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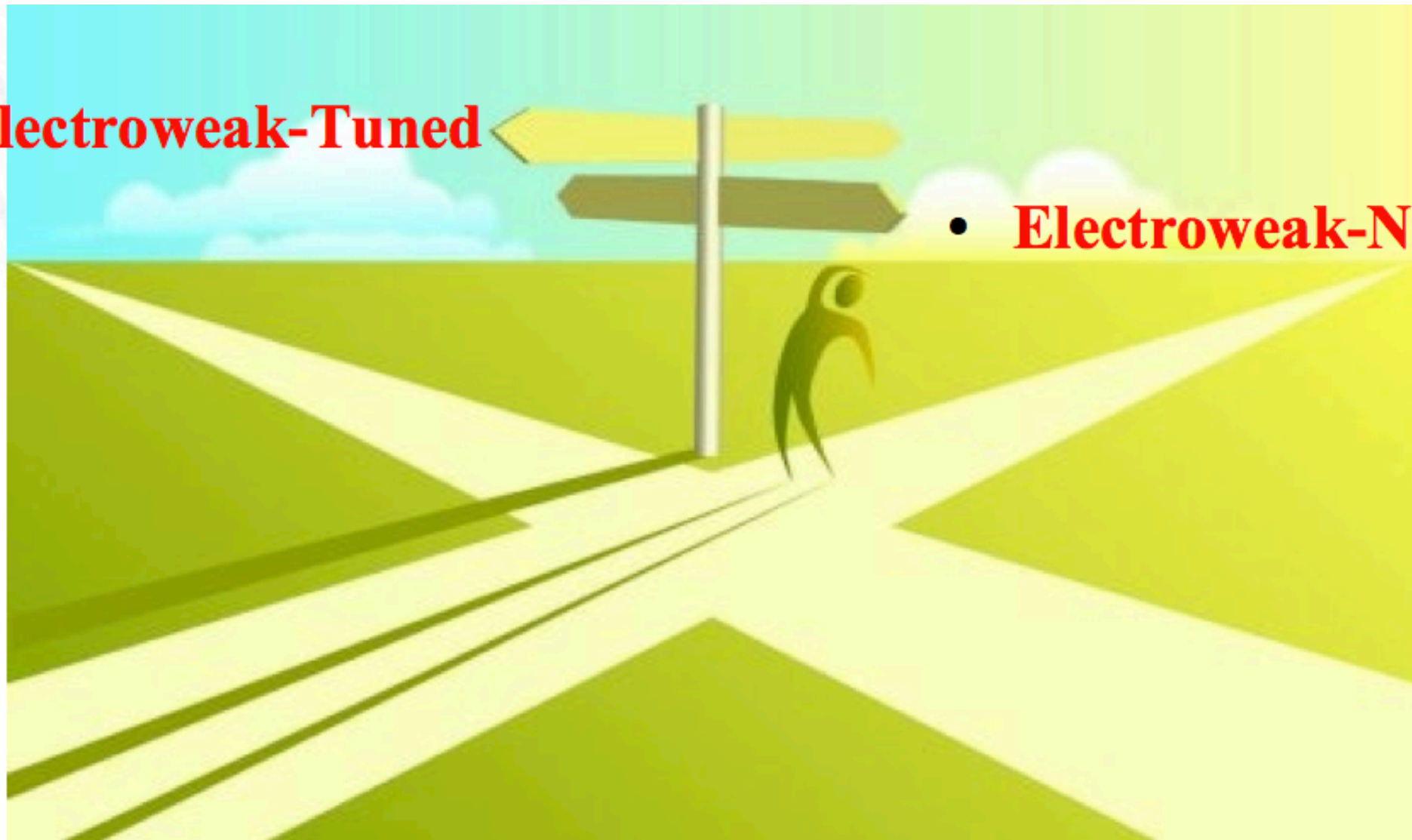
# R symmetry as the lepton number

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# LHC will finally reveal whether or not the electroweak scale is tuned

- **Electroweak-Tuned**

- **Electroweak-Natural**



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the MSSM soft terms!**

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Degenerate squarks and sleptons masses

Lepton and baryon number are not accidental symmetries

## Proton instability!

Typical solution:

impose a discrete symmetry called R parity

$$R = (-1)^{3B+L+2s}$$

SM particle even under R parity

SUSY partners odd under it

Lightest SUSY particle possible dark matter candidate!



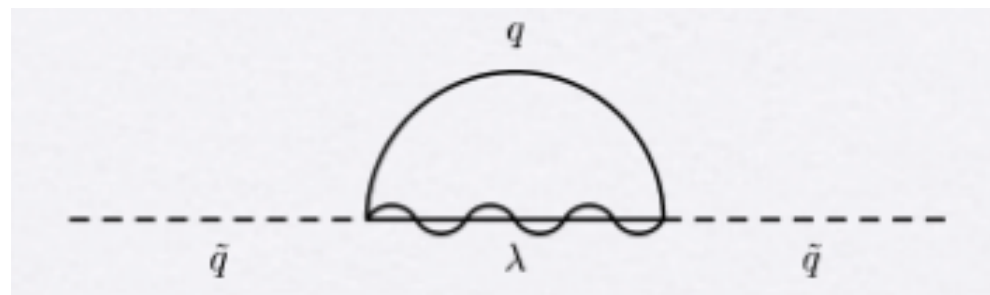
Missing energy signals

# SUSY searches at the LHC

no hints of SUSY so far!

- Gluinos and degenerate squarks reached the TeV threshold
- To save naturalness: 1st and 2nd generation heavy
- 3rd generation squark can still be light (?)

..heavy gluino is already in tension with naturalness



log divergent contributions  
to scalar masses

# Lesson from the LHC SUSY searches

SUSY will not show itself in its simplest form

Need to explore different SUSY scenarios/  
SUSY breaking mediation mechanism

- flavorful SUSY breaking mediation ( to produce minimal natural spectrum)
- hadronic RPV
- stealth supersymmetry
- Dirac gauginos

# Dirac gauginos

New Adjoints superfields for each SM gauge group

$$\psi_{\tilde{B}} \quad \psi_{\tilde{W}} \quad \psi_{\tilde{g}}$$

Supersoft SUSY breaking

$$\int \frac{d^2\theta}{M} W'_\alpha W_i^\alpha \psi_i$$

$$W'_\alpha \sim D\theta_\alpha$$

D term spurion

Fox, Nelson, Weiner, 2002

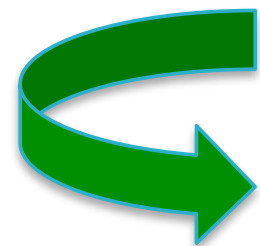
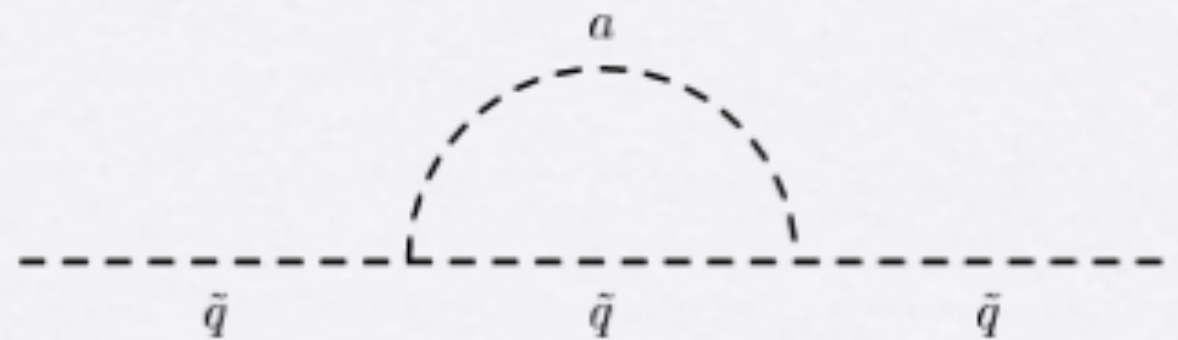
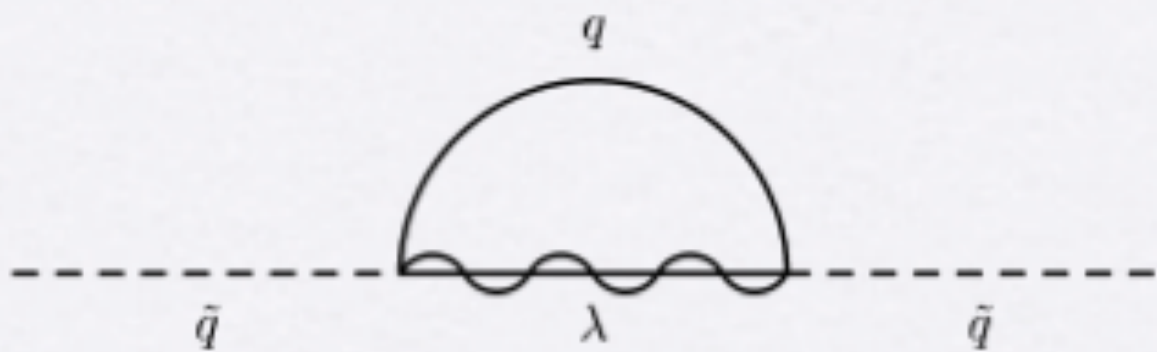
supersoft=no log divergent gauginos contributions to scalar masses



