The Electroweak Phase Transition: A Collider Target

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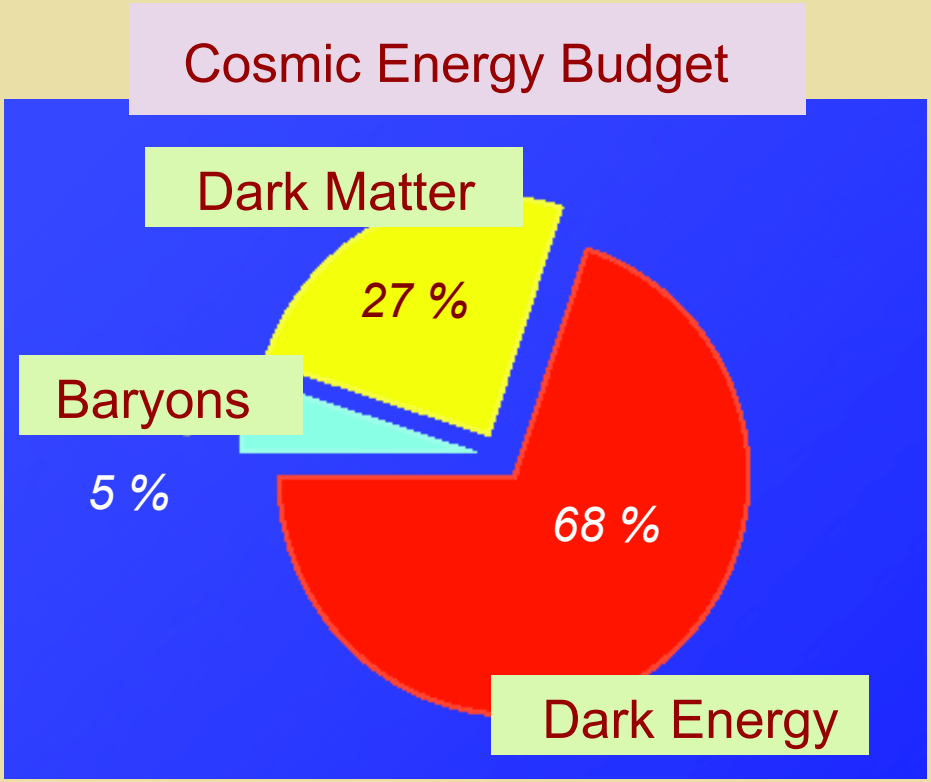

What can the LHC & future colliders teach us about open questions in cosmology ?

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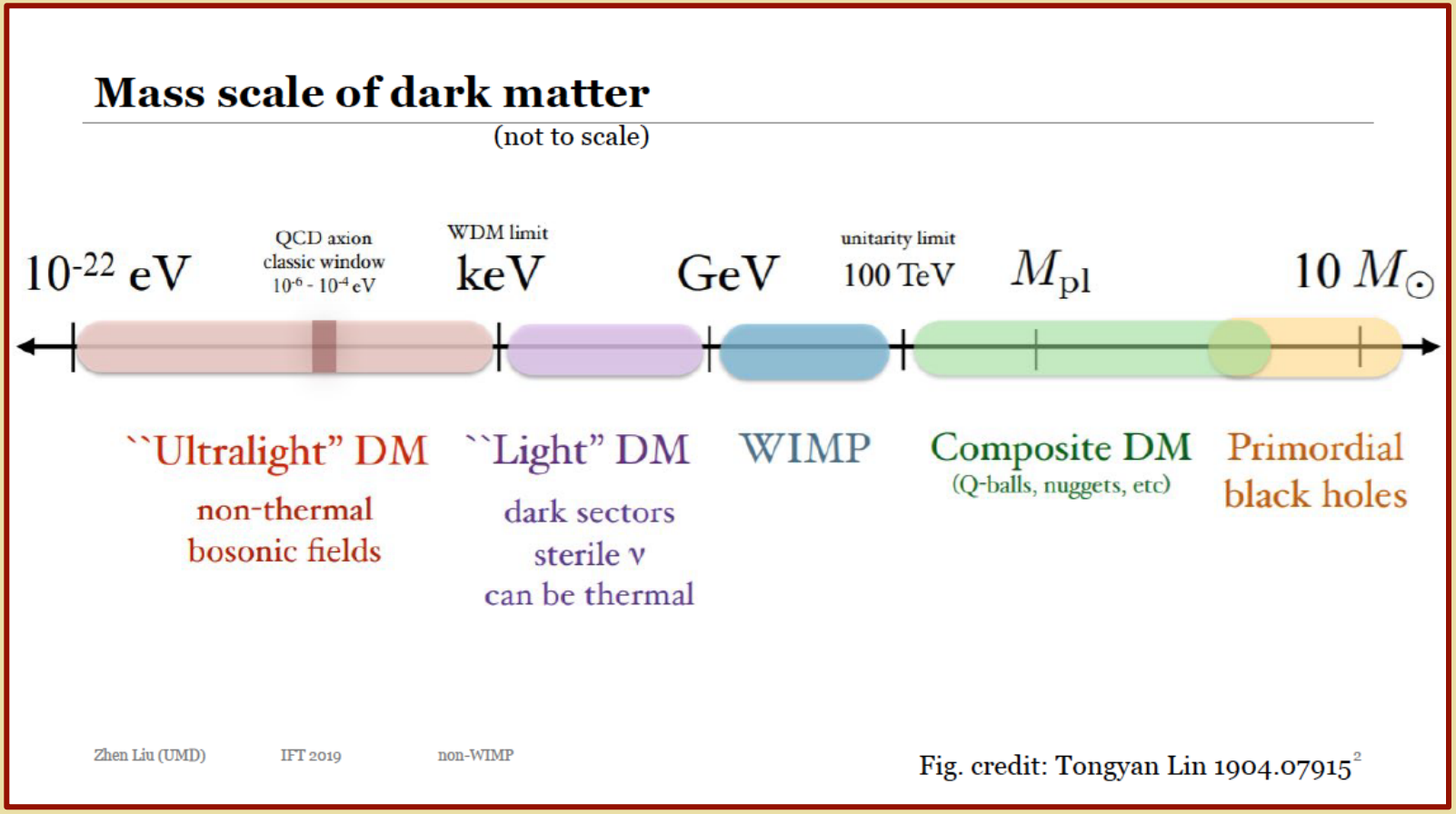

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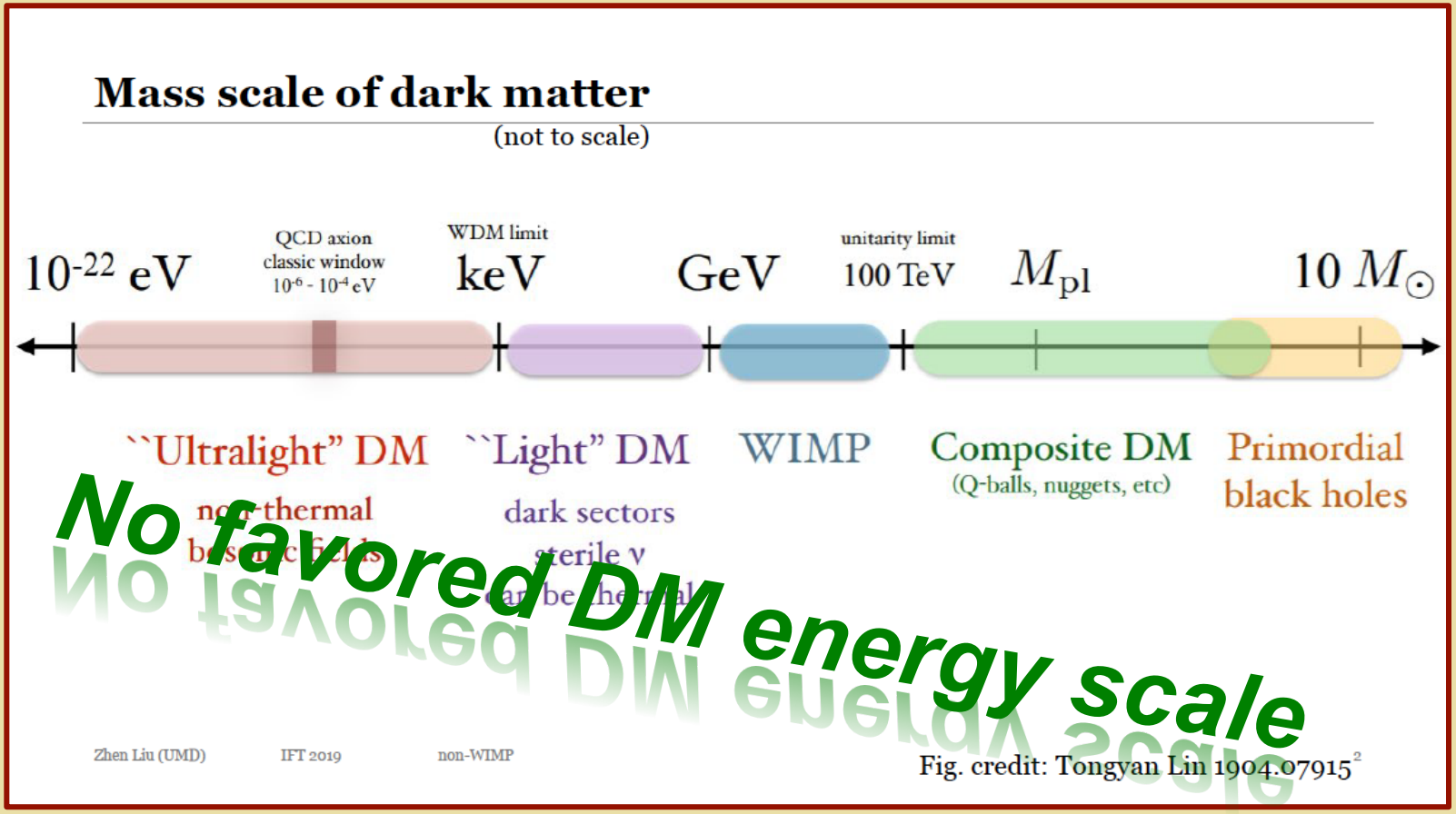

