

Light charged Higgs boson with dominant decay to  
quarks and its search at LHC and future colliders  
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# 1. Motivation

# Motivation of charged Higgs and MHDM(Multi-Higgs-Doublets-Model)

- A neutral-charged Spin 0 Higgs Boson has been detected at LHC
- Existence of Charged Higgs boson?

	SPIN 0	SPIN 1/2	SPIN 1
Charge 0	$H$	$\nu_e, \nu_\mu, \nu_\tau$	$\gamma, Z, g$
Charge $\pm 1$	$H^\pm ?$	$e^\pm, \mu^\pm, \tau^\pm, u, d, c, s, t, b$	$W^\pm$

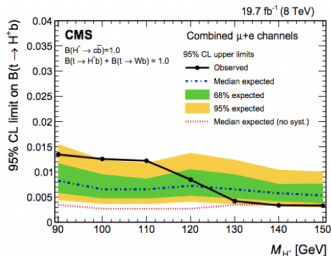
Reason for MHDM:

- Supersymmetry.
- Three generations of fermions. More generations (doublets) of scalars?
- Extra sources of CP-violation.

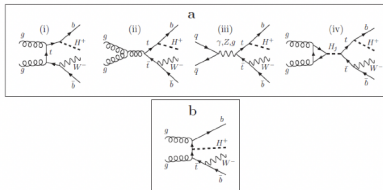
## 2.Charged Higgs Production

# Charged Higgs production mechanisms

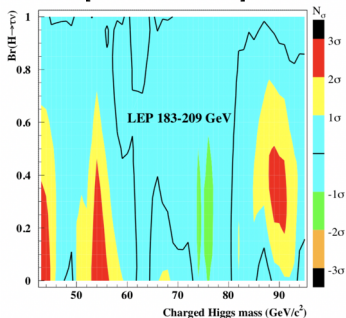
LHC [arXiv:1808.06575]



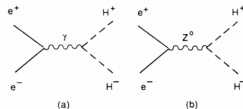
$gg, q\bar{q}, b\bar{b}(\rightarrow t\bar{t} \rightarrow b\bar{t}H^+) \rightarrow b\bar{b}W^-H^+$ ,  
 $gg(\rightarrow b\bar{t}H^+) \rightarrow b\bar{b}W^-H^+$



LEP [arXiv:1301.6065]



$e^+e^- \rightarrow H^+H^-$



## 3.2HDM (Two-Higgs-Doublet-Model)

# Charged Higgs in 2HDM

$$\Phi_1 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_1^+ \\ (v_1 + \phi_1^{0,r} + i\phi_1^{0,i})/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}, \quad \Phi_2 = \begin{pmatrix} \phi_2^+ \\ (v_2 + \phi_2^{0,r} + i\phi_2^{0,i})/\sqrt{2} \end{pmatrix}.$$

$$[v_1^2 + v_2^2 = v^2 = 2m_{Wg}^2]$$

- To prevent tree-level **Flavour-Changing-Neutral-Current**(FCNC), Glashow and Weinberg introduced **Natural Flavour Conservation** (NFC). [Glashow and Weinberg, Phys. Rev. D 15 (1977) 1958]

- Each Higgs field couples to one fermion type only with NFC.

$$\mathcal{L}_{H^\pm} = -H^+ \left\{ \frac{\sqrt{2}V_{ud}}{v} \bar{u}(m_d X P_R + m_u Y P_L)d + \frac{\sqrt{2}m_l}{v} Z \bar{\nu}_L l_R \right\} + H.c.$$

- Four types of 2HDM (without tree-level FCNC) [ $\tan\beta = \frac{v_2}{v_1}$ ]

	<b>X</b>	<b>Y</b>	<b>Z</b>
Type I	$-\cot\beta$	$\cot\beta$	$-\cot\beta$
Type II	$\tan\beta$	$\cot\beta$	$\tan\beta$
Lepton-specific	$-\cot\beta$	$\cot\beta$	$\tan\beta$
Flipped	$\tan\beta$	$\cot\beta$	$-\cot\beta$



## 4.3HDM (Three-Higgs-Doublet-Model)

# Charged Higgs in 3HDM

- Three isospin fields  $\Phi_i (i = 1, 2, 3)$  are introduced.
- Two physical charged Higgses ( $H_i^\pm, i = 2, 3$ ).
- The mass matrix of the charged scalars is diagonalized by the  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $U$  :  
[Akeroyd, AG, Moretti, S and Hernandez-Sanchez, arXiv:1203.5769]

$$\begin{pmatrix} G^+ \\ H_2^+ \\ H_3^+ \end{pmatrix} = U \begin{pmatrix} \phi_d^+ \\ \phi_u^+ \\ \phi_\ell^+ \end{pmatrix}.$$

- The Yukawa couplings  $X, Y, Z$  will depend on this  $3 \times 3$  matrix  $U$  rather than a single parameter  $\beta$  as in 2HDM.