# Supersoftness

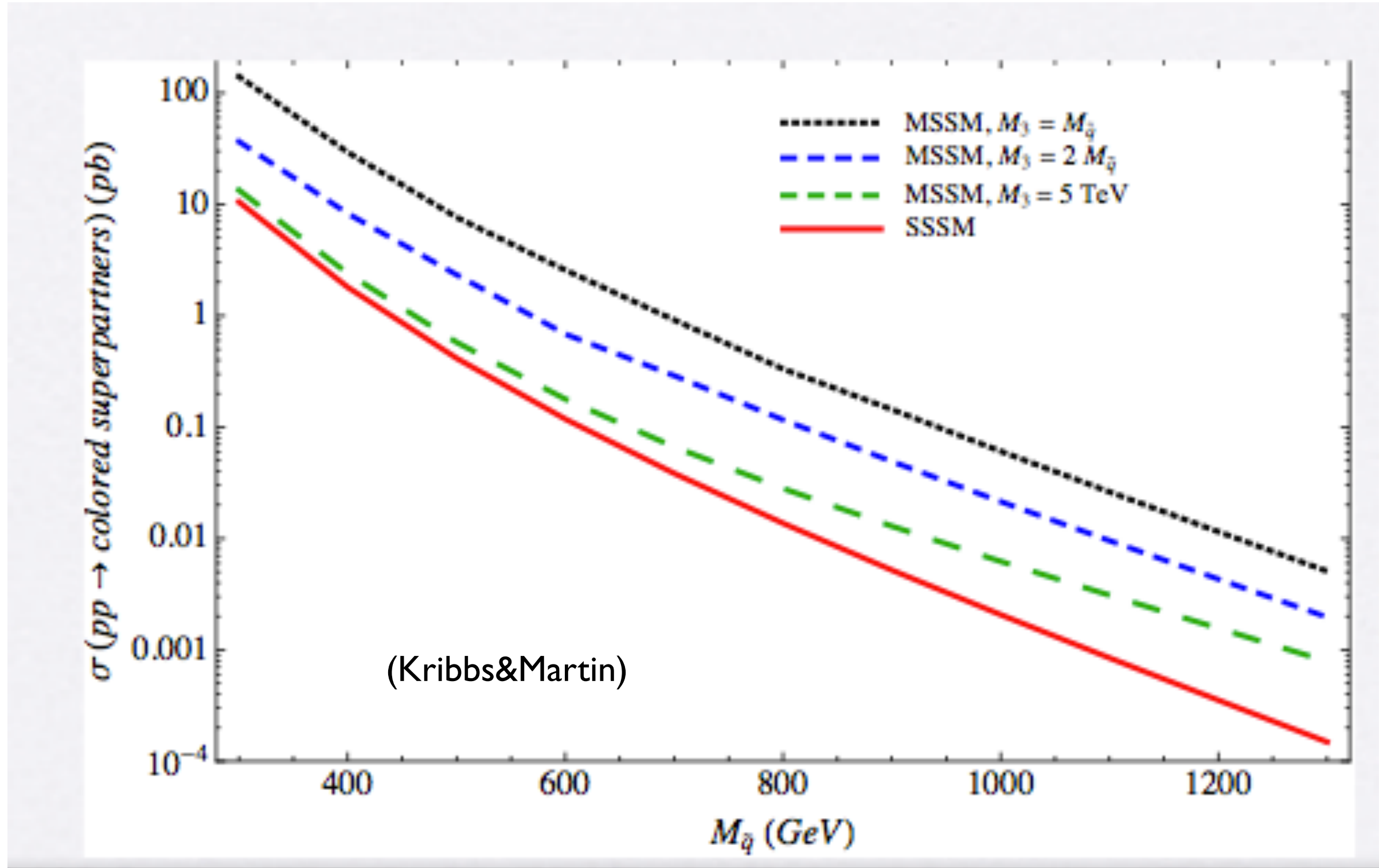
No log divergent contributions to the scalar masses

 scalar adjoint



Few TeV Dirac gluinos are natural!

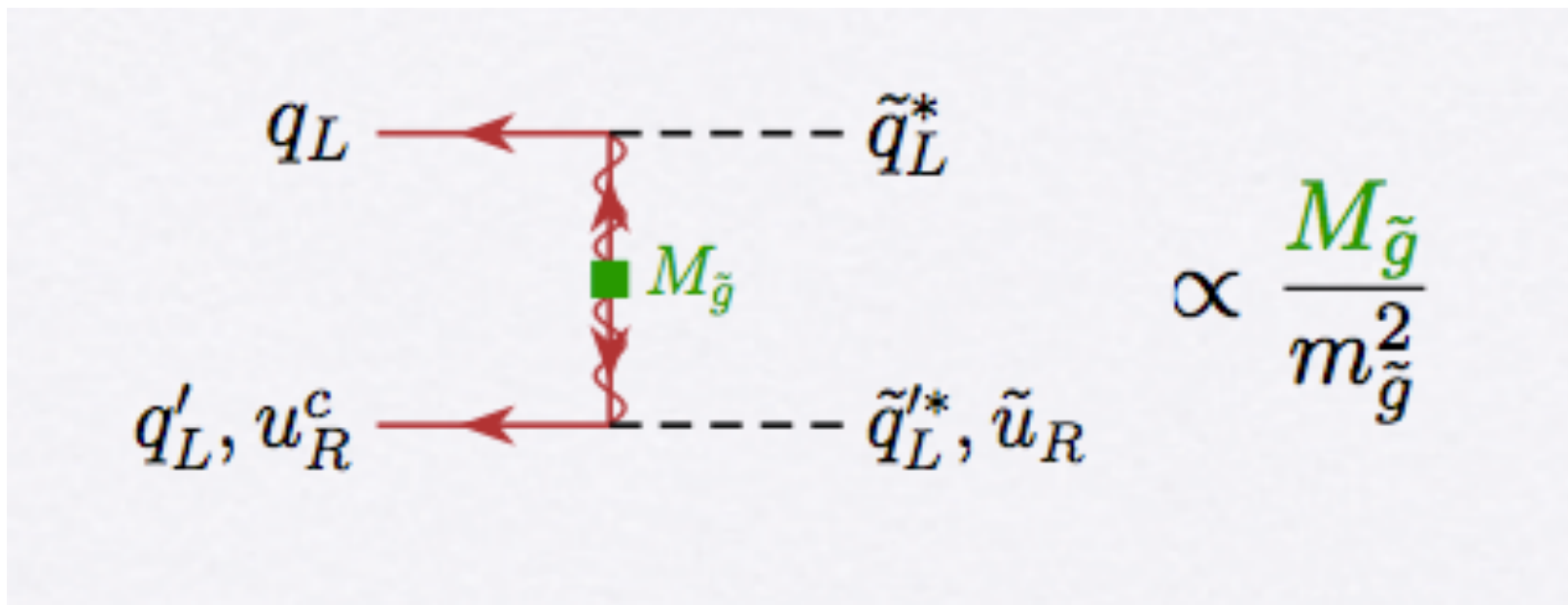
# Smaller squarks productions



1st & 2nd generation bounds lowered, 600-700 GeV

# Smaller squarks cross section

Majorana mass insertion



no  $\tilde{q}\tilde{q}'$  production of same chirality squarks

$$\sigma(qq' \rightarrow \tilde{q}_L \tilde{q}'_L) = \sigma(qq' \rightarrow \tilde{q}_R \tilde{q}'_R) = 0 \quad \& \quad \sigma(q\bar{q}' \rightarrow \tilde{q}_L \tilde{q}'_R^*) = 0$$

$$\sigma_{\text{Dirac}}^{\text{Tot}}(\tilde{q}\tilde{g}) = \sigma_{\text{Majorana}}^{\text{Tot}}(\tilde{q}\tilde{g})$$

$$\sigma_{\text{Dirac}}^{\text{Tot}}(gg \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}) = \mathbf{2} \sigma_{\text{Majorana}}^{\text{Tot}}(gg \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g})$$