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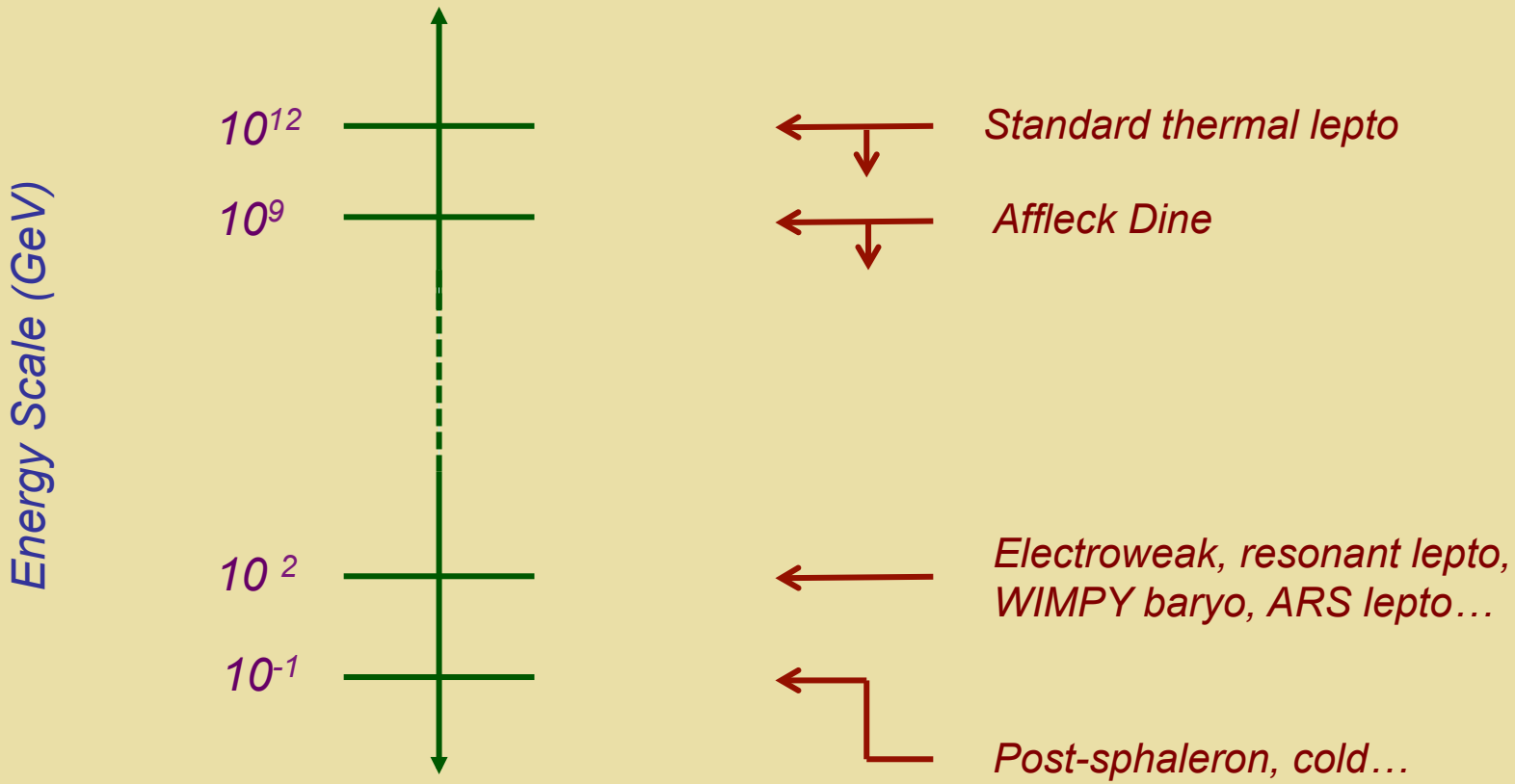

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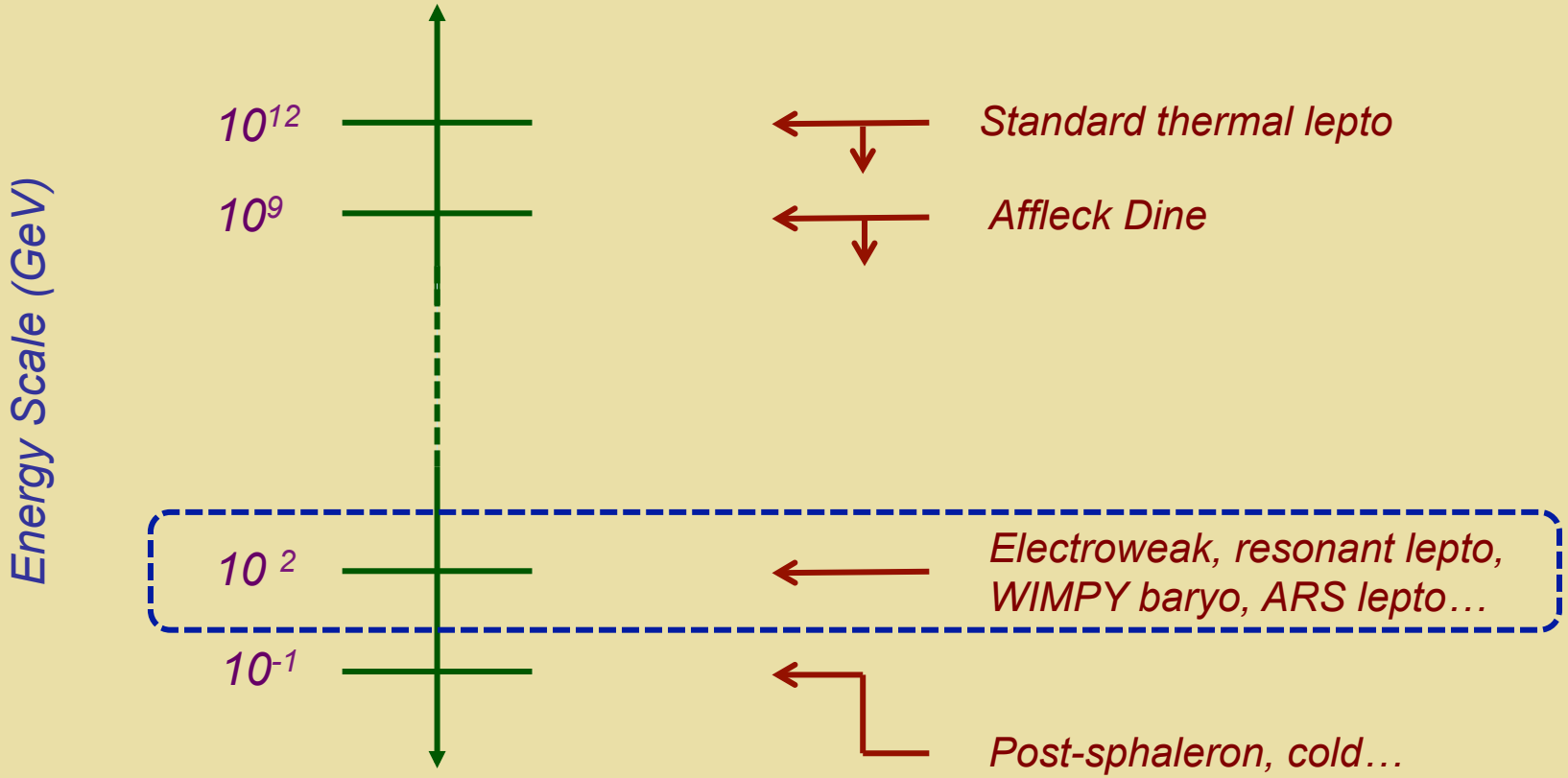

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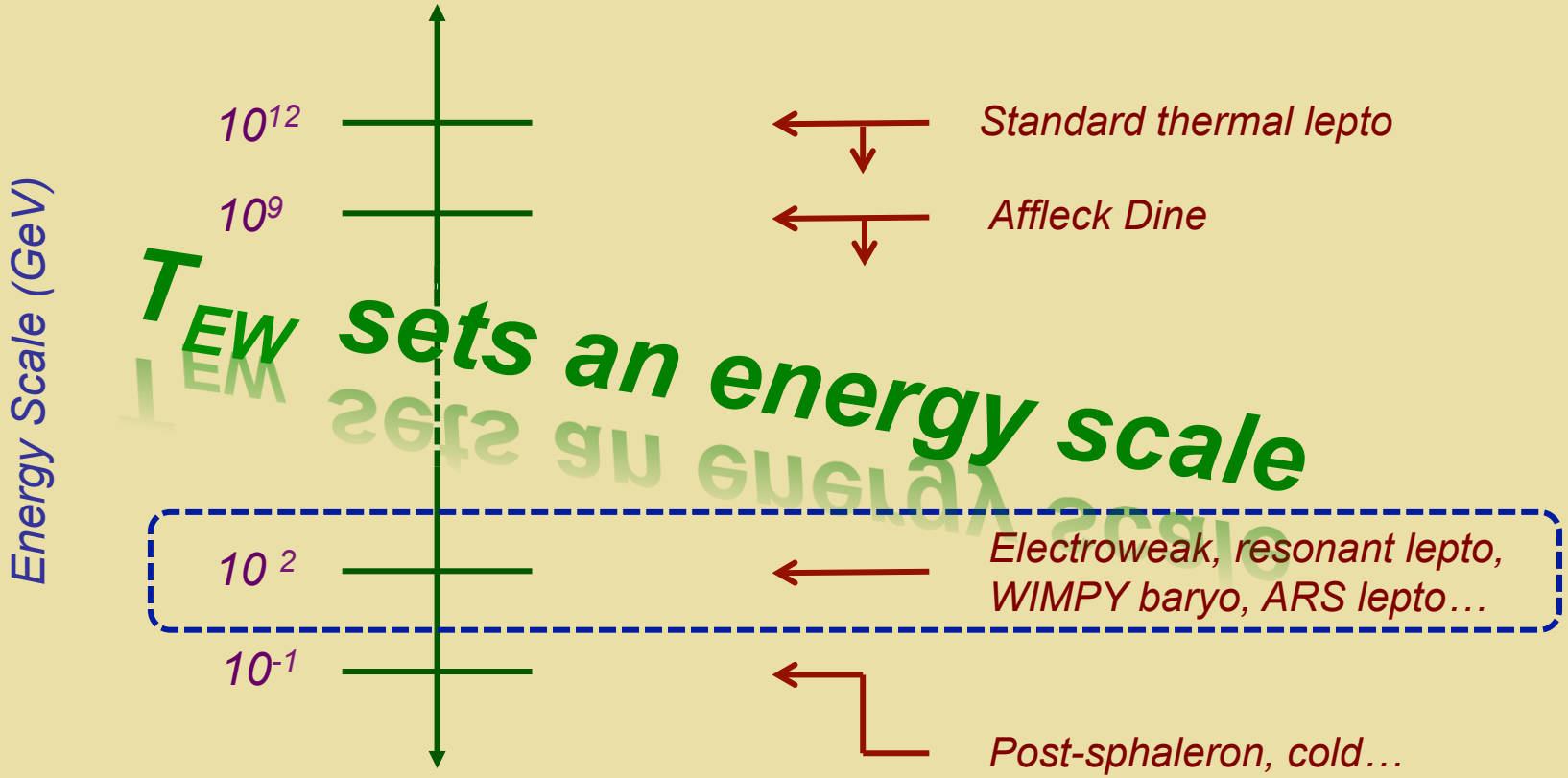

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Outline

I. Context & Questions

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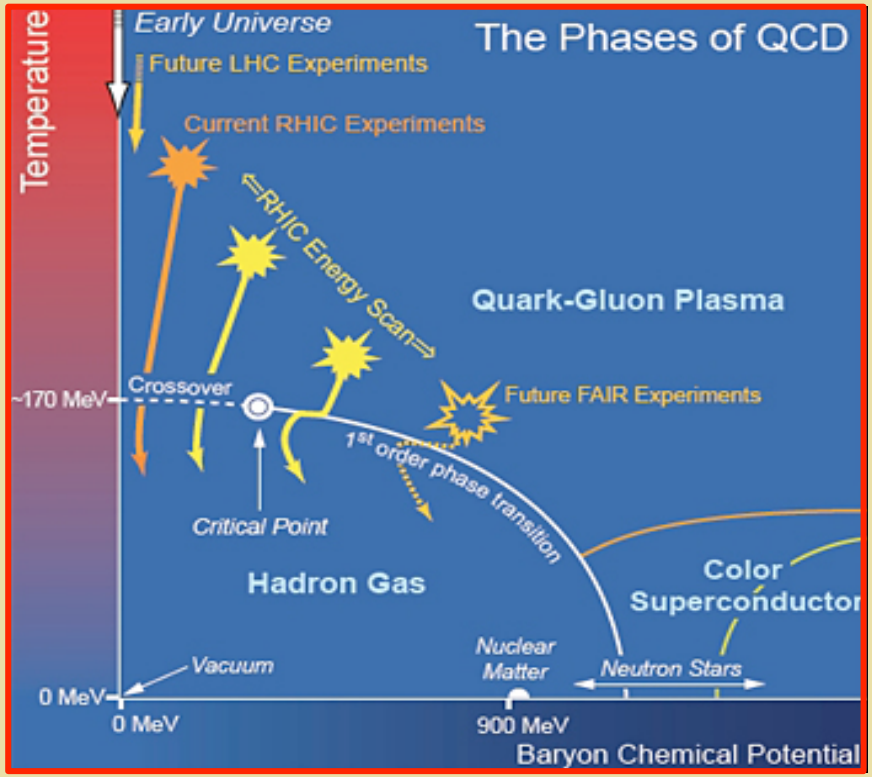

