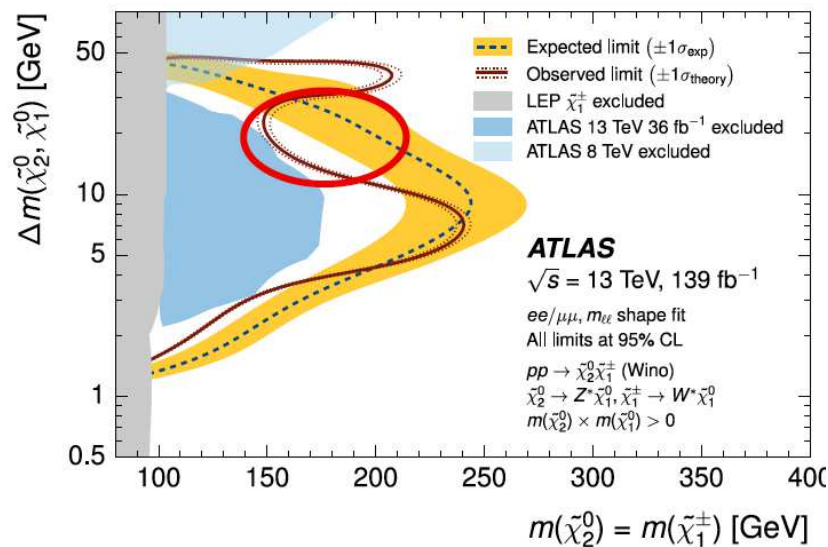
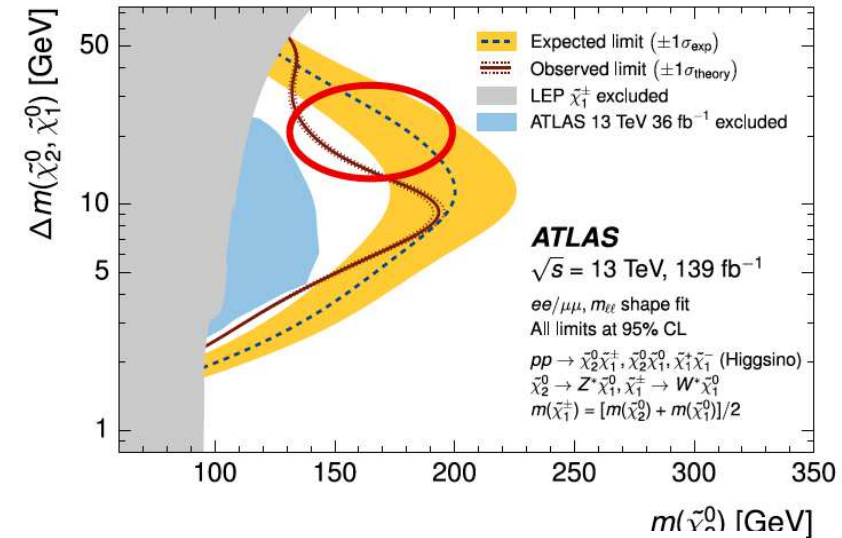
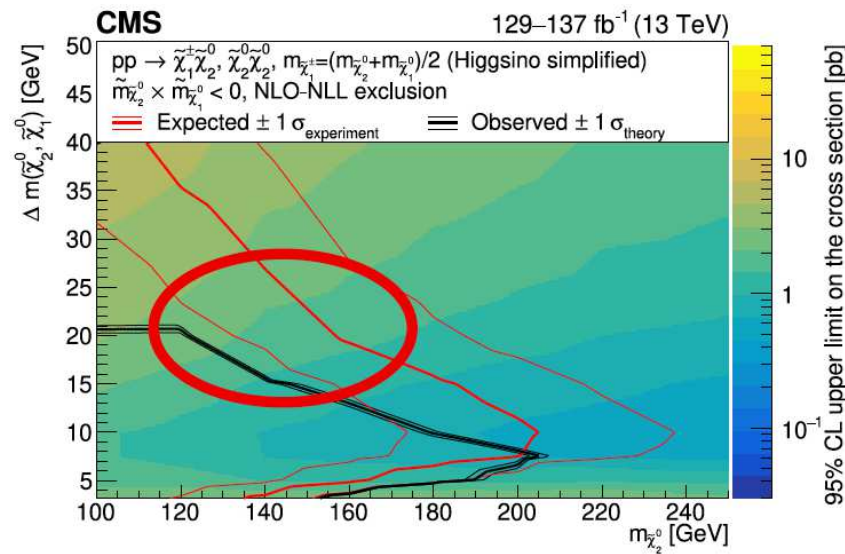


⇒ experimental results?

Results: “compressed” spectra w/ heavy sleptons:

[taken from M. Berggren '23]





Two possible scenarios:

- $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0} \sim m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$
- $\Delta m := m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0} - m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \sim \mathcal{O}(20 \text{ GeV})$

A) wino/bino DM with chargino co-annihilation ($|M_1| \sim M_2 \lesssim \mu$)

relic DM density 100% fulfilled

$$\Rightarrow m_{(N)\text{LSP}} \lesssim 650(700) \text{ GeV}$$

D) higgsino DM: $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \sim m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0} \sim m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm} \sim \mu$ ($\mu \lesssim |M_1|, M_2$)

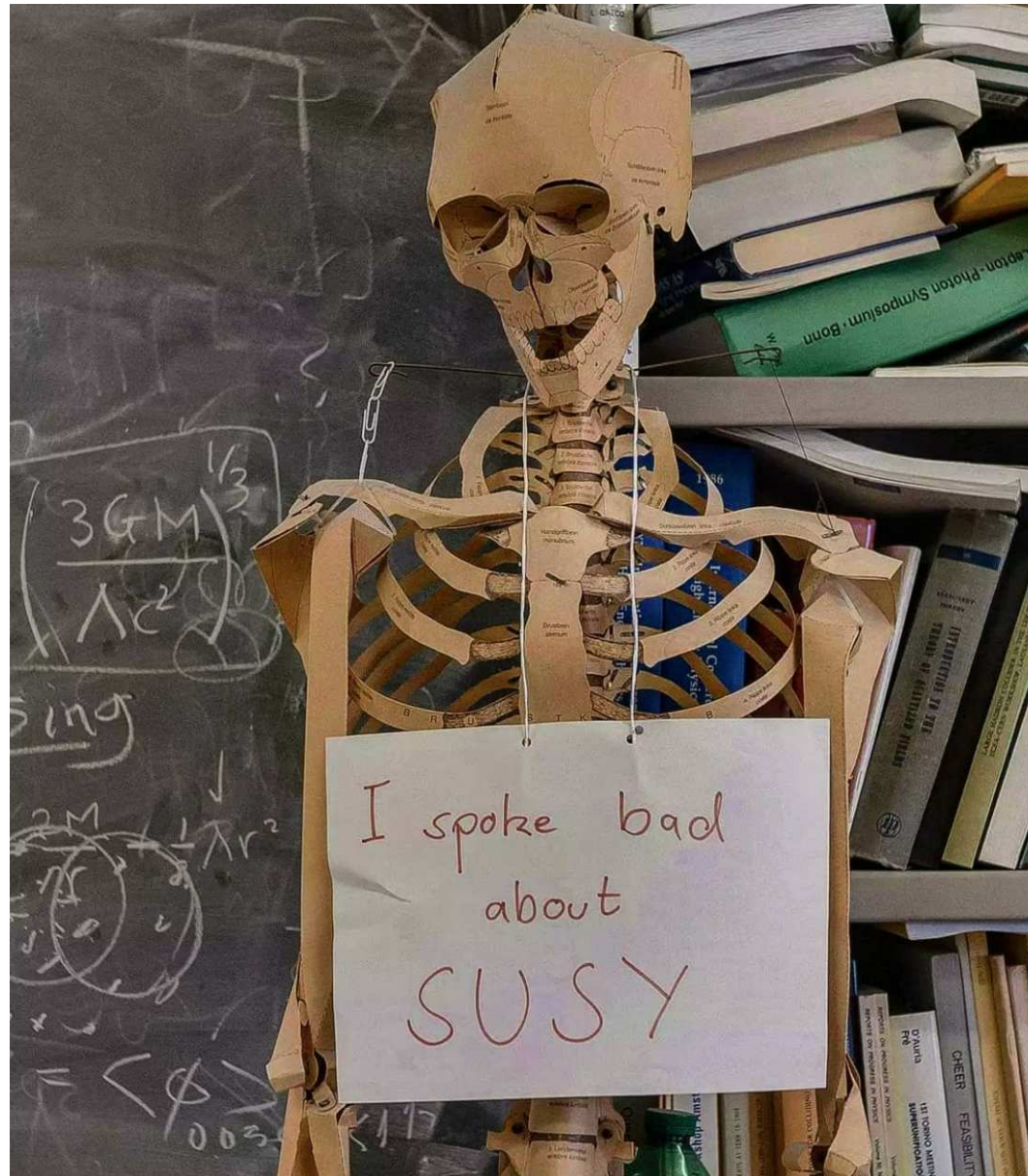
relic DM density as upper limit (otherwise $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$)

$$\Rightarrow m_{(N)\text{LSP}} \lesssim 500 \text{ GeV}$$

\Rightarrow can they fit the excesses?

3. Wino/bino vs. higgsino DM

[M. Chakraborti, S.H., I. Saha '24]



A) Wino/bino DM with chargino co-annihilation

Parameter scan:

$$100 \text{ GeV} \leq |M_1| \leq 400 \text{ GeV} ,$$

$$|M_1| \leq M_2 \leq 1.1|M_1| ,$$

$$1.1|M_1| \leq \mu \leq 10|M_1| ,$$

$$2 \leq \tan \beta \leq 60 ,$$

$$100 \text{ GeV} \leq m_{\tilde{L}} \leq 1.5 \text{ TeV} ,$$

$$m_{\tilde{R}} = m_{\tilde{L}} .$$

(latter condition only to make the analysis simpler, no relevant effect)

wino/bino(+): $M_1 \times \mu > 0$

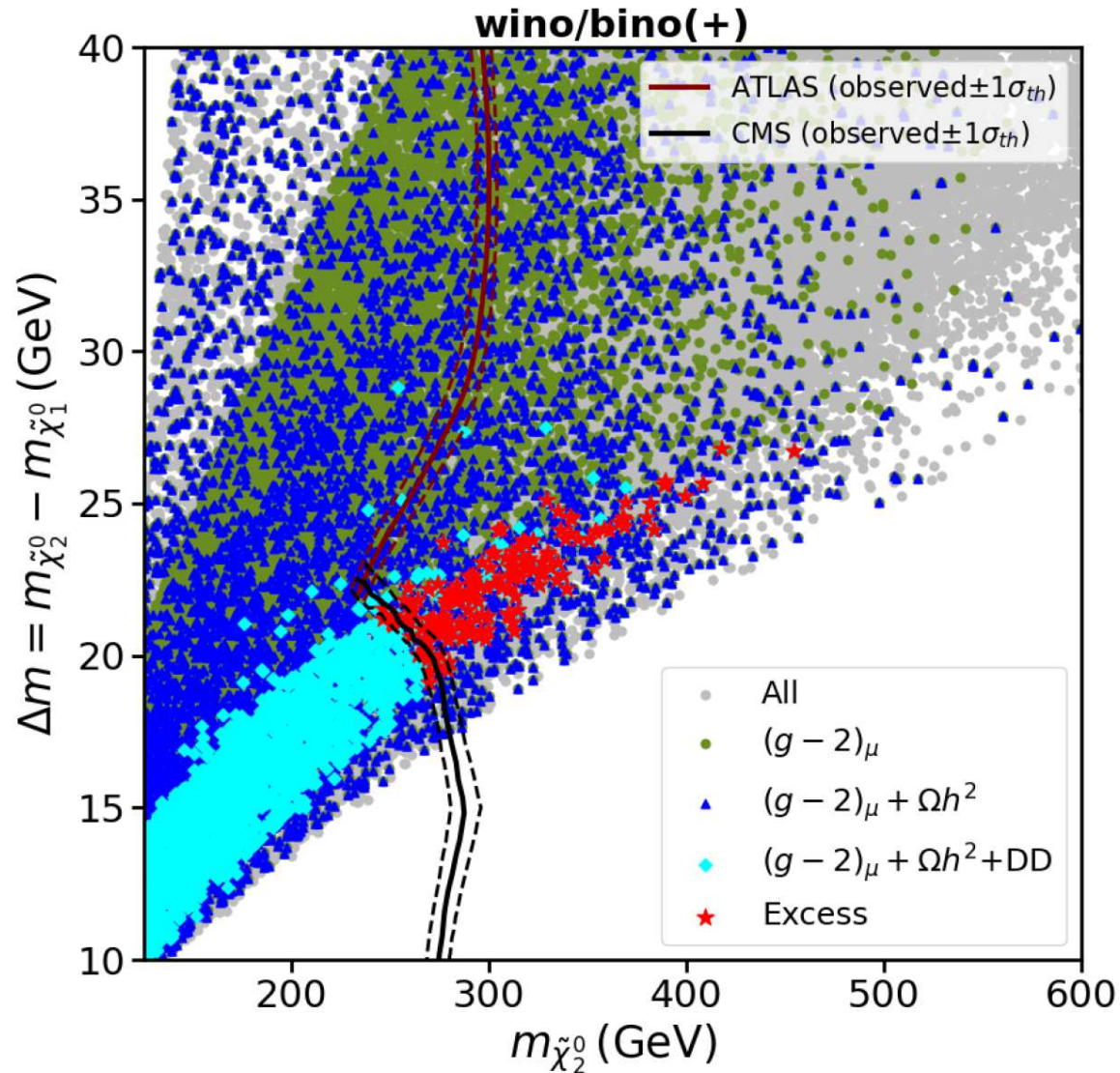
wino/bino(-): $M_1 \times \mu < 0$

relic DM density can be 100% fulfilled

$\Rightarrow m_{(N)\text{LSP}} \lesssim 600(650) \text{ GeV}$

(original scan assuming a 5σ deviation in $(g-2)_\mu$)

