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# R-parity Violation and SUSY Searches at the LHC

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## OUTLINE

- **R-parity Violation** equally well motivated **R-Parity Conservation**
- **Should** dedicate comparable effort at the LHC
- What has been done?
- Top 10 R-parity Violating LHC Signatures  
(work in progress: Ben Allanach, Tim Stefaniak, Werner Porod, Florian Staub)

# SUSY LAGRANGIAN

- SUSY Lagrangian fixed by
  - gauge group:  $SU(3) \times SU(2) \times U(1)$
  - particle content:  $L_i, \bar{E}_i, Q_i, \bar{U}_i, \bar{D}_i, H_u, H_d$   
(chiral superfields)

$$L = \begin{pmatrix} N \\ E \end{pmatrix}_L \sim \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{\bar{\nu}} + \epsilon\psi_{\nu} \\ \phi_{\bar{e}} + \epsilon\psi_e \end{pmatrix}_L, \quad E^c \sim \phi_{\bar{e}}^* + \epsilon\psi_{e_R}^c$$

$$Q = \begin{pmatrix} U \\ D \end{pmatrix}_L \sim \begin{pmatrix} \phi_{\bar{u}} + \epsilon\psi_u \\ \phi_{\bar{d}} + \epsilon\psi_d \end{pmatrix}_L, \quad U^c \sim \phi_{\bar{u}}^* + \epsilon\psi_{u_R}^c, \quad D^c \sim \phi_{\bar{d}}^* + \epsilon\psi_{d_R}^c$$

- Superpotential  $\longrightarrow$

# SUPERPOTENTIAL

$$W_{\text{MSSM}} = (h_e)_{ij} L_i H_d E_j^c + (h_d)_{ij} Q_i H_d D_j^c + (h_u)_{ij} Q_i H_u U_j^c + \mu H_d H_u$$

- These terms give mass to quarks and leptons.

$$W_{\text{RPV}} = \underbrace{\lambda_{ijk} L_i L_j \bar{E}_k + \lambda'_{ijk} L_i Q_j \bar{D}_k + \kappa_i L_i H_u}_{\text{Lepton Number Violating}} + \underbrace{\lambda''_{ijk} \bar{U}_i \bar{D}_j \bar{D}_k}_{\text{Baryon Num. Viol.}}$$

Lepton Number Violating

Baryon Num. Viol.

- Do you only consider  $W_{\text{MSSM}}$  or include some or all of  $W_{\text{RPV}}$ ?

# R-Parity MSSM

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- Proton stable (Well should really consider  $P_6$  instead of  $R_p$ )
- Automatic dark matter candidate:  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$

## Disadvantages:

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# Baryon Triality ( $B_3$ ) SSM

- $W = W_{\text{MSSM}} + \lambda_{ijk} L_i L_j \bar{E}_k + \lambda'_{ijk} L_i Q_j \bar{D}_k + \kappa_i L_i H_u$

## Advantages:

- Proton stable
- Automatic light neutrino masses
  - $\kappa L H_u \implies \nu_i$  and  $\tilde{\chi}_j^0$  mix  $\implies$  1 massive neutrino
  - at 1-loop ( $LL\bar{E}$ ,  $LQ\bar{D}$ ) generate other neutrino masses

## Disadvantages:

- No dark matter candidate
- No solution to strong CP problem

## B<sub>3</sub> SSM & Axion

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- Automatic light neutrino masses
- Automatic dark matter candidate: axion or axino

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# Theory Motivation

- **Krauss & Wilczek:** Discrete symmetries violated by quantum gravity
  - Unless remnant of spont. broken gauge symmetry
    - $\implies$  “discrete gauge symmetry”
- **Ibanez & Ross:** if original U(1) gauge symmetry is anomaly-free
  - $\implies$  conditions on the remnant discrete symmetry
  - $\implies$  “anomaly-free discrete gauge symmetry”
- **HD, Luhn, Thormeier:** syst. study of all  $\mathbf{Z}_N$  with MSSM particle content
  - $\implies$  only 3 anomaly-free discrete gauge symmetries:  $P_6, R_p, B_3$

## Unification

- $P_6$  and  $B_p$  not compatible with simple unbroken GUT gauge group
- $R_p$  dangerous dim-5 proton decay operators

## Summary

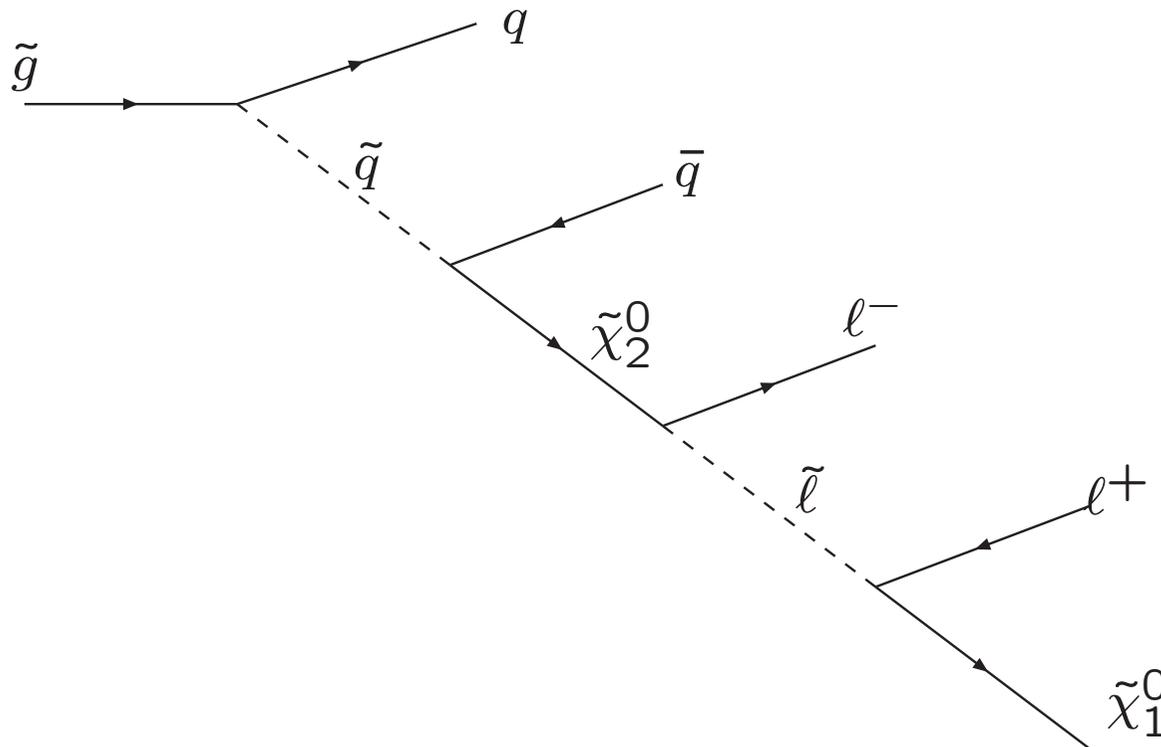
**R-parity Violation**

equally well motivated

**R-Parity Conservation**

# R-Parity LHC Phenomenology

- SUSY Pair Production:  $\tilde{g}\tilde{g}$ ,  $\tilde{q}\tilde{q}$ ,  $\tilde{g}\tilde{q}$
- Lightest SUSY Particle (LSP) stable:  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$
- Signature: jets + missing transverse energy (MET) + leptons



# RPC SUSY Searches at the LHC

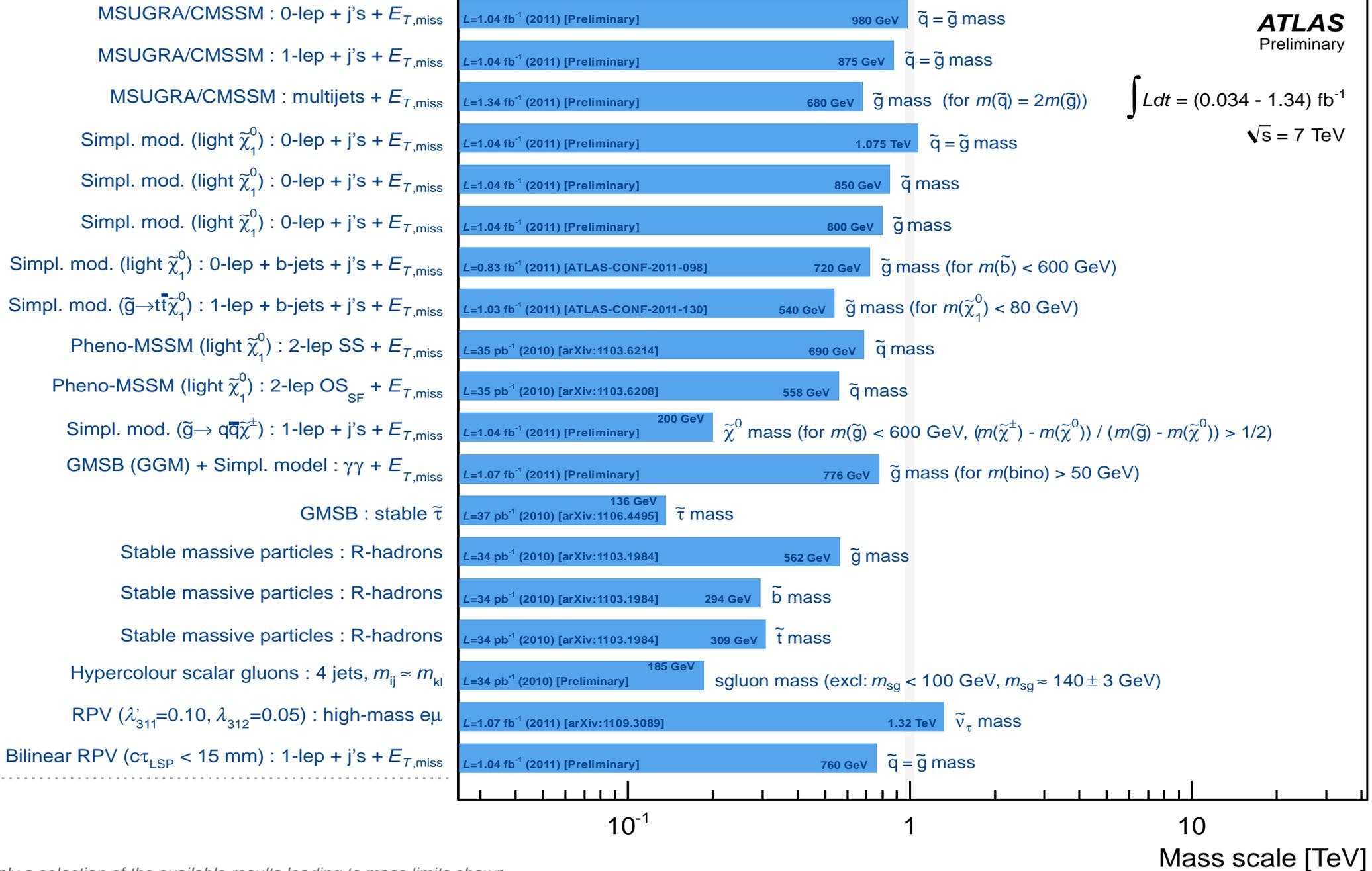
- **Signatures:** (ATLAS & CMS)
  - jets + MET
  - *b*-jets + MET
  - 1 lepton + jets + MET
  - 2 leptons + MET
  - 2 photons + MET
  - 1 lepton + 1 photon + MET
  - stable colored particle(s)

# ATLAS SUSY Searches\* - 95% CL Lower Limits (Status: BSM-LHC 2011)

SUSY

**ATLAS**  
Preliminary

$\int L dt = (0.034 - 1.34) \text{ fb}^{-1}$   
 $\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$



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# B<sub>3</sub>-Phenomenology: Lepton Number Violation

- charge current universality ( $\pi \rightarrow e\nu$ )