## 5. Mixing matrix and Yukawa couplings

# Mixing matrix $U$ in 3HDM

- The matrix  $U$  can be written explicitly as a function of four parameters  $\tan \beta$ ,  $\tan \gamma$ ,  $\theta$ , and  $\delta$ , where

$$\tan \beta = v_2/v_1, \quad \tan \gamma = \sqrt{v_1^2 + v_2^2}/v_3.$$

- $v_1$ ,  $v_2$ , and  $v_3$  are the vacuum expectation values of the three Higgs doublets.
- $\theta$  is the mixing angle between light and heavy charged Higgses
- $\delta$  is the CP-violating phase.
- The explicit form of  $U$  given as :  
[Akeroyd, AG, Moretti, S and Hernandez-Sanchez, arXiv:1203.5769]

$$= \begin{pmatrix} s_\gamma c_\beta & s_\gamma s_\beta & c_\gamma \\ -c_\theta s_\beta e^{-i\delta} - s_\theta c_\gamma c_\beta & c_\theta c_\beta e^{-i\delta} - s_\theta c_\gamma s_\beta & s_\theta s_\gamma \\ s_\theta s_\beta e^{-i\delta} - c_\theta c_\gamma c_\beta & -s_\theta c_\beta e^{-i\delta} - c_\theta c_\gamma s_\beta & c_\theta s_\gamma \end{pmatrix}$$

Here  $s$ ,  $c$  denote the sine or cosine of the respective parameter.

# Yukawa Couplings of light charged Higgs in 3HDM

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} s_\gamma c_\beta & s_\gamma s_\beta & c_\gamma \\ -c_\theta s_\beta e^{-i\delta} - s_\theta c_\gamma c_\beta & c_\theta c_\beta e^{-i\delta} - s_\theta c_\gamma s_\beta & s_\theta s_\gamma \\ s_\theta s_\beta e^{-i\delta} - c_\theta c_\gamma c_\beta & -s_\theta c_\beta e^{-i\delta} - c_\theta c_\gamma s_\beta & c_\theta s_\gamma \end{pmatrix}$$

- Yukawa couplings are:

$$X = \frac{U_{d2}^\dagger}{U_{d1}^\dagger}, \quad Y = -\frac{U_{u2}^\dagger}{U_{u1}^\dagger}, \quad Z = \frac{U_{l2}^\dagger}{U_{l1}^\dagger}.$$

- Five versions of 3HDM with NFC.

	$u$	$d$	$l$
3HDM(Type I)	2	2	2
3HDM(Type II)	2	1	1
3HDM(Lepton-specific)	2	2	1
3HDM(Flipped)	2	1	2
3HDM(Democratic)	2	1	3

# Constraints on X,Y,Z

$$U = \begin{pmatrix} s_\gamma c_\beta & s_\gamma s_\beta & c_\gamma \\ -c_\theta s_\beta e^{-i\delta} - s_\theta c_\gamma c_\beta & c_\theta c_\beta e^{-i\delta} - s_\theta c_\gamma s_\beta & s_\theta s_\gamma \\ s_\theta s_\beta e^{-i\delta} - c_\theta c_\gamma c_\beta & -s_\theta c_\beta e^{-i\delta} - c_\theta c_\gamma s_\beta & c_\theta s_\gamma \end{pmatrix}$$

- The constraints on X and Y couplings come from  $Z \rightarrow b\bar{b}$  (LEP)
- $b \rightarrow s\gamma$  constrains the real part of  $(XY^*)$ . For  $m_{H^\pm} = 100$  GeV case: [Michael Trott, Mark B. Wise, arXiv:1009.2813v3]

$$-1.1 \leq \text{Re}(XY^*) \leq 0.7.$$

- The **Electric Dipole Moment** (EDM) of the neutron gives the following constraint for  $m_{H^\pm} = 100$  GeV :

$$\text{Im}(XY^*) \leq 0.1.$$

## 6.Numerical results

# Production of $H^\pm$ for $m_{H^\pm} < m_t$

- Tevatron searched for  $H^\pm$  using  $p\bar{p} \rightarrow t\bar{t}$  with one top quark decaying  $t \rightarrow W^\pm b$  and the other via  $t \rightarrow H^\pm b$