# $U(1)_R$ symmetry

it acts differently on the bosonic and on the fermionic component of a superfield

chiral superfield  $R$

scalar component  $R$

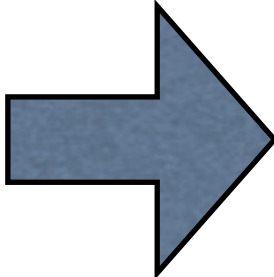
fermionic component  $R-1$

vector superfield  $R=0$

gauge boson  $R=0$

gaugino  $R=1$

# $U(1)_R$ symmetry

- Majorana gaugino masses
- Trilinear scalar interaction  no left right mixing
- Standard mu term



Larger flavor and CP violation  
compatible with experimental bounds

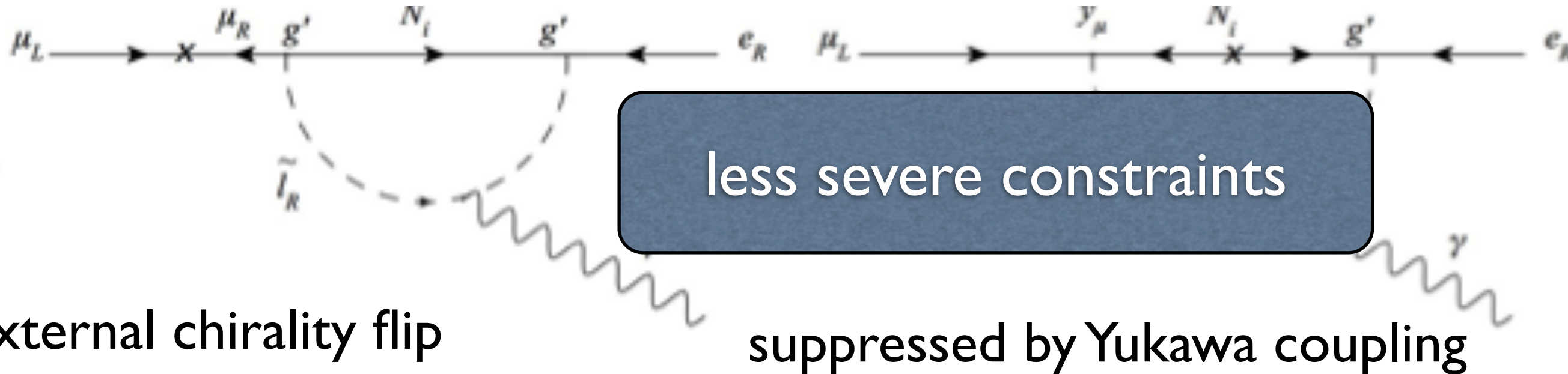
Kribbs, Poppitz, Weiner 07

# R symmetry and Flavor

Most of the SUSY flavor problem arise from R violating interactions

e.g.  $\mu \rightarrow e \gamma$

no chirality flip from Majorana mass insertion or  $\mu$  term



external chirality flip

suppressed by Yukawa coupling

less severe constraints

Larger squark and slepton mixing  
allowed in R symmetric models

Flavor universality in danger  
from the LHC searches

might be easier to build UV completion for LHC viable  
spectrum

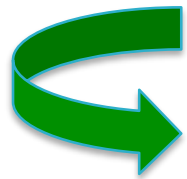
# MRSSM

Weiner, Poppitz & Kribbs '07

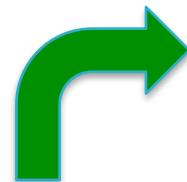
(Minimal R symmetry SUSY extension of the SM)

Standard R charge assignment:  
all SM particles are neutral under it  
all the BSM are charged under it

Enlarged Higgs sector,  
two new doublets  $R_u$   $R_d$



Adjoint superfields to  
have Dirac gauginos



SuperField	R-charge
$H_u$	0
$H_d$	0
$R_u$	2
$R_d$	2
$\psi_{\tilde{W}}$	0
$\psi_{\tilde{B}}$	0
$\psi_{\tilde{G}}$	0



# Enlarged Higgs sector

$$R(H_u) = R(H_d) = 0$$

$\mu H_u H_d$  forbidden by the R symmetry

MRSSM solution: add to extra inert doublets

$$\mu_1 H_u R_d + \mu_2 R_u H_d$$

Is the MRSSM the minimal model?

# More minimal models

Just two Higgs doublets model as in the MSSM if..

- One Higgs doublet model,  
Davies, March-Russell, McCulloch
- Sneutrino as the down type Higgs,  
CF&T, Grègoire

even more minimal model

The sneutrino is the only Higgs!

Biggio, Pomarol, Riva  
2012

# R symmetry as the lepton number

# Non standard R symmetries

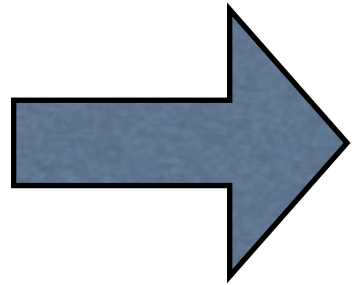
	$Q_i$	$U_i^c$	$D_i^c$	$L_i$	$E_i^c$	$H_u$	$H_d$	$R_u$	$R_d$	$S$	$T$	$O$
$U(1)_{R_1=R_0-L}$	1	1	1	0	2	0	0	2	2	0	0	0
$U(1)_{R_2=R_0+B}$	4/3	2/3	2/3	1	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	0
$U(1)_{R_3=R_0+L}$	1	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0



They all guarantee proton stability

if the R symmetry is the lepton number then

The sneutrino does not carry  
R charge/lepton number

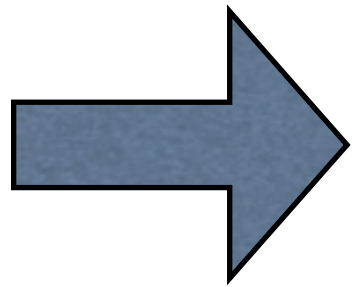


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Sneutrino can play the role of the down type  
Higgs  $H_d$

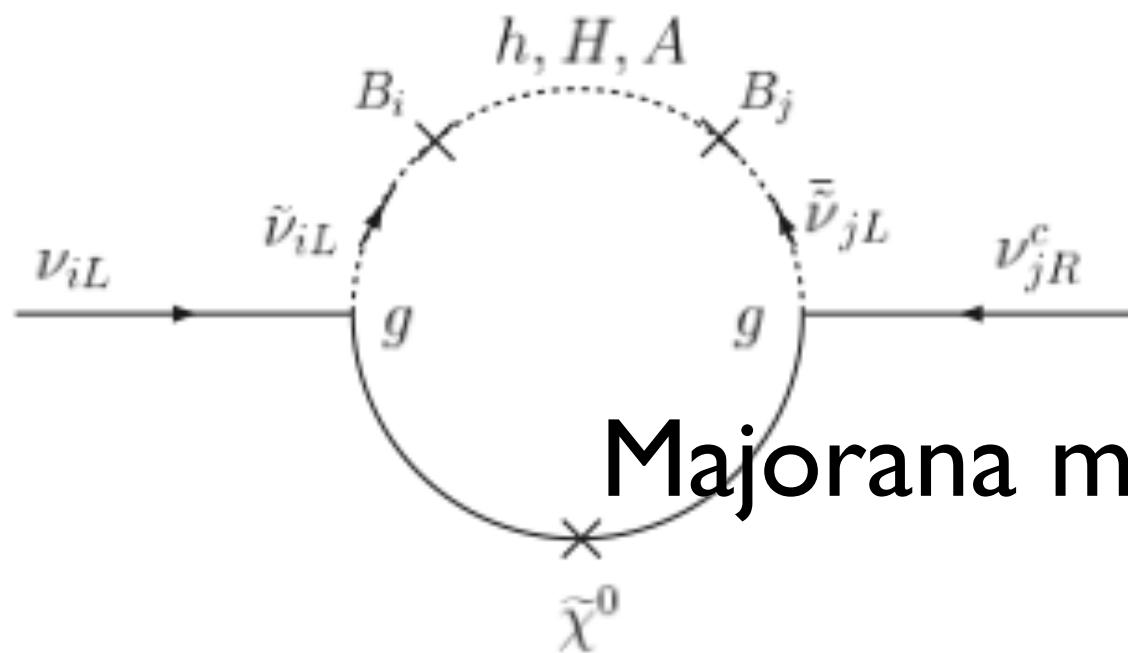
More minimal particle content than in the MRSSM  
two higgs doublets instead of four!

