

# BSM with explicitly broken custodial symmetry

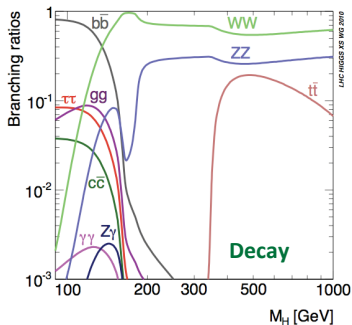
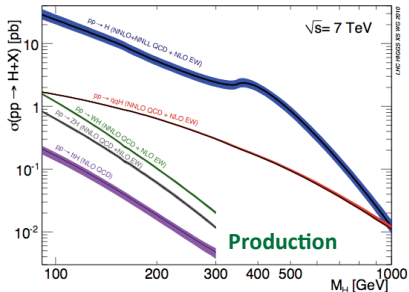
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# Higgs@LHC



Cross sections and BR  
from the LHC cross section working group:

# Experimental Results

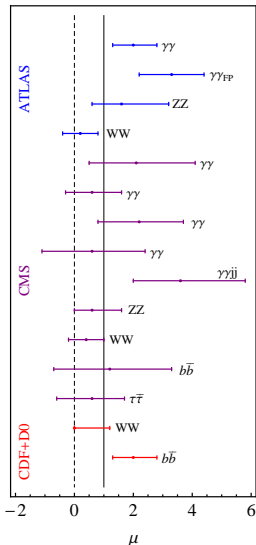
Experimental Results in terms of:

$$\mu = \frac{(\sigma_{prod} \times BR)^{obs}}{(\sigma_{prod} \times BR)^{SM}}$$

Higgs hints @ 125 GeV

Trends:

- $WW$  vs  $ZZ$
- enhanced  $\gamma\gamma$  channels
- enhanced VBF



# Lagrangian

Useful recipe for model independent parametrization:

- Take the chiral lagrangian

$$\mathcal{L} = \frac{v^2}{4} \text{Tr} \left[ (D_\mu \Sigma)^\dagger (D^\mu \Sigma) \right] - \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{i,j} \left( \bar{u}_L^{(i)} d_L^{(i)} \right) \Sigma \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_{ij}^u u_R^{(j)} \\ \lambda_{ij}^d d_R^{(j)} \end{pmatrix} + \text{h.c.}$$

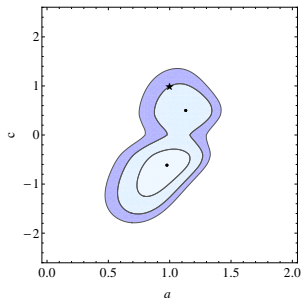
- Add a scalar resonance  $h$

$$\mathcal{L}_h = \frac{1}{2} (\partial_\mu h)^2 - V(h) + \frac{v^2}{4} \text{Tr} \left[ (D_\mu \Sigma)^\dagger (D^\mu \Sigma) \right] \left( 1 + 2a \frac{h}{v} + b \frac{h^2}{v^2} + \dots \right) \\ - \frac{v}{\sqrt{2}} \sum_{i,j} \left( \bar{u}_L^i d_L^i \right) \Sigma \left( 1 + c \frac{h}{v} + c_2 \frac{h^2}{v^2} + \dots \right) \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_{ij}^u u_R^j \\ \lambda_{ij}^d d_R^j \end{pmatrix} + \text{h.c.}$$

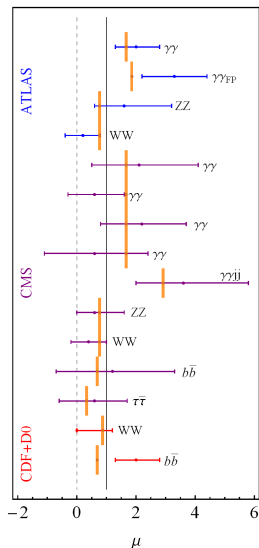
(SM retrieved by  $a = b = c = 1$ ,  $c_2 = 0$  and vanishing terms of higher order in  $h$ )

# Fit results

- $\chi^2 = 9.7$  for 13 d.o.f
- Best fit for  $c < 0$   
 $(\Gamma_{\gamma\gamma} \propto |aA_W - cA_t|^2)$



Further reading:  
 1202.3144, 1202.3415, 1202.3697, 1203.4254...