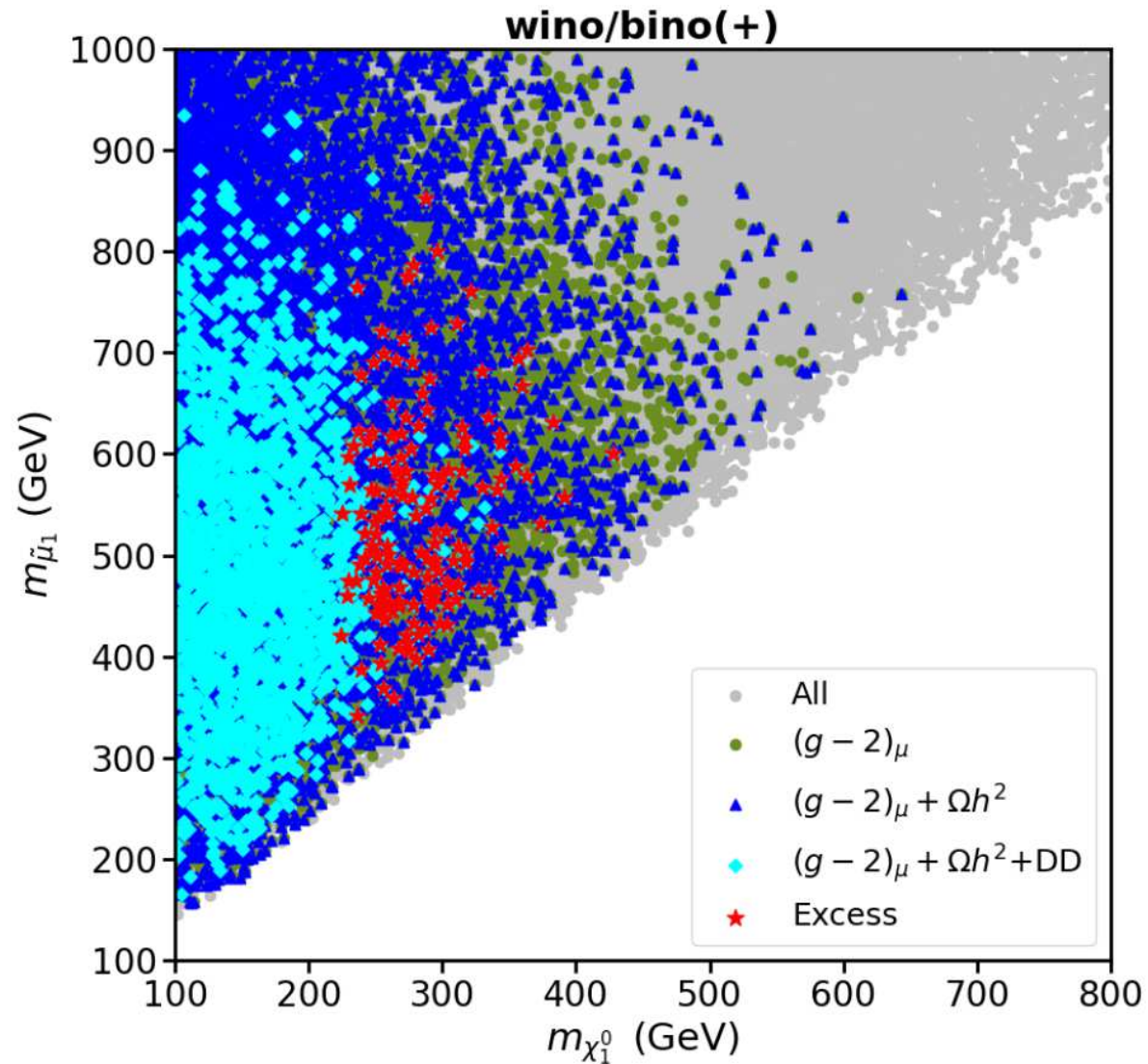
wino/bino(+): results in the $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0} - \Delta m$ plane:



\Rightarrow excesses not fully at the same Δm ...

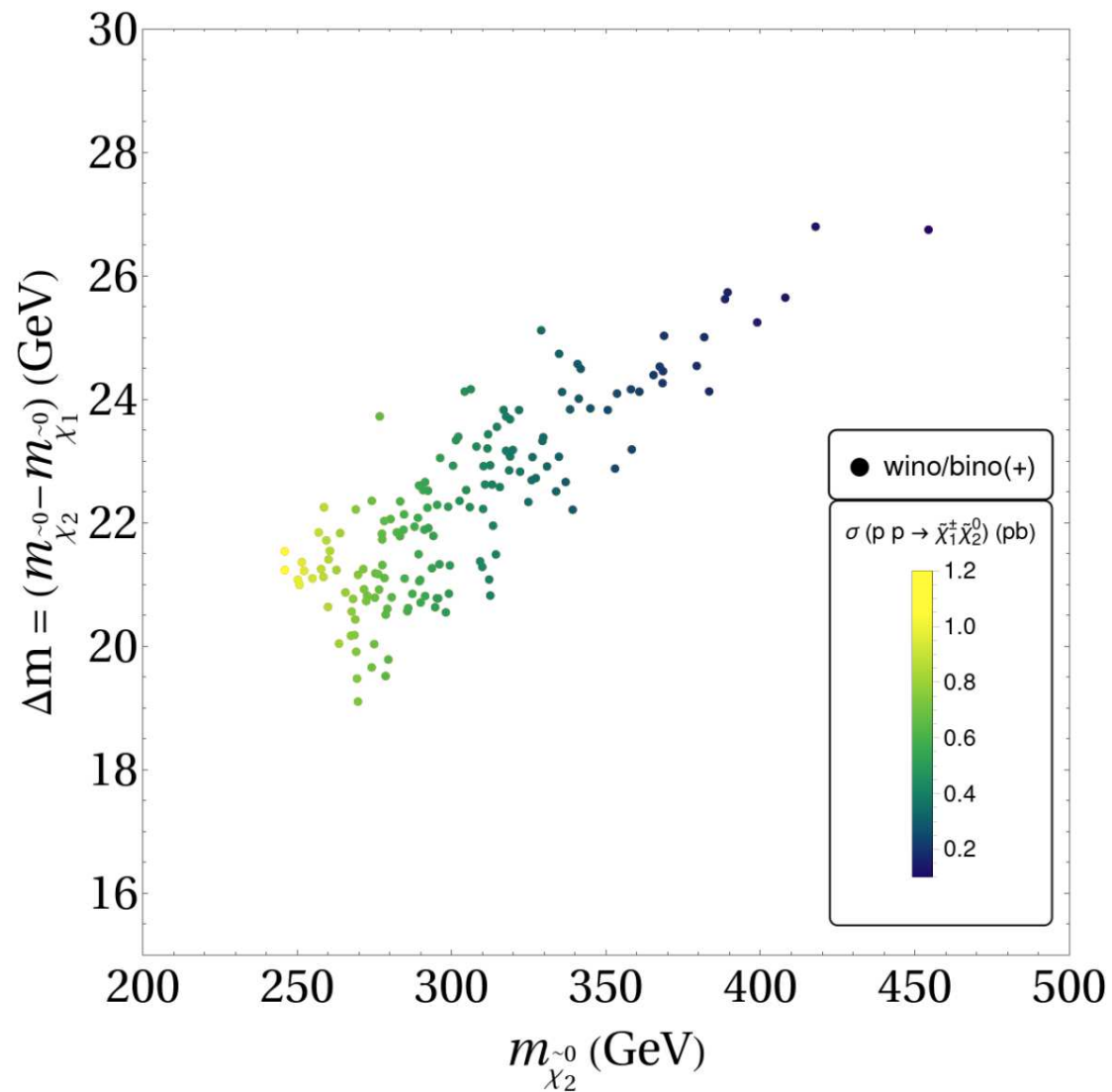
\Rightarrow but many "good points" at $\Delta m \sim 20$ GeV

wino/bino(+): limits on slepton masses:

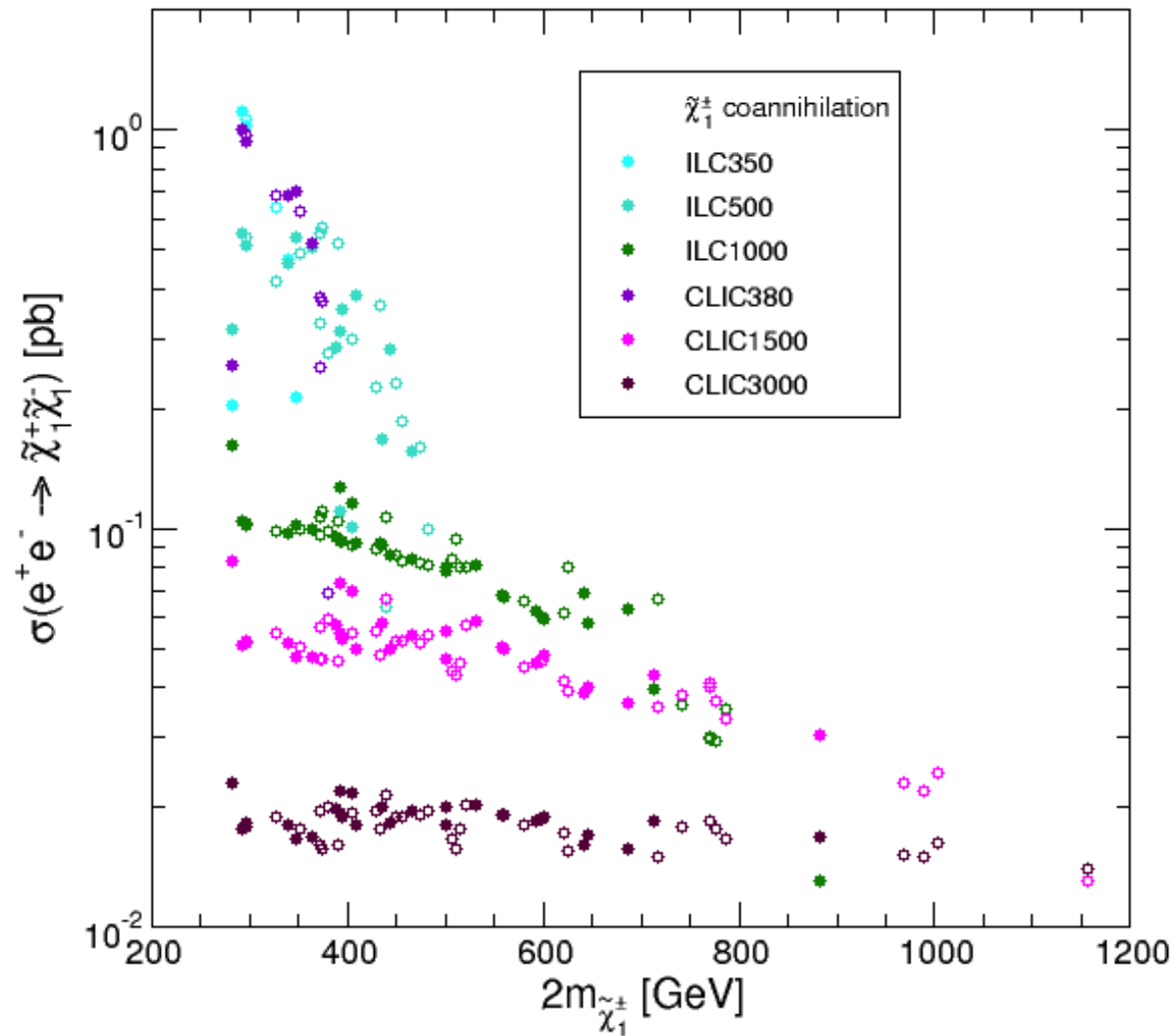


⇒ no limits on slepton masses (as expected)

wino/bino(+): LHC cross sections:

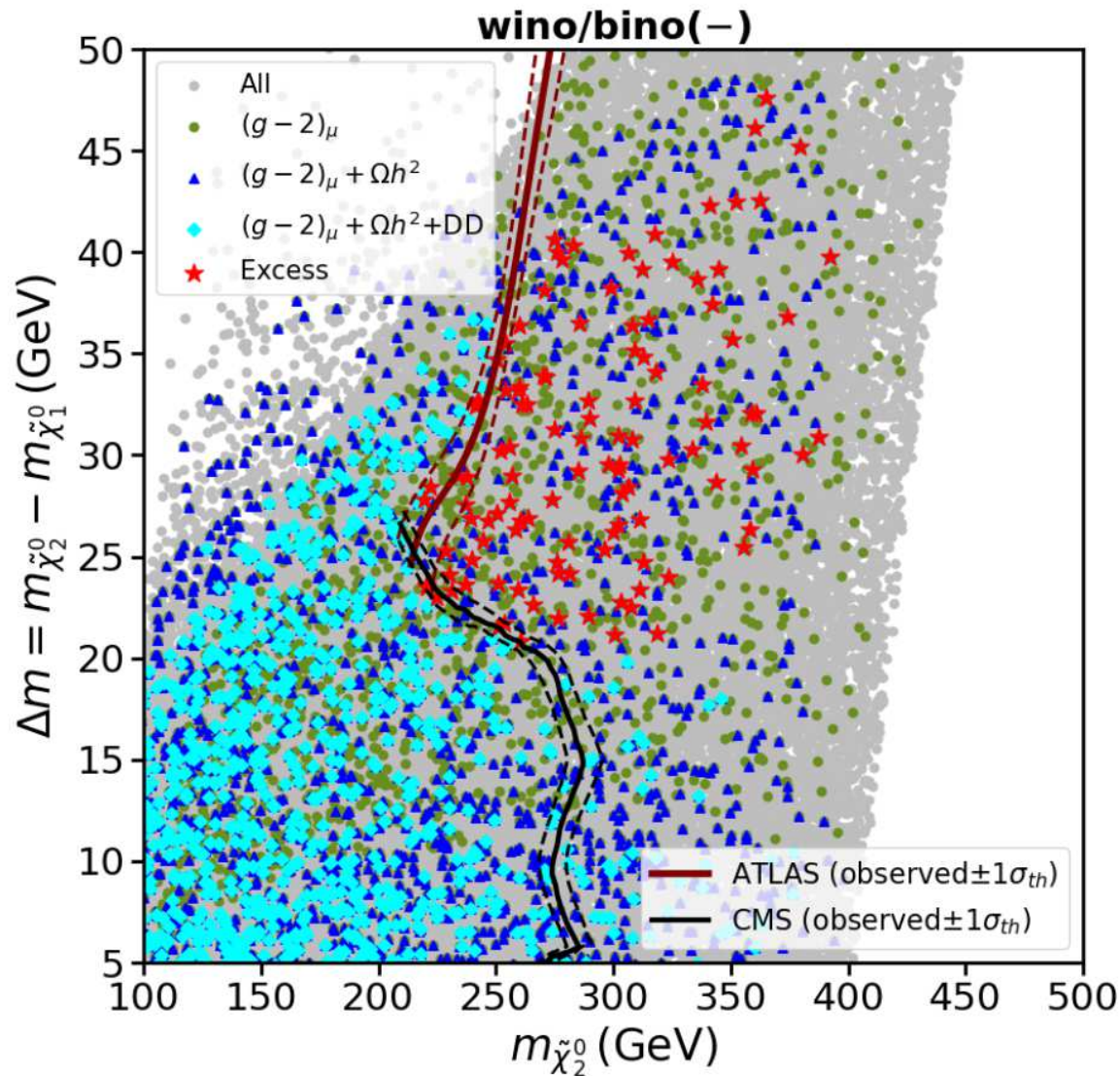


⇒ for lower masses XS have roughly the size required by excesses



⇒ easy for ILC500/ILC1000 :-)

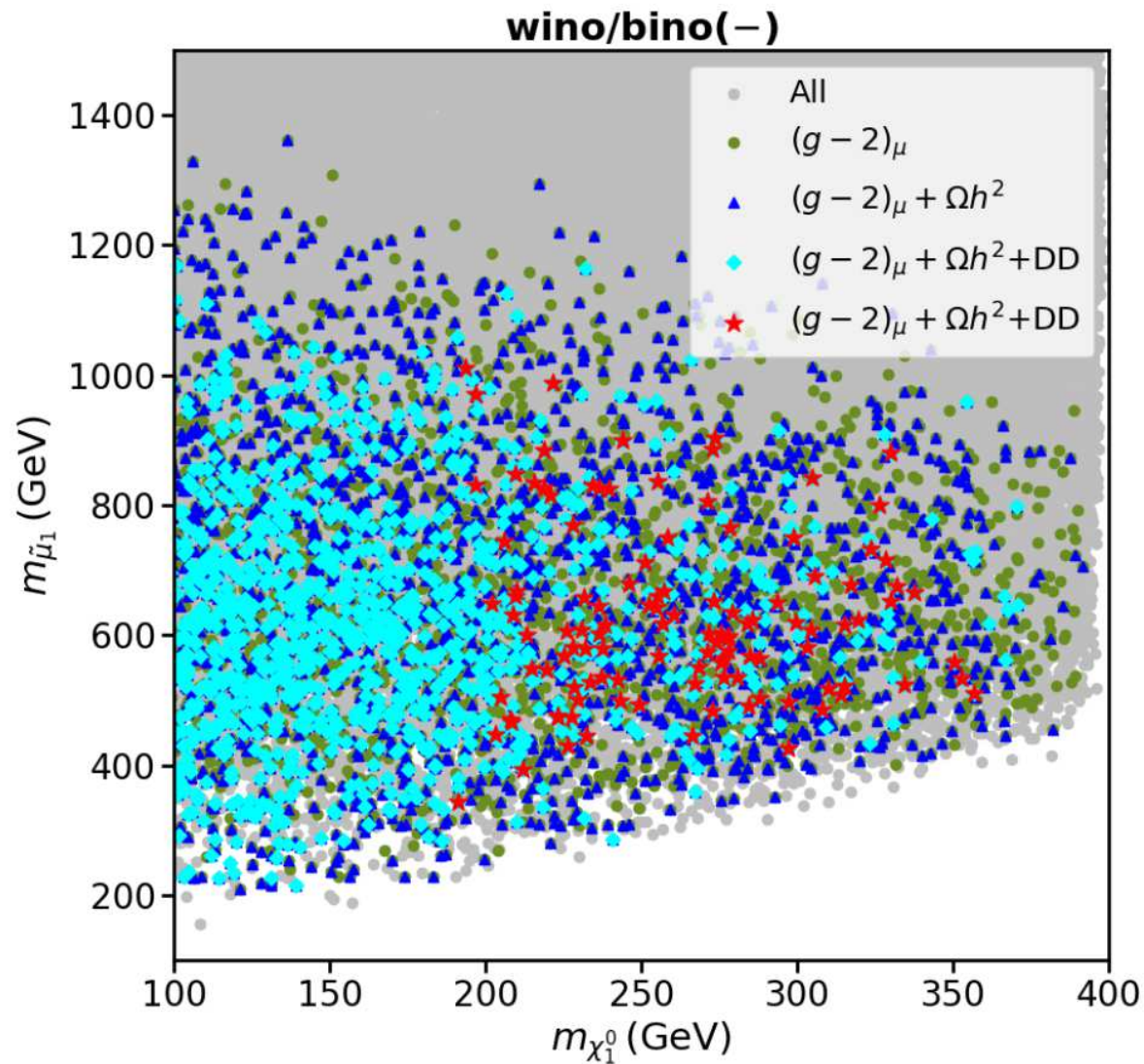
wino/bino(-): results in the $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0} - \Delta m$ plane:



⇒ ATLAS/CMS excesses agree better in Δm than for wino/bino(+)

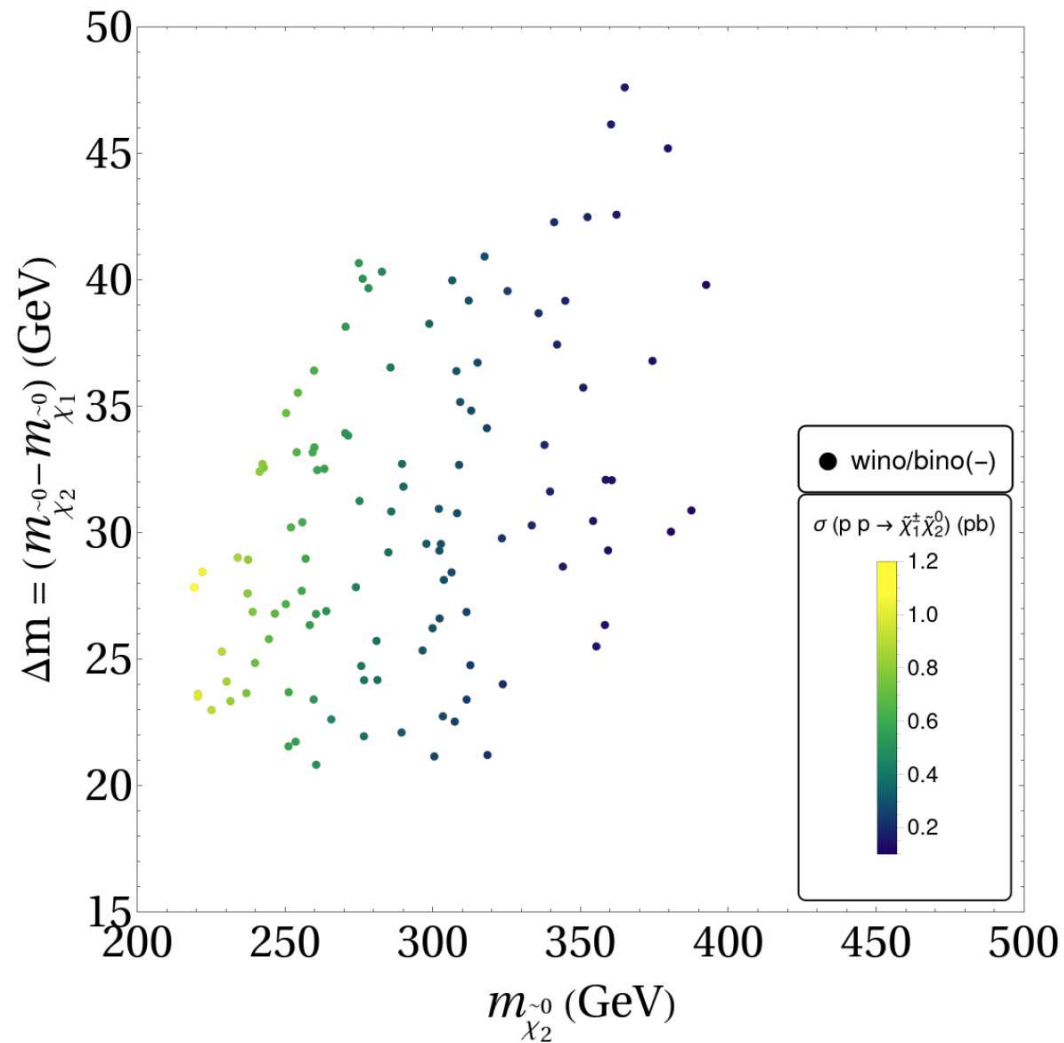
⇒ but many “good points” at $\Delta m \sim 25$ GeV

wino/bino(-): limits on slepton masses:



⇒ no limits on slepton masses (as expected)

wino/bino(-): LHC cross sections:



⇒ for lower masses XS have roughly the size required by excesses

⇒ prospects for $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_1^\mp)$ similar as in wino/bino(+)

D) Higgsino DM

Original parameter scan: $(M_1 \times \mu > 0)$

$$100 \text{ GeV} \leq \mu \leq 1.2 \text{ TeV} ,$$

$$1.1\mu \leq M_1 \leq 10\mu ,$$

$$1.1M_2 \leq \mu \leq 10\mu ,$$

$$5 \leq \tan \beta \leq 60 ,$$

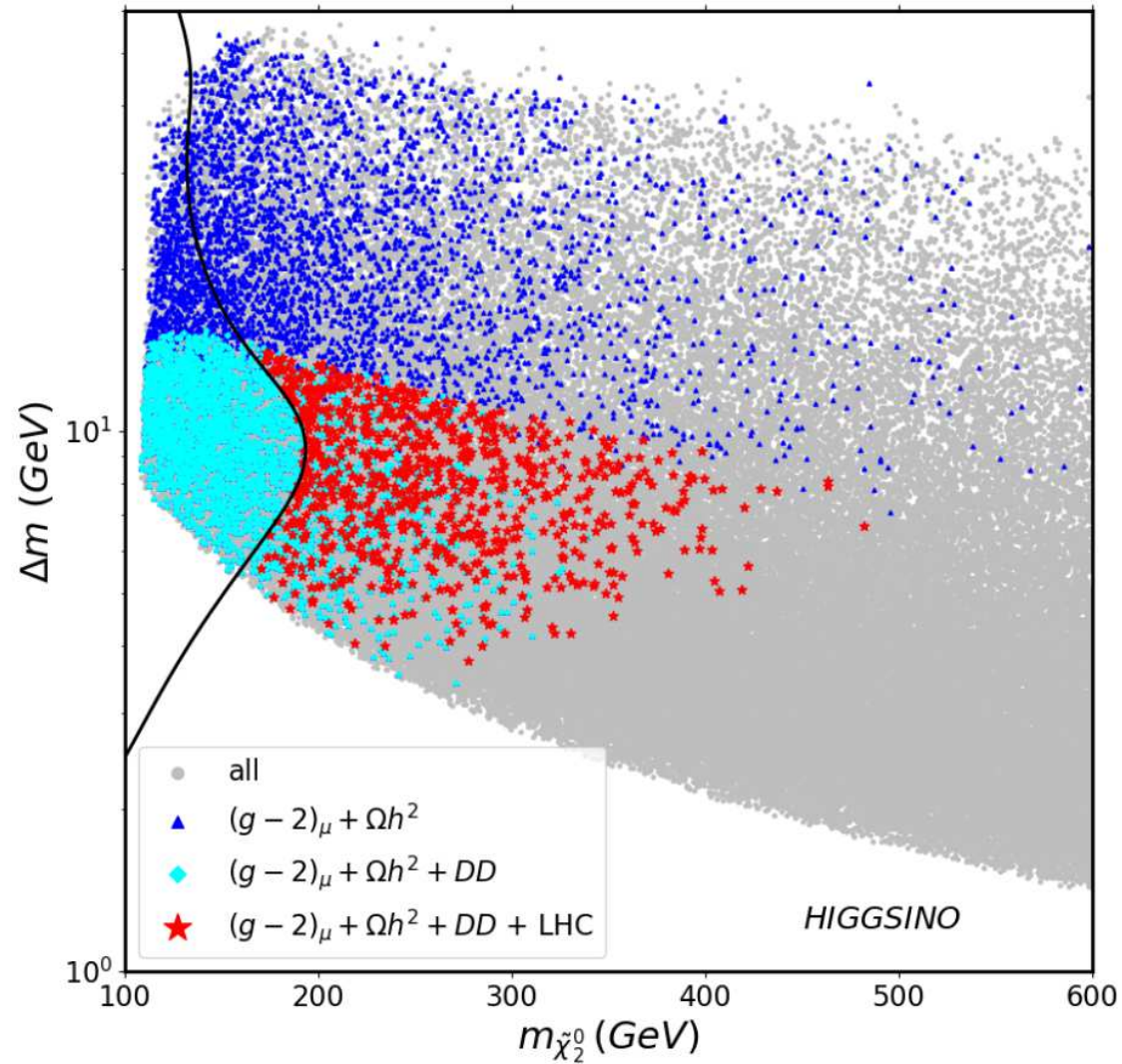
$$100 \text{ GeV} \leq m_{\tilde{L}}, m_{\tilde{R}} \leq 2 \text{ TeV} ,$$

$$\Rightarrow m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \sim m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0} \sim m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm} \sim \mu$$