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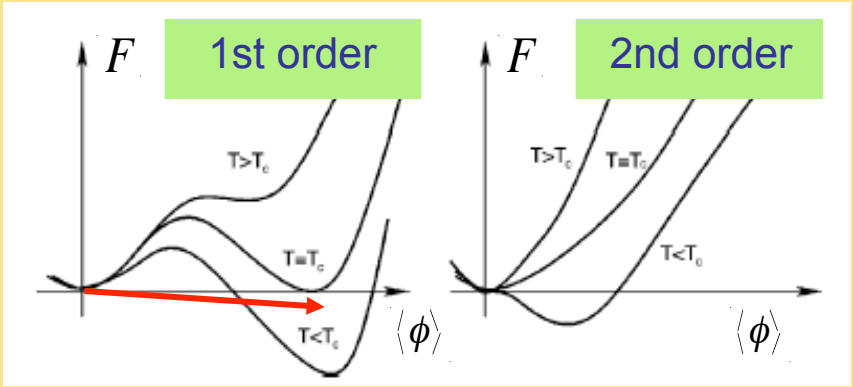

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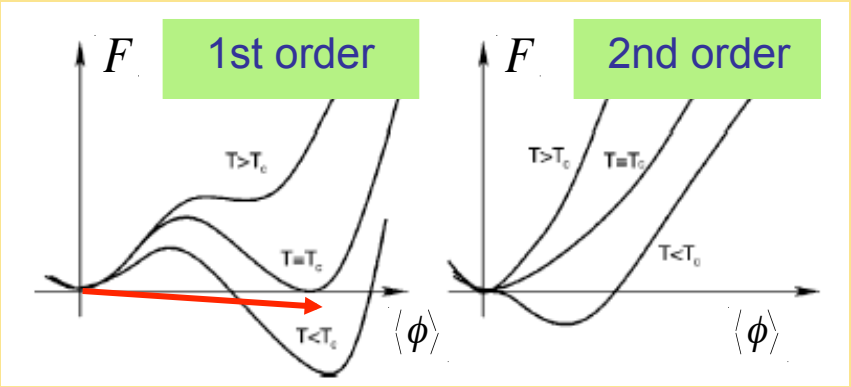

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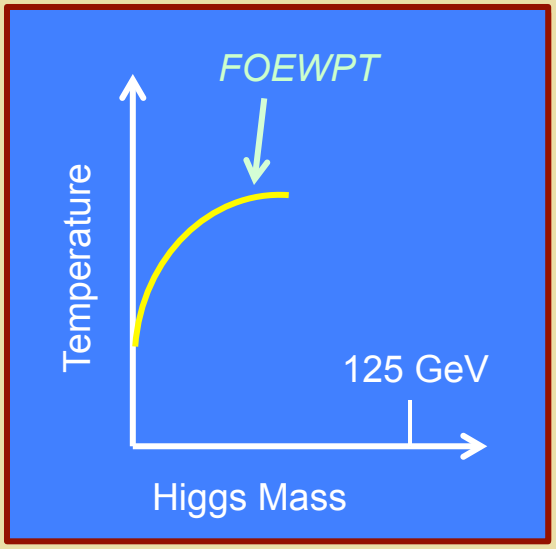

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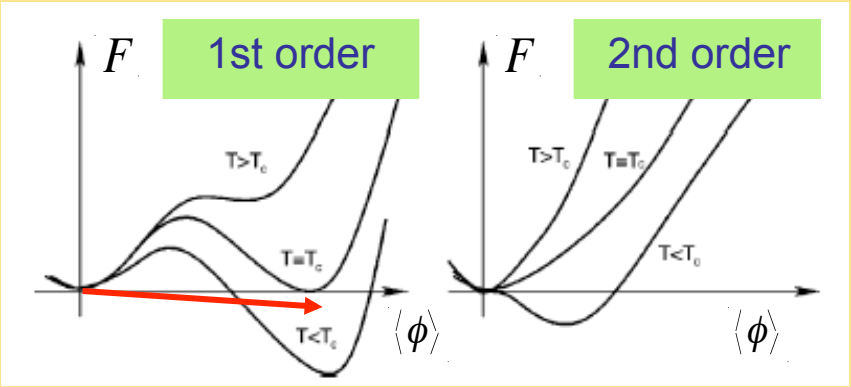

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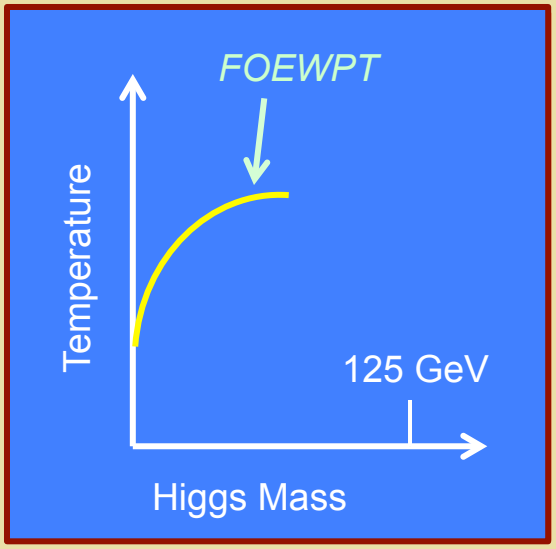

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How does this picture change in presence of new TeV scale physics ? What is the phase diagram ? SFOEWPT ?

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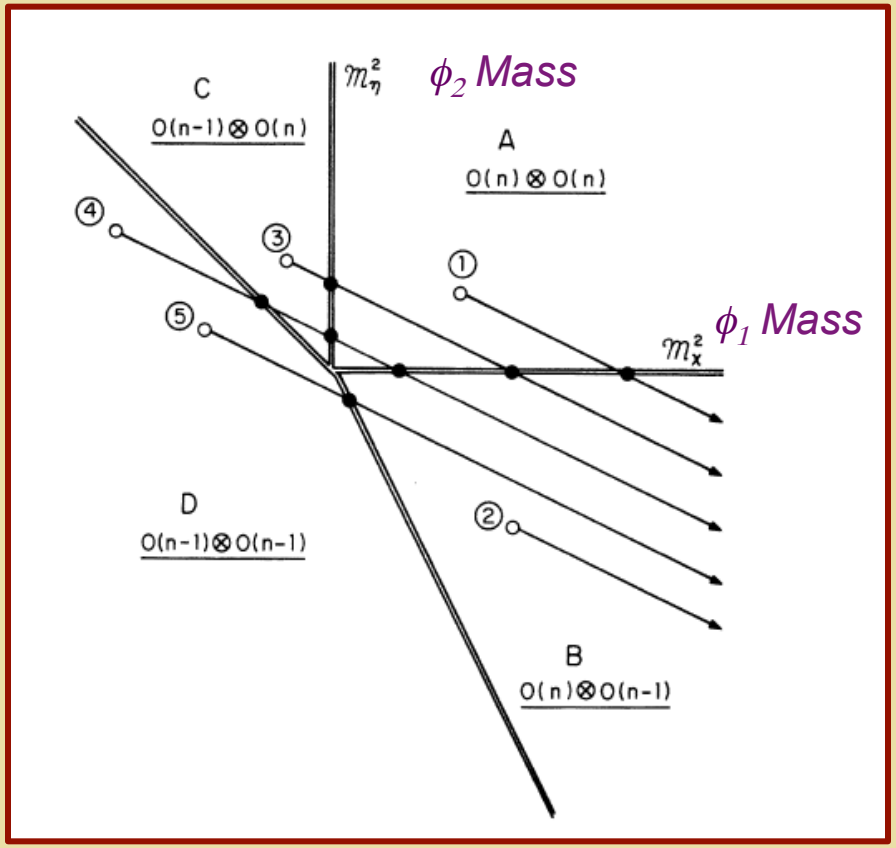

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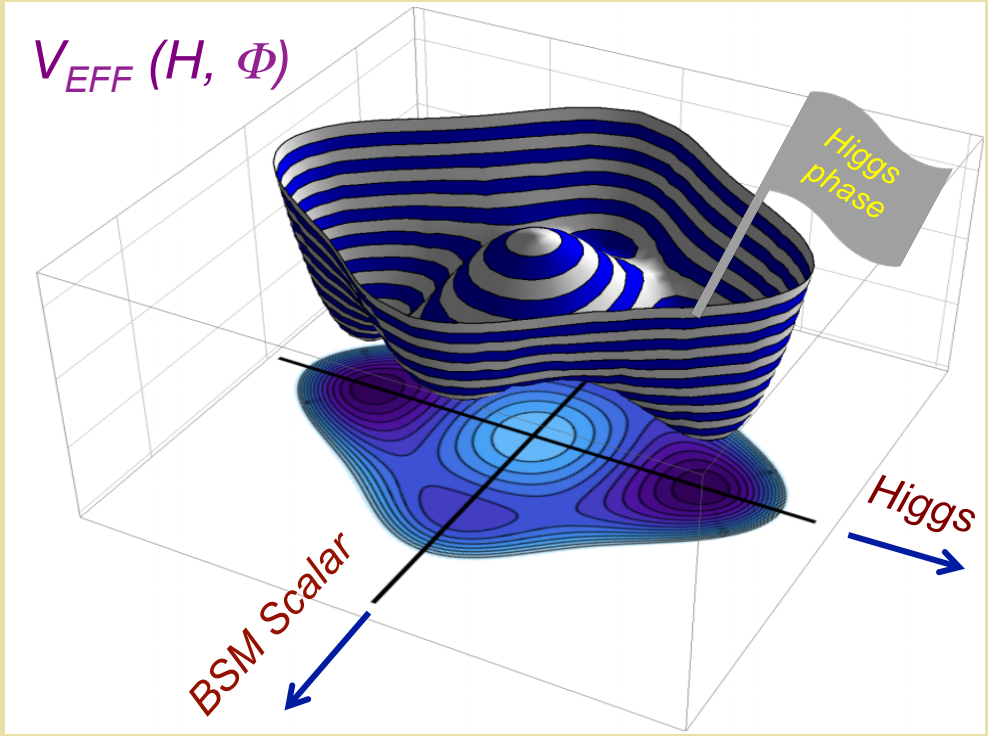

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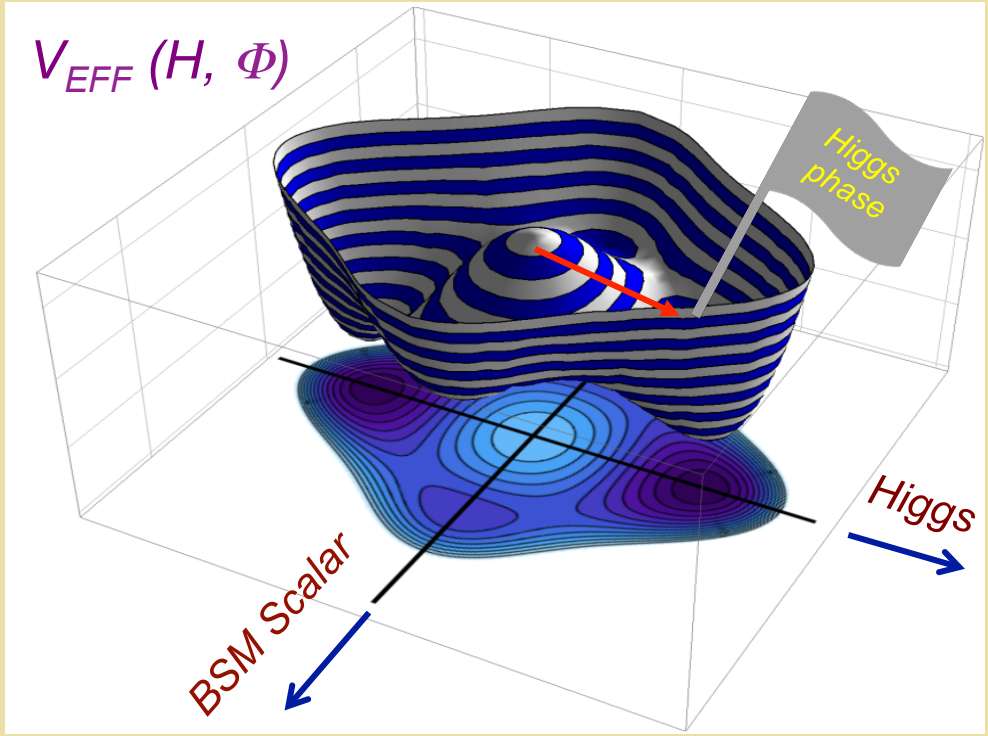