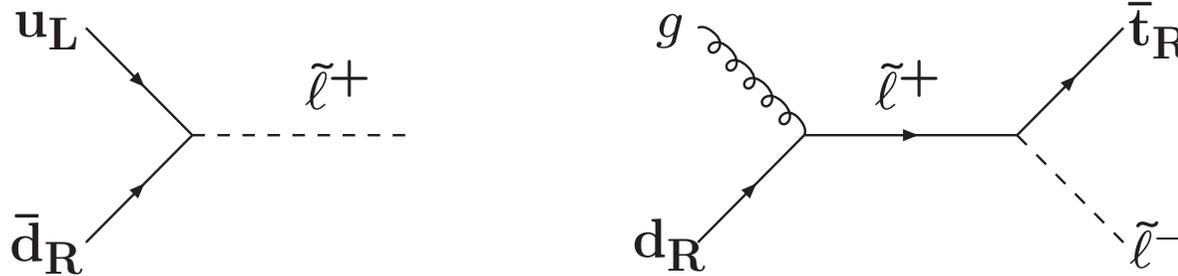
## LOW-ENERGY BOUNDS ON $\lambda, \lambda'$ ( $2\sigma$ ):

	$\lambda_{ijk}L_iL_j\bar{E}_k$	$\lambda'_{1jk}L_1Q_j\bar{D}_k$	$\lambda'_{2jk}L_2Q_j\bar{D}_k$	$\lambda'_{3jk}L_3Q_j\bar{D}_k$
weakest	0.07	0.28	0.56	0.52
strongest	0.05	$5 \cdot 10^{-4}$	0.06	0.11

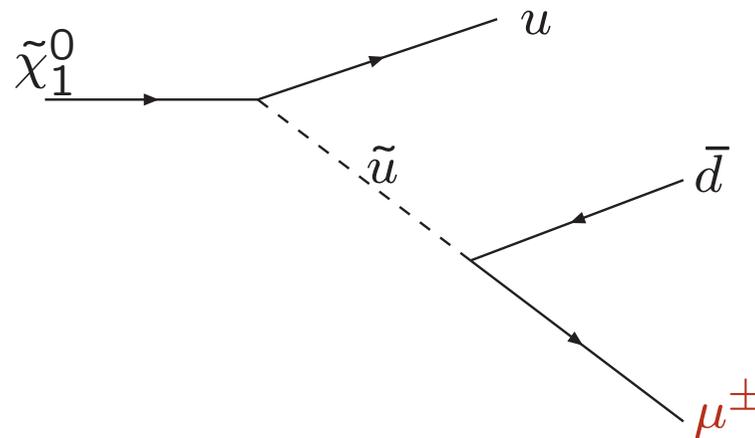
- One operator at a time
- (almost all) Bounds scale with  $(\tilde{m}/100)$  GeV
- Thus for 1 TeV sparticles bounds factor 10 weaker

# B<sub>3</sub>-Phenomenology: Main Changes

1. Resonant/Associated Single SUSY Production possible



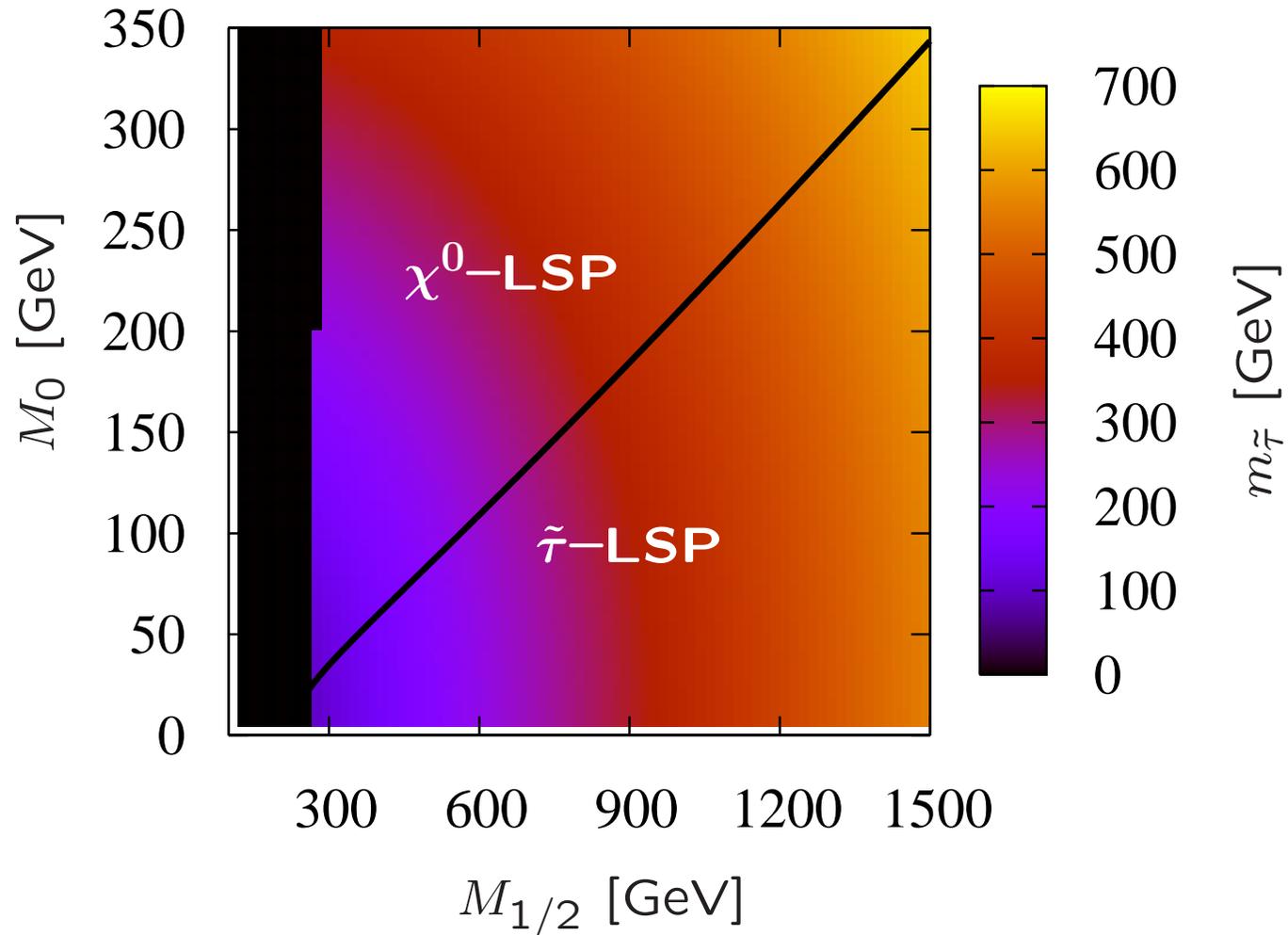
2. LSP is no longer stable



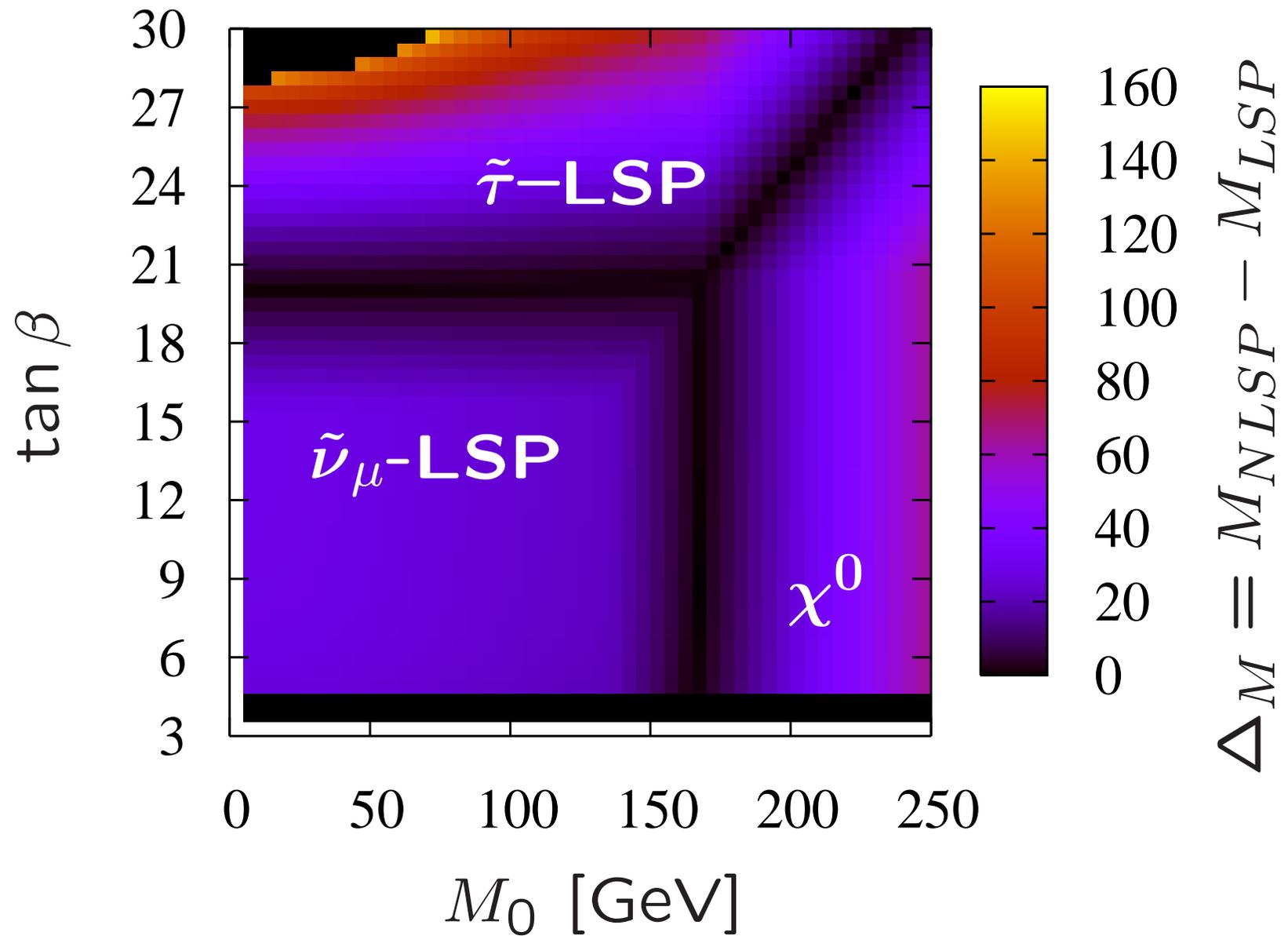
3. LSP  $\in \{\chi_1^0, \chi_1^+, \tilde{\nu}_L, \tilde{\ell}_{L,R}^\pm, \tilde{\tau}_1^\pm, \tilde{q}_{L,R}, \tilde{g}\}$

4. In CMSSM/mSUGRA spectrum can differ

## $\tilde{\tau}$ -LSP with $\Lambda = 0$



- SPS1a ( $M_0 = 100$  GeV,  $M_{1/2} = 250$  GeV) chosen so  $\chi_1^0$  is LSP



$$M_{1/2} = 500 \text{ GeV}, A = -500 \text{ GeV}, \text{sgn}(\mu) = +1, \lambda'_{221} = 0.1$$

# Plethora of new Signatures

$$\left( \begin{array}{l} \text{pair production: } \tilde{q}\tilde{q}, \tilde{q}\tilde{g} \tilde{g}\tilde{g} \\ \text{resonant } \tilde{\ell} \text{ production} \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{l} \text{LSP} \\ \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \\ \tilde{\chi}_1^\pm \\ \tilde{\nu}_L \\ \tilde{\ell}_{L,R}^\pm \\ \tilde{\tau}_1^\pm \\ \tilde{q}_{L,R} \\ \tilde{g} \end{array} \right) \otimes \left( \begin{array}{l} L_1 L_2 \bar{E}_1 \\ \vdots \\ L_2 L_3 \bar{E}_3 \\ L_e Q_1 \bar{D}_1 \\ \vdots \\ L_\mu Q_1 \bar{D}_1 \\ \vdots \\ L_\tau Q_3 \bar{D}_3 \end{array} \right)$$

