

# Little Higgs Model and its phenomenology

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# §1. Introduction

⊙ New Physics  $\longrightarrow$  Higgs sector, etc.

Higgs mass

self-coupling, yukawa, etc.

★ Various models estimate  $m_H$ :

- |   |                |                                       |              |                                |
|---|----------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------|
| ○ | MSSM           | $m_H \lesssim 130 \text{ GeV}$        | $\Leftarrow$ | symmetry                       |
| ○ | Little Higgs   | $m_H \sim \mathcal{O}(200\text{GeV})$ | $\Leftarrow$ | symmetry                       |
| ○ | Top-condensate | $m_H \sim \sqrt{2}m_t$                | $\Leftarrow$ | quasi-IR fixed point<br>of RGE |
|   | ⋮              |                                       |              |                                |

● Little Higgs models are based on the idea,

Higgs as the pseudo Nambu-Goldstone boson.

# Cancellation of quadratic divergence

SUSY

Fermion-loops cancel  $\Lambda^2$  of boson-loops thanks to the opposite spin statistics.



Fermion



Boson



Fermion



Fermion

⊕ 1-loop



Boson



Fermion



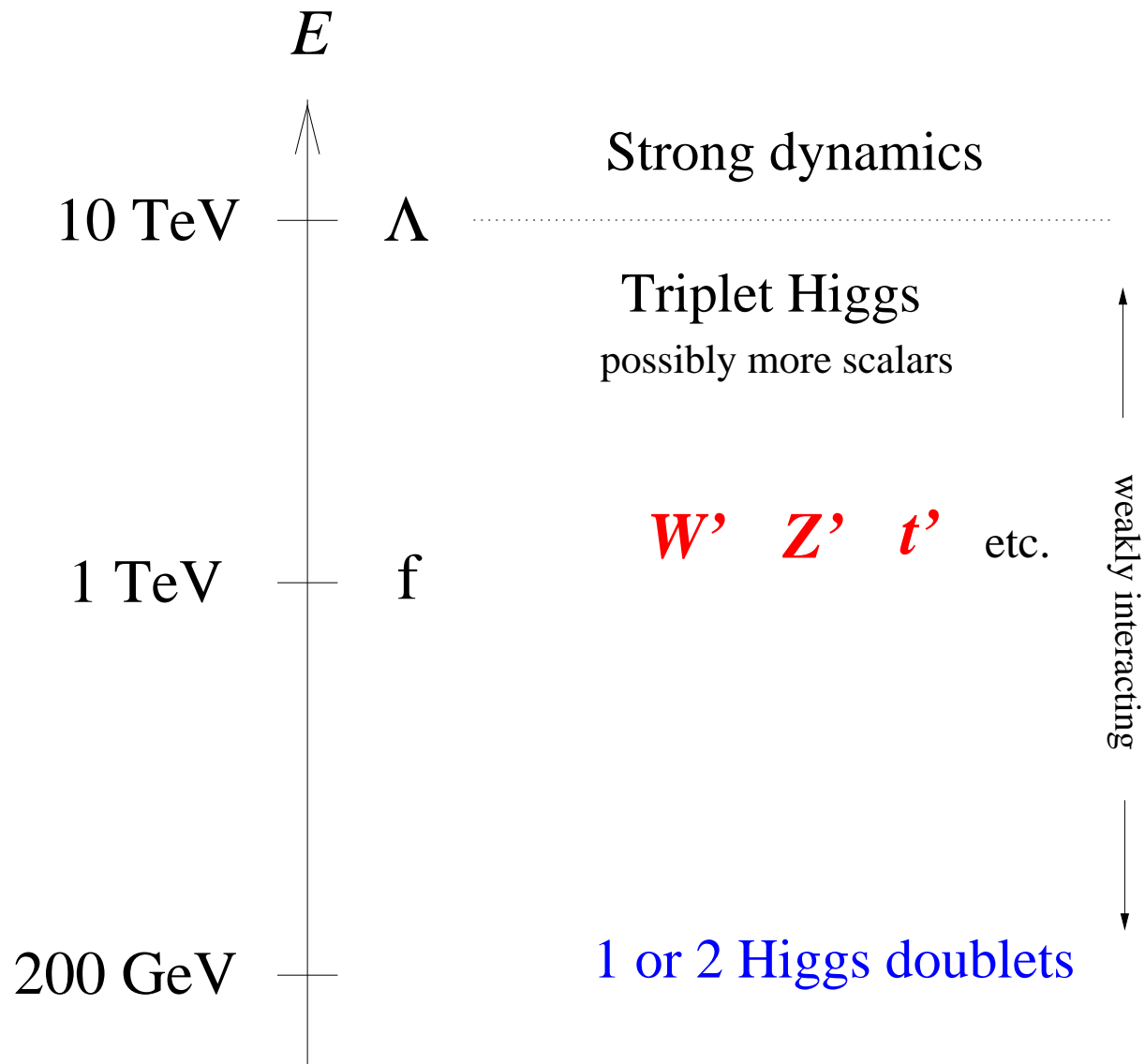
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# Mass spectrum for Little Higgs models



## §2. The Littlest Higgs model

N.Arkani-Hamed, A.G.Cohen, E.Katz, and A.E.Nelson, JHEP 0207, 034 (2002).