# Large sneutrino vev

$B_i h_u \tilde{l}_i$  bilinear RPV



In the MSSM neutrino mass at one loop



Majorana mass insertion necessary!



No neutrino mass generated in our case!

# Bounds on the sneutrino vev

Leptons as the lightest charginos and neutralinos

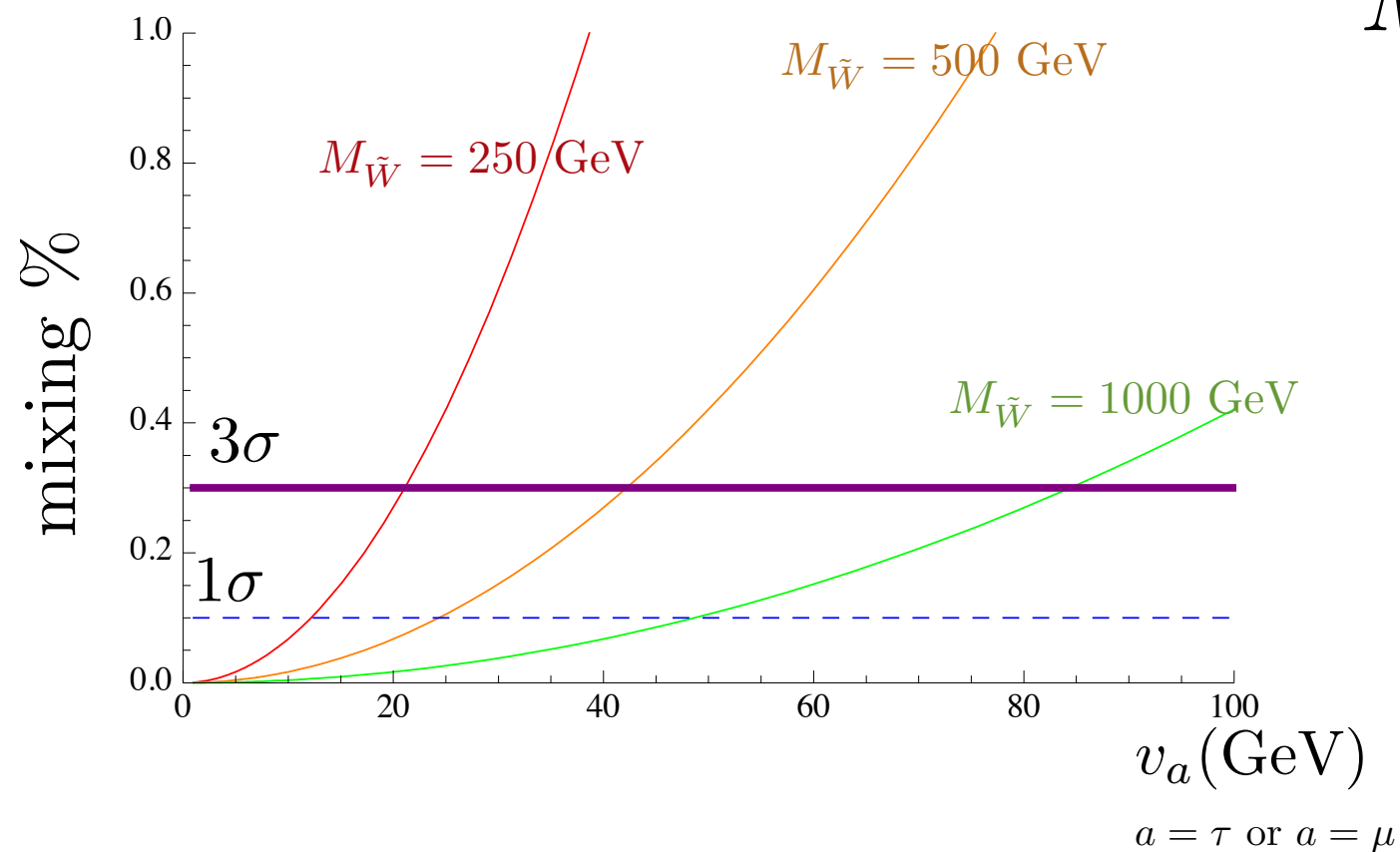
$$l'_a{}^\pm = \cos \phi l_a^\pm + \sin \phi \psi_{\tilde{W}}^\pm,$$

$$\nu'_a = c_\nu \nu_a + c_{\tilde{B}} \psi_{\tilde{B}} + c_{\tilde{W}} \psi_{\tilde{W}},$$

$$a = e, \mu, \tau$$

Constraints from gauge bosons coupling to leptons

Tau/muon mixing



$$\frac{g\nu_a}{M_{\tilde{W}}} \longrightarrow \text{mixing}$$

Heavier wino larger sneutrino Vev

no stringent bounds from lepton universality violation



# More minimal particle content

single vev basis: just one sneutrino acquires vev

$$H_d \rightarrow L_a$$

$a = e$  or  $\mu$  or  $\tau$



higgsino mass

$$W = y_u \bar{u} Q H_u - y_d \bar{d} Q L_a - y_l l^c L L_a + \boxed{\mu H_u R_d}$$

$$R(H_u) = 0 \quad R(R_d) = 2 \text{ inert doublet}$$

Minimal particle content just two higgs doublets!

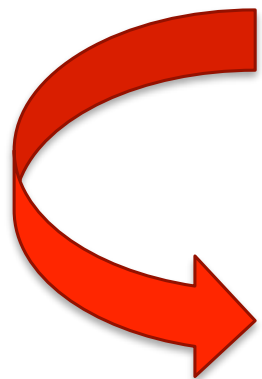
# Trilinear RPV

$$W_{Yukawa} = y_b^a L_a L_b e_b^c + y_c^a L_a L_c e_c^c + y_{di}^a L_a Q_i d_i^c,$$

down type Yukawa couplings RPV couplings

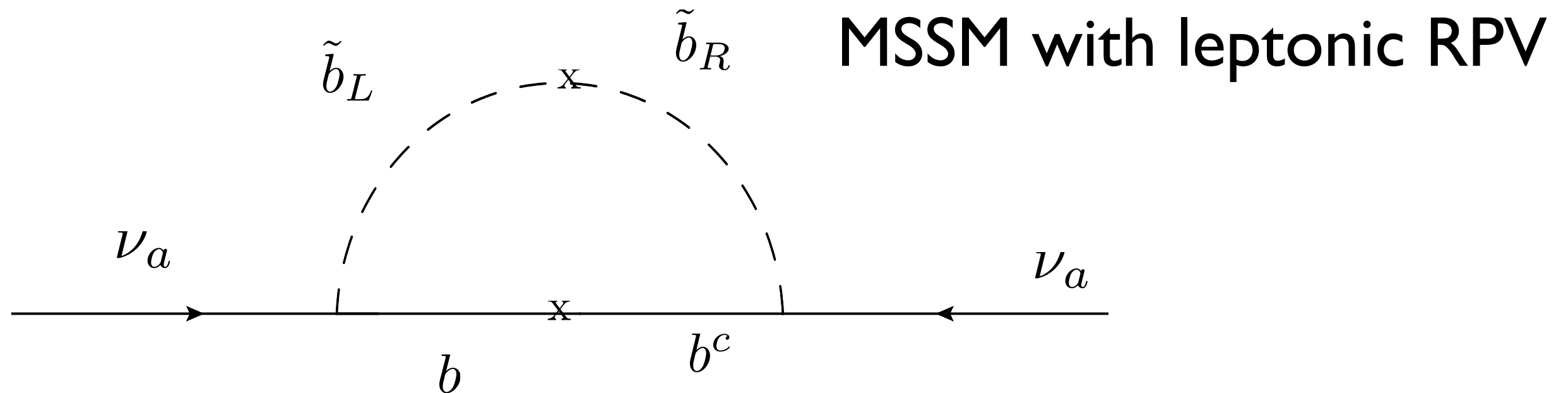
$$W_{trilinear} = \sum_{i=a,b,c} \lambda_{bci} L_b L_c e_i^c + \sum_{ij} (\lambda'_{bij} L_b Q_i d_j^c + \lambda'_{cij} L_c Q_i d_j^c),$$

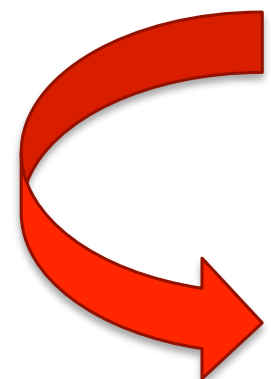
RPV is violated since standard lepton number is violated



but different constraints:  
no bounds from neutrino physics!