- With one dominant operator something like 441 possibilities
- Where to start?
- mSUGRA/RGEs; possible LSPs:  $(\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\tau})$ ,  $(\tilde{\nu}, \tilde{\ell}_R)$

# First Step: $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ -LSP

- Pair production:  $\tilde{q}\tilde{q}, \tilde{q}\tilde{g}, \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$

$$\bullet \tilde{\chi}_1^0\text{-LSP: } \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \begin{cases} \ell^\pm + \ell^\mp + \cancel{p}_T & L_1 L_{2,3} \bar{E}_{1,2}, L_2 L_3 \bar{E}_1 \\ \ell^\pm + \tau^\mp + \cancel{p}_T & L_{1,2} L_3 \bar{E}_3 \\ \ell^\pm + 2\text{jets} & L_{1,2} Q_i \bar{D}_k \\ \ell^\pm + 2\text{jets} & L_{1,2} Q_i \bar{D}_k \end{cases} \quad \ell = e, \mu$$

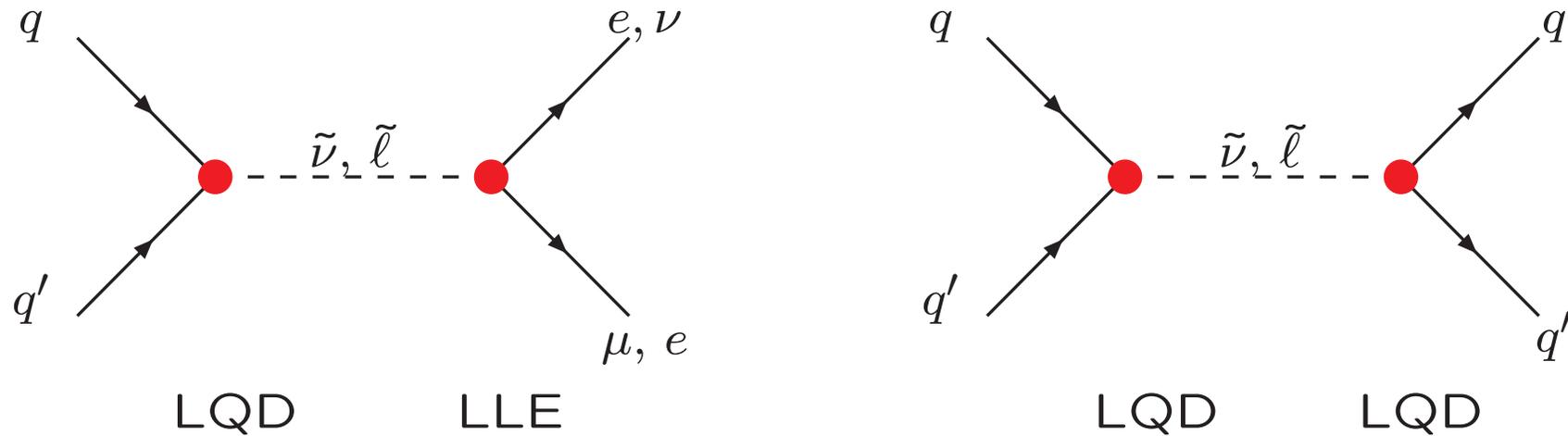
- Signatures: 4 charged leptons +  $\cancel{p}_T$  + jets  $(e^+e^+\mu^-\mu^- + \text{jets})$

$$(e^+e^+\tau^-\tau^- + \text{jets})$$

$$\text{like-sign dileptons} + \cancel{p}_T + \text{jets} \quad (\ell^+\ell^+ + \text{jets})$$

- For UDD must rely on (like sign di-) leptons from cascade or jet sub-structure à la Butterworth et al.

# Resonant Production $(\tilde{\chi}_1^0\text{-LSP})$



- Signatures: **dilepton resonance:**  $(e^+e^-, \mu^+\mu^-, e^+\mu^-, e^+\tau^-, \mu^+\tau^-)$

**mono lepton:**  $(e^\pm\nu, \mu^\pm\nu, \tau^\pm\nu)$

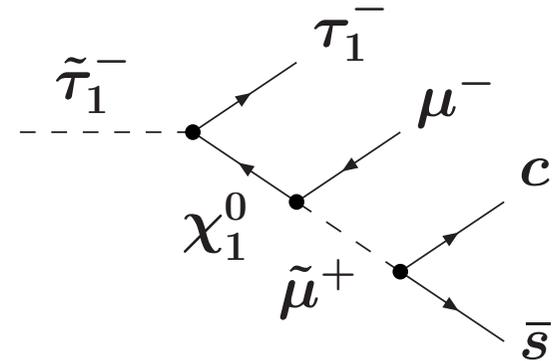
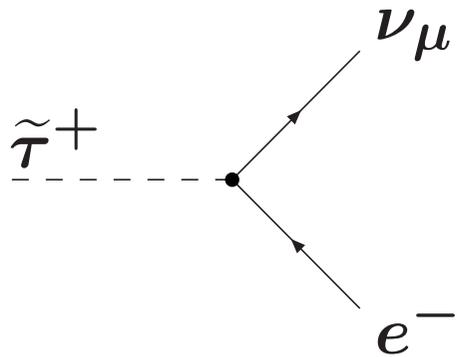
**dijet resonance:**  $(qq')$

- For cascade slepton decay:  $\tilde{l}^+ \rightarrow l^+ + \chi_1^0 \rightarrow l^+ + (l^+ + 2\text{jets})$

**like-sign dilepton:**  $(e^+e^+, \mu^+\mu^+, \tau^+\tau^+)$

## Second Step: $\tilde{\tau}$ -LSP

- Pair production:  $\tilde{q}\tilde{q}$ ,  $\tilde{q}\tilde{g}$ ,  $\tilde{g}\tilde{g}$
- Cascade decay to  $\tilde{\tau}$ , (possibly) via  $\chi_1^0$  gives extra  $\tau$ 's in final state



$L_i L_j \bar{E}_k, L_i Q_\ell \bar{D}_m$  ( $i, j$ , or  $k = 3$ )

( $i, j$ , AND  $k \neq 3$ )

## $\tilde{\tau}$ -LSP Signatures

- $LL\bar{E}$ : (a)  $\tau \in LL\bar{E}$   $\tau^+\tau^+e^-e^-\nu\nu$   
(b)  $\tau \notin LL\bar{E}$   $\mu^+\mu^+e^-e^-\nu\nu + 4\tau$ 's  
.
- $LQ\bar{D}$ : (a)  $\tau \in LQ\bar{D}$   $\tau^+\tau^+ + 6$  jets, no  $\cancel{p}_T$   
(b)  $\tau \notin LQ\bar{D}$   $4\tau$ 's +  $\cancel{p}_T$  + 4 jets  
.
- So similar to  $\chi_1^0$ -LSP but more  $\tau$ 's in final state
- Work in progress by Bonn ATLAS group (Desch, Fleischmann, Zimmermann ...)

## Detached Vertices: Signatures

- LSP lifetime proportional to  $(\lambda)^2, (\lambda')^2$
- $\chi_1^0$ -LSP decay prompt for  $\lambda, \lambda' \gtrsim 10^{-5}$
- Assuming detached vertex for  $c\tau > 1$  cm, have about 2 extra orders of magn. in  $\lambda, \lambda'$
- For  $\lambda, \lambda' \lesssim 10^{-7}$  regain conserved  $R_p$  at colliders (not cosmology!)
- New Signatures: long lived  $\chi_1^0, \tilde{\tau},$  or  $(\tilde{q}/\tilde{g})$
- Decays: leptonic, semi-leptonic, or hadronic

# Proposed Top 10 LHC RPV Signatures

Signature	Model
1) 4 charged leptons: $e^+e^+\mu^-\mu^-$	$\chi_1^0$ -LSP, $LL\bar{E}$ , $\tilde{\tau}$ -LSP, $LL\bar{E}$
2) 2 leptons, 2 taus: $e^+e^+\tau^-\tau^-$	$\chi_1^0$ -LSP, $LL\bar{E}$ , $\tilde{\tau}$ -LSP, $LQ\bar{D}$
3) like-sign dileptons + jets	$\chi_1^0$ -LSP, $LQ\bar{D}$
4) dilepton resonance	$LL\bar{E} \otimes LQ\bar{D}$
5) mono lepton	$LL\bar{E} \otimes LQ\bar{D}$
6) dijet resonance	$LQ\bar{D}$ , suppressed gaugino decays
7) like sign ditau's $\tau^-\tau^-$ + 6jets	$\tilde{\tau}$ -LSP, $LQ\bar{D}$
8) late decaying $\chi_1^0$ -LSP	$\lambda \lesssim 10^{-5}$
9) late decaying $\tilde{\tau}$ -LSP	
10) late decaying $\tilde{q}$ or $\tilde{g}$ -LSP	

- Have not considered bilinear RPV models (W. Porod)

# $\chi_1^0$ LSP Decays in Detector

- Missing transverse energy diluted or absent

- Neutralino LSP decays:

- $LL\bar{E}$ :  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} ee \\ e\mu \\ e\tau \\ \mu\mu \\ \mu\tau \end{pmatrix} + \nu$

- $LQ\bar{D}$ :  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \begin{pmatrix} e, \mu, \tau \\ \nu \end{pmatrix} + 2\text{jets}$

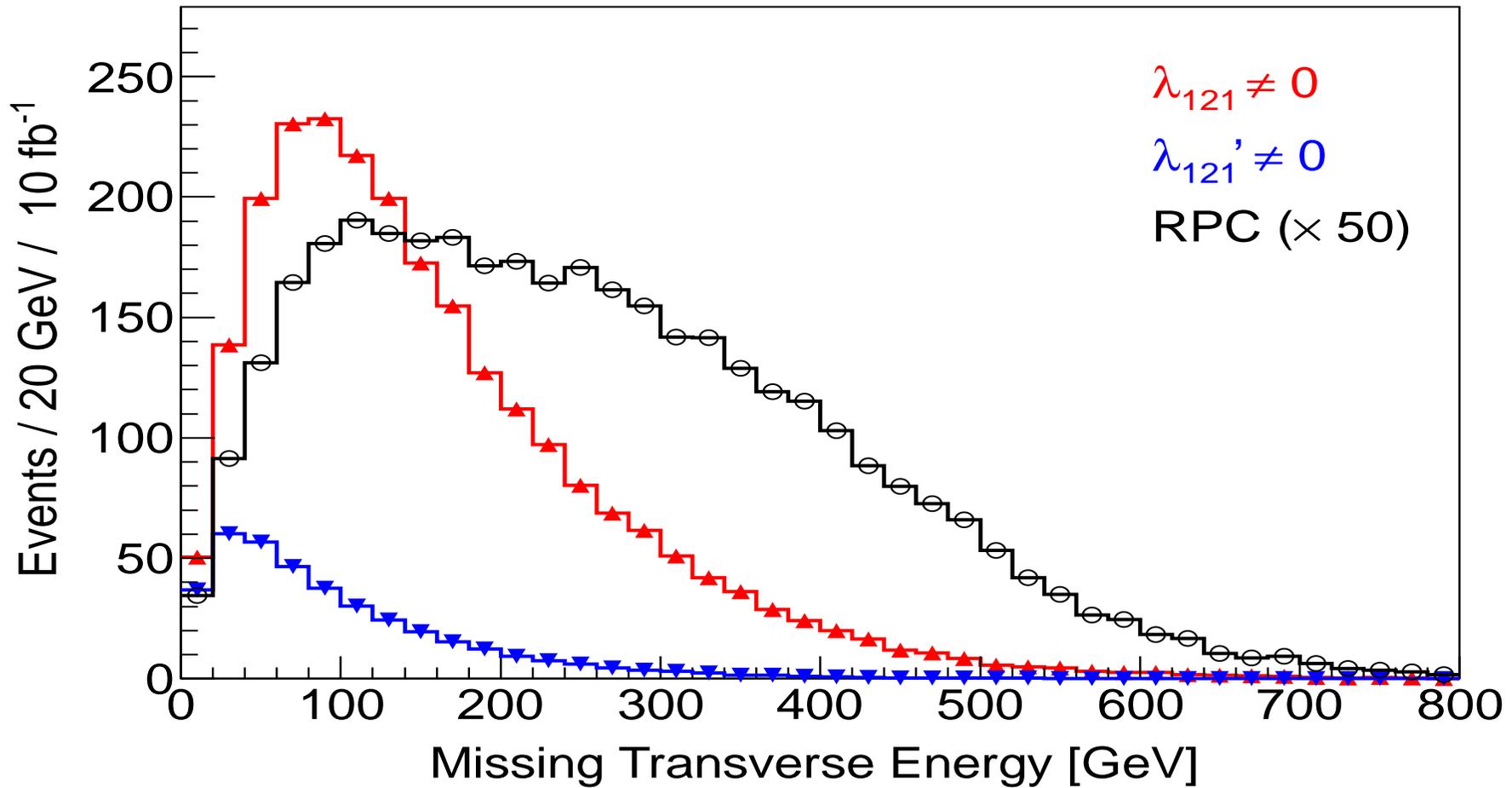
- Very few R-parity violating searches performed to-date
- Can maybe still use MET searches?