## Custodial breaking term

- In principle the chiral Lagrangian could contain an additional term

$$v^2 \left( \text{Tr} \left[ \Sigma^\dagger D_\mu \Sigma \sigma^3 \right] \right)^2$$

- Gauge invariant but explicitly breaking custodial symmetry  $\Rightarrow$  large deviations from  $\rho = 1$ .  
Its coefficient has to be very small  $O(10^{-3})$

## Custodial breaking term

- Introduce custodial breaking coupling by

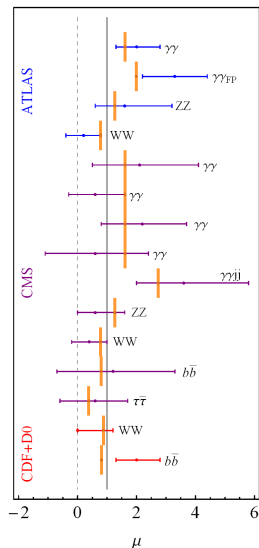
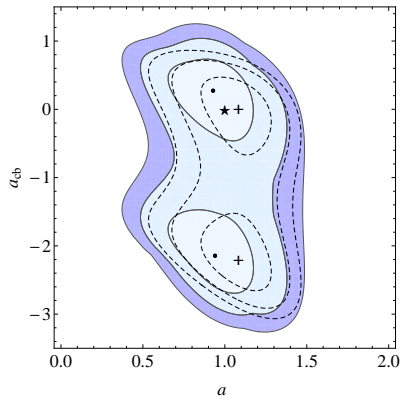
$$\mathcal{L}_{cb} = -\frac{v^2}{8} \left( \text{Tr} \left[ \Sigma^\dagger D_\mu \Sigma \sigma^3 \right] \right)^2 \left( 0 + 2a_{cb} \frac{h}{v} + \dots \right),$$

- Quadratic divergences require new light degrees of freedom
- In the unitary gauge

$$\mathcal{L}_{hVV} = \left[ a m_W^2 W_\mu^+ W_\mu^- + \frac{1}{2} (a + a_{cb}) m_Z^2 Z_\mu Z_\mu \right] \left( 2 \frac{h}{v} \right)$$

# Custodial breaking fit results

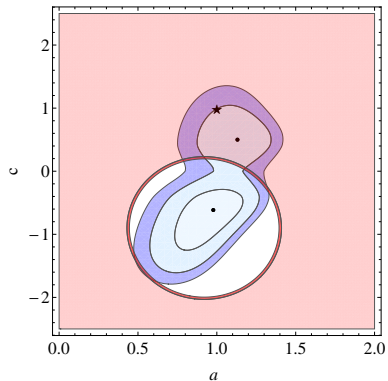
- $\chi^2 = 9.2$  for 13 d.o.f
- Two degenerate best fit points  
 $a_{cb} \geq 0$



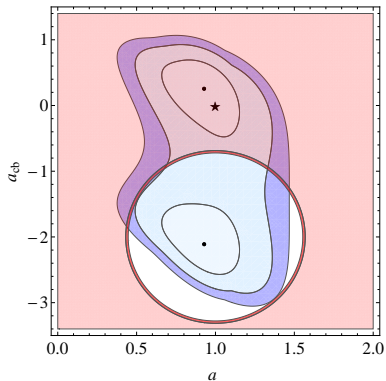


# Higgs Diseases

## DysFermiophilia



## DysZphilia



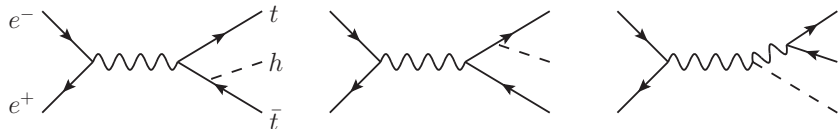
## Testing the sign

We are interested in a sign flip  $a + a_{cb} \gtrless 0$  (or  $c \gtrless 0$ ).