# Larger trilinear RPV couplings



 left right mixing

In the R symmetric limit the neutrino remain massless

no neutrino bounds on the trilinear couplings

# Leptoquarks(LQ)

R symmetry  
lepton number  $\lambda'_{i33} \sim 1$  RPV MSSM  $\lambda'_{i33} \sim 10^{-3}$

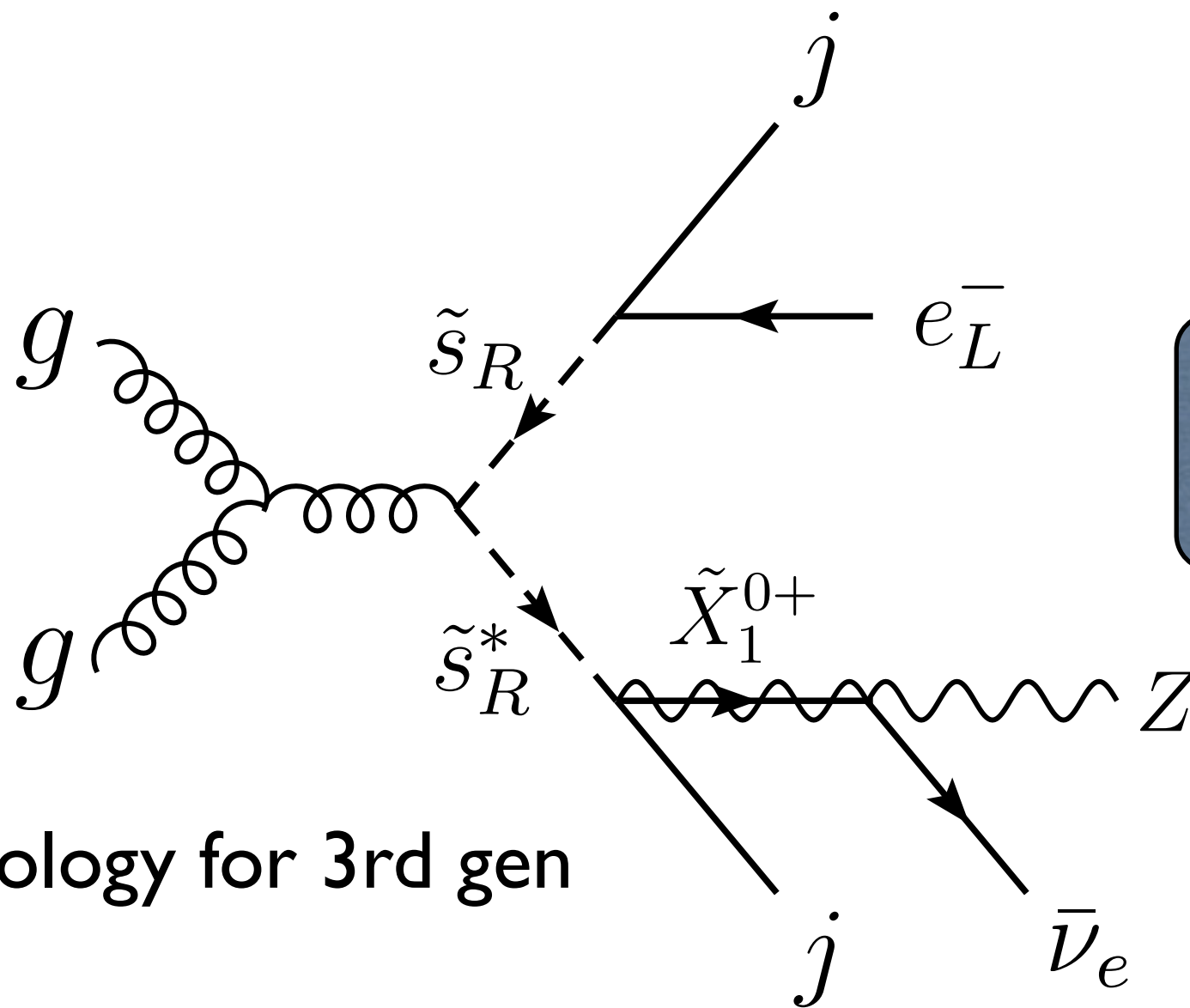
Leptoquarks signals are generic LHC signatures!

sizeable BR for  $\tilde{t}_L \rightarrow bl$   $\tilde{b}_L \rightarrow b\nu$   $\tilde{s}_R \rightarrow lj$

Third generation leptoquarks

# Mixed topologies

$\lambda'$  can 'compete' with gauge or large Yukawa couplings



smoking gun  
signal

same topology for 3rd gen

Different RPV pheno

# LHC PHENO

with T. Grègoire, P. Kumar and E. Pontòn

hep-ph/1210.5257

hep-ph/1210.0541

# Benchmark spectrum

- Heavy gauginos ( $> 1 \text{ TeV}$ )
- electron sneutrino as the down type Higgs
- natural spectrum,  $\mu < 250 \text{ GeV}$
- light sleptons (EW scale)



In our scenario naturalness requires also light sleptons!

typically the higgsino or the sleptons are the LSP

In this talk higgsino LSP

# Neutralinos and charginos

the electron and neutrino of flavor  $a$  mix with  
charginos and neutralinos

$$\tilde{\chi}_i^{0+} = V_{i\tilde{b}}^N \tilde{b} + V_{i\tilde{w}}^N \tilde{w} + V_{id}^N \tilde{h}_d^0, \quad \text{higgsino LSP}$$

$$\tilde{\chi}_i^{0-} = U_{i\tilde{s}}^N \tilde{s} + U_{i\tilde{t}}^N \tilde{T}^0 + U_{iu}^N \tilde{h}_u^0 + U_{i\nu}^N \nu_e,$$

$$\chi_1^0 \rightarrow Z\nu_e$$

$$\chi_1^0 \rightarrow h\nu_e$$

$$\chi_1^0 \rightarrow W e$$

$$\chi_1^\pm \rightarrow W \nu_e$$

prompt decays

In the standard RPV scenarios strong bounds on sneutrino vev  
implies long lived neutralino/chargino or displaced vertex



# 1st & 2nd generation

no significant BR for leptoquark channels

$$\tilde{q} \rightarrow \chi_1^0 q \quad \tilde{q} \rightarrow \chi_1^\pm q'$$

most sensitive search: ATLAS jet+MET 5.8 fb<sup>-1</sup>

multileptons CMS and ATLAS searches

$$\chi_1^0 \rightarrow W e$$

## Mass bound around 550-650 GeV

still room for a rich subTeV LHC pheno!