$$M_0 = 150 \text{ GeV}, M_{1/2} = 400 \text{ GeV}, A_0 = 0, \tan \beta = 5, \text{sgn}(\mu) = +$$

$$\lambda_{121} = \lambda'_{121} = 0.001$$

Tim Stefaniak

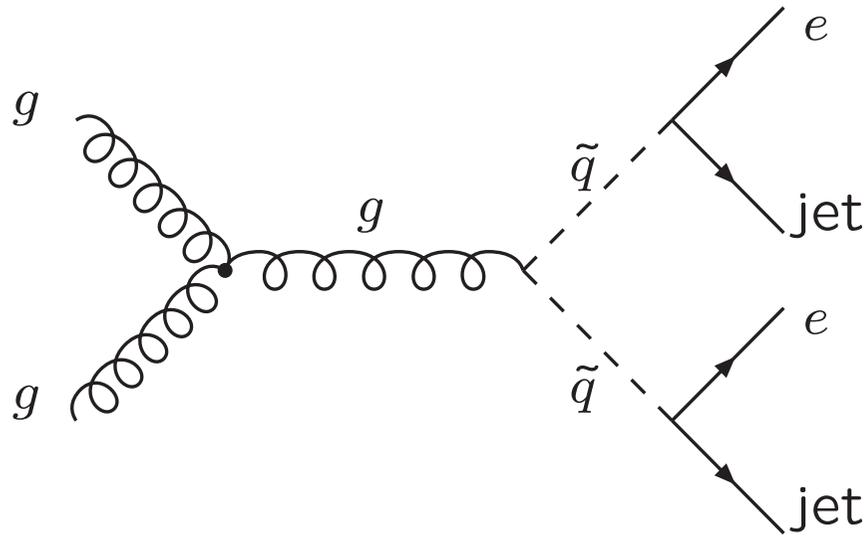
3 isolated leptons required



$$M_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0} = 162, M_{\tilde{\tau}_1} = 214, M_{\tilde{t}_1} = 650, M_{\tilde{q}} = 865, M_{\tilde{g}} = 935 \text{ GeV}$$

# RPV and Leptoquarks

- Can also consider  $\tilde{q}$ -LSP
- Dominant  $L_e Q_i \bar{D}_j$  operator



- Signature:  $eejj$
- Can also have  $\nu\nu jj$ , or  $\mu\mu jj$  ( $L_\mu Q D$ )

# ATLAS Exotics Searches\* - 95% CL Lower Limits (Status: BSM-LHC 2011)

**Extra dimensions**

Large ED (ADD) : monojet  
 UED :  $\gamma\gamma + E_{T,miss}$   
 RS with  $k/M_{Pl} = 0.1$  : diphoton,  $m_{\gamma\gamma}$   
 RS with  $k/M_{Pl} = 0.1$  : dilepton,  $m_{ee/\mu\mu}$   
 RS with  $g_{qqgKK}/g_s = -0.20$  :  $H_T + E_{T,miss}$   
 Quantum black hole (QBH) :  $m_{dijet}$ ,  $F(\chi)$   
 QBH : High-mass  $\sigma_{t+X}$   
 ADD BH ( $M_{th}/M_D=3$ ) : multijet  $\Sigma p_T$ ,  $N_{jets}$   
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**CI**

qqqq contact interaction :  $F_\chi(m_{dijet})$   
 qq $\mu\mu$  contact interaction :  $m_{\mu\mu}$

**V**

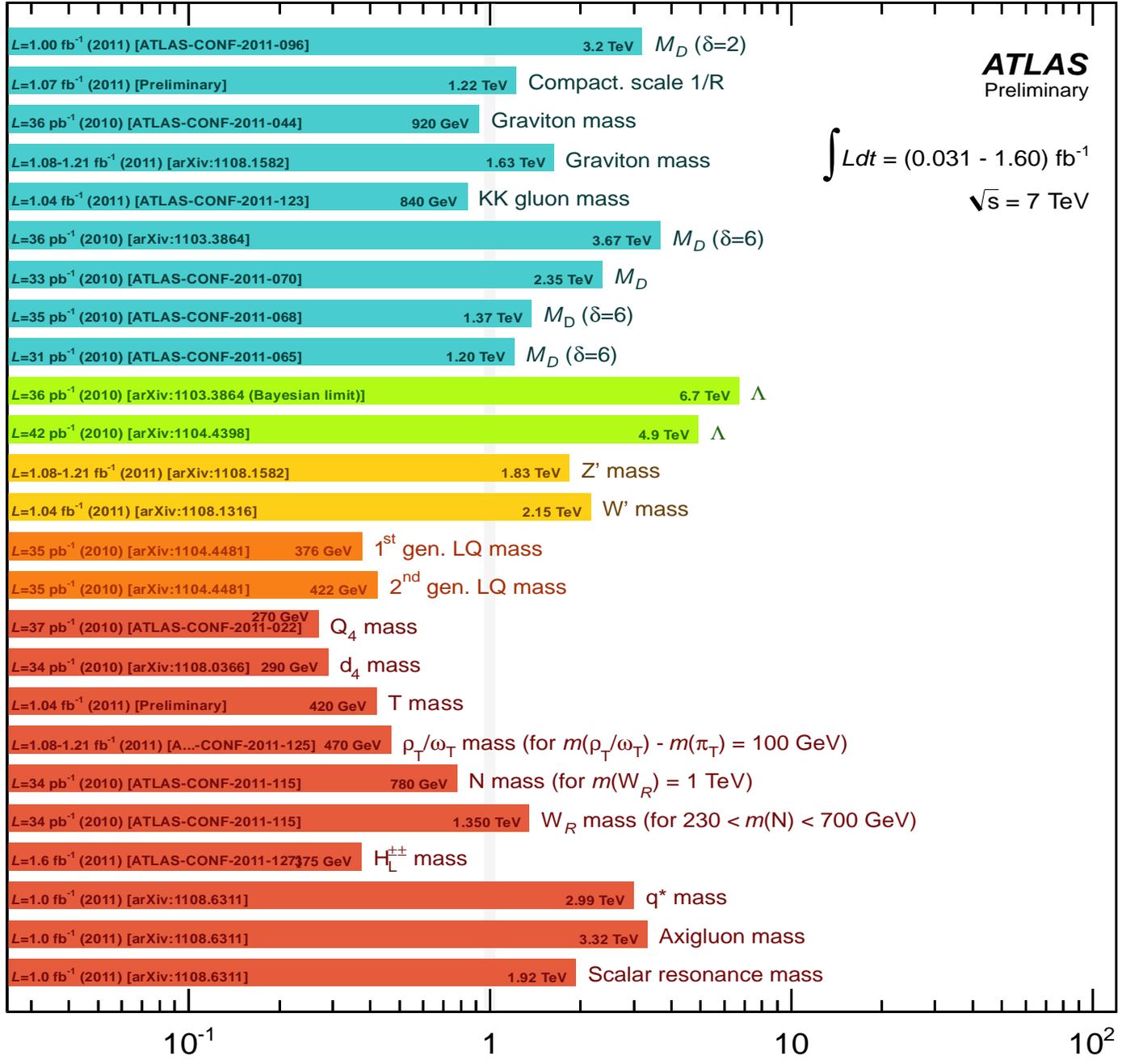
SSM :  $m_{ee/\mu\mu}$   
 SSM :  $m_{T,e/\mu}$

**LQ**

Scalar LQ pairs ( $\beta=1$ ) : kin. vars. in eejj, evjj  
 Scalar LQ pairs ( $\beta=1$ ) : kin. vars. in  $\mu\mu jj$ ,  $\mu\nu jj$   
 4<sup>th</sup> generation : coll. mass in  $Q_4 \bar{Q}_4 \rightarrow WqWq$   
 4<sup>th</sup> generation :  $d \bar{d}_4 \rightarrow WtWt$  (2-lep SS)  
 $T\bar{T}_{4th gen.} \rightarrow t\bar{t} + A_0 A_0$  : 1-lep + jets +  $E_{T,miss}$   
 Techni-hadrons : dilepton,  $m_{ee/\mu\mu}$

**Other**

Major. neutr. (LRSM, no mixing) : 2-lep + jets  
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 $H_L^{\pm\pm}$  (DY prod.,  $BR(H_L^{\pm\pm} \rightarrow \mu\mu)=1$ ) :  $m_{\mu\mu}$  (like-sign)  
 Excited quarks :  $m_{dijet}$   
 Axigluons :  $m_{dijet}$   
 Color octet scalar :  $m_{dijet}$



**ATLAS**  
Preliminary

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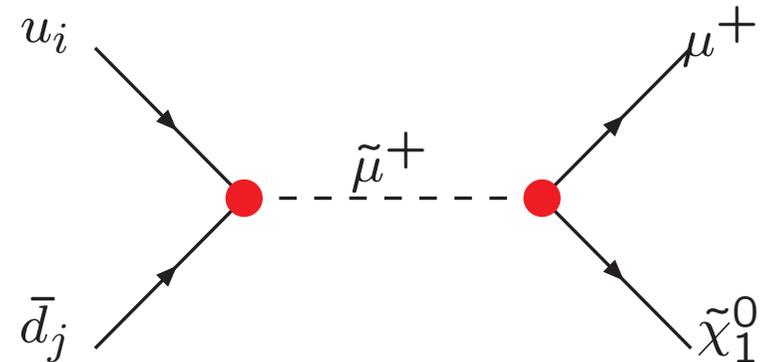
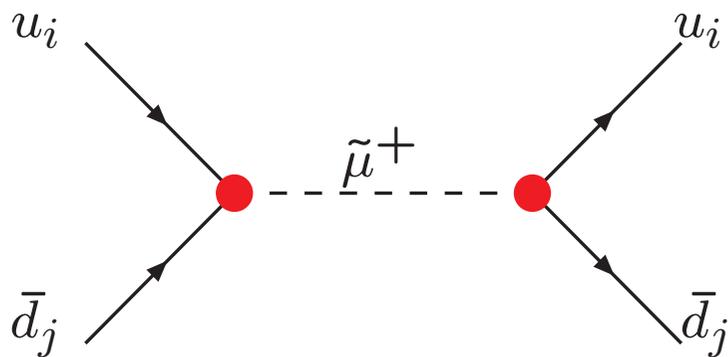
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Mass scale [TeV]