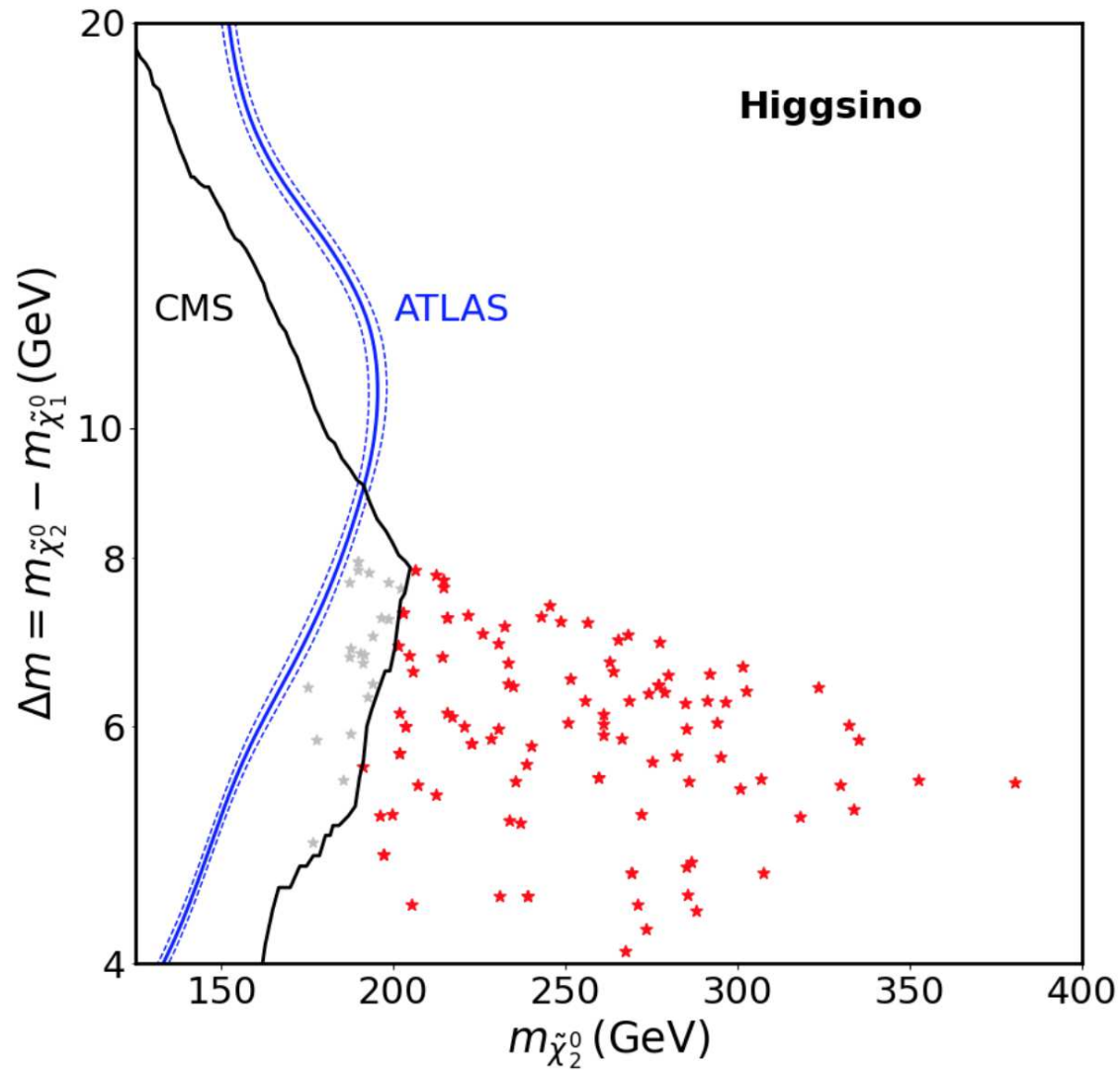
Full DM relic density reached only for $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \sim 1 \text{ TeV}$

\Rightarrow incompatible with a 5σ deviation in $(g-2)_\mu$

$$\Rightarrow m_{(N)\text{LSP}} \lesssim 500 \text{ GeV}$$

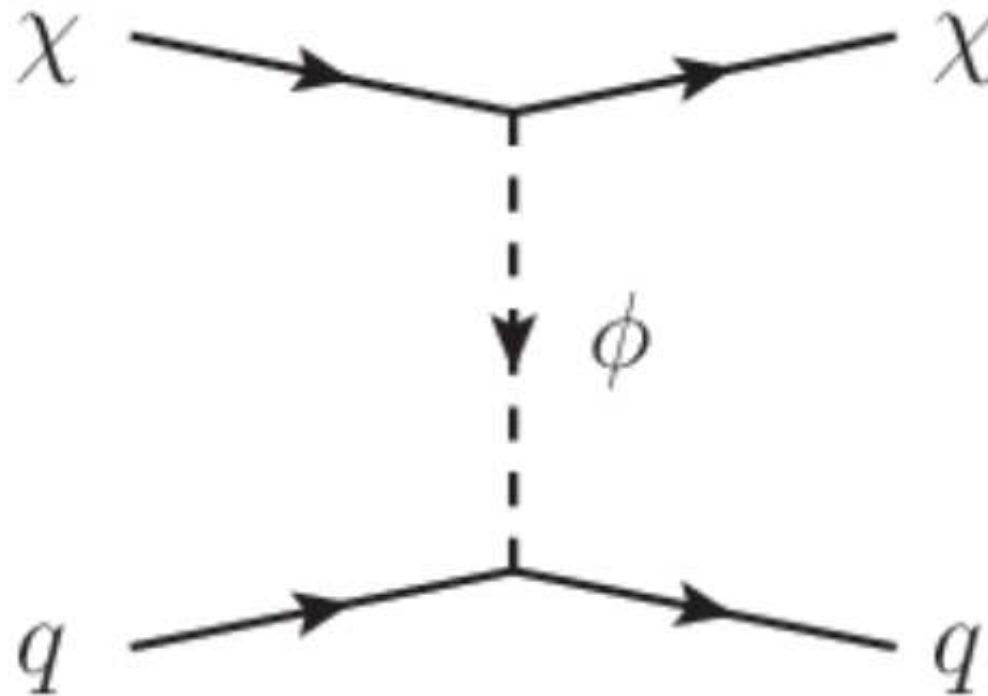


⇒ direct detection is the limiting factor on Δm



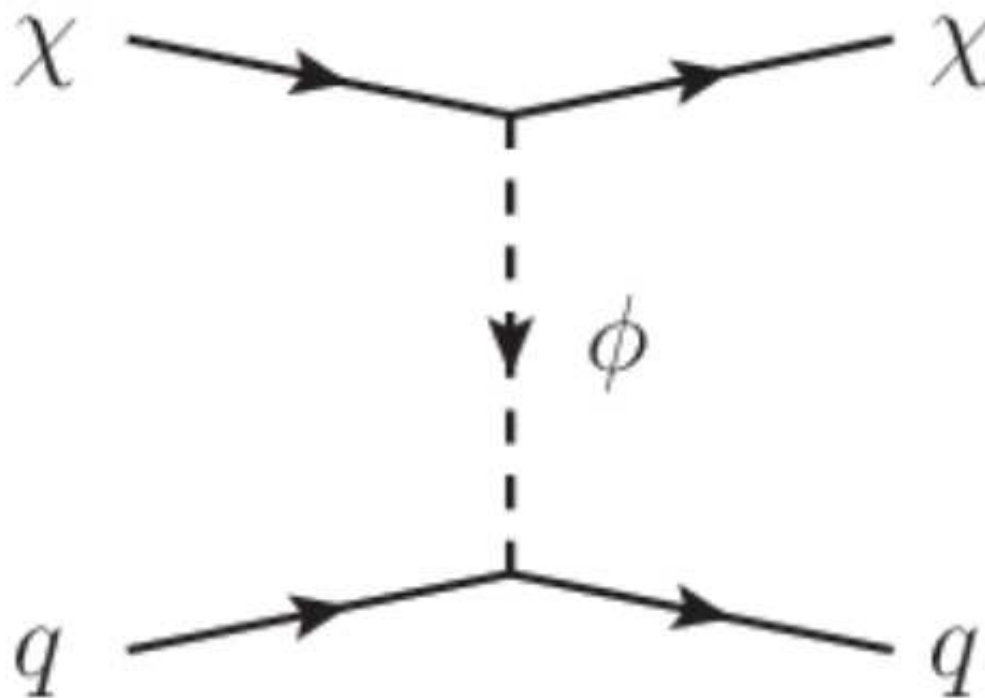
\Rightarrow excess not fitted :- (\Rightarrow DD cuts away the “good points”

Problematic diagram for higgsino DM DD:



$\phi = h, H$

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$\phi = h, H$

\Rightarrow cancellation possible for $\mu \times M_1 < 0$ (“blind spots”)

\Rightarrow new scan with $M_1 < 0$

New scan with $M_1 \times \mu < 0$

$$-190 \text{ GeV} \leq M_1 \leq -1500 \text{ GeV} ,$$

$$M_2 = 2 \text{ TeV} ,$$

$$\mu = \frac{-2M_1 \tan \beta}{4 + x_1 \tan^2 \beta} , \quad x_1 = \frac{m_h^2}{m_H^2} ,$$