# 3rd generation

## Leptoquark (LQ) signal

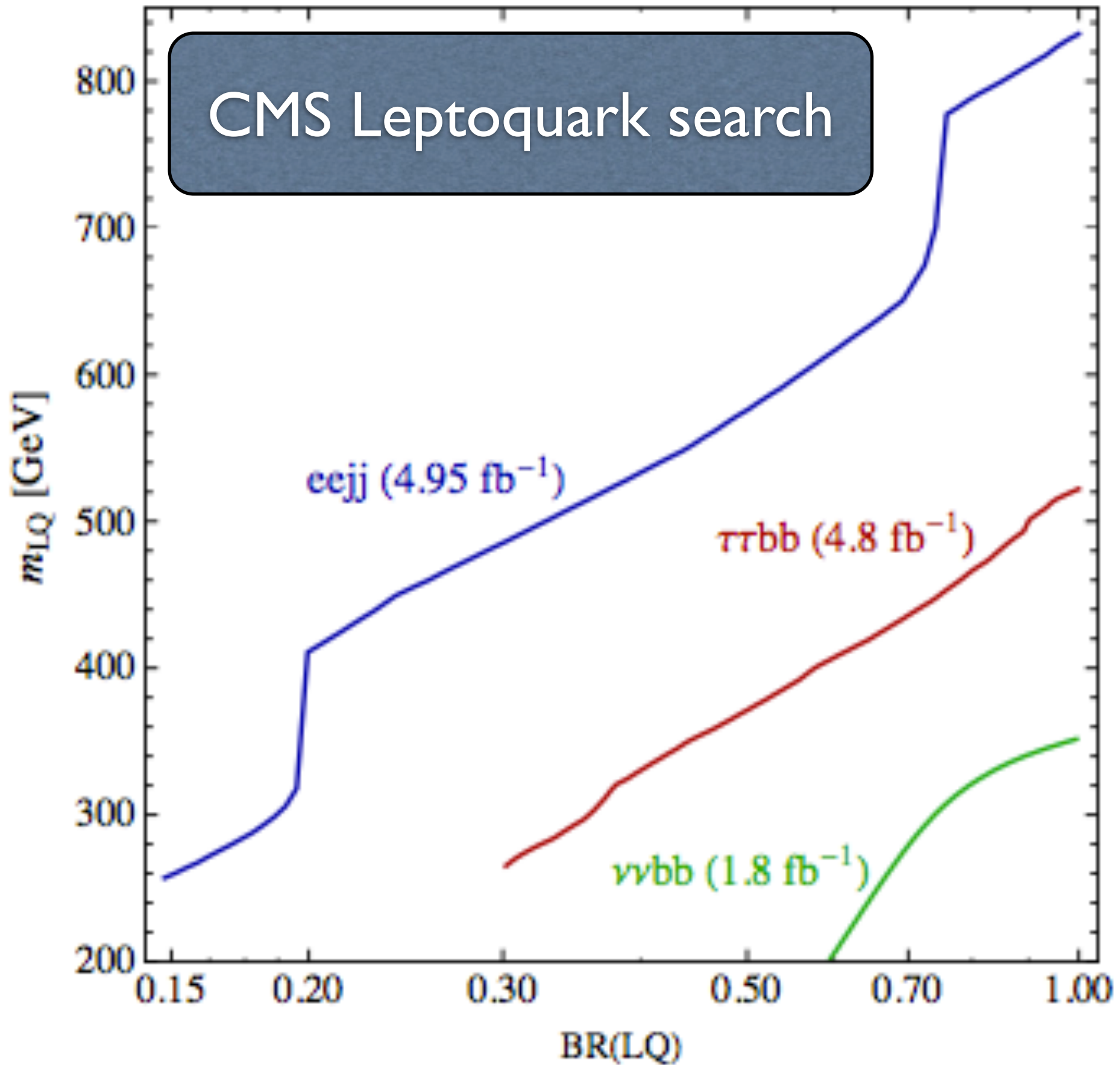
- $\tilde{t}_L \rightarrow be$  through the bottom yukawa
- $\tilde{t}_L \rightarrow \tau b$  through the coupling

$$y_b = \lambda'_{133} \quad \lambda'_{333}$$

$$\text{max} \quad \lambda'_{333} \sim \sim \frac{10^{-2}}{y_b}$$

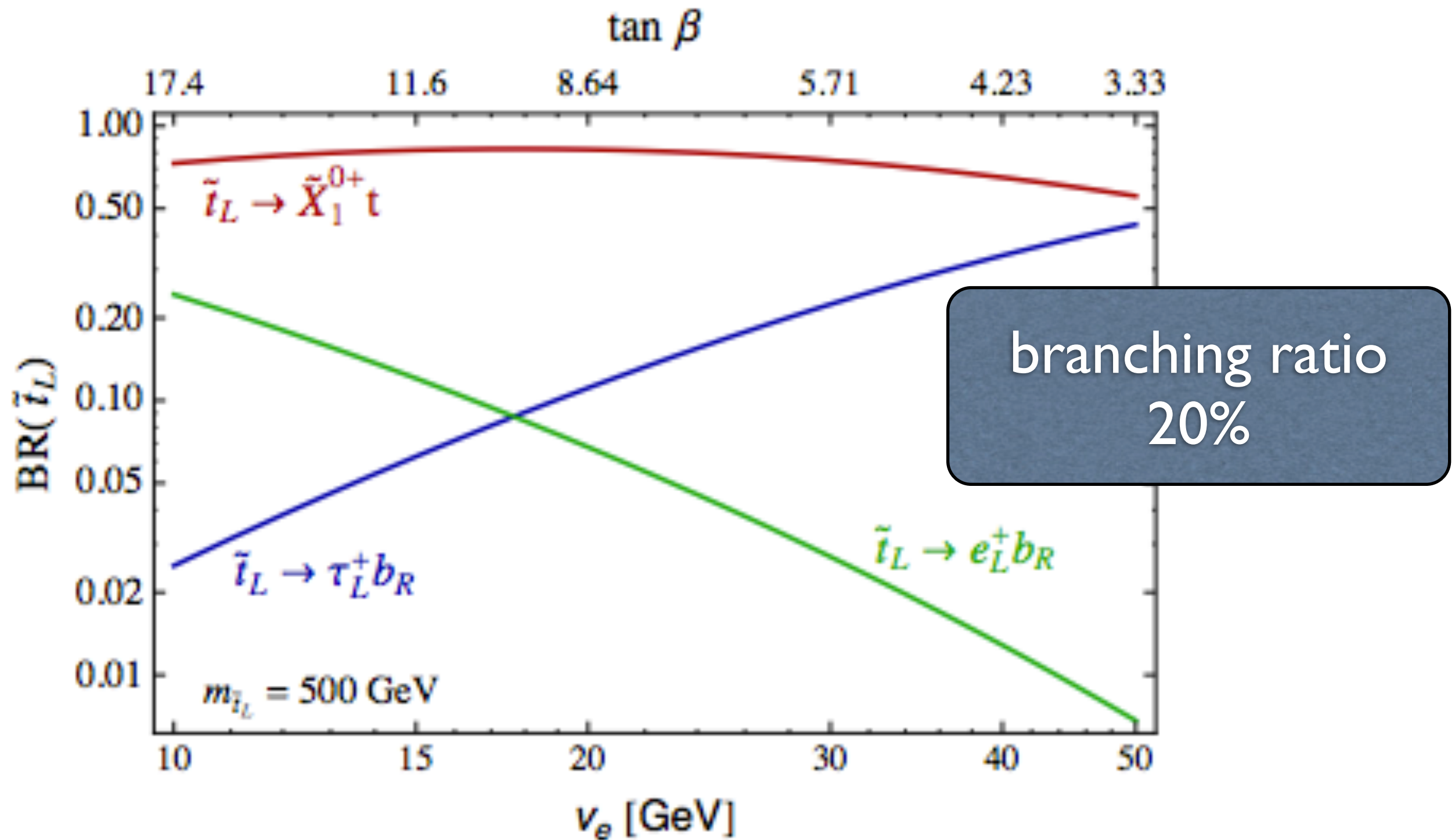
b tagging in first gen. LQ  
searches

# CMS Leptoquark search



no b  
tag

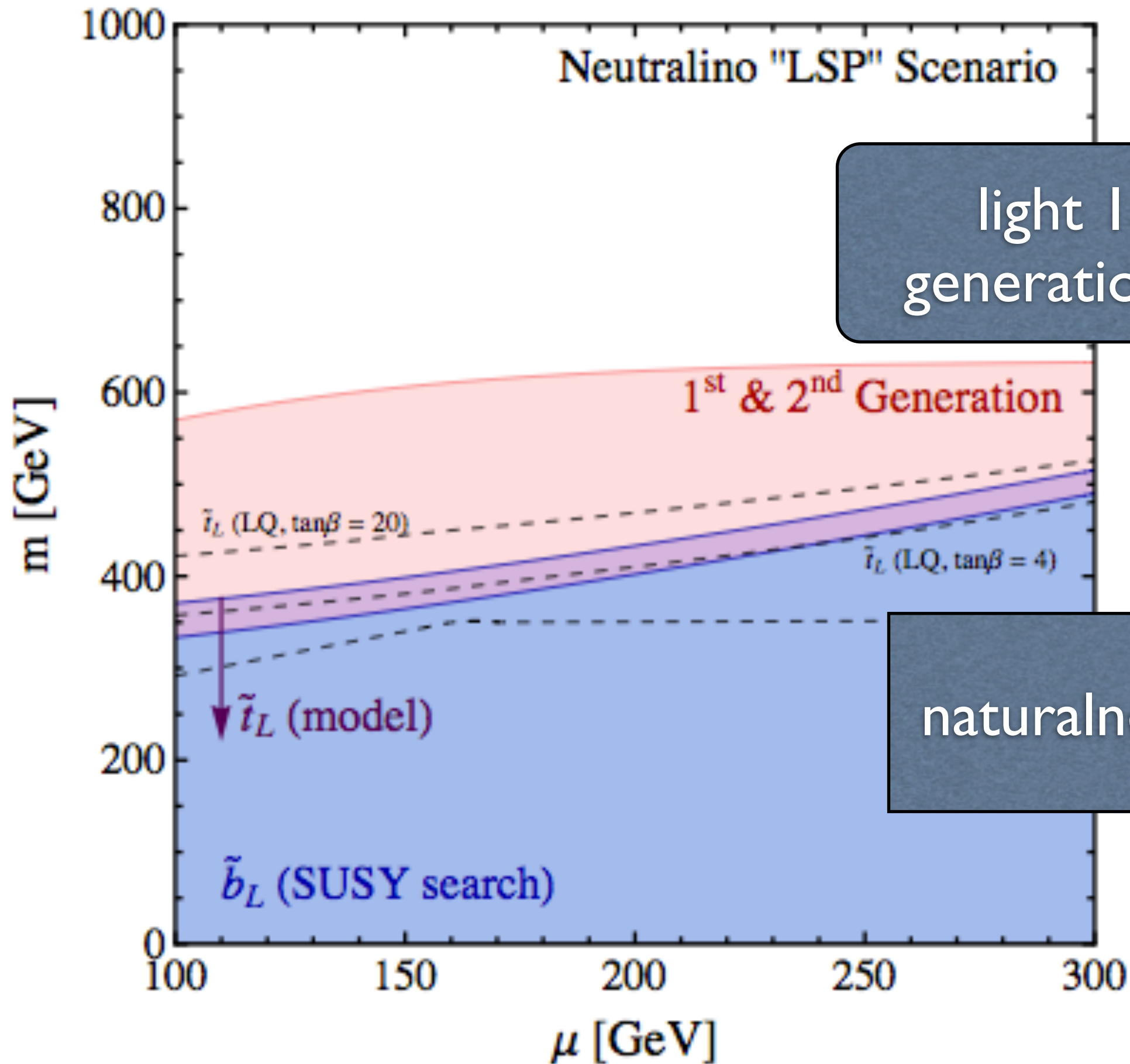
# Still room for a light third generation