- For the little higgs mechanism, we need  $W^a, W'^a, B, B', \dots$ ,  
i.e., our global symmetry group  $G$  must contain

$$G \supset G_1 \times G_2 \equiv [SU(2) \times U(1)]^2. \quad \dots \quad \text{rank 4}$$

- We may take  $G = SU(5)$  and consider the symmetry breaking pattern:

$$SU(5) \rightarrow SO(5)$$

- A convenient basis for the breaking is characterized by the direction  $\Sigma_0$ ,

$$\Sigma_0 = \begin{pmatrix} & & \mathbf{1} \\ & 1 & \\ \mathbf{1} & & \end{pmatrix}.$$

- We embed the gauge generators of  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  into the global  $SU(5)$ :

$$Q_1^a = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma^a/2 \\ \\ \\ \\ \end{pmatrix}, \quad Q_2^a = \begin{pmatrix} \\ \\ \\ -\sigma^{a*}/2 \\ \end{pmatrix},$$

$$Y_1 = \text{diag}(-3, -3, 2, 2, 2)/10, \quad Y_2 = \text{diag}(-2, -2, -2, 3, 3)/10.$$

★ We will find

$$[SU(2) \times U(1)]^2 \xrightarrow{\Sigma_0} SU(2)_L \times U(1)_Y \quad (\text{SM gauge group})$$

- The non-linear sigma model based on  $SU(5)/SO(5)$  has 14 NG bosons:

$$\underbrace{\mathbf{1}_0 \oplus \mathbf{3}_0}_{\text{eaten by } W'^a, B'} \oplus \underbrace{\mathbf{2}_{\pm 1/2} \oplus \mathbf{3}_{\pm 1}}_{10 \text{ NG bosons}}$$

Non-linear sigma field

$$\Sigma = e^{2i\Pi/f} \Sigma_0, \quad \Pi = \begin{pmatrix} \mathbf{0}_{2 \times 2} & h^\dagger / \sqrt{2} & \phi^\dagger \\ h / \sqrt{2} & \mathbf{0}_{1 \times 1} & h^* / \sqrt{2} \\ \phi & h^T / \sqrt{2} & \mathbf{0}_{2 \times 2} \end{pmatrix},$$

$$h = (h^+, h^0), \quad \phi = \begin{pmatrix} \phi^{++} & \phi^+ / \sqrt{2} \\ \phi^+ / \sqrt{2} & \phi^0 \end{pmatrix}.$$

Under the global  $SU(5)$ ,  $\Sigma$  transforms as  $\Sigma \rightarrow \Sigma' = g\Sigma g^T$ ,  $g \in SU(5)$ .

# The Littlest Higgs model @tree

$$\mathcal{L}_0 = \mathcal{L}_K + \mathcal{L}_t + \mathcal{L}_\psi$$

- $\mathcal{L}_K$ : kinetic term

$$\mathcal{L}_K = \frac{f^2}{4} \text{tr} |D_\mu \Sigma|^2 + (\text{fermion}) + (\text{gauge}) + \dots ,$$

$$D\Sigma = \partial\Sigma - \sum_{j=1}^2 \{ ig_j W_j^a (Q_j^a \Sigma + \Sigma Q_j^{aT}) + ig'_j B_j (Y_j \Sigma + \Sigma Y_j^T) \} .$$

- $\mathcal{L}_t$ : yukawa sector for  $t$  and  $t'$

$$\mathcal{L}_t = \frac{\lambda_1}{2} f \epsilon_{ijk} \epsilon_{xy} \chi_i \Sigma_{jx} \Sigma_{ky} t^c + \lambda_2 f t' t'^c + (\text{h.c.}) ,$$