- $$\Gamma(t \rightarrow W^\pm b) = \frac{G_F m_t}{8\sqrt{2}\pi} [m_t^2 + 2M_W^2] [1 - M_W^2/m_t^2]^2$$

- $$\Gamma(t \rightarrow H^\pm b) = \frac{G_F m_t}{8\sqrt{2}\pi} [m_t^2 |Y|^2 + m_b^2 |X|^2] [1 - m_{H^\pm}^2/m_t^2]^2.$$

- $BR(t \rightarrow H^\pm b)$  depends on magnitudes of  $|X|, |Y|$



# Dominant decay products of $H^\pm$ for $m_{H^\pm} < m_t$

- For  $m_{H^\pm} > m_t$ ,  $H^\pm \rightarrow tb$  dominates for all 2HDMs and 3HDMs.
- Only focus on fermions by considering additional neutral Higgs bosons to be much heavier than  $H^\pm$ .

- $$\Gamma(H^\pm \rightarrow \ell^\pm \nu) = \frac{G_F m_{H^\pm} m_\ell^2 |Z|^2}{4\pi\sqrt{2}},$$

- $$\Gamma(H^\pm \rightarrow ud) = \frac{3G_F V_{ud} m_{H^\pm} (m_d^2 |X|^2 + m_u^2 |Y|^2)}{4\pi\sqrt{2}}.$$

- The mass of quarks are calculated at the scale of  $m_{H^\pm}$
- $|X| \gg |Y|, |Z|$ ,  $BR(H^\pm \rightarrow cb)$  could be dominant ( $\sim 80\%$ ).

# Dominant $cb$ decay from light $H^\pm$ in 3HDM

Benefit of  $cb$ :

- Main background is  $WW$ , and  $W^\pm \rightarrow cb$  is small due to small CKM matrix element ( $V_{cb} \approx 0.04$ ).
- Using b-tagging to select signal events and to suppress the background.

Results of study:

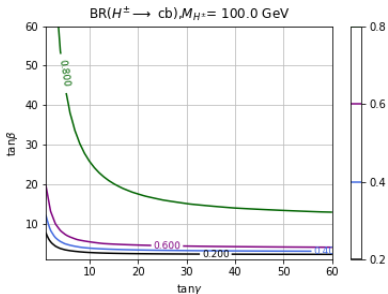
- Input fundamental parameters for  $X, Y, Z$  are varied as follows :

$$\begin{aligned} -\frac{\pi}{2} \leq \theta \leq 0 & , \quad 1 \leq \tan\beta \leq 60 \\ 0 \leq \delta \leq 2\pi & , \quad 1 \leq \tan\gamma \leq 60 \end{aligned}$$

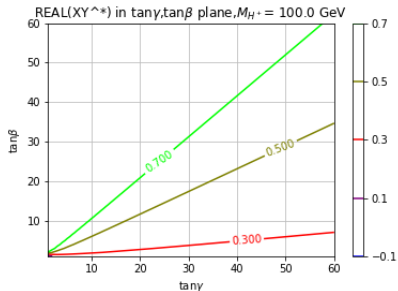
- 2 models (Flipped and Democratic) can have large  $BR(cb)$ .

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# Results for $BR(H^\pm \rightarrow cb)$ in Flipped 3HDM in $[\tan\beta, \tan\gamma]$ plane



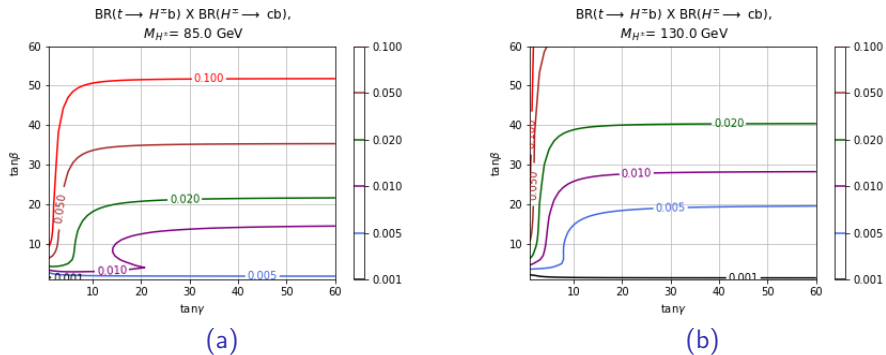
(a)