Standard RPV: natural region ruled out

LQ channel visible JUST if the 3rd generation is the LSP

# Summary of the bounds



# R breaking and neutrino physics

in collaboration with E. Bertuzzo

hep-ph 1203.5340



# Anomaly mediated R breaking

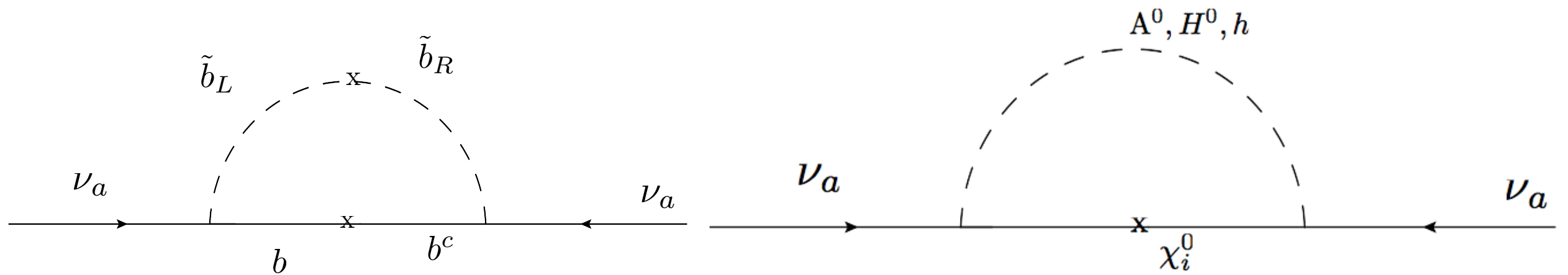
R symmetry is not exact. Broken by gravitino mass

 R breaking communicated to the visible sector  
through anomaly mediation

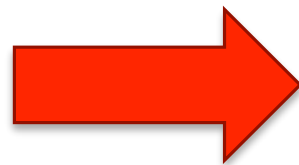
Majorana mass for gauginos and trilinear coupling  
generated!

$$\mathcal{L}_{AM} = A^u \tilde{u}_r \tilde{q}_L H_u - A^d \tilde{d}_R \tilde{q}_L \tilde{l}_a - A^l \tilde{l}_a \tilde{l} \tilde{e}_R + \\ M_{\lambda_{\tilde{B}}} \lambda_{\tilde{B}} \lambda_{\tilde{B}} + M_{\lambda_{\tilde{W}}} \lambda_{\tilde{W}} \lambda_{\tilde{W}} + M_{\lambda_{\tilde{g}}} \lambda_{\tilde{g}} \lambda_{\tilde{g}},$$

# Neutrino mass generated at one loop!



$$m_{\nu_a} < 1eV$$



Bounds on gravitino mass

$$m_{3/2} < 100 MeV$$



# Fitting neutrino physics

Neutrino masses and mixings can be introduced without the need of additional degrees of freedom or scale

Normal or inverted hierarchy?

it depends on the sneutrino higgs flavor

electronic inverted hierarchy  
muonic both/ taunic none

# Gravitino dark matter candidate ?

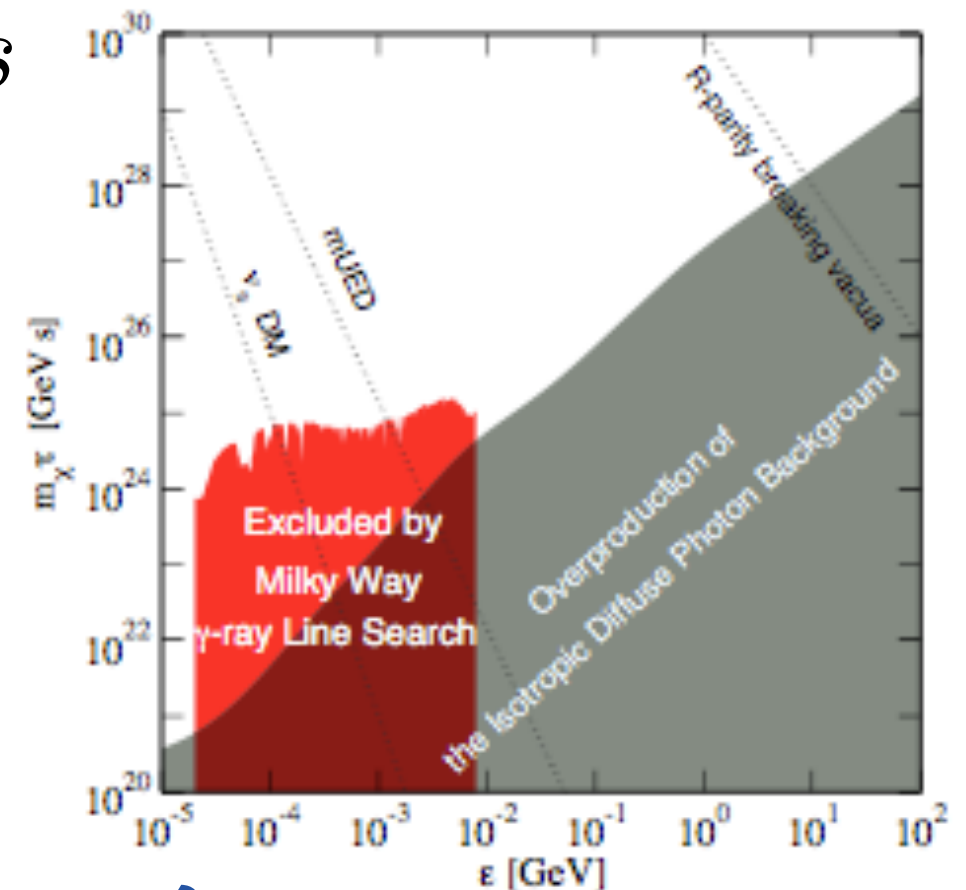
$$1\text{MeV} < m_{3/2} < 50\text{MeV}$$

$$\tilde{G} \rightarrow \nu_e \gamma \quad \tau_{3/2} \sim 10^{28} - 10^{30} \text{ s}$$

$$\tau > \tau_{\text{universe}}$$

life time large enough  
to avoid experimental constraints

is it the dominant form of dark matter ?



# Conclusions

# Summarizing..

- Dirac gauginos well motivated alternative to the MSSM
- Different LHC phenomenology from the MSSM (generic leptoquark signatures-prompt RPV neutralino decays)..but the LHC will not miss it!

Still room for a rich and visible sub TeV LHC pheno!

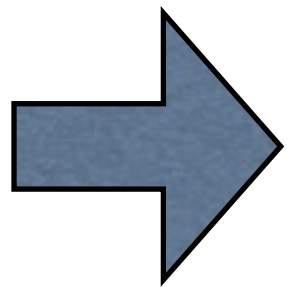
# 3rd generation phenomenology and the R symmetry

Some work in progress...