$$5 \leq \tan \beta \leq 50 ,$$

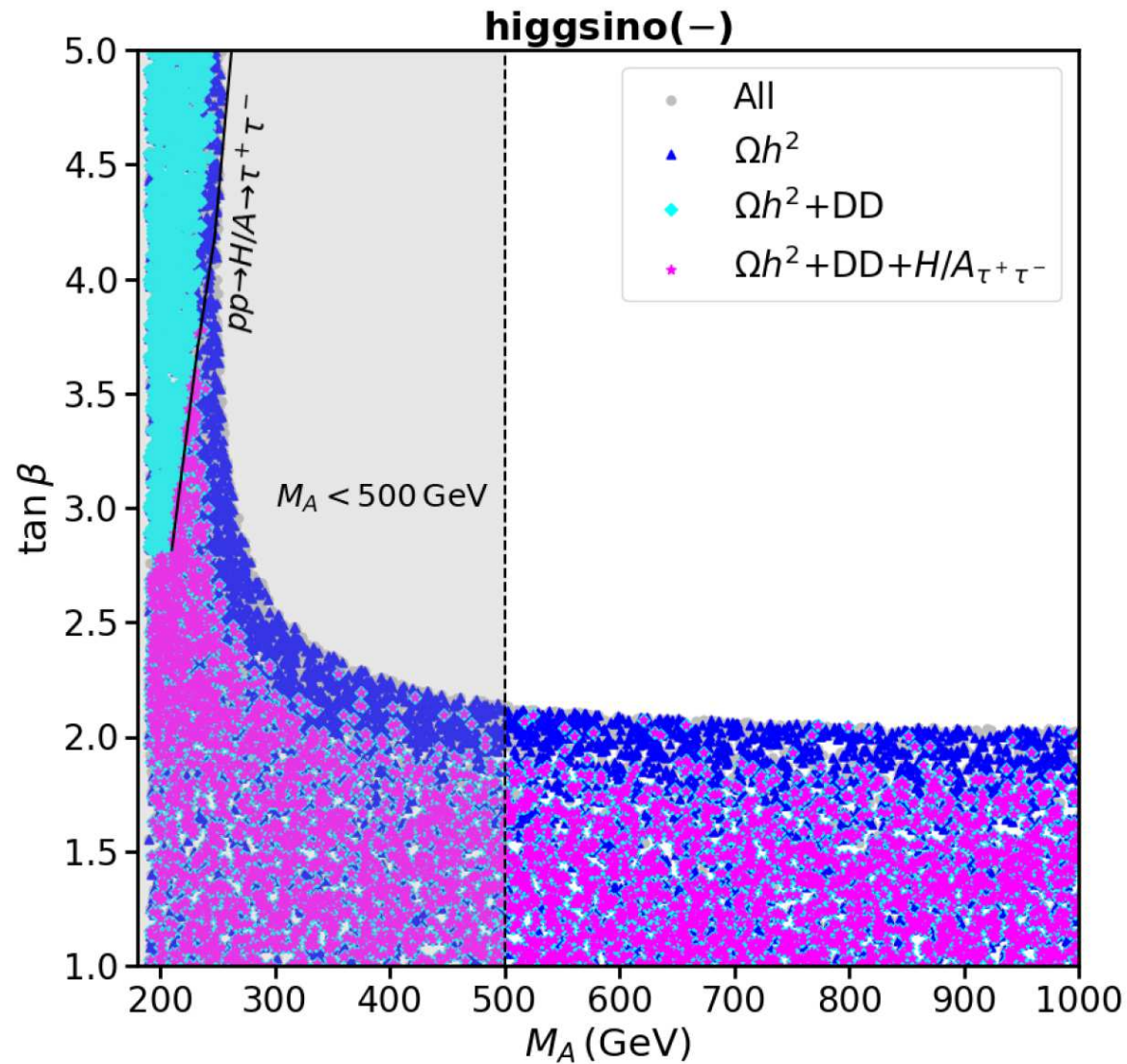
$$190 \leq M_A \leq 1200 ,$$

$$2M_1 \leq m_{\tilde{l}_L}, m_{\tilde{l}_R} \leq 1500 \text{ GeV} ,$$

Condition on μ and M_1 : exact blind spot conditions

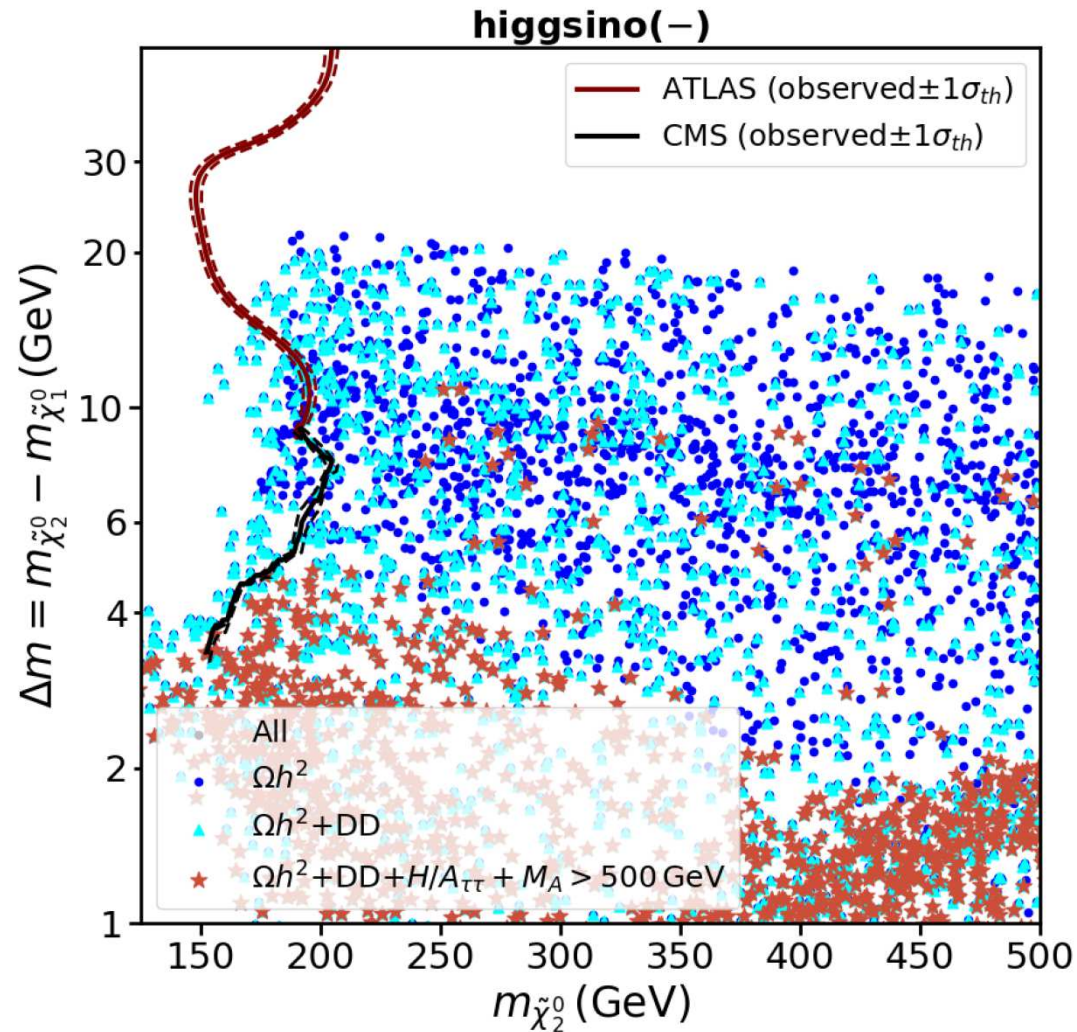
relaxed blind spot condition: scan up to $\mu/|M_1| < 1$

New scan with $M_1 \times \mu < 0$



$\Rightarrow M_A \gtrsim 500$ GeV and $\tan \beta \lesssim 2$ allowed

New scan with $M_1 \times \mu < 0$

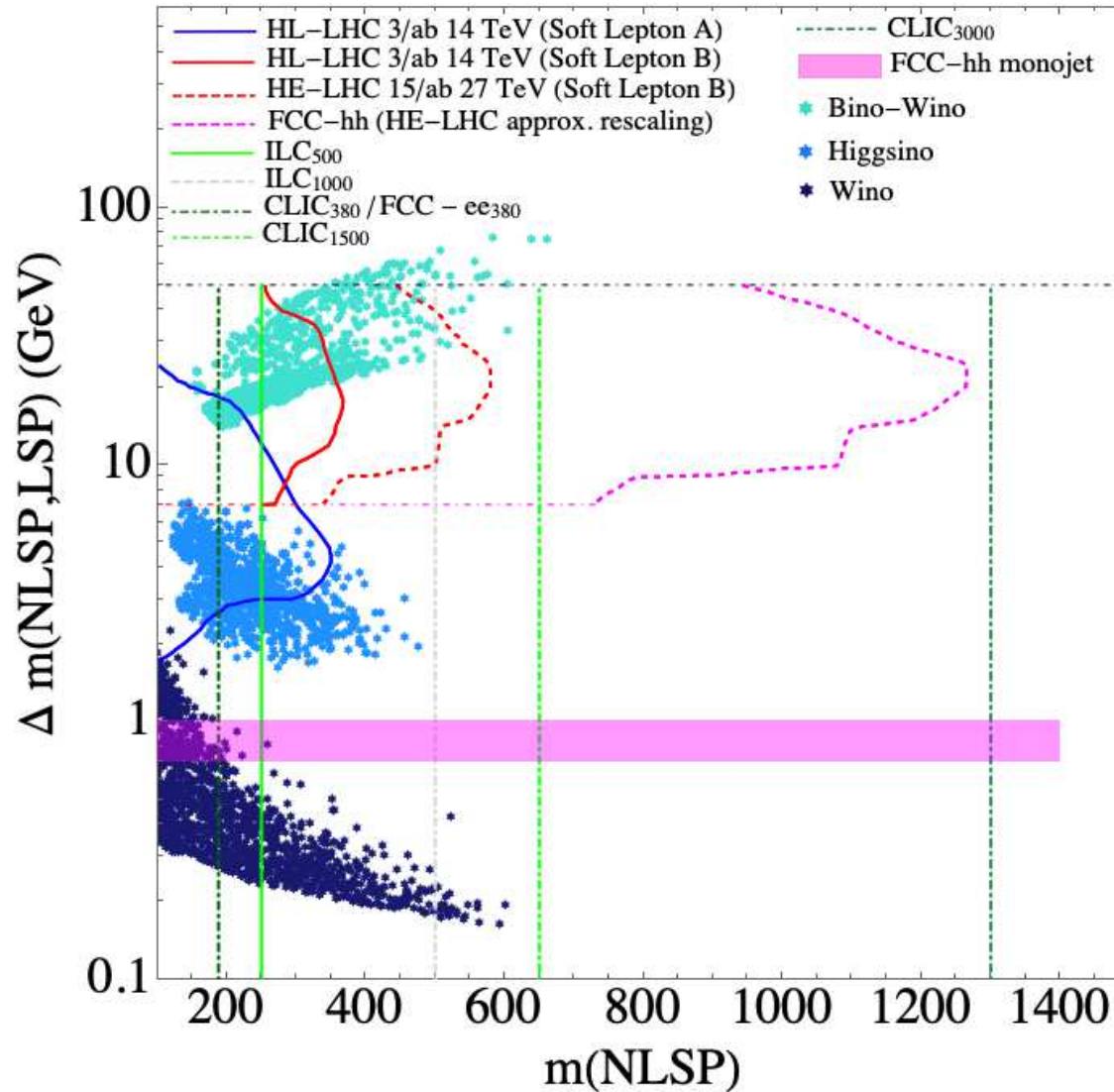


⇒ restrictions still cut away the “good parameter space”

⇒ higgsino(-) does not work (in the MSSM)

Compressed spectra at current and future colliders

Higgsino, wino and bino/wino DM:



⇒ excesses can be covered “in any case” at the ILC500/ILC1000

4. Reconstruction of wino/bino DM

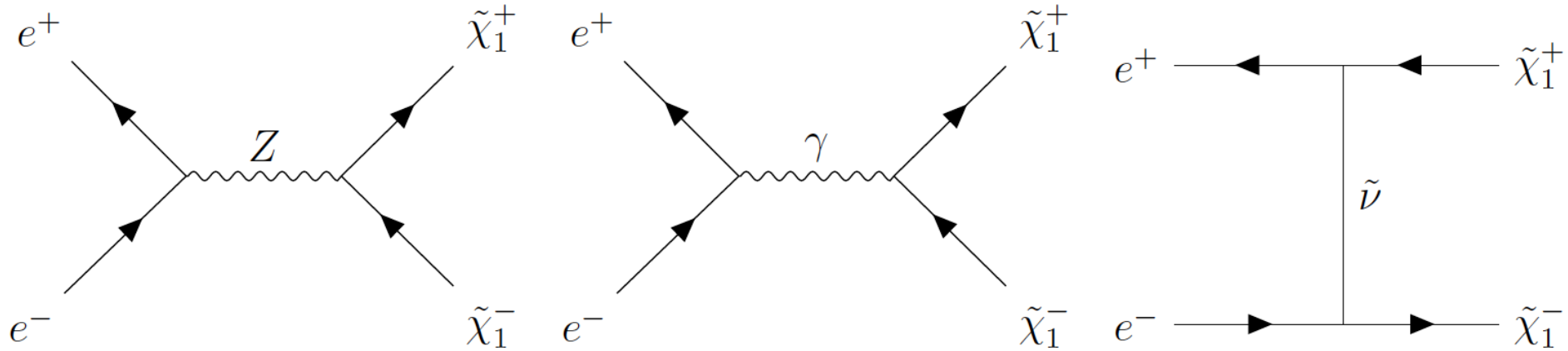
[S.H., F. Lika, G. Moortgat-Pick, PREL.]



The main idea:

1. Assume that (low-mass) **wino-bino DM** ($\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ -coannihilation) is realized:
 $M_1 \lesssim M_2 \ll \mu$ (but for now $M_1 \times \mu > 0$).
2. At the **ILC500** we measure $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$, $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$ and $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_1^\mp)$.
XS measurement with **two (good) polarizations** and at $\sqrt{s} = 400, 500$ GeV.
3. This allows (in principle) to **reconstruct** $M_1, M_2, \mu, m_{\tilde{\nu}_e}, \dots$ –
with uncertainties.
 $\tan\beta$ assumed to be roughly known from other measurements.
4. With these parameters $\Omega_\chi h^2$ can be calculated – **with uncertainties**.
5. **Comparison** of $\Omega_\chi h^2$ with astrophysically measured value constitutes
an **important test of the model**.