# Use existing searches: Resonant $\tilde{\ell}, \tilde{\nu}$ Prod.

with Tim Stefaniak

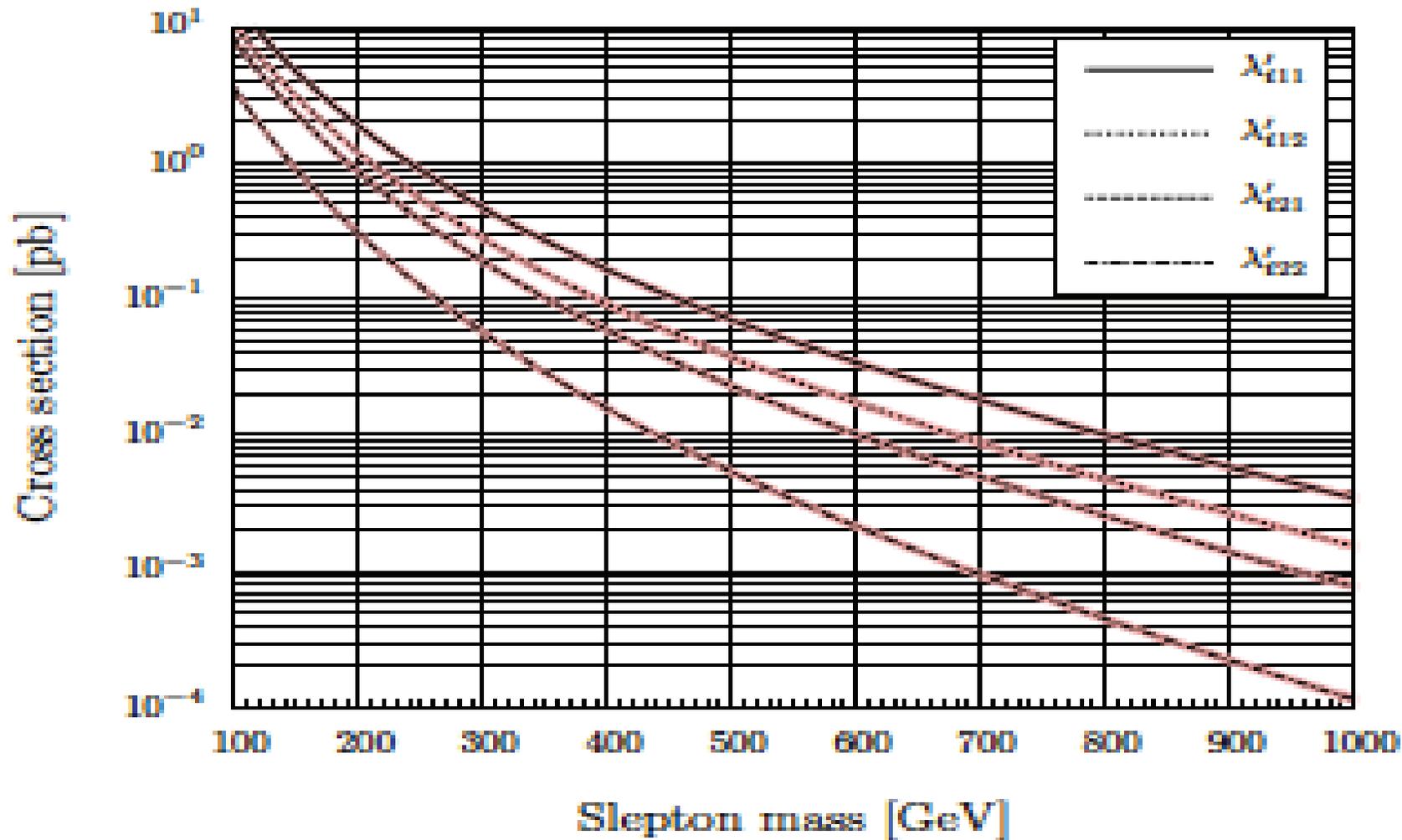
- One dominant operator:  $L_2 Q_i \bar{D}_j$



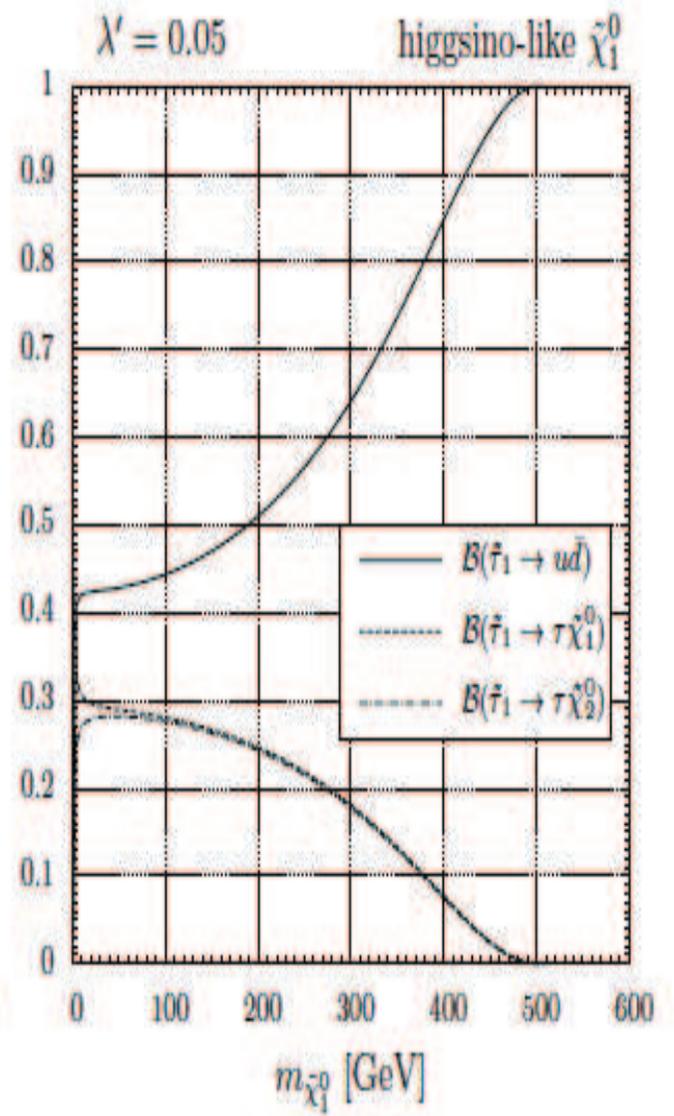
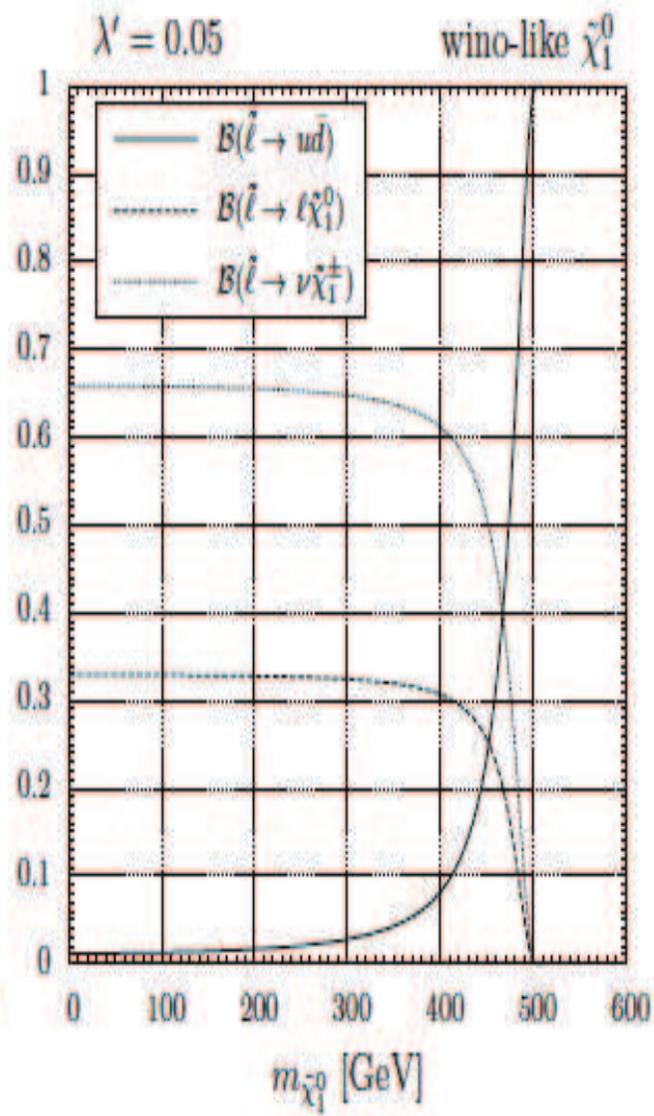
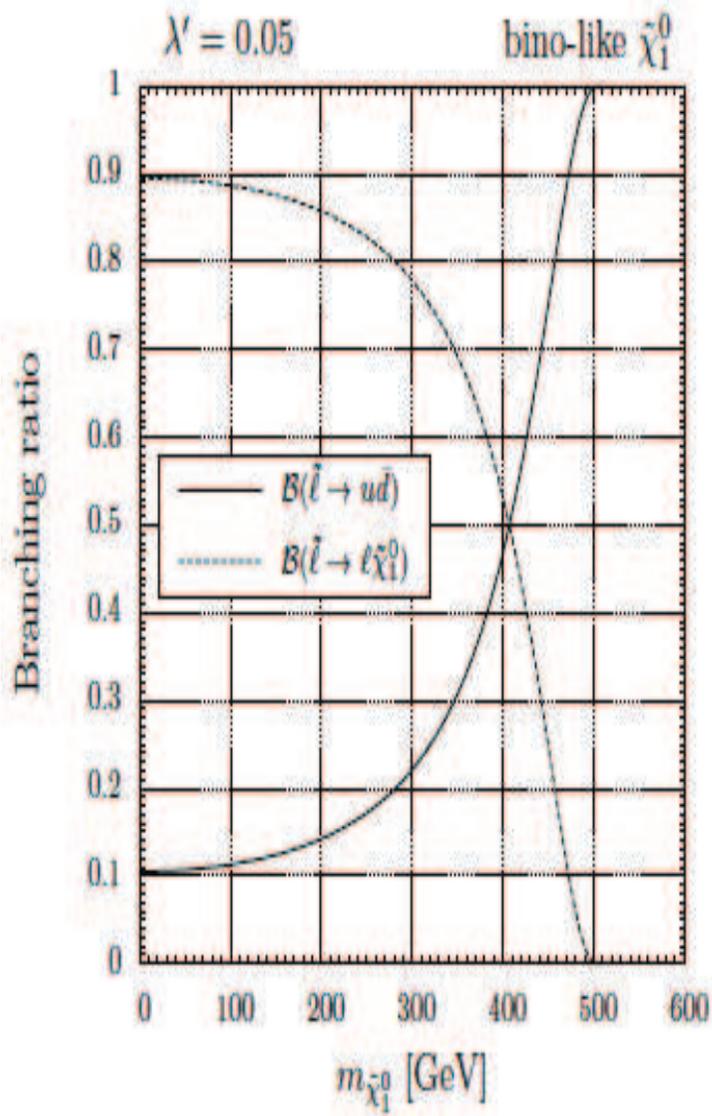