# Third generation squarks always decay into third generation quarks

this makes easier to find them: b tagging and/or leptons from top quarks

$$\delta \sim \frac{M_{ij}^2}{M_{\tilde{q}}^2} \sim 1 \quad \text{Large squark mixing}$$

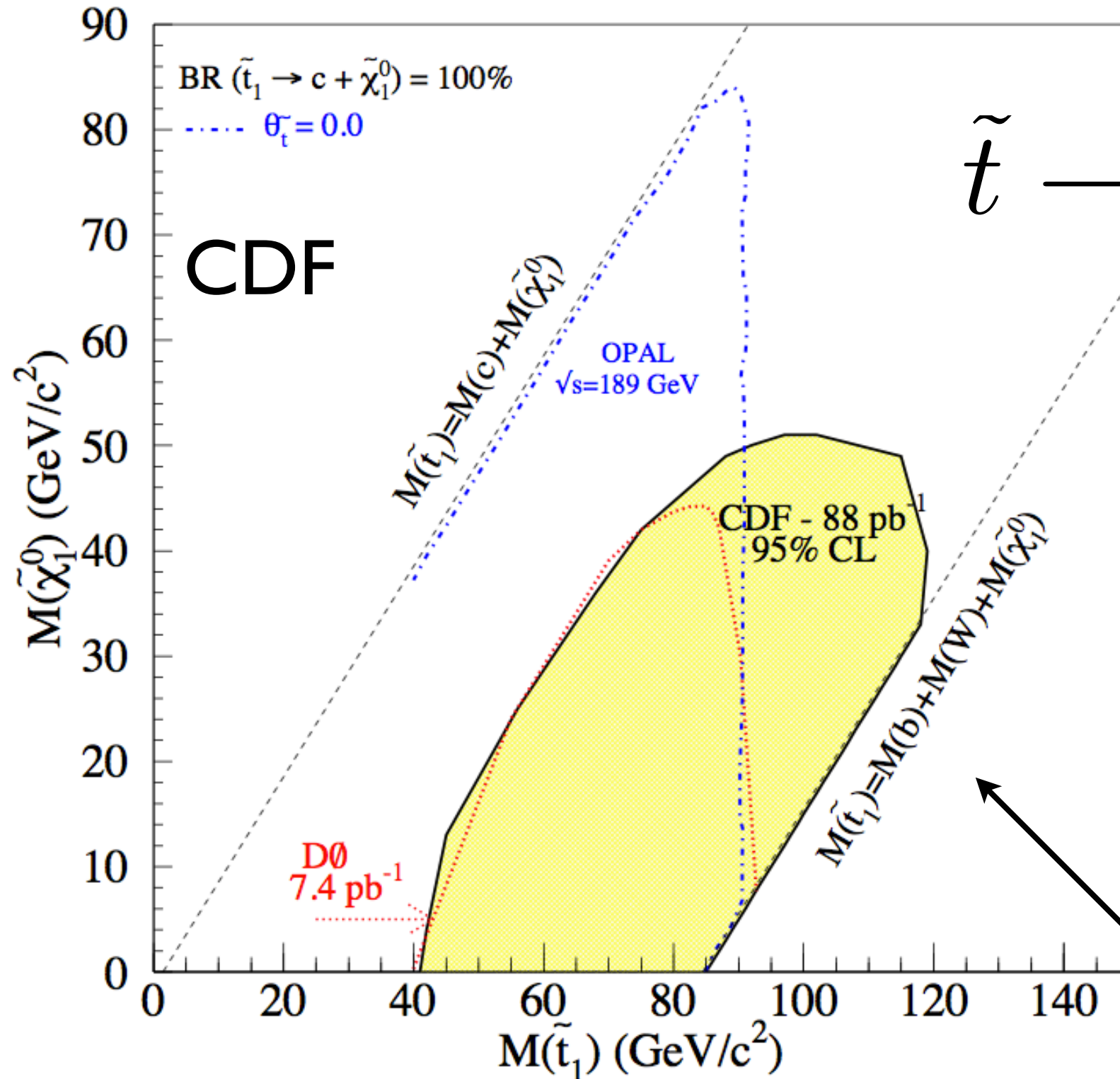


$$\tilde{t} \rightarrow j \text{ LSP}$$

$$m_{\tilde{t}} < m_{\text{LSP}} + m_t$$

dominant decay mode in a larger region of the parameter space than in the MSSM

# Tevatron covered all the parameter space relevant for the MSSM

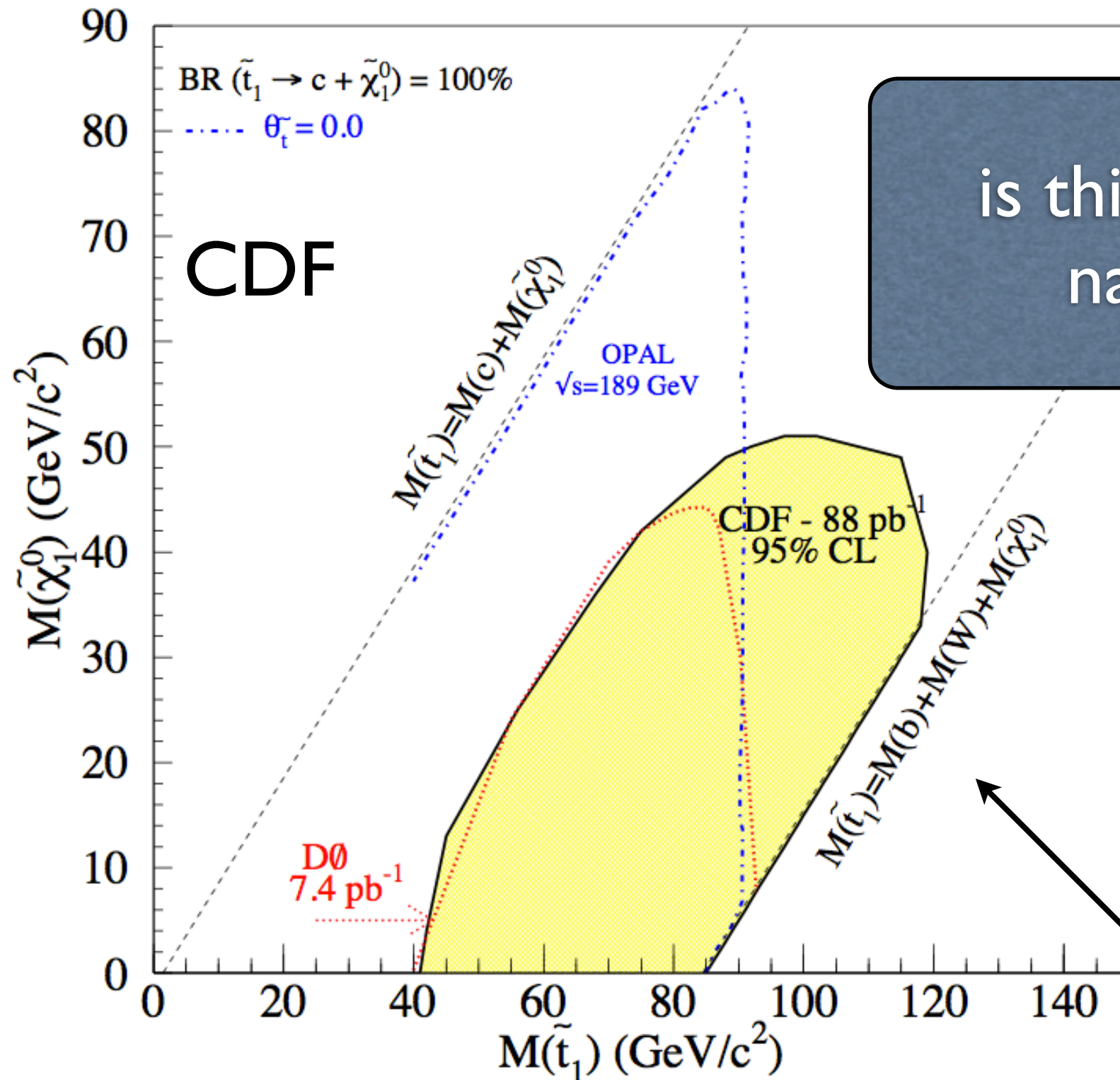


$\tilde{t} \rightarrow c \text{ LSP}$

region significant for us, but not for the MSSM



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is this a way to hide natural SUSY?

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no LHC dedicated searches for this topology, but  
other searches might be sensitive

Monojets searches in the compressed  
spectrum region

Jet+MET for larger mass splitting

LHC is doing a very good job to look for SUSY  
beyond the MSSM

# However..different interpretation of possible discoveries

b jets or top quark does not mean necessarily 3rd  
generation squarks

Heavy squarks in channels with heavy quarks does  
not mean fine tuning!