We need:

- Interference between diagrams with and without the  $hZZ$  vertex
- Separation of the  $\gtrless 0$  cases bigger than both experimental and theoretical uncertainties
- Linear colliders are perfect for precision measurements ( $g_{hZZ}$  and  $g_{hWW}$  measured at 1%)
- We assume  $|\delta a|, |\delta(a + a_{cb})| \sim 1\%$

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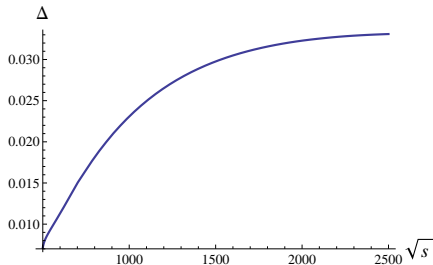
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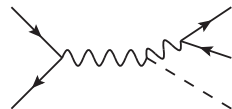
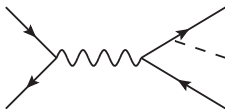
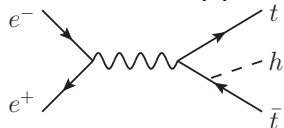
with  $\sigma_{int}$  few percent.

Defining

$$\Delta = \left| \frac{\sigma_+ - \sigma_-}{\sigma_+ + \sigma_-} \right|$$



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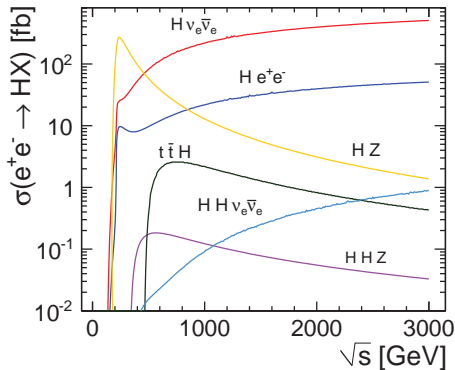
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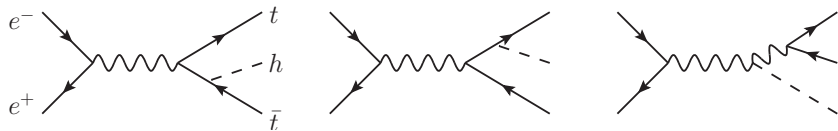
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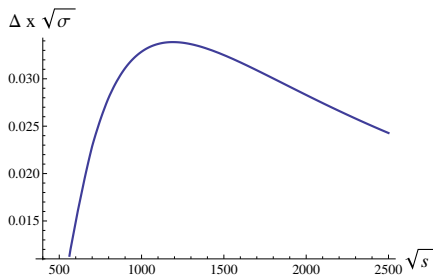
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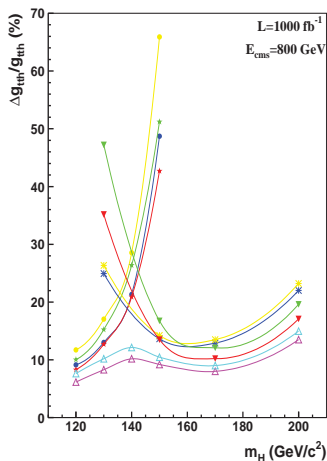
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On the experimental side



- At ILC with  $\sqrt{s} = 800 \text{ GeV}$  and with  $1000 \text{ fb}^{-1}$

$$g_{tth} \sim 6\%$$

- Translating in cross section

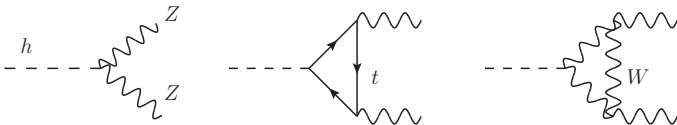
$$\Delta\sigma \sim 10 - 12\%$$

- Versus  $\Delta \sim 3 - 4\%$

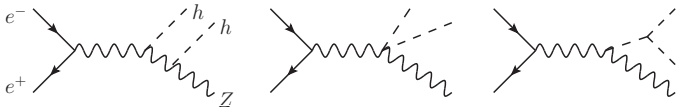
## Other tests

Other tests are possible and should help shedding light

- Higgs width in  $ZZ \Rightarrow \Delta = \left| \frac{\Gamma_Z^+ - \Gamma_Z^-}{\Gamma_Z^+ + \Gamma_Z^-} \right| = \delta \approx 1\%$



- $e^+e^- \rightarrow Zh h \Rightarrow \Delta = \left| \frac{\sigma_+ - \sigma_-}{\sigma_+ + \sigma_-} \right| \approx 50\%$



# Conclusions

- First hints of Higgs at LHC and Tevatron may point to non-standard couplings
- The Higgs could have contracted a disease like dysZphilia (or dysfermiophylia)
- Lepton colliders are crucial to test the symptoms