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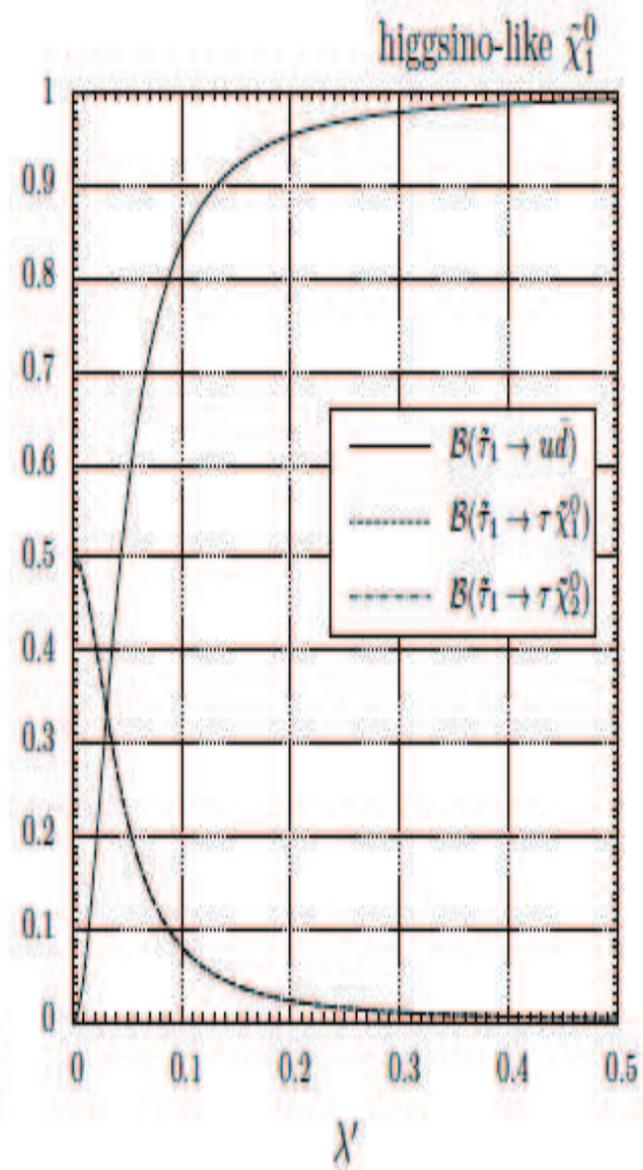
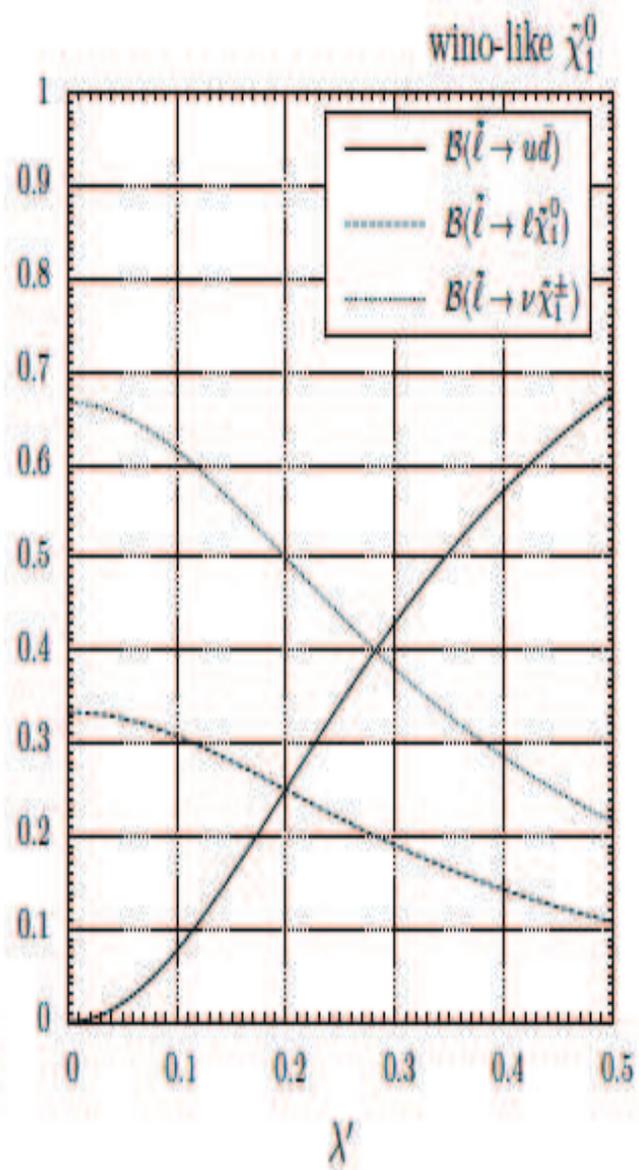
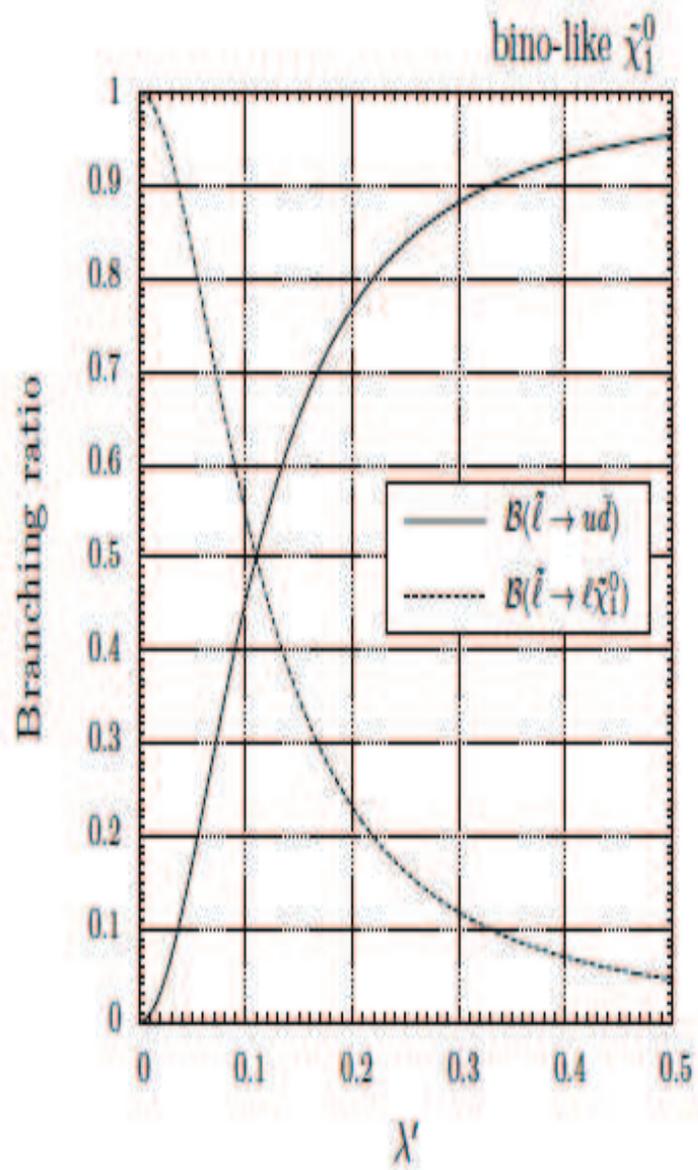
- Dijet resonance: compare with ATLAS and CMS searches ( $1 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ )
- Prompt like-sign  $\mu$ 's, compare with ATLAS search