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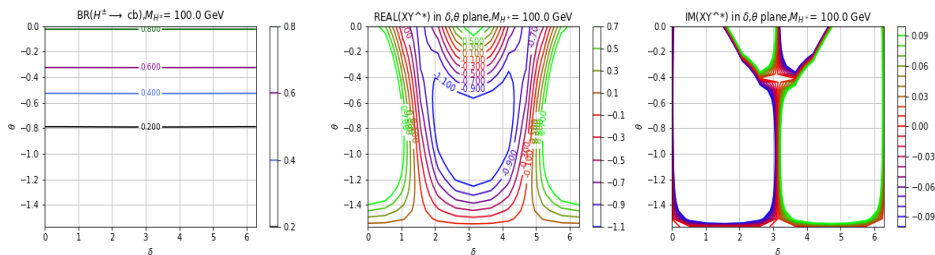
Figure: Branching ratio of  $H^\pm$  decay through  $cb$  channel with  $\theta = -\pi/3, \delta = 0, M_{H^\pm} = 100$  GeV in  $[\tan\beta, \tan\gamma]$  plane. **Left Panel**: Contours of  $BR(H^\pm \rightarrow cb)$ . **Right Panel**: Contours of  $Re(XY^*)$  ( $b \rightarrow s\gamma$  constraint).

# Results for $BR(t \rightarrow H^\pm b) \times BR(H^\pm \rightarrow cb)$ in Flipped 3HDM in $[\tan\beta, \tan\gamma]$ plane at LHC



**Figure:**  $BR(t \rightarrow H^\pm b) \times BR(H^\pm \rightarrow cb)$  in  $[\tan\beta, \tan\gamma]$  plane with  $\theta = -\pi/3, \delta = 0, M_{H^\pm} = 85, 130$  GeV. **Left Panel:**  $M_{H^\pm} = 85$  GeV in  $[\tan\beta, \tan\gamma]$  plane. **Right Panel:**  $M_{H^\pm} = 130$  GeV in  $[\tan\beta, \tan\gamma]$  plane.

# Results for $BR(H^\pm \rightarrow cb)$ in Democratic 3HDM in $[\delta, \theta]$ plane



**Figure:** Branching ratio of  $H^\pm$  decay through  $cb$  channel with  $\tan\beta = 40$ ,  $\tan\gamma = 10$ ,  $M_{H^\pm} = 100$  GeV in  $[\delta, \theta]$  plane. **Left Panel:** Contours of  $BR(H^\pm \rightarrow cb)$ . **Central Panel:** Contours of  $Re(XY^*)$  in  $[\delta, \theta]$  plane ( $b \rightarrow s\gamma$  constraint). **Right Panel:** Contours of  $Im(XY^*)$  in  $[\delta, \theta]$  plane (EDM constraint).

## 7. Collider Searches and Detection Prospects







# Collider Searches and Detection Prospects on charged Higgs

- Tevatron set the limit on  $80 \text{ GeV} \leq m_{H^\pm} \leq 90 \text{ GeV}$  :  
[DØ , Physics Letters B 682 (2009) 278286]  $BR(t \rightarrow H^\pm b) < 0.21$   
for  $50\% \leq BR(H^\pm \rightarrow cs) \leq 100\%$
- At LHC, no current sensitivity for  $80 \text{ GeV} \leq m_{H^\pm} \leq 90 \text{ GeV}$ .
- LEP2 searches found a  $2\sigma$  excess of events around  $m_{H^\pm} = 89 \text{ GeV}$ .
- Production of  $H^\pm$  at LHC depends on magnitude of  $|X|, |Y|$ .
- Production of  $H^\pm$  at  $e^+e^-$  colliders does not depend on magnitude of  $|X|, |Y|$ .
- FCC-ee, CEPC, and  $e^+e^-$  Linear Collider (ILC) could be used to discover  $H^\pm$  with small  $|X|, |Y|$  in region  $80 \text{ GeV} \leq m_{H^\pm} \leq 90 \text{ GeV}$  (which would escape detection at LHC).

- We have studied the lightest charged Higgs in 3HDM with  $m_{H^\pm} < m_t$ .
- Two types of 3HDM (Flipped and Democratic) can have large  $BR(H^\pm \rightarrow cb)$ .
- First search for  $t$  to  $H^\pm b$  followed by  $H^\pm$  to  $cb$  carried out at LHC recently (August, 2018), with limits for  $90 \text{ GeV} \leq m_{H^\pm} \leq 150 \text{ GeV}$ .
- Currently no sensitivity to  $80 \text{ GeV} \leq m_{H^\pm} \leq 90 \text{ GeV}$ , but sensitivity expected in the future.
- If light  $H^\pm$  with small  $|X|, |Y|$  escapes detection at LHC, then it will be discovered at future  $e^+e^-$  colliders.



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