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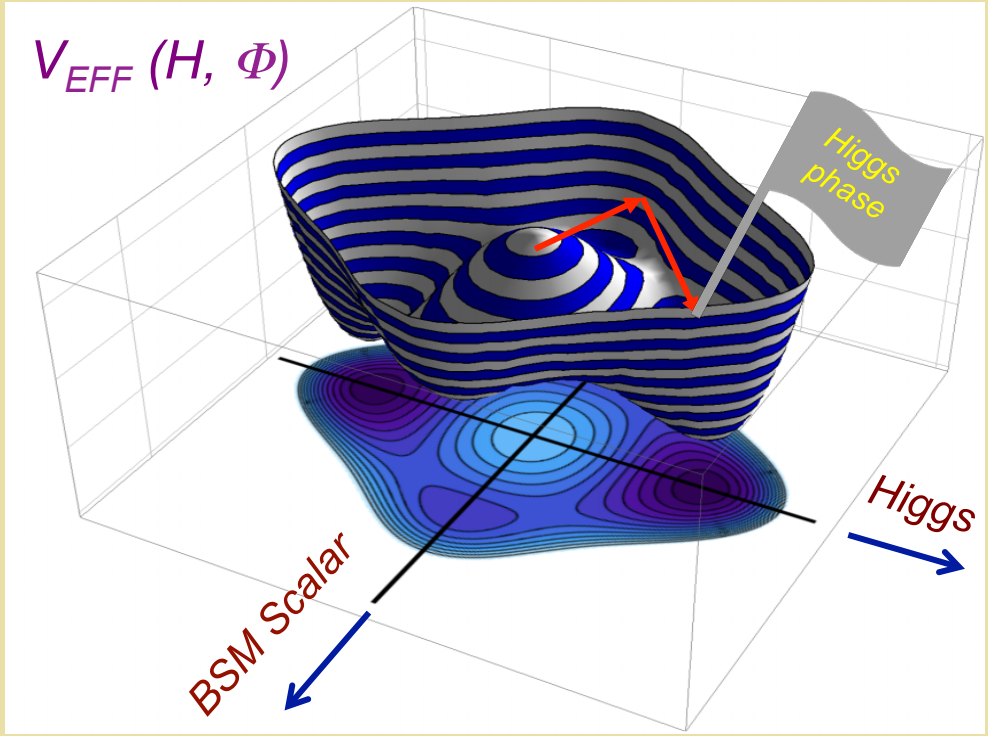

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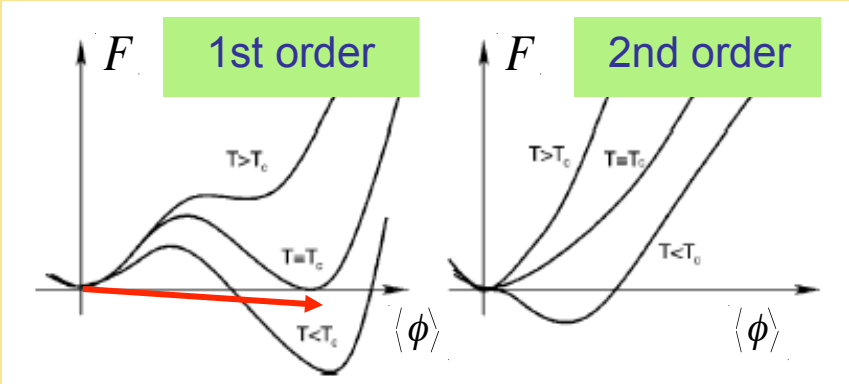

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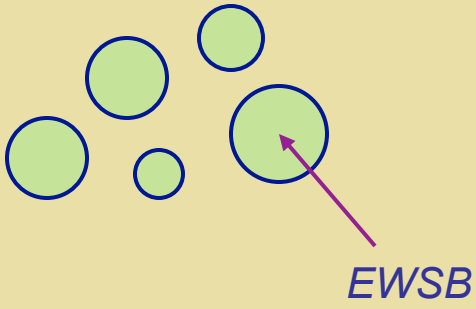

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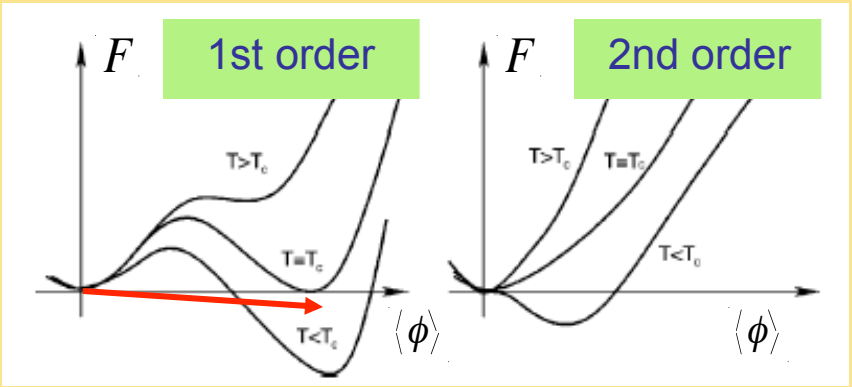

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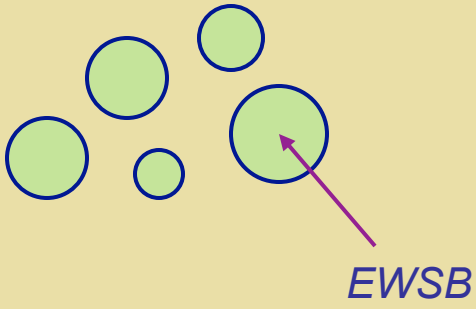

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II. EWPT: A Collider Target

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- ***Mass scale***
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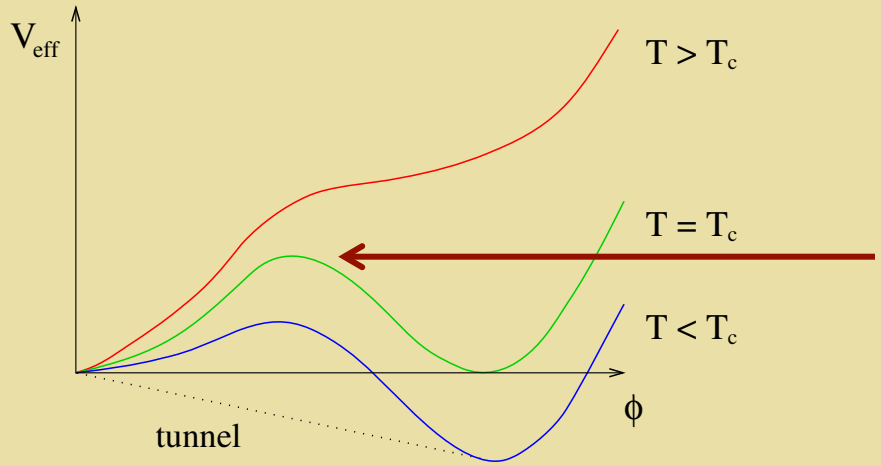

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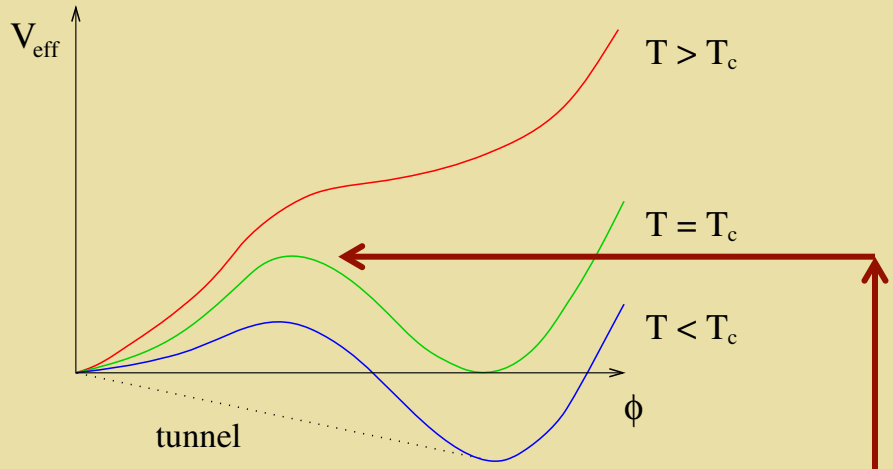

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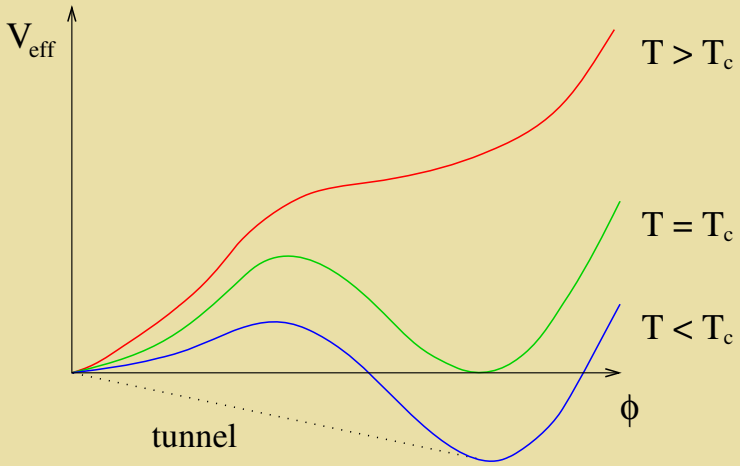

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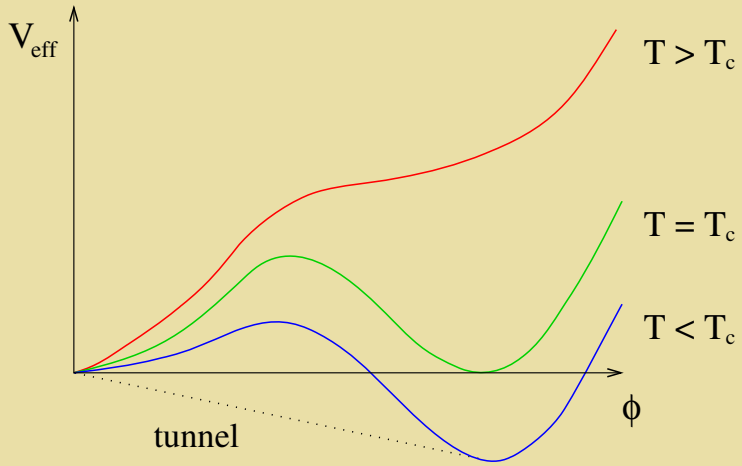

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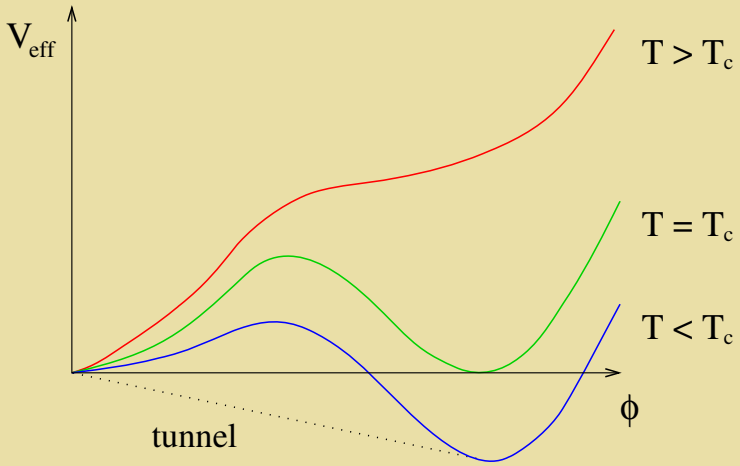

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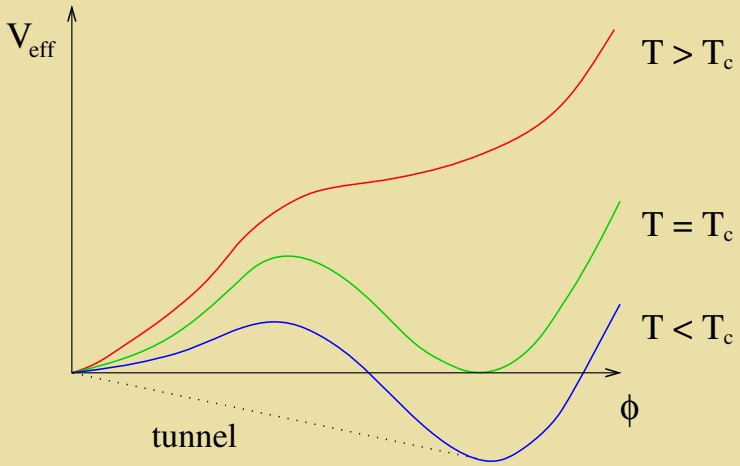

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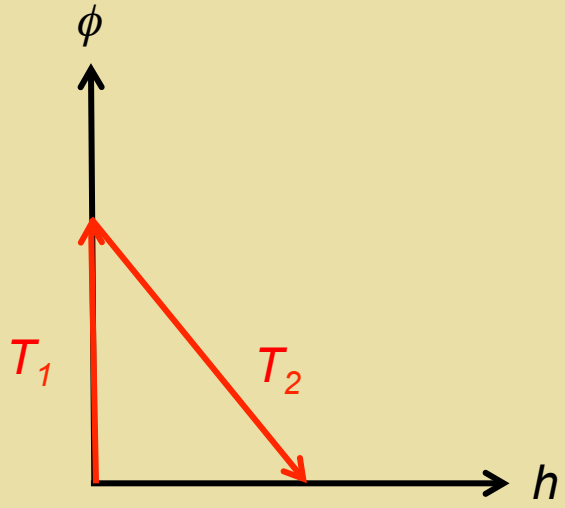

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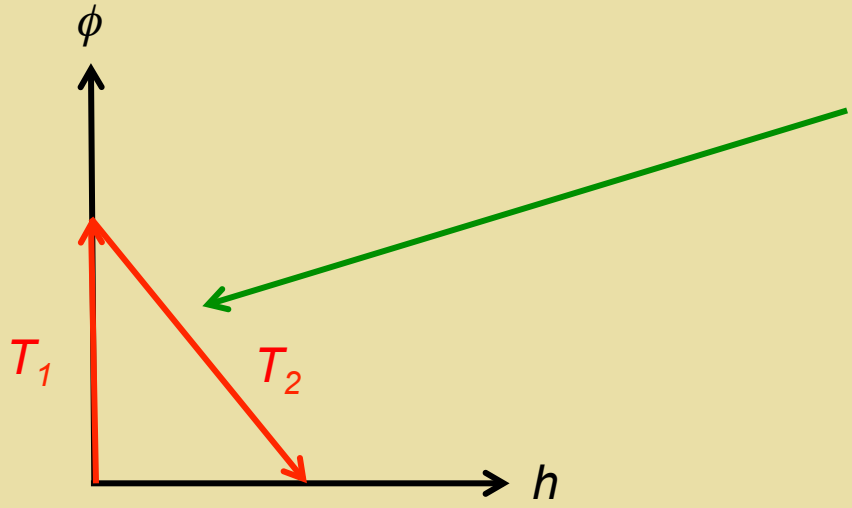

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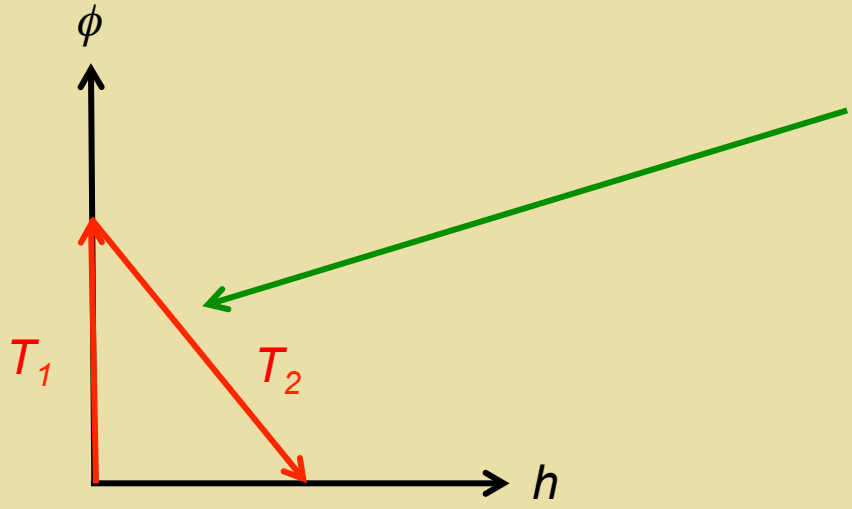

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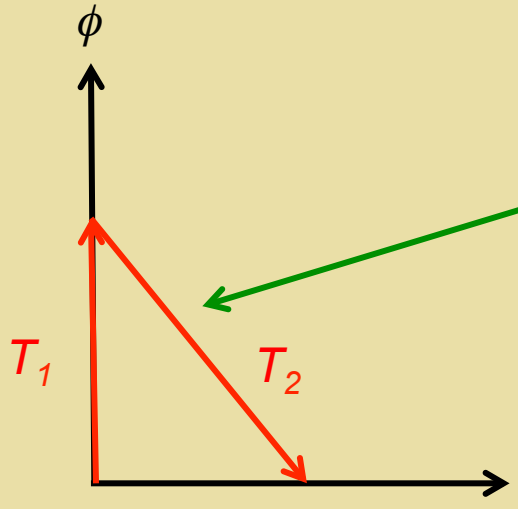

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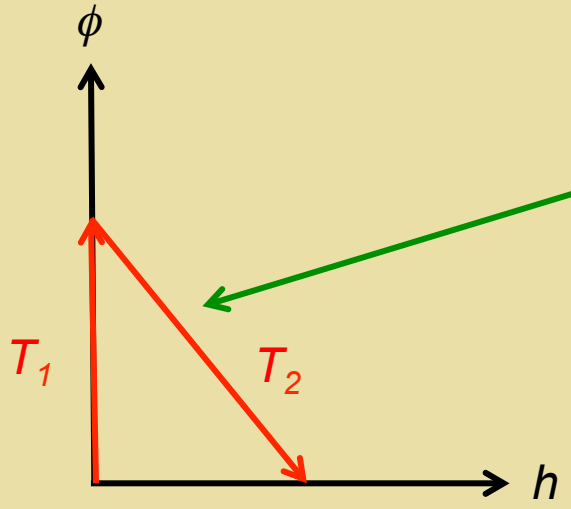

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- *Foregoing arguments: good up to factor of ~ 2 → M_ϕ < 800 GeV (-ish)*
- *QCD production: LHC exclusion → ϕ is colorless*
- *Electroweak or Higgs portal (h-ϕ mixing…) production → σ_{PROD} ~ (1- 500) fb (LHC) and (0.1-25) pb (100 TeV pp)*
- *Precision Higgs studies: see ahead*

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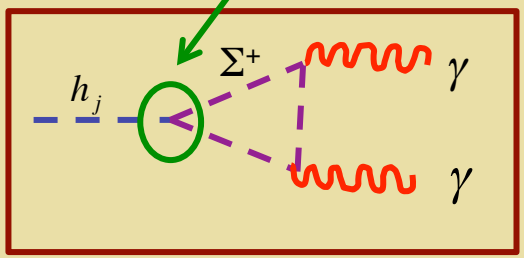

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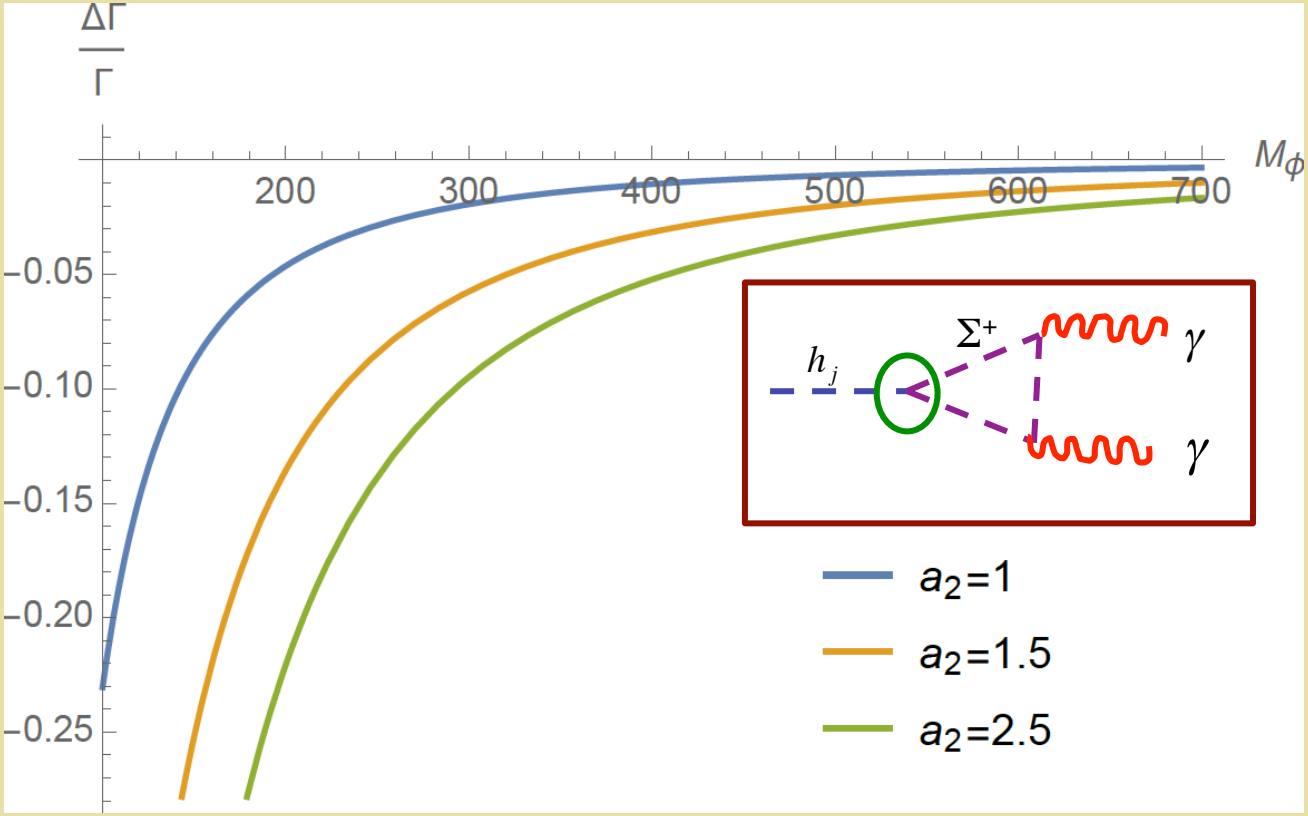

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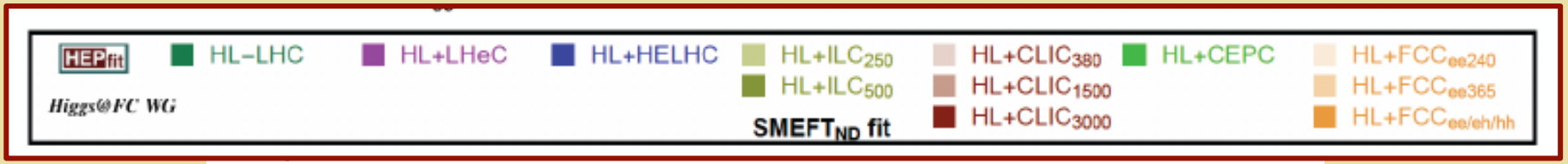

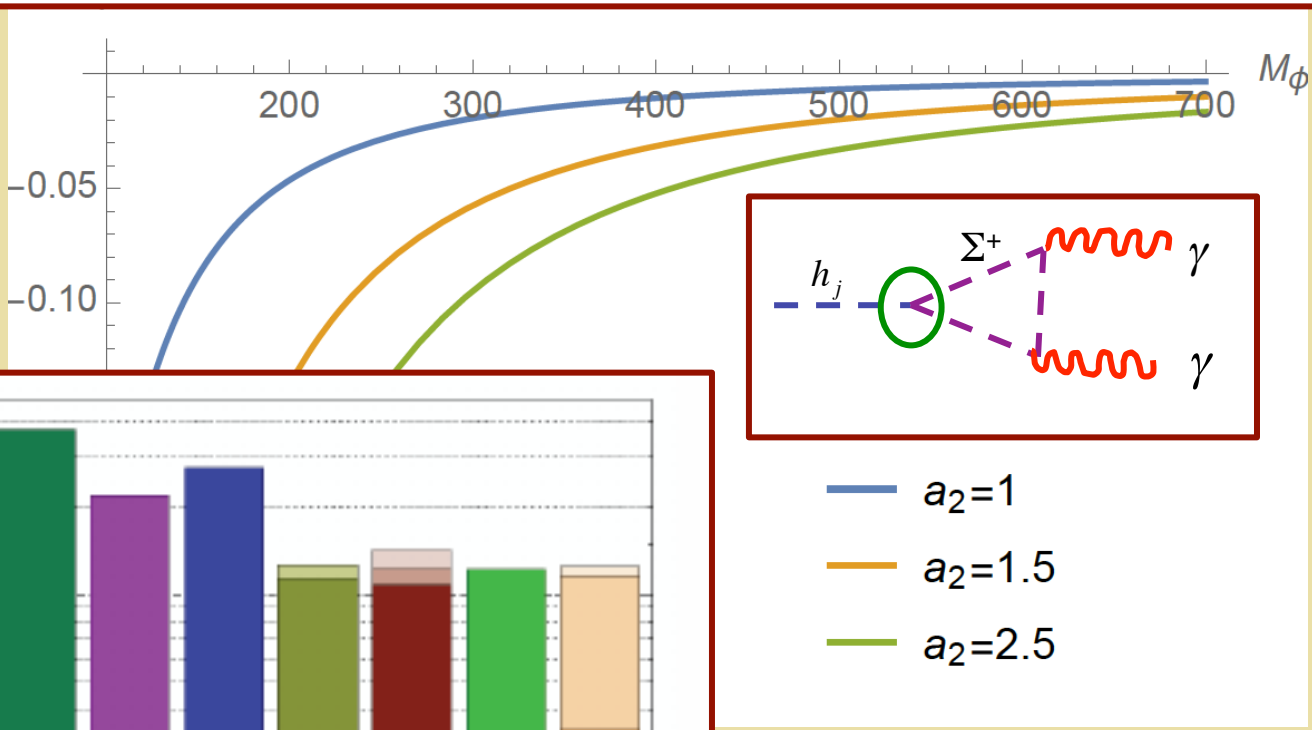

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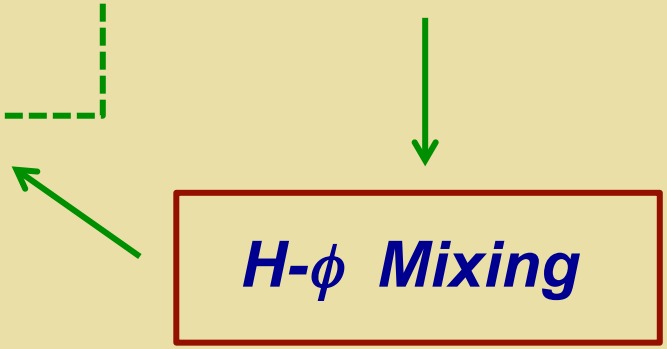

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- Higgs signal strengths
- Higgs self-coupling

$H^2\phi$ Barrier ?

H-ϕ Mixing

Z_2 - breaking

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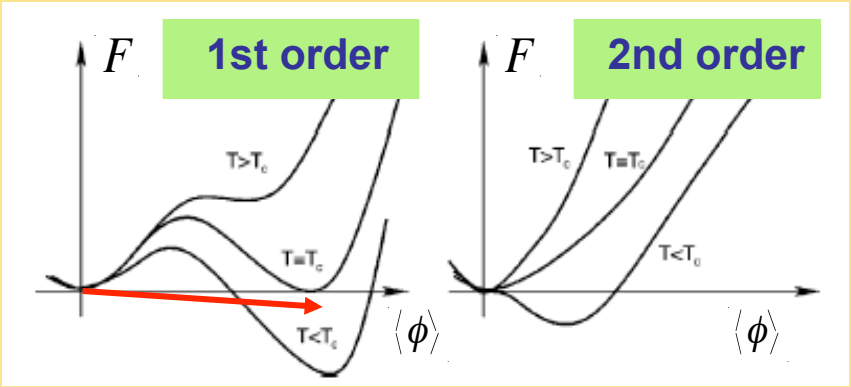

Increasing m_h ⟶

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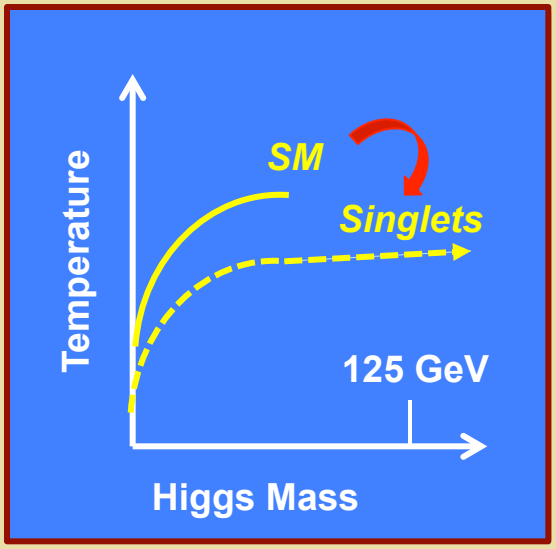
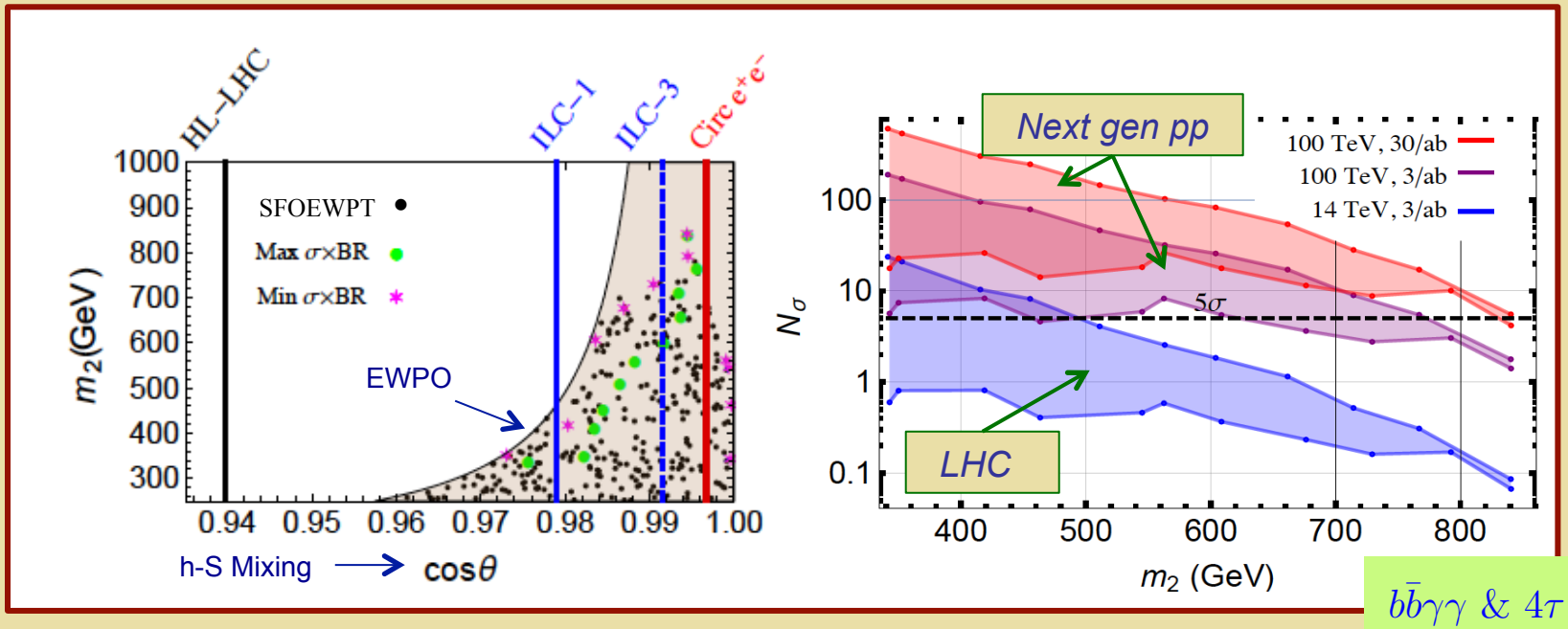


EW Phase Diagram

How does this picture change in presence of new TeV scale physics ? What is the phase diagram ?

Singlets: Precision & Res Di-Higgs Prod

SFOEWPT Benchmarks: Resonant di-Higgs & precision Higgs studies



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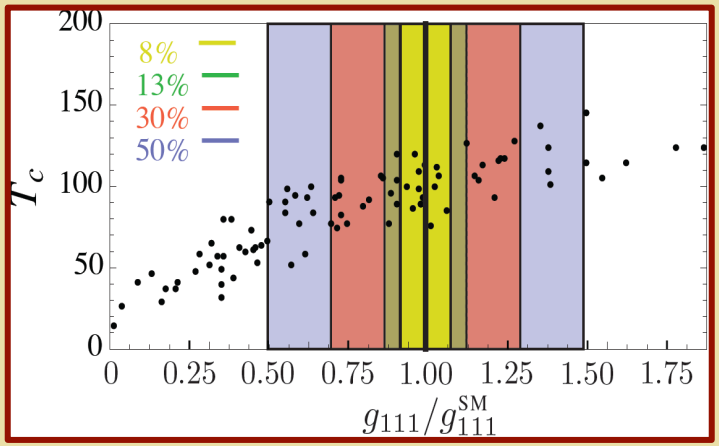

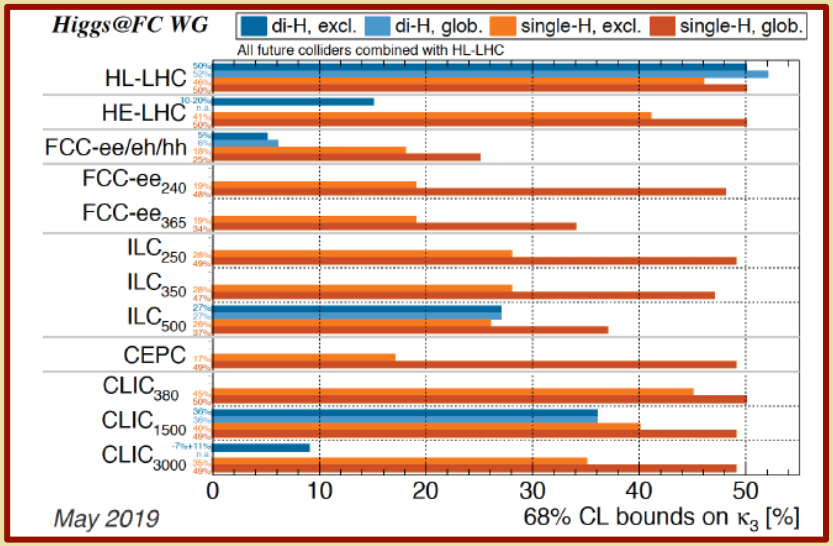

- *Profumo, R-M, Wainwright, Winslow: 1407.5342;*
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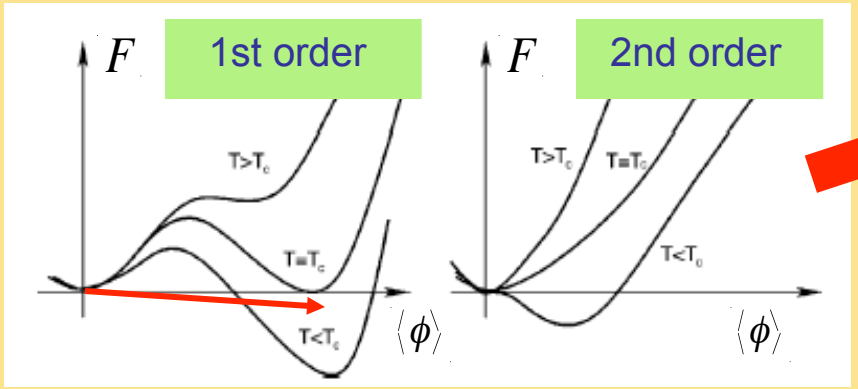

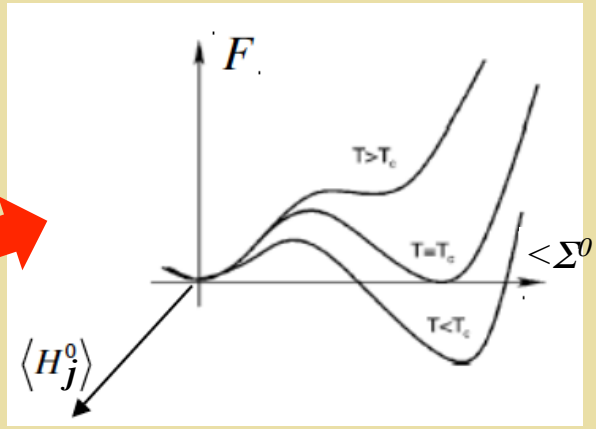

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- *Thermal loops*
- *Tree-level barrier*

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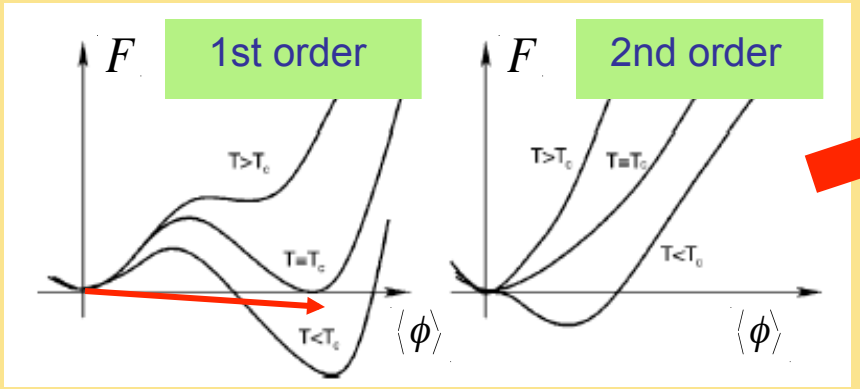

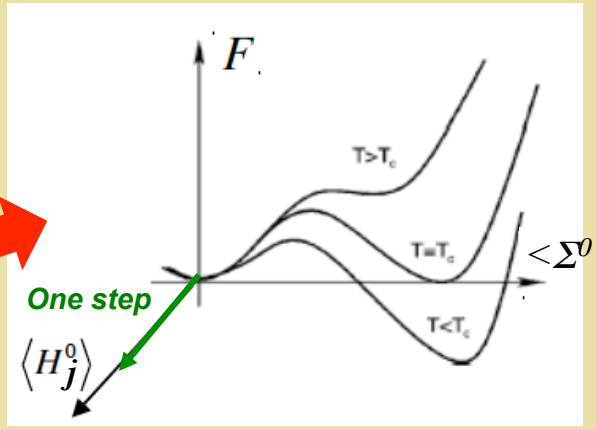

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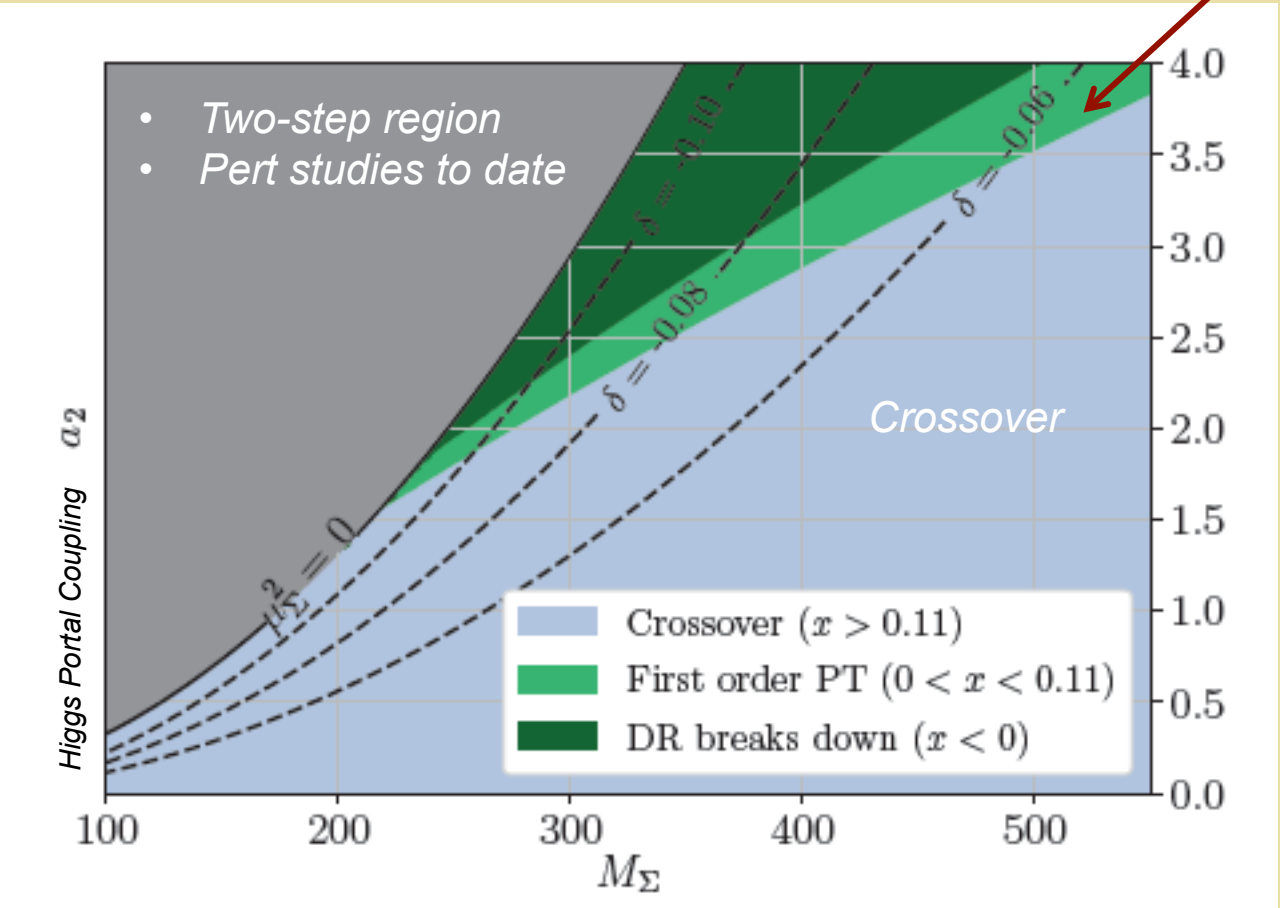

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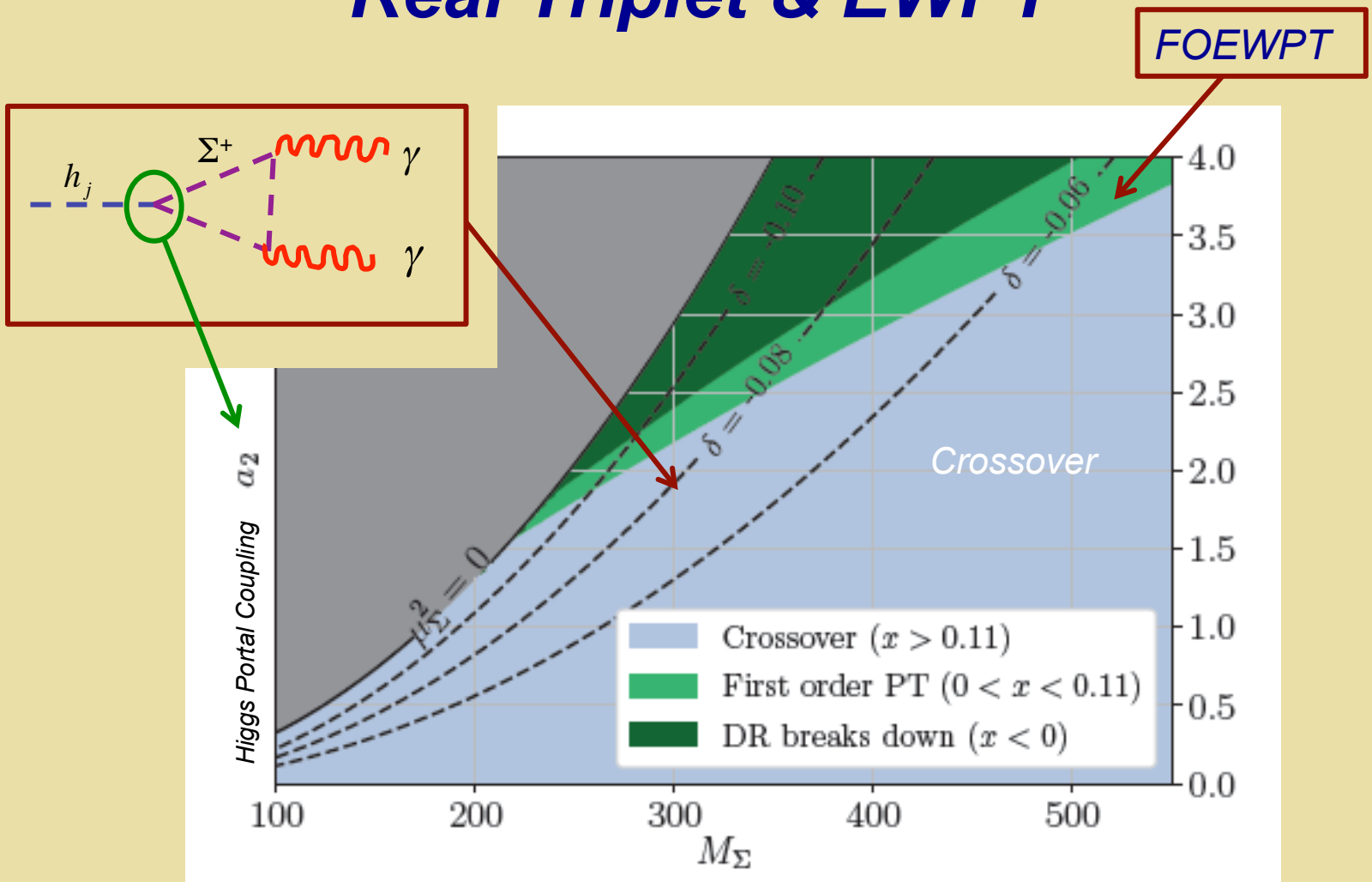

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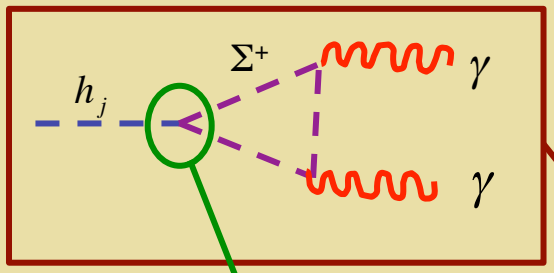

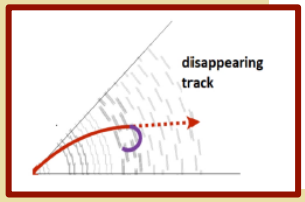

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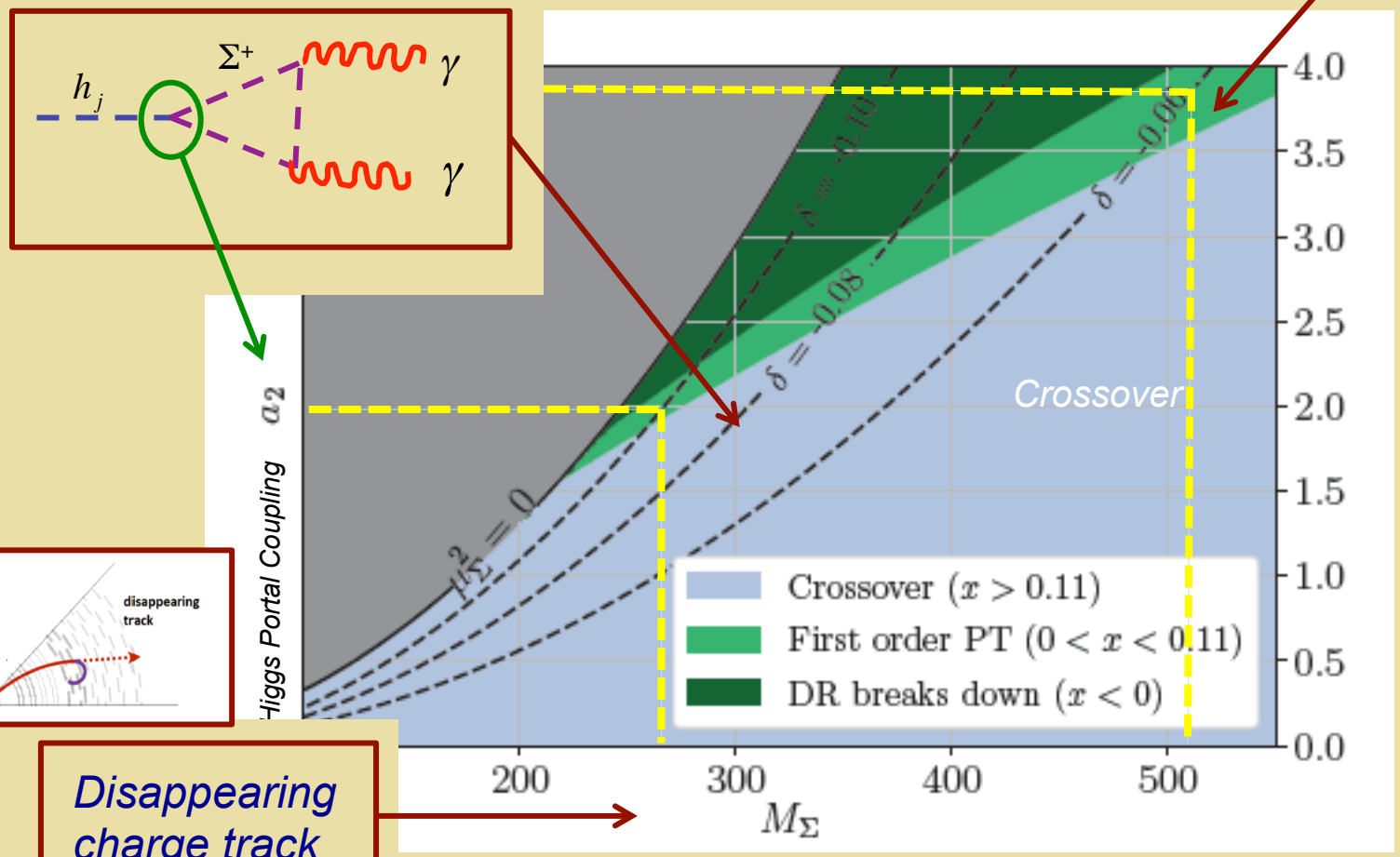

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IV. Outlook

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- *The scale T_{EW} → any new physics that modifies the SM crossover transition to a first order transition must live at M < 1 TeV*

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Back Up Slides

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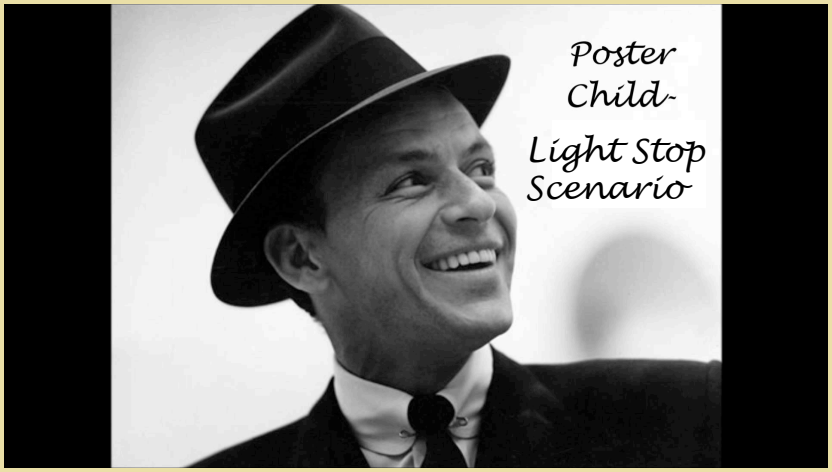

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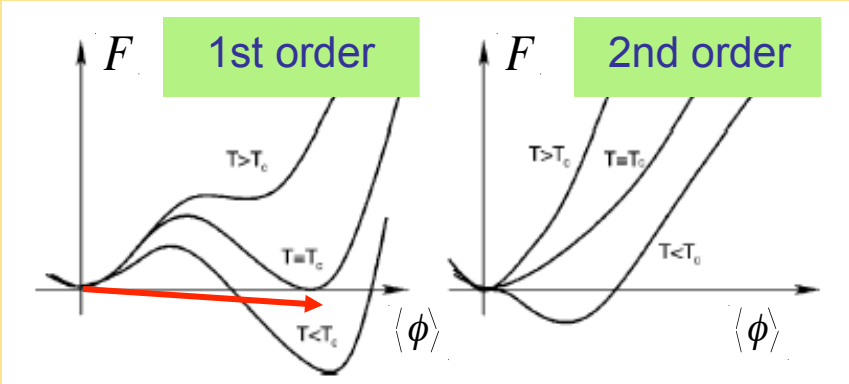

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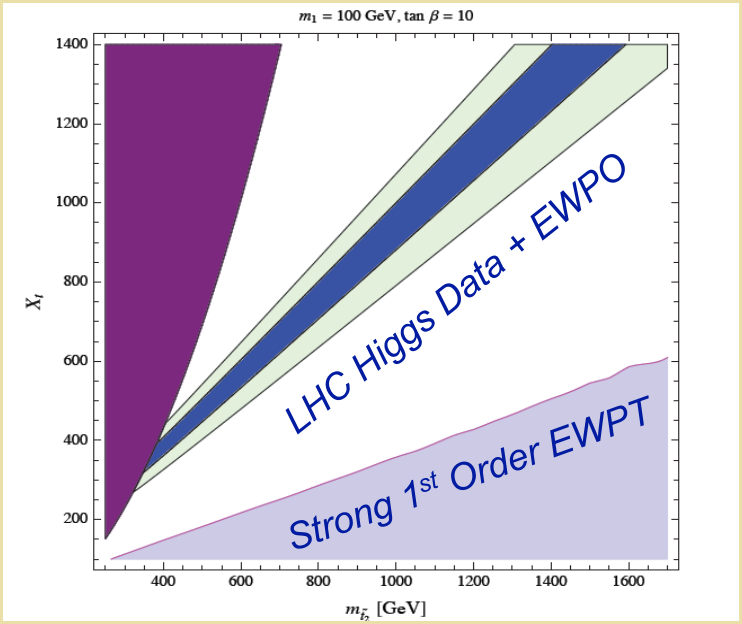
Curtin, Jaiswal, Meade 1203.2932

MSSM + $\delta\lambda_4 (H_u^\dagger H_u)^2$



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Strong 1st Order EWPT

Definitive probe of the possibilities →
LHC + next generation colliders

The Higgs Portal

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Singlet Driven EW Phase Transition

(lots of) Motivation

⇒ Neutral Naturalness

⇒ Higgs Portal (Dark Sectors)

⇒ Non-minimal SUSY (e.g. NMSSM)

⇒ Warped Extra Dim (dilaton...)

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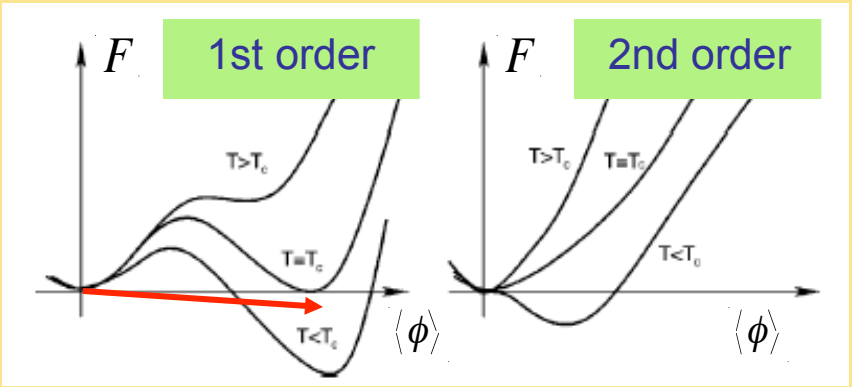