# Resonant Slepton Production Xsection



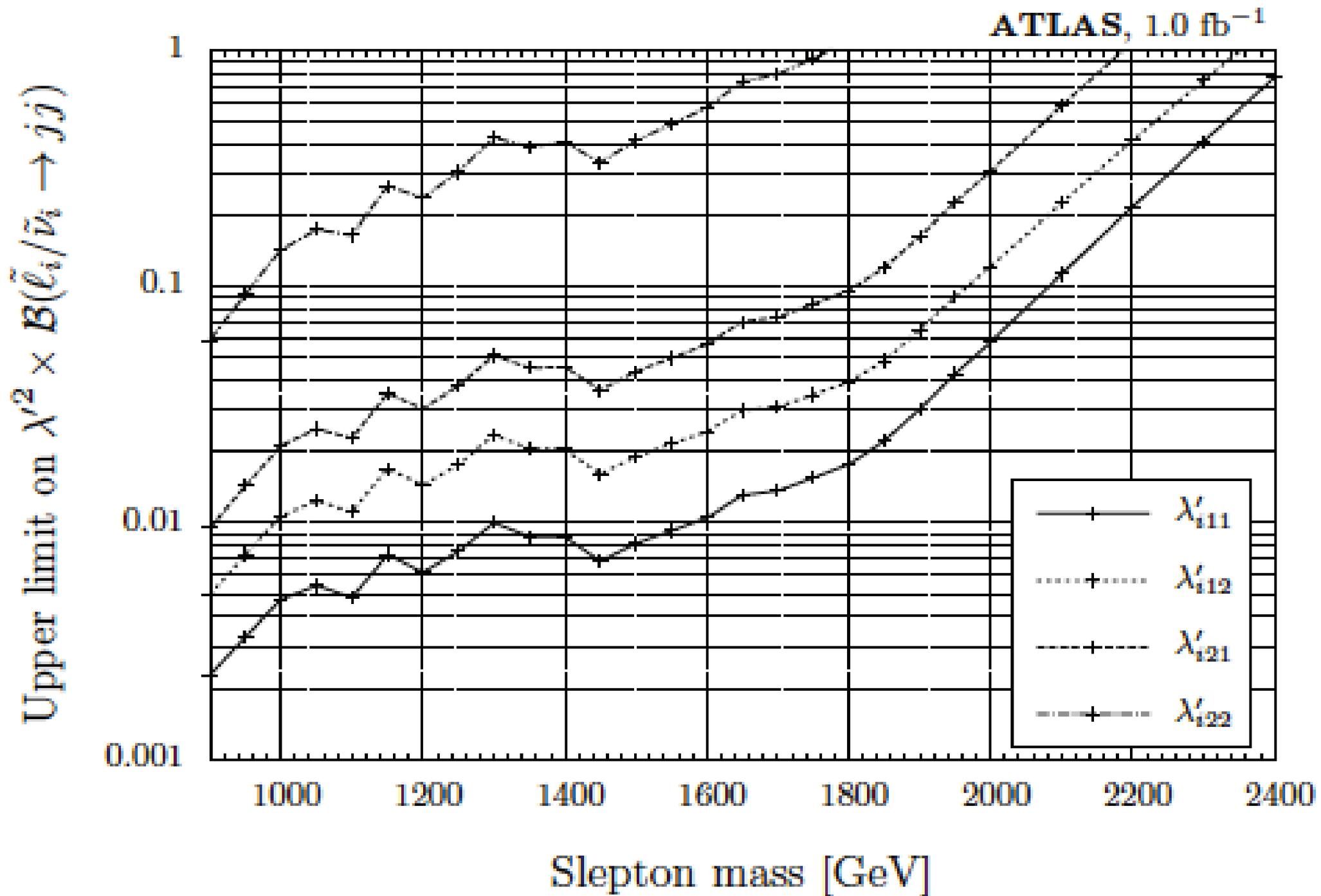
- $\lambda' = 0.01$
- CTEQ6m PDFs

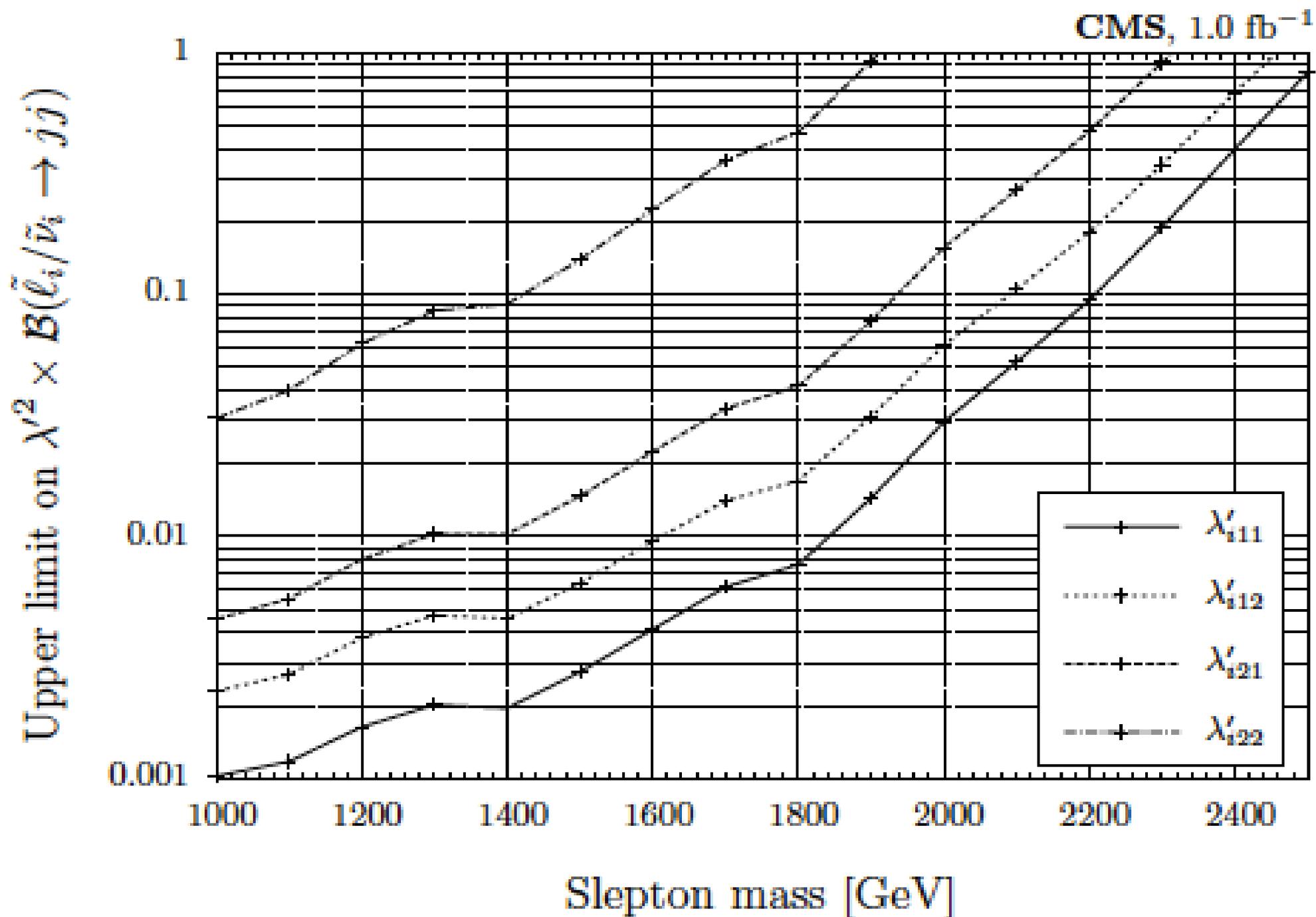




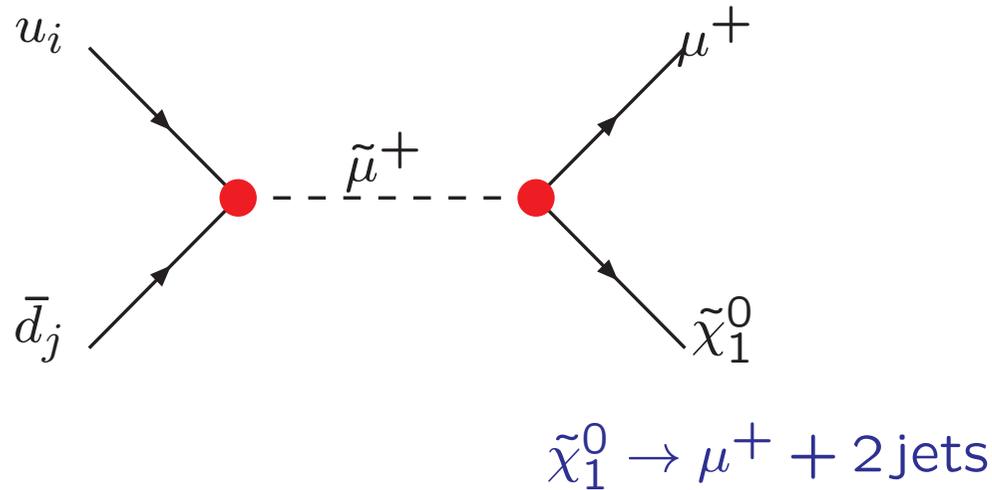
## Resonant Dijet Search

- Mass range search ATLAS (CMS) 0.9 TeV (1 TeV)- 4.0 TeV (4.1 TeV)
- Simulated 25,000 signal events for each slepton mass

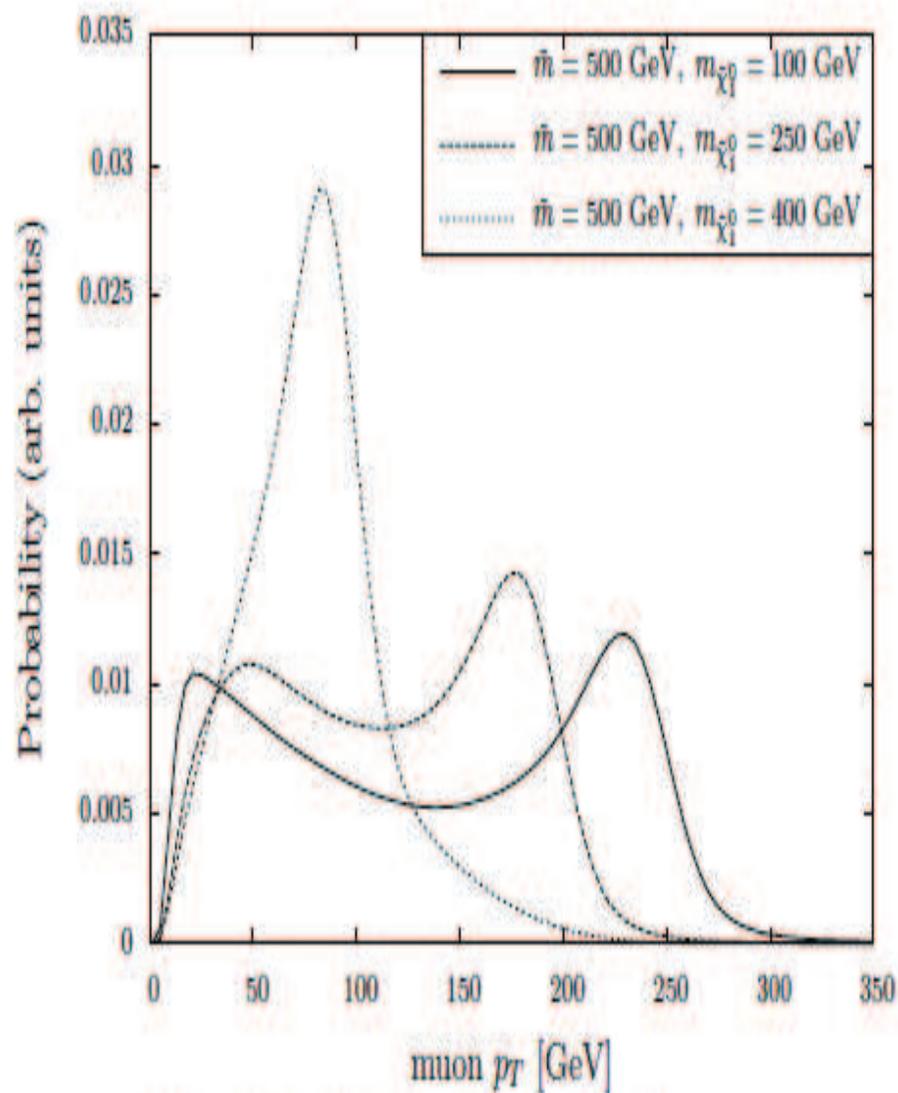




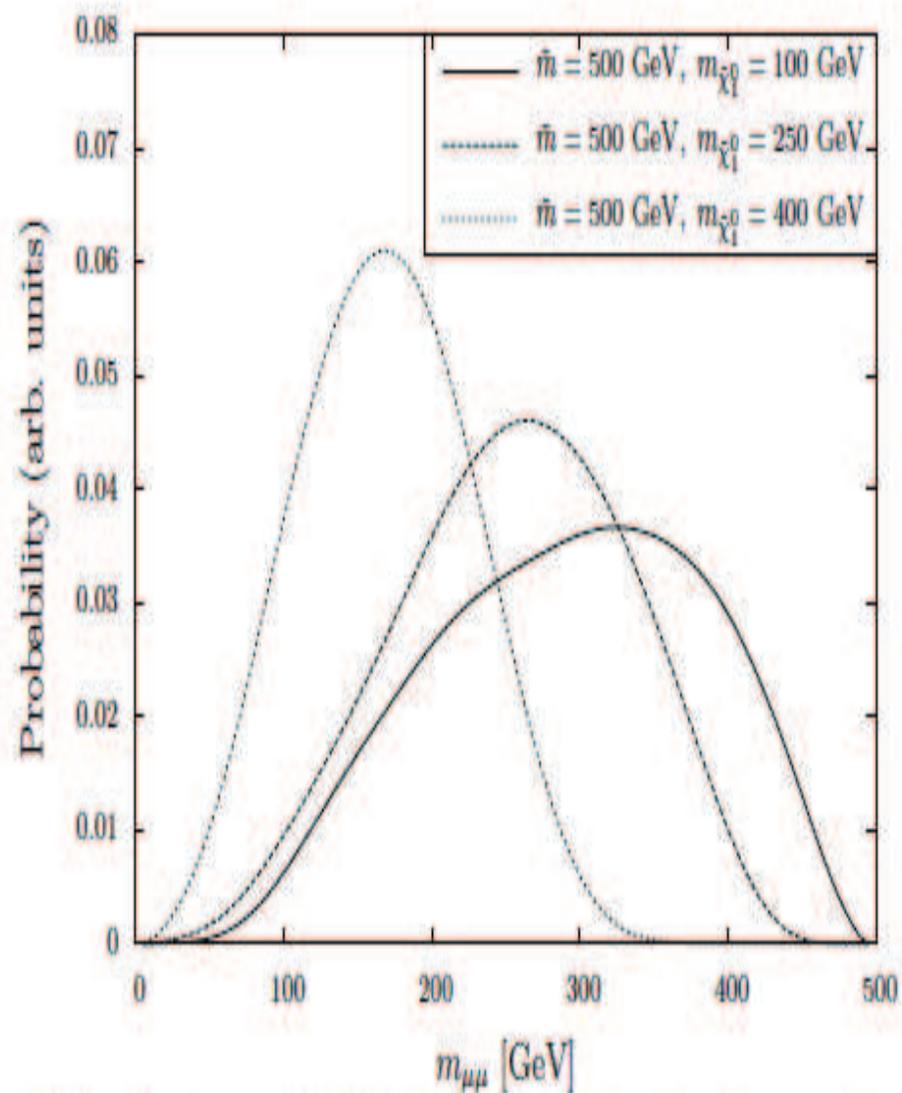
## Like Sign Dileptons from Resonant Slepton Prod.