The Feynman diagrams:

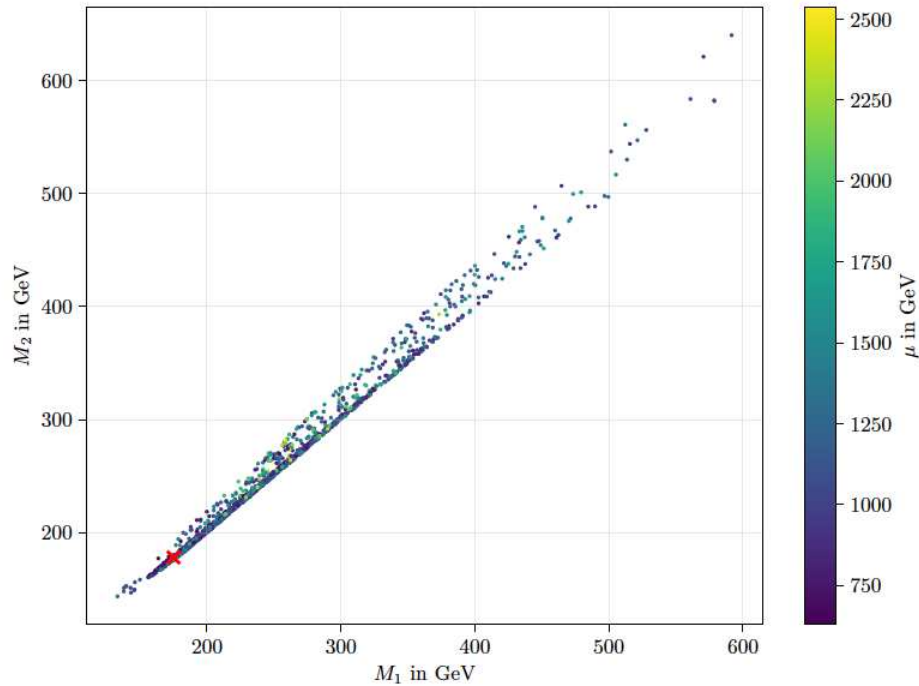


$\Rightarrow m_{\tilde{\nu}_e}$ enters

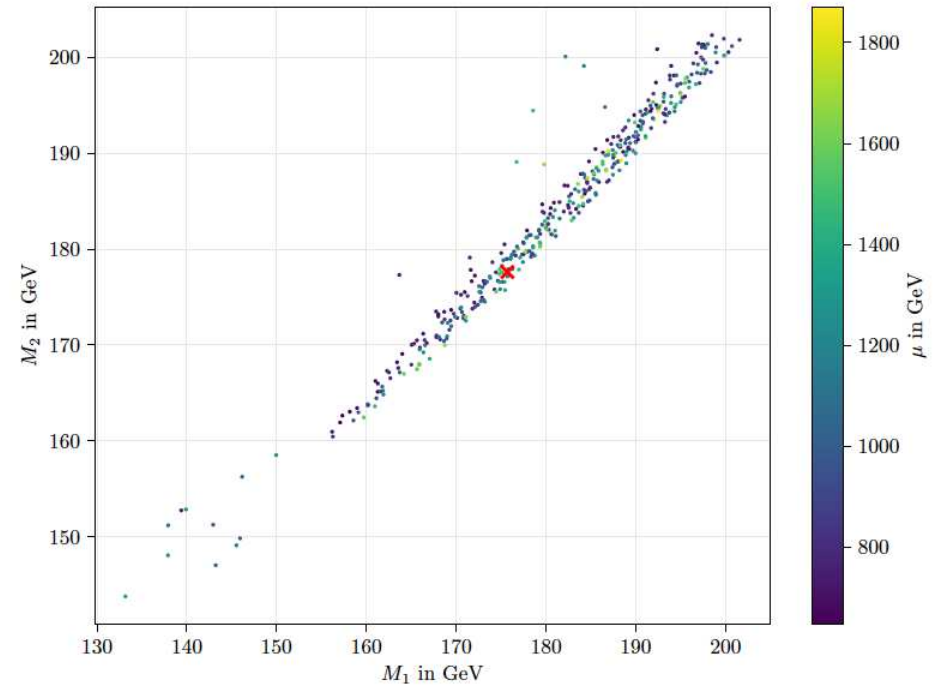
- so far tree-level analysis
- to be repeated including full one-loop corrections
- more involved parameter dependences

The parameter points:

full (original) set



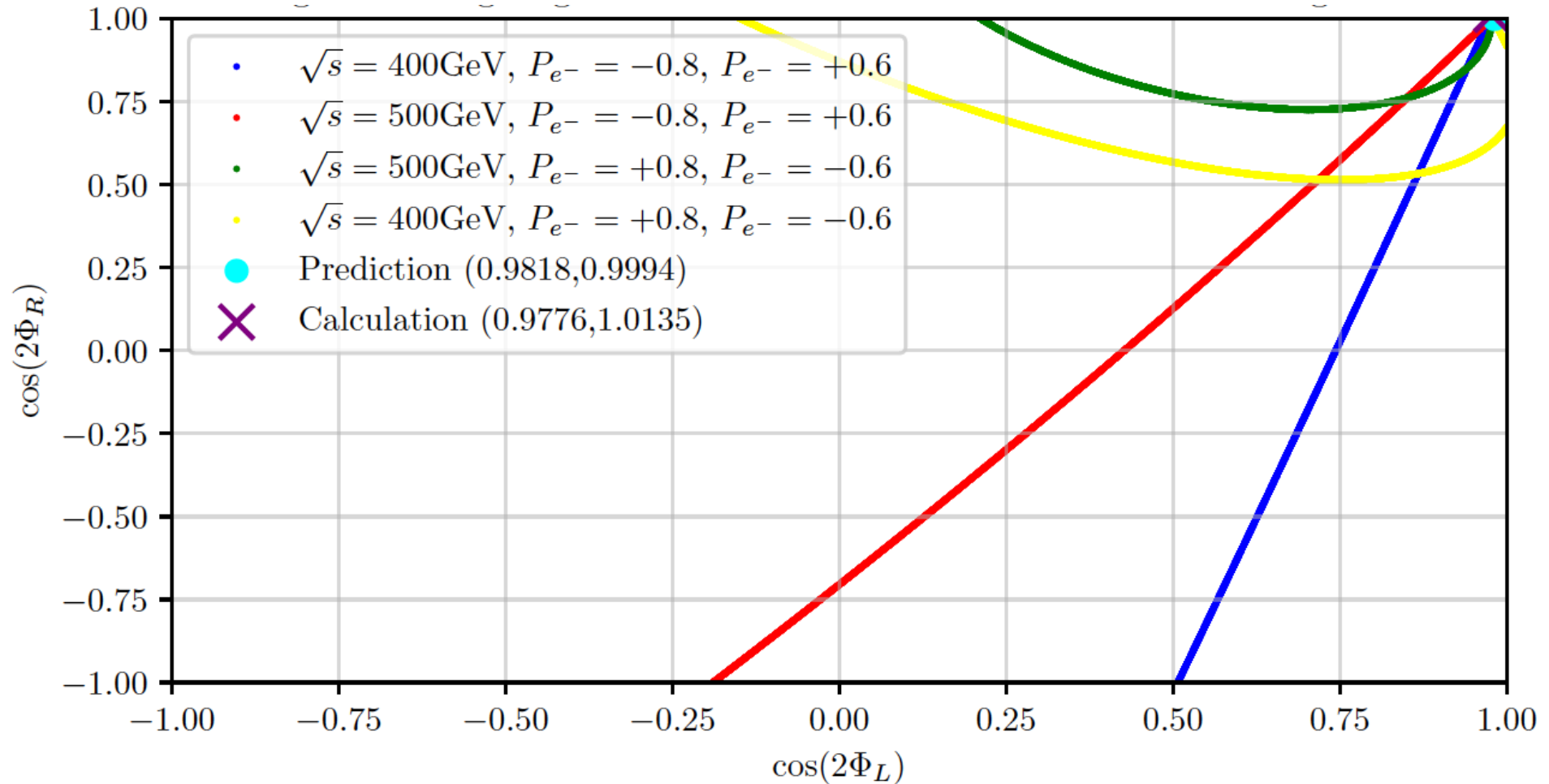
accessible set



⇒ only lower masses accessible

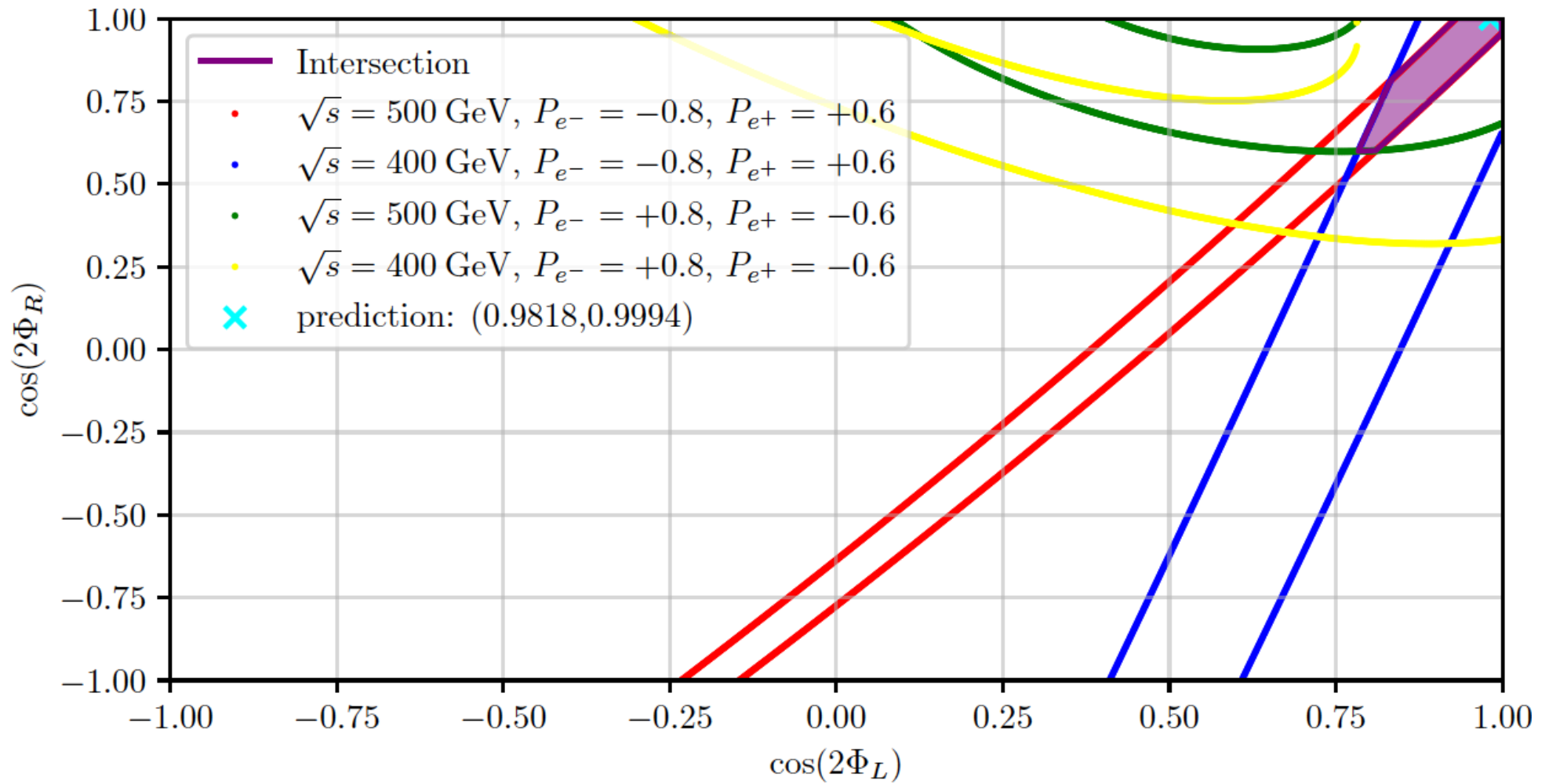
⇒ interesting points corresponding to the excesses covered ...
(red star: example point)

Ellipses of four XS measurements:



⇒ four ellipses must meet – and they do!

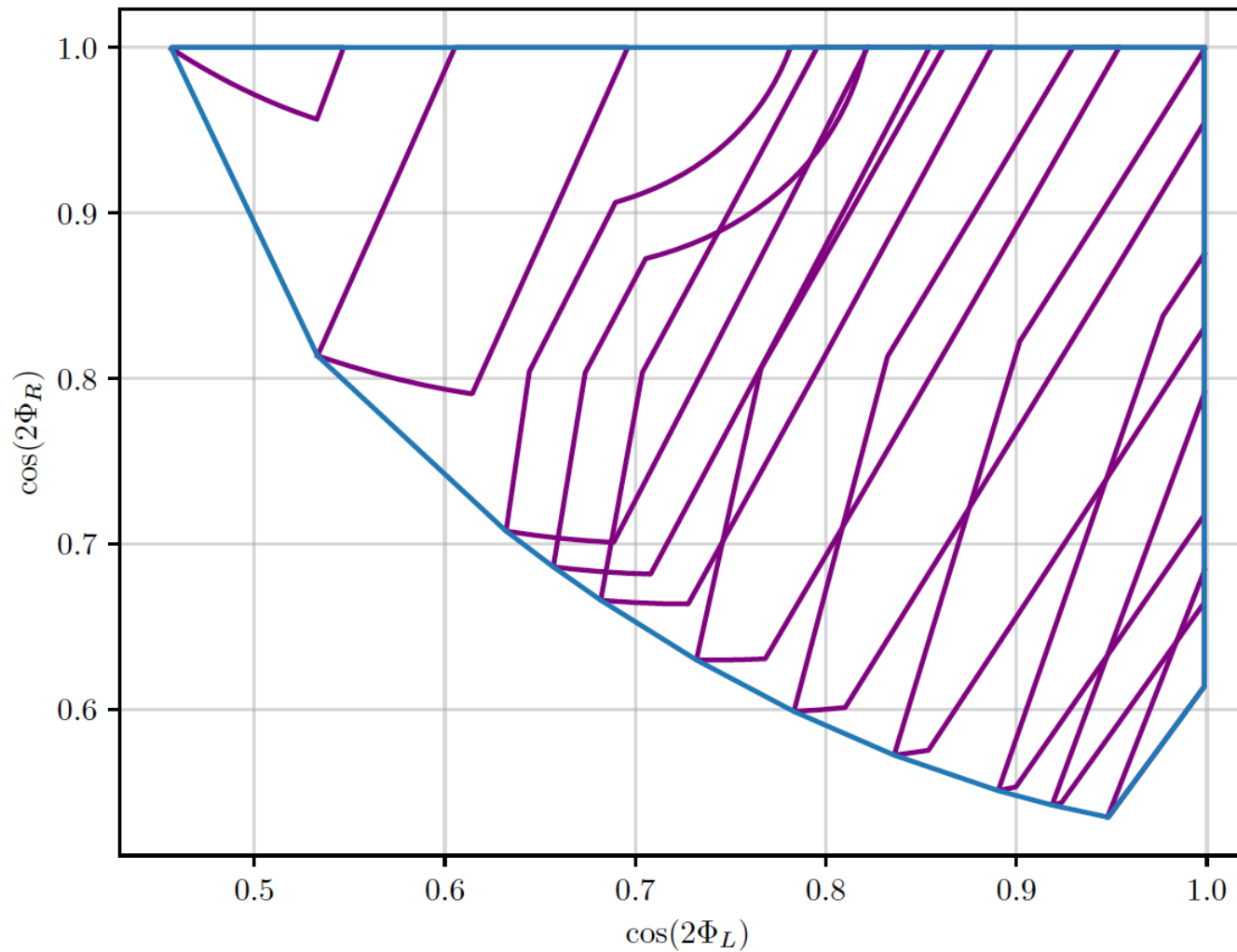
Ellipses of four XS measurements with uncertainties:



⇒ uncertainties lead to overlap region

So far used: correct, but unknown $m_{\tilde{\nu}_e}$ (too heavy for ILC500)

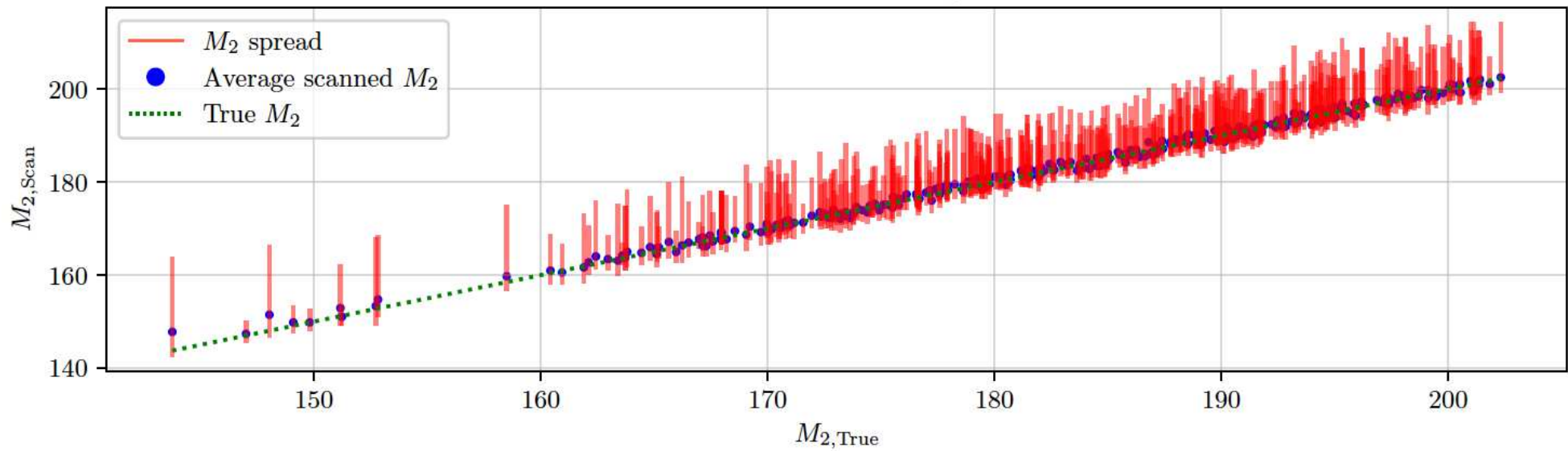
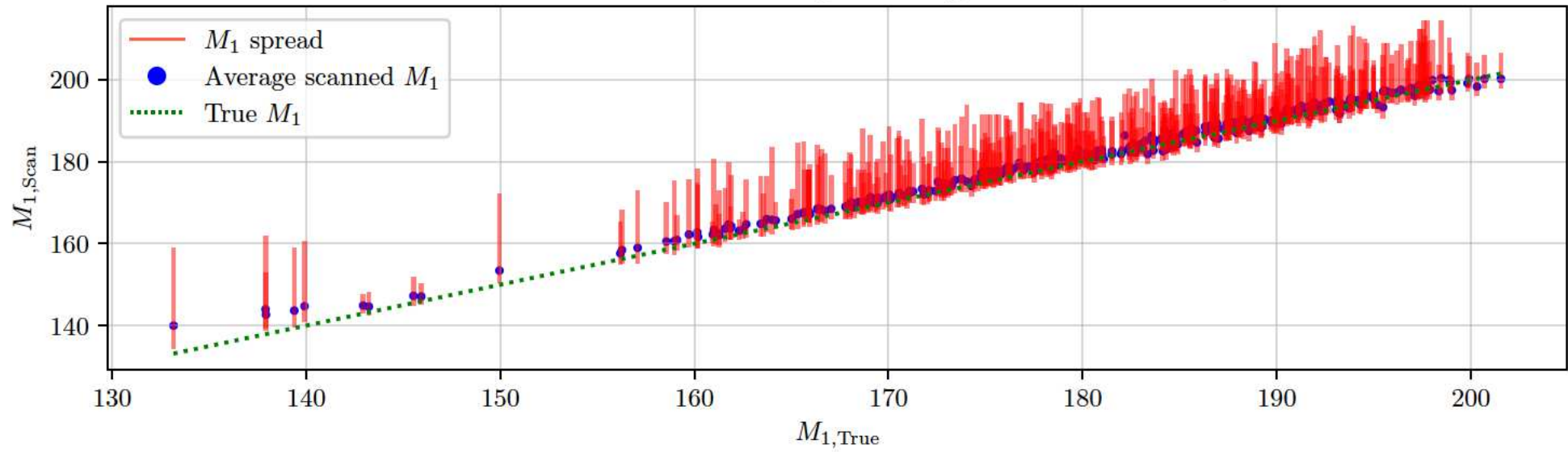
Variation of $m_{\tilde{\nu}_e}$:



⇒ overlap region smeared out

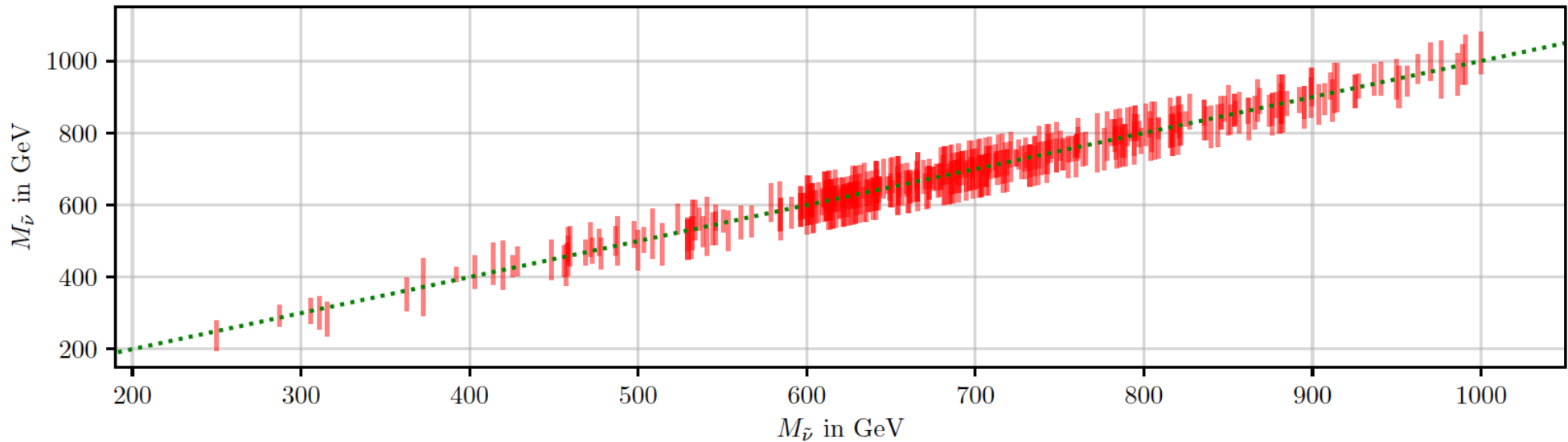
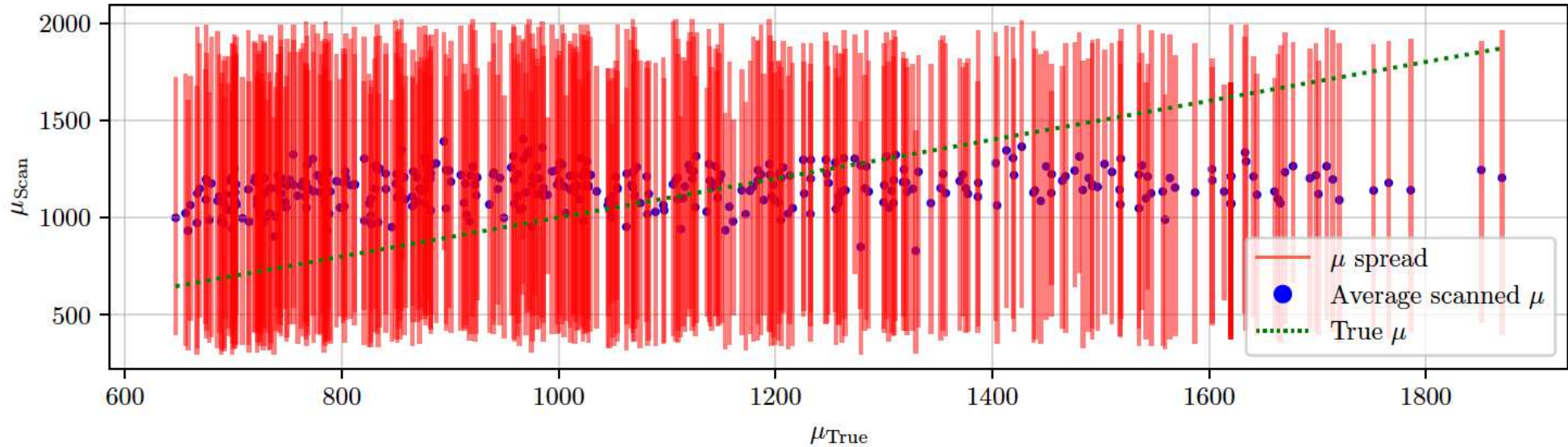
⇒ indirect determination of $m_{\tilde{\nu}_e}$ (within $\lesssim \pm 100$ GeV)

Reconstruction of M_1 and M_2 :



⇒ good reconstructions possible

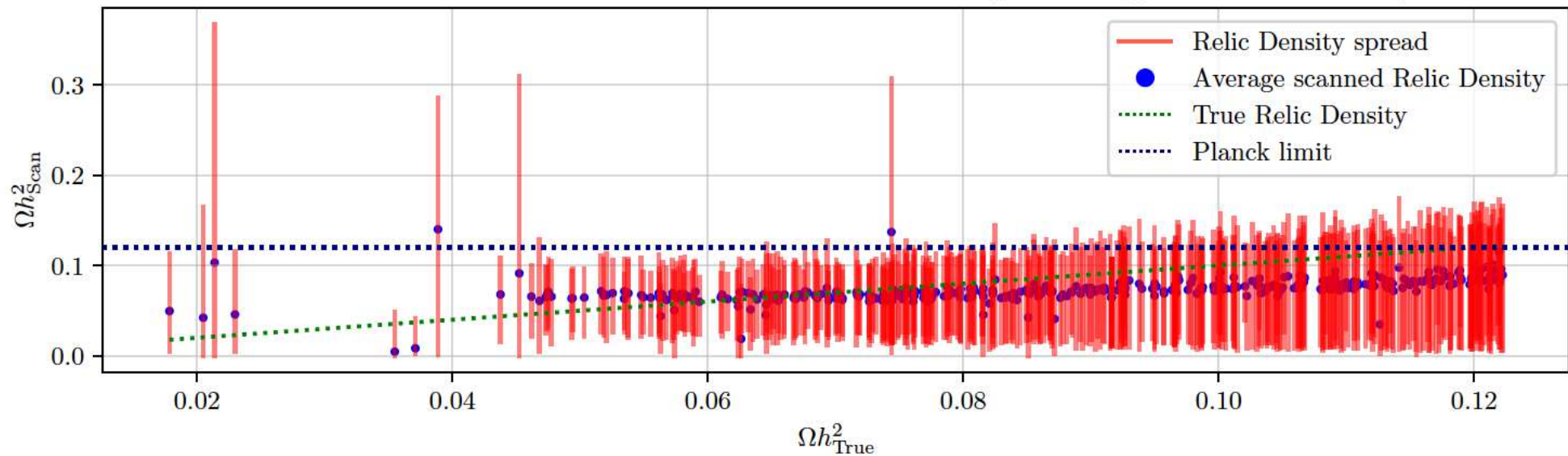
Reconstruction of μ and $m_{\tilde{\nu}_e}$:



⇒ bad reconstruction of μ , good reconstruction of $m_{\tilde{\nu}_e}$

⇒ no problem, since μ is not very relevant in this scenario

Reconstruction of $\Omega_\chi h^2$:



⇒ often large uncertainties - but not too bad either

⇒ reason: experimental uncertainties in M_1 and M_2

⇒ possible improvement: optimized \sqrt{s}

5. Conclusinos

- For the first time **consistent excesses** in ATLAS and CMS in SUSY **searches** have been observed.
- $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 Z^* \tilde{\chi}_1^0 W^*$
with $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0} \approx m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm} \gtrsim 250$ GeV, $\Delta m := m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0} - m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} \approx 20$ GeV
- Best-fit explanation in the **MSSM**: wino/bino DM with $M_1 \times \mu < 0$

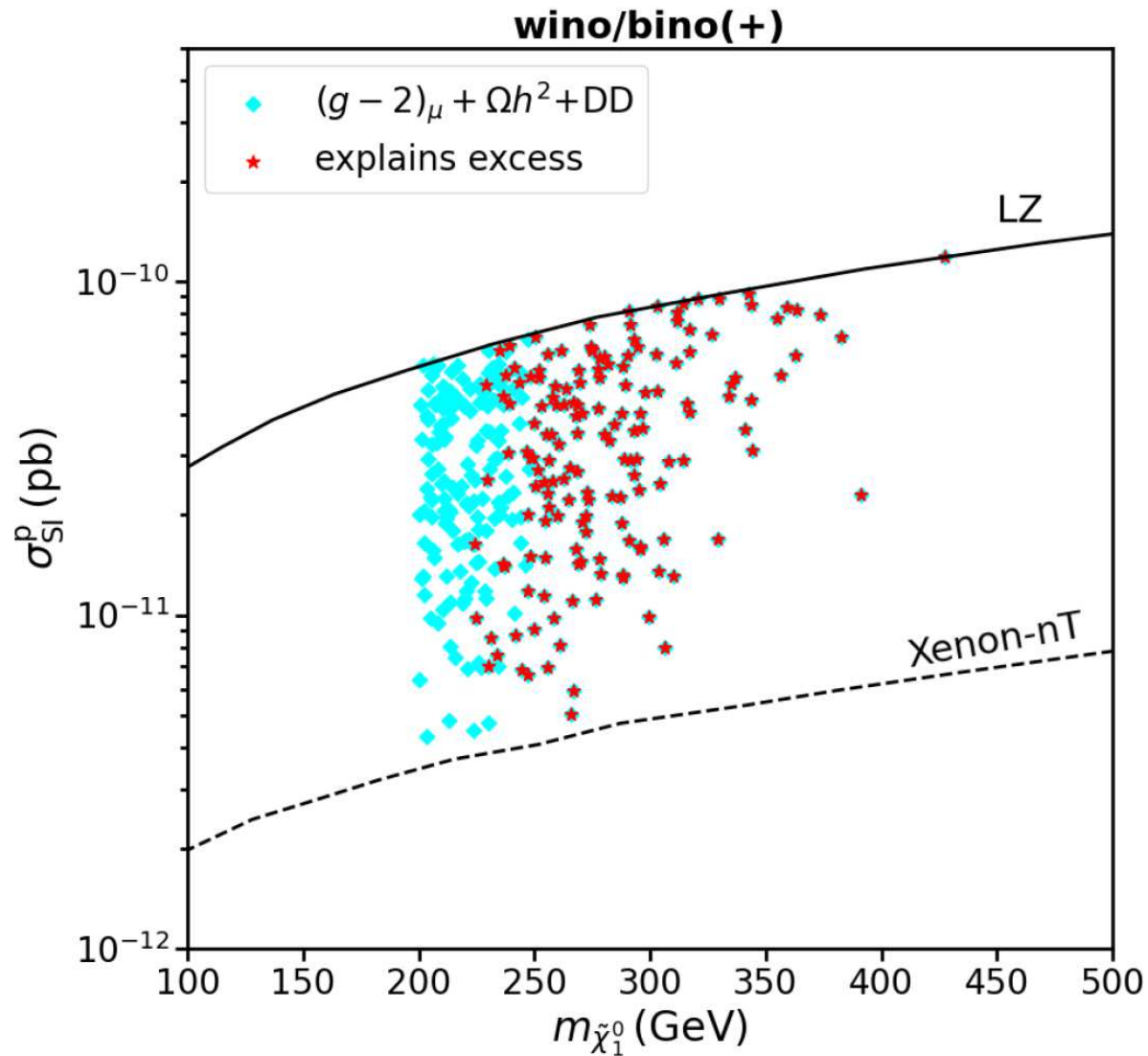
Nearly ideal situation for ILC500(+): parameter space covered

- $\Omega_\chi h^2$ reconstruction at ILC500:
 - scenario: **wino/bino DM** with $M_1 \times \mu > 0$
 - measurement of $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}, m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$ and $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \tilde{\chi}_1^\mp)$
 - XS measurement with **two polarizations** and at $\sqrt{s} = 400, 500$ GeV
 - reconstruction of $M_1, M_2, \mu, m_{\tilde{\nu}_e}$ (ind.!), ... – **with uncertainties**
 - calculation of $\Omega_\chi h^2$ – **with uncertainties**
 - ⇒ **“agreement”** with astrophysical measurement



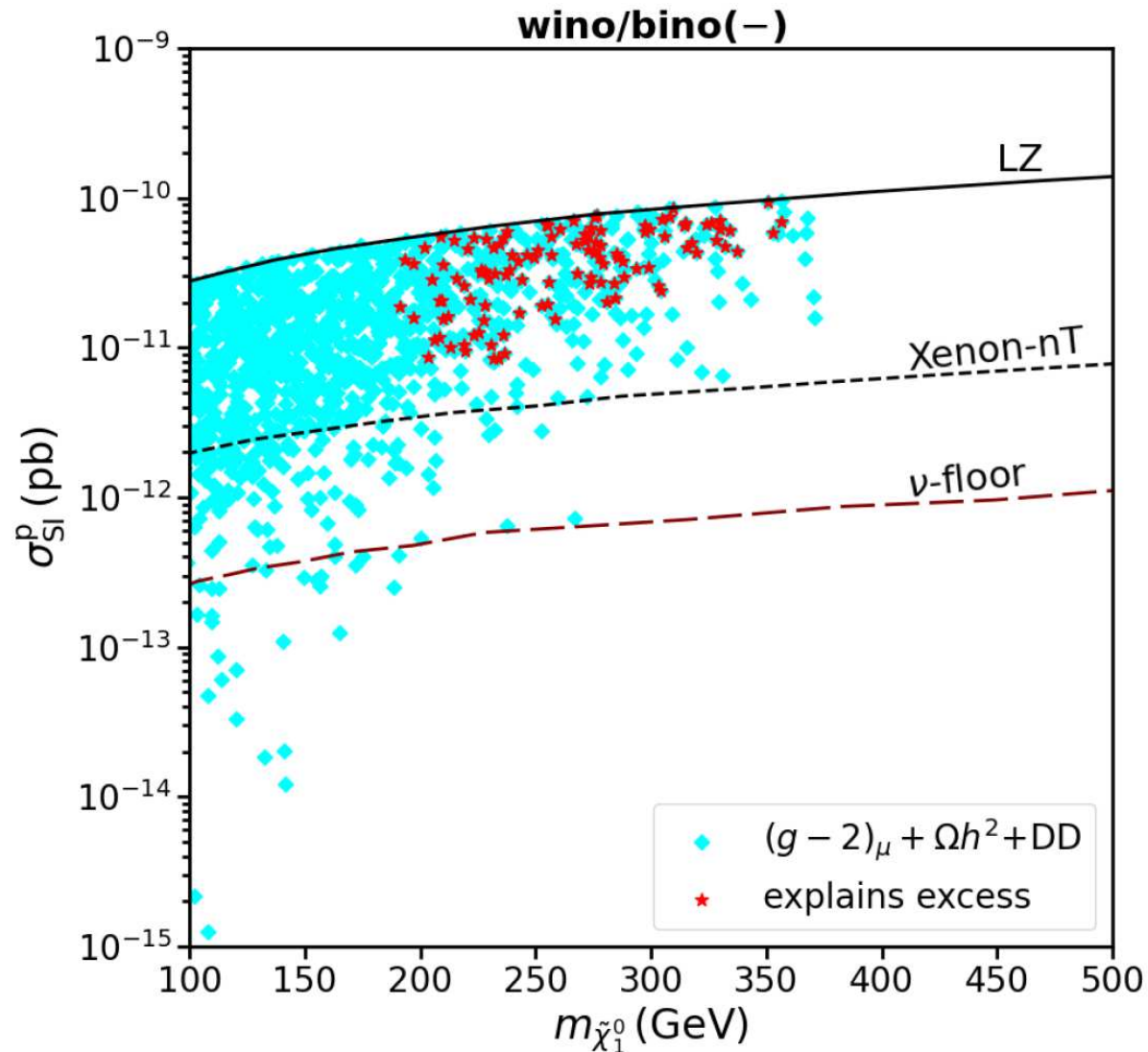
Further Questions?

wino/bino(+): direct detection prospects:



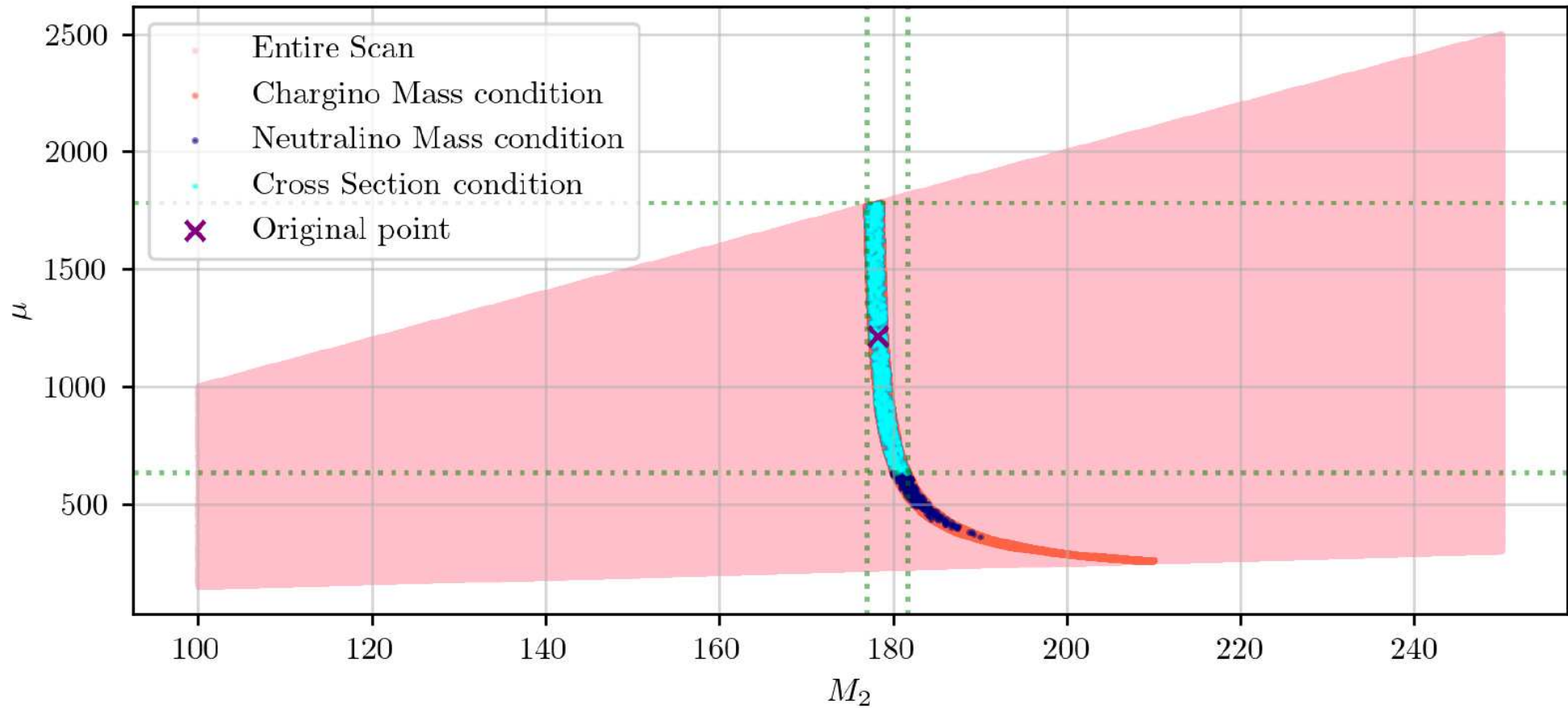
\Rightarrow wino/bino(+)/ $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ co-annihilation will be covered by XENON-nT/LZ

wino/bino(-): direct detection prospects:



\Rightarrow wino/bino(-)/ $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$ co-annihilation will be covered by XENON-nT/LZ
 \Rightarrow low mass points now excluded \Rightarrow would have been a problem for DD

MSSM parameter determination:



- XS measurement very important
- M_2 well determined
- μ poorly determined (not very relevant in this scenario)