$$\chi_i = (b \ t \ t'), \quad i, j, k = 1, 2, 3, \quad x, y = 4, 5$$

- $\mathcal{L}_\psi$ : yukawa sector for other fermions

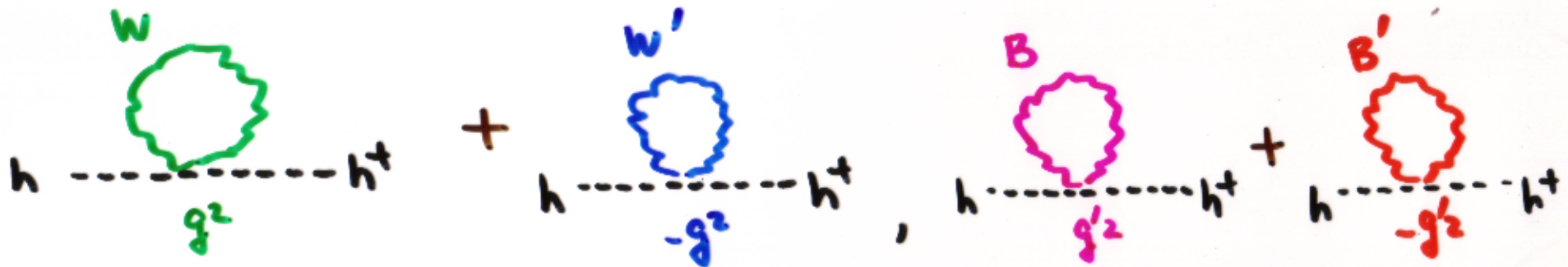


## Gauge-Higgs coupling

$$\begin{aligned}\mathcal{L}_{h2} &= \frac{1}{4}h (g_1 g_2 W_1^a W_2^a + g'_1 g'_2 B_1 B_2) h^\dagger \\ &= \frac{1}{4}h [g^2 (W^a W^a - W'^a W'^a) + g'^2 (BB - B'B')] h^\dagger\end{aligned}$$



No quadratic divergence!!

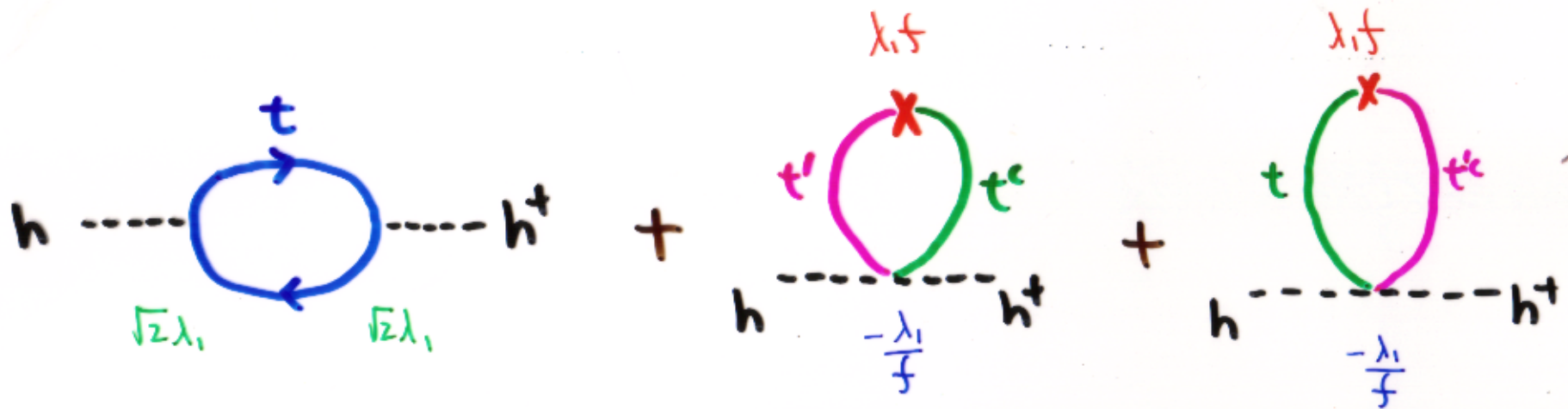


★ No cancellation mechanism for  $\phi$ -part

## yukawa sector

$$\mathcal{L}_t = \sqrt{2}\lambda_1 q_3 h t^c + \lambda_1 f t' t^c - \frac{\lambda_1}{f} h h^\dagger t' t^c + \dots$$

⇒ No quadratic divergence!!



## Mass spectrum @tree

$$M_{W'} = \frac{f}{2} \sqrt{g_1^2 + g_2^2}, \quad M_{B'} = \frac{f}{2\sqrt{5}} \sqrt{g_1'^2 + g_2'^2}, \quad M_{t'} = f \sqrt{\lambda_1^2 + \lambda_2^2}$$

- By using SM couplings, we obtain the relations

$$\frac{1}{g_1^2} + \frac{1}{g_2^2} = \frac{1}{g_{\text{SM}}^2} \simeq 0.43, \quad \frac{1}{g_1'^2} + \frac{1}{g_2'^2} = \frac{1}{g_{\text{SM}}'^2} \simeq 0.12, \quad \frac{1}{\lambda_1^2} + \frac{1}{\lambda_2^2} \simeq \frac{v^2}{m_t^2},$$

- ★ Combining the perturbative bound,  $g_1^2 < 4\pi, \dots$ , we find approximately

$$0.7 \lesssim M_{W'}/f \lesssim 1.8,$$

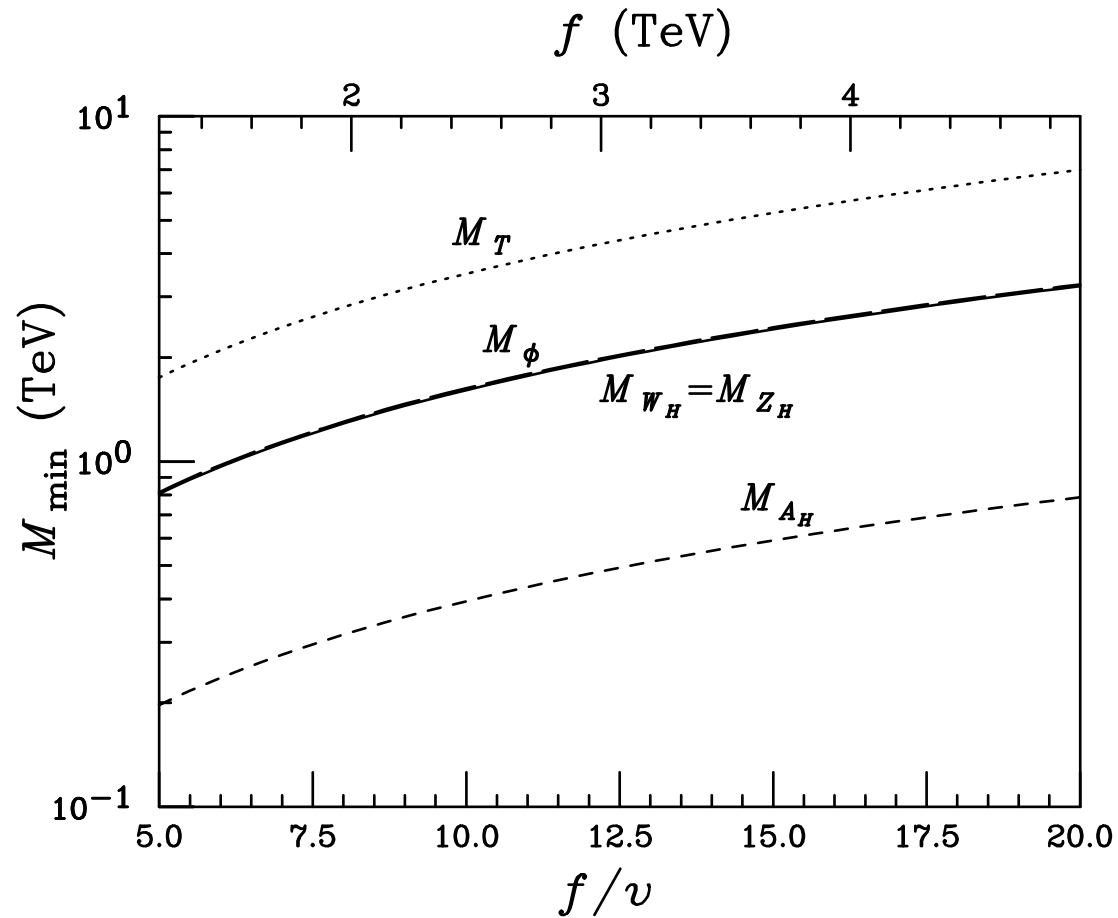
$$0.2 \lesssim M_{B'}/f \lesssim 0.8,$$

$$1.4 \lesssim M_{t'}/f \lesssim 3.5.$$

- ⊙ Naturalness requires  $f \sim \mathcal{O}(1\text{TeV})$ .

# Theoretical lower bounds for the heavy state masses

T.Han, et.al, PRD67(2003)095004.



$$1/10 < g_2/g_1 < 2, \quad 1/10 < g'_1/g'_2 < 2$$

## Higgs potential @1-loop

- The Higgs potential is obtained from the Coleman-Weinberg potential:

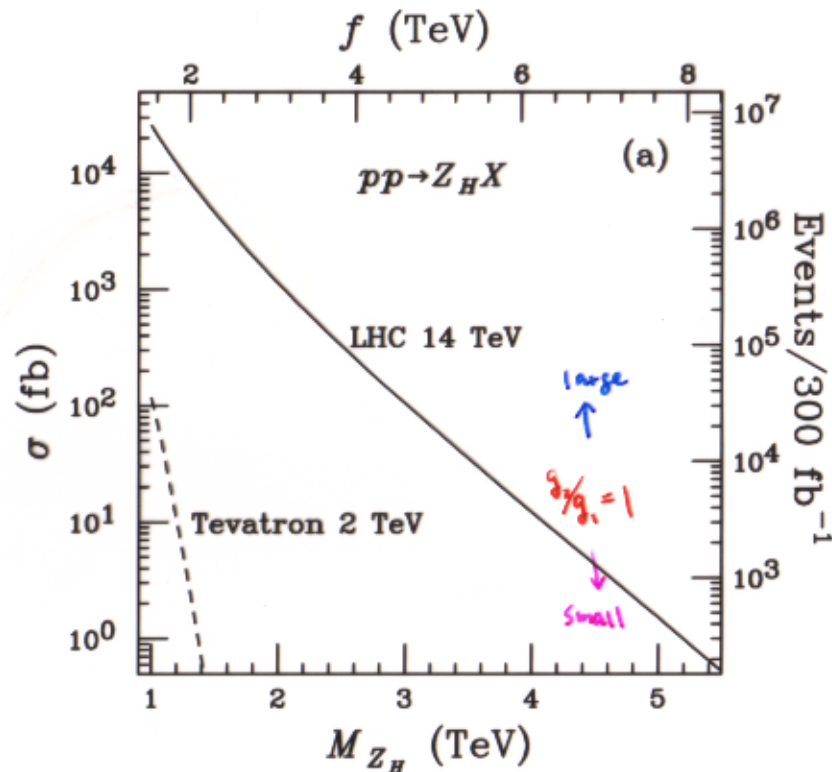
$$V_1 = \frac{\Lambda^2}{(4\pi)^2} M_V^2 + \frac{3}{64\pi^2} M_V^4 \log M_V^2 / \Lambda^2 - \frac{3}{64\pi^2} M_f^4 \log M_f^2 / \Lambda^2$$

- The quartic coupling for the higgs is determined by the gauge couplings.
- The negative mass squared of the higgs comes from the fermion loop.
- The triplet higgs also has the VEV proportional to  $v^2/f^2$ .

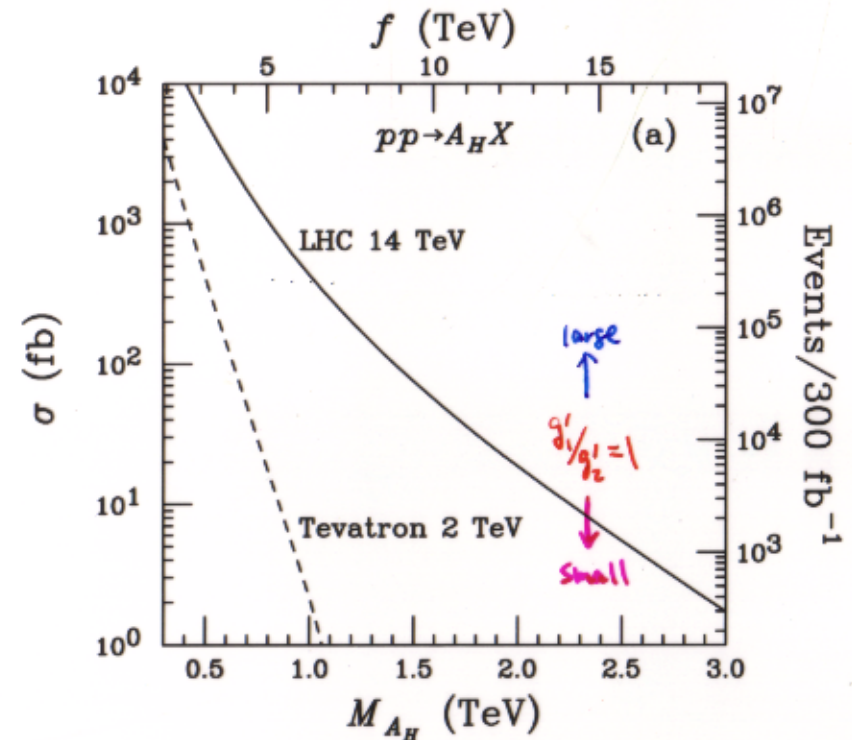
### §3. Search for $W', Z', t', \dots$ at LHC

- Production via the Drell-Yan process,  $q\bar{q}' \rightarrow Z', A'$

T.Han, et.al, PRD67(2003)095004.



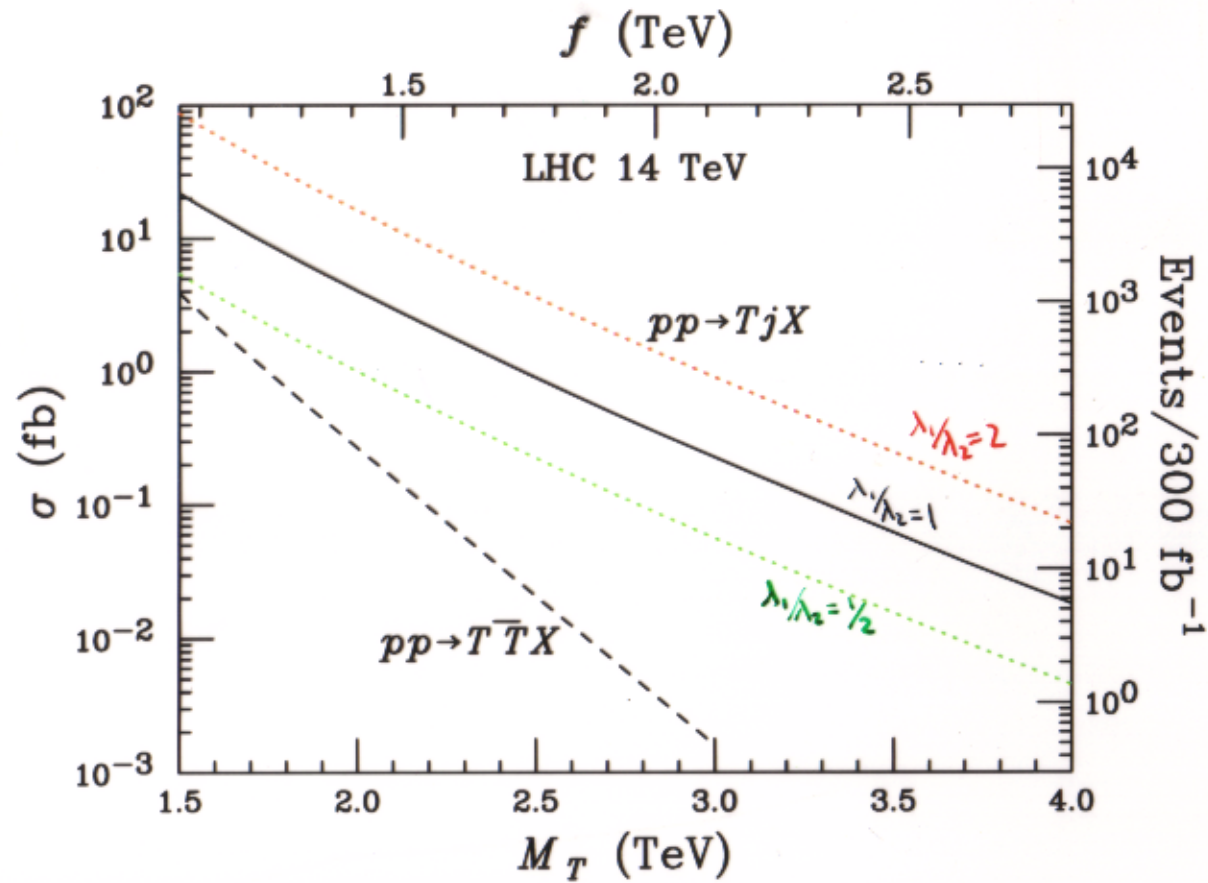
$$\text{Br}(Z' \rightarrow l^+ l^-) \sim 0.1$$



$$\text{Br}(A' \rightarrow l^+ l^-) \sim 0.4$$

- Single  $t'$  production via  $qb \rightarrow q't'$

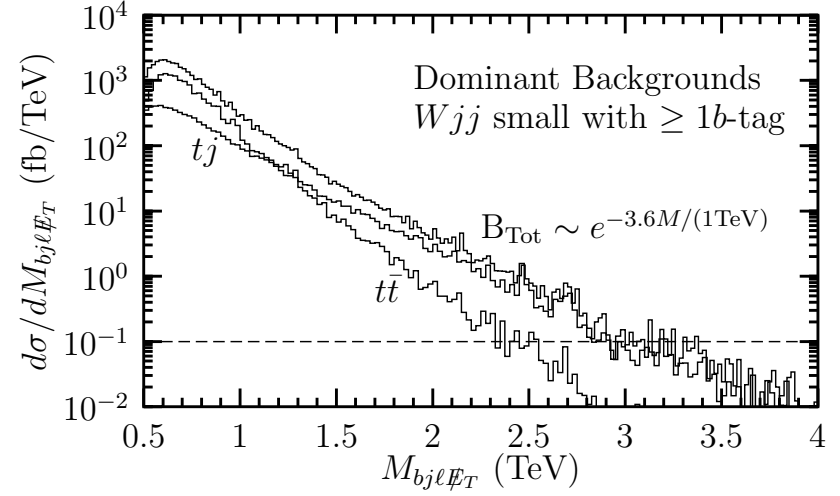
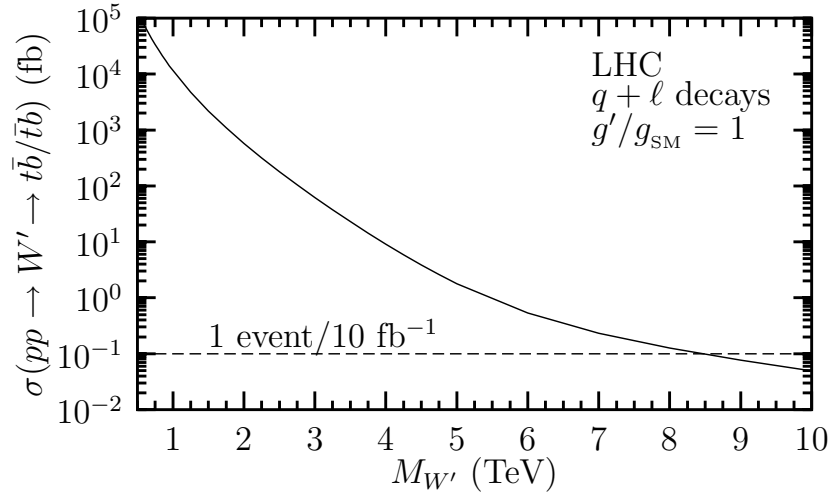
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$$V_{t'b} = \frac{\lambda_1}{\lambda_2} \cdot \frac{m_c}{m_t} \cdot V_{cb}^{SM}$$

- Search for  $W'$  via  $pp \rightarrow W' \rightarrow t\bar{b}/\bar{t}b$

Z. Sullivan, hep-ph/0306266.

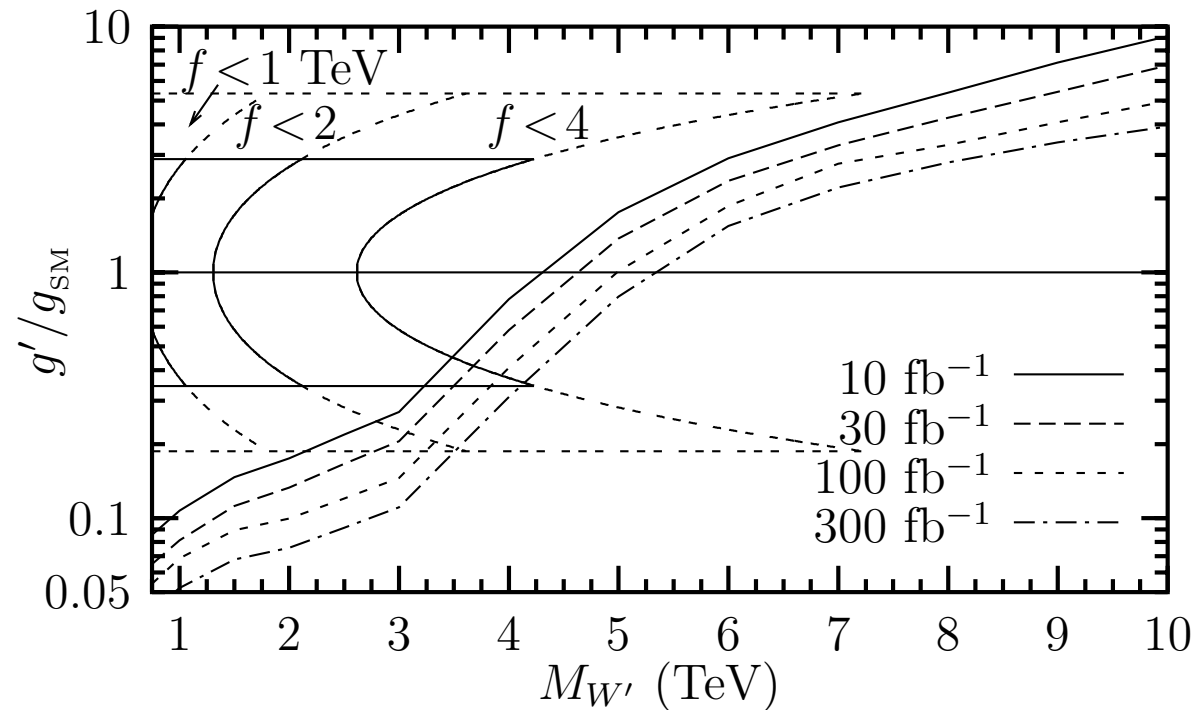


$$\mathcal{L}_{\text{int}} = \frac{g'}{2\sqrt{2}} V_{ij} W'_\mu \bar{q}_L^i \gamma^\mu q^j, \quad g' = g_1/g_2 \quad \text{for LH}$$



★ 95 % C.L. exclusion reach at LHC and predictions of  $M_{W'}$  in the LH model

Z. Sullivan, hep-ph/0306266.



- dot-dashed contours: maximally allowed parameter space,  

$$0.187 < g'/g_{\text{SM}} < 5.34$$
- solid contours: perturbative parameter space,  $\alpha_i \equiv g_i^2/(4\pi) < 1/\pi$

## §4. EW precision tests for the littlest higgs

- The littlest higgs model leads to dangerous operators such as

$$W - W', Z - W'^3, B' \text{ mixing} \quad \rightarrow \quad S, T$$

$$t_L - t'_L \text{ mixing} \quad \rightarrow \quad T$$

$$\langle \phi \rangle \neq 0 \quad \rightarrow \quad T$$

- ★ The symmetry breaking scale is bounded by

$$f > 4\text{TeV} \quad 95 \% \text{ C.L.}$$

C.Csaki, J.Hubisz, G.D.Kribs, P.Meade, J.Terning, PRD67, 115002 (2003).

- ★ In a similar analysis, the constraints are found as

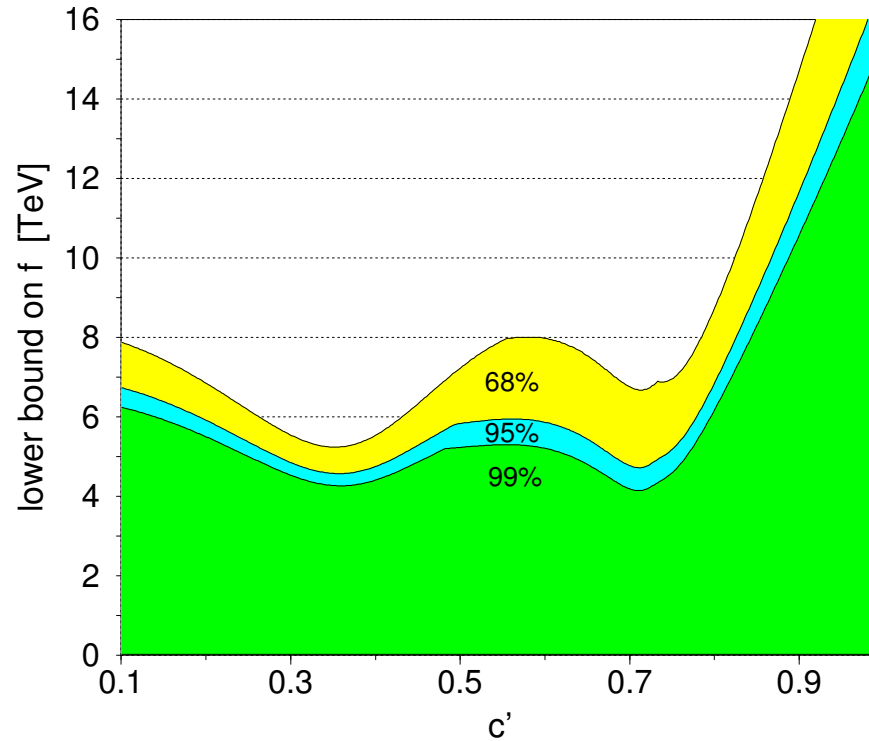
$$f \gtrsim 3.5\text{TeV} \quad m_{t'} \gtrsim 10\text{TeV}.$$

J.L.Hewett, F.J.Petriello, T.G.Rizzoet, hep-ph/0211218.

→ These bounds imply that one would need significantly fine tuning to get  $m_H$  as light as 200 GeV.

## Excluded parameter region for $f$

C.Csaki, et. al, PRD67, 115002 (2003).



$$c = g_{\text{SM}}/g_2, \quad c' = g'_{\text{SM}}/g'_2$$

★ The parameter  $c$  was allowed to vary between  $0.1 < c < 0.995$ .

## §5. Summary

★ Little Higgs Mechanism: New idea for stabilizing  $m_H$  around the weak scale

Particles of the same spin cancel the quadratic divergence at 1-loop.

★ The Littlest Higgs Model:  $SU(5)/SO(5)$

→ The heavy particles such as  $W', t'$  should lie around the TeV scale.

→ We can study them at LHC.

→ However, this model is constrained by the precision data.

★ Various little higgs models unconstrained by the current data

have been proposed by several authors:

$$SU(6)/Sp(6), \quad SU(4)^4/SU(3)^4, \quad SU(9)/SU(8), \dots$$

→ Their models contain 2 Higgs doublets and so on.