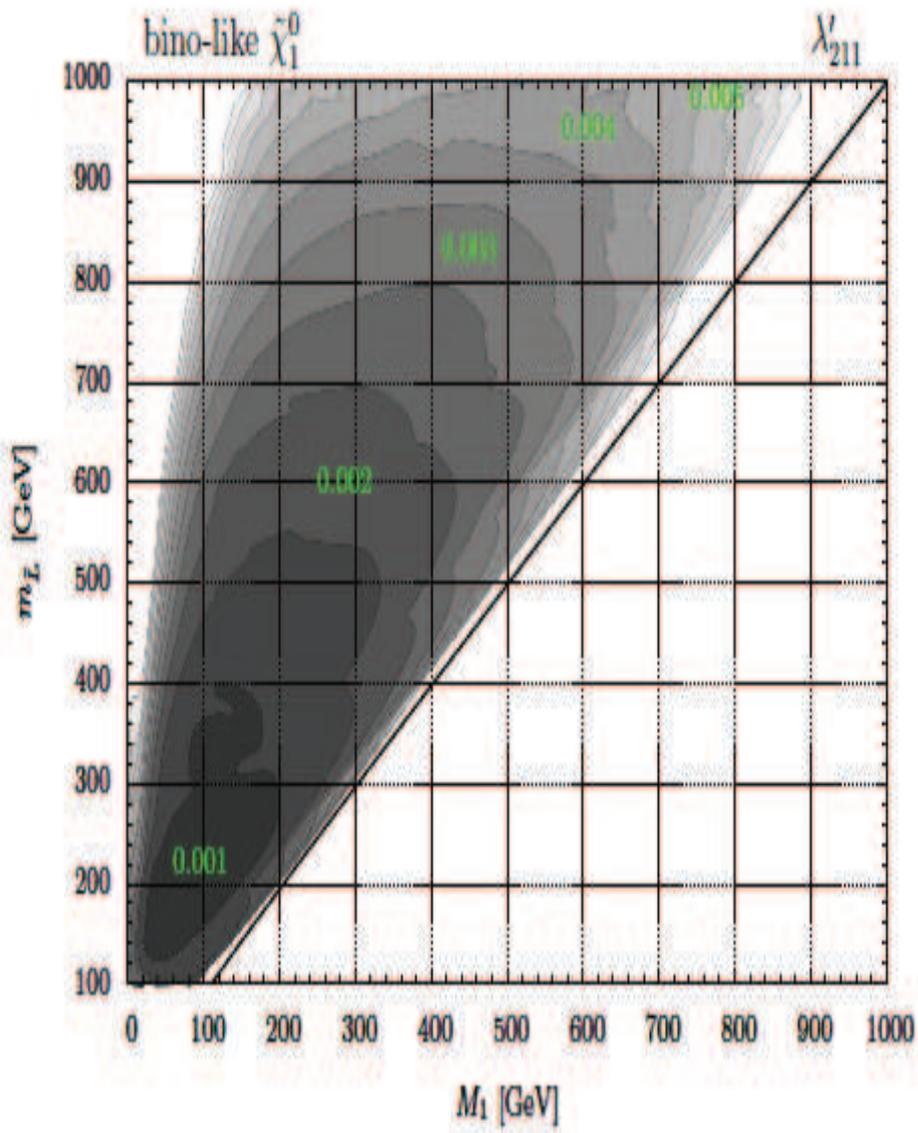
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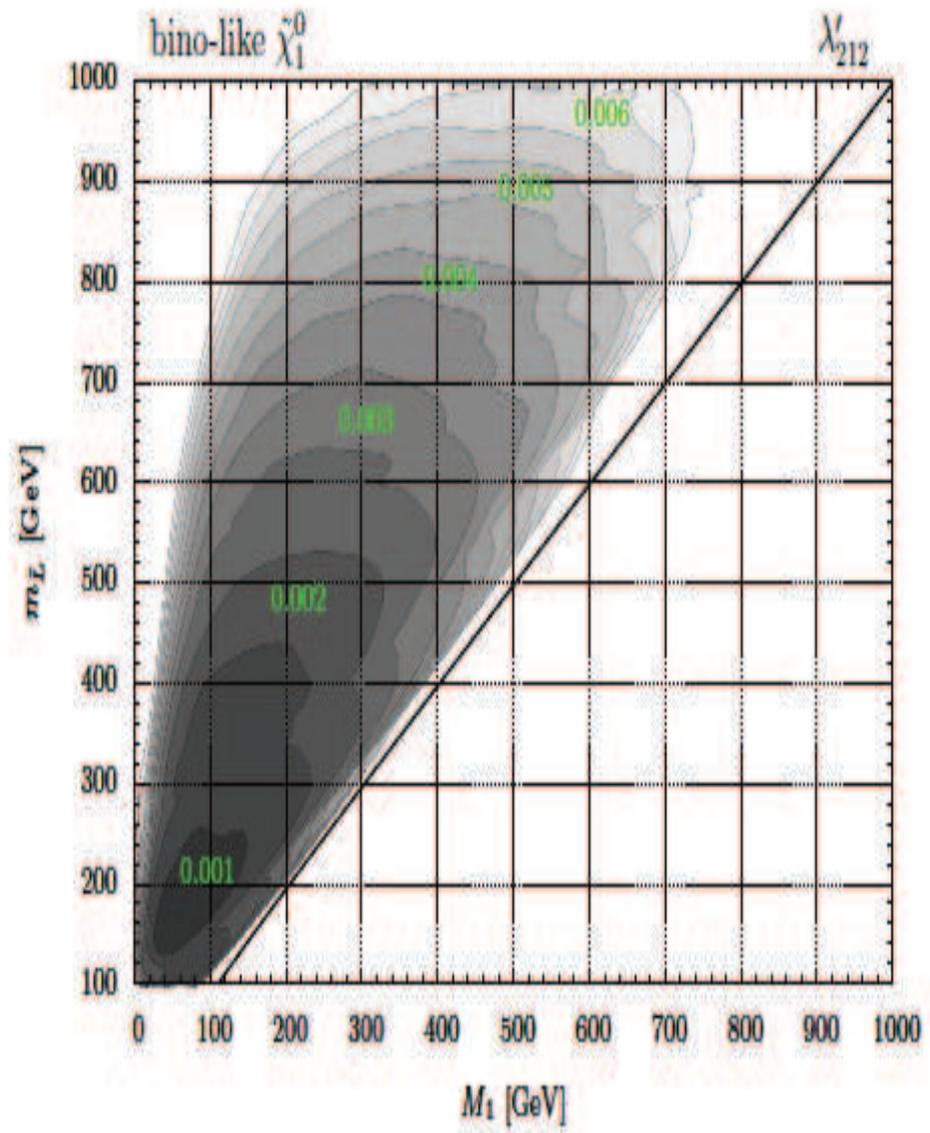
(a)  $p_T$  distribution of the isolated muons.



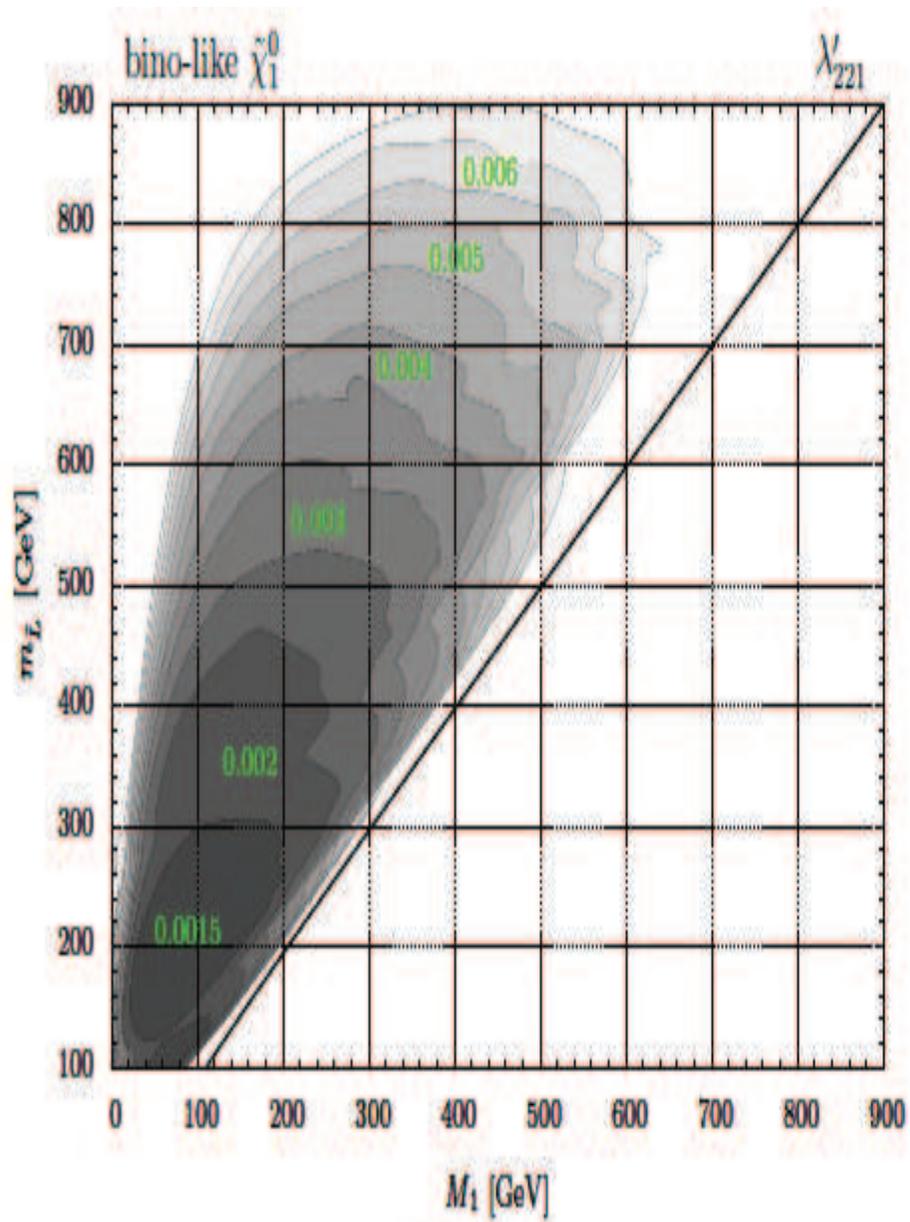
(b) Invariant mass distribution of the like-sign dimuon pairs.



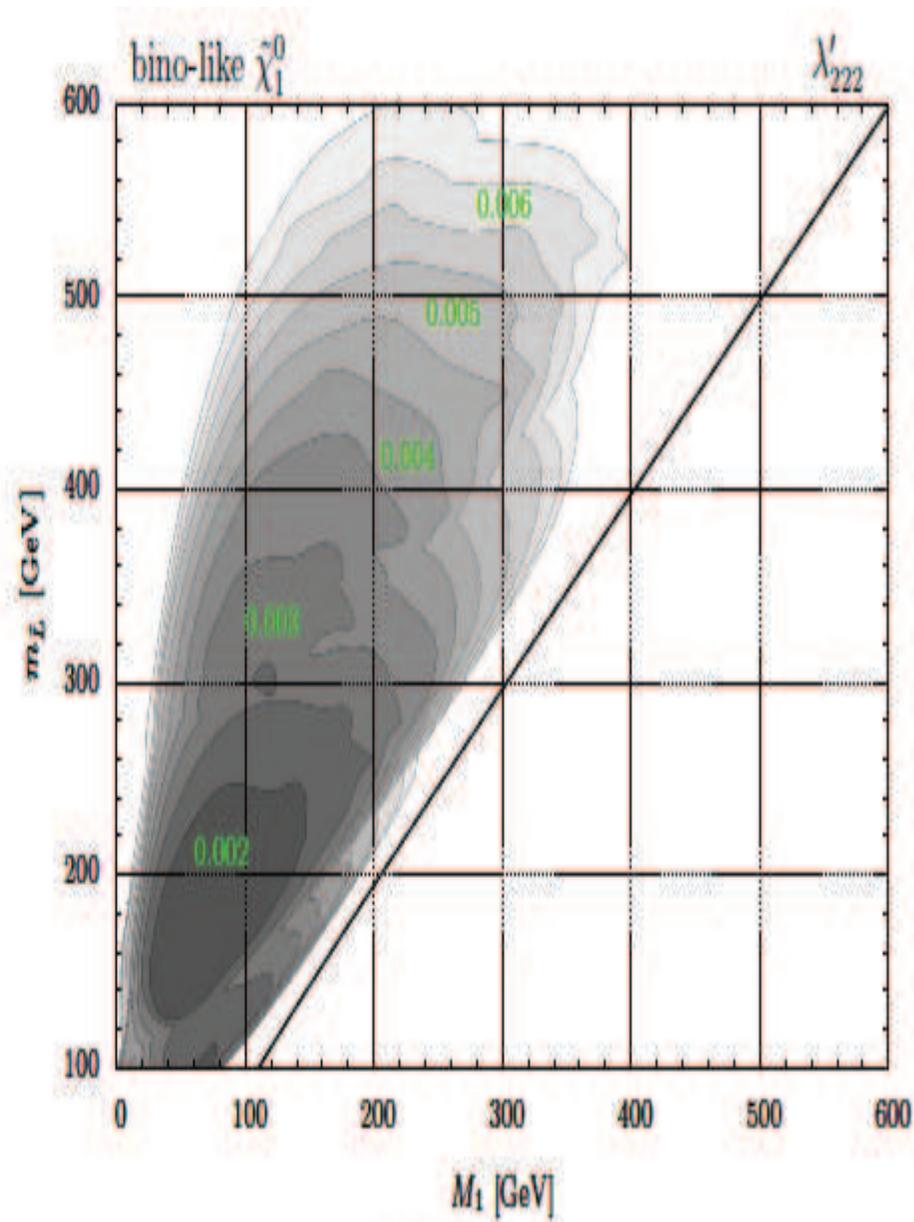
(a)  $\lambda'_{211}$ .



(b)  $\lambda'_{212}$ .



(c)  $\lambda'_{221}$ .



(d)  $\lambda'_{222}$ .

## Conclusions & Outlook

- Tried to argue that RPC and RPV equally well motivated
- Experimental effort almost exclusively on RPC so far
- Shown some simple well motivated signatures: multileptons, like-sign dileptons, dijet resonance bumps
- Compared resonant slepton production directly to existing ATLAS and CMS searches
- Outline of a top 10 list of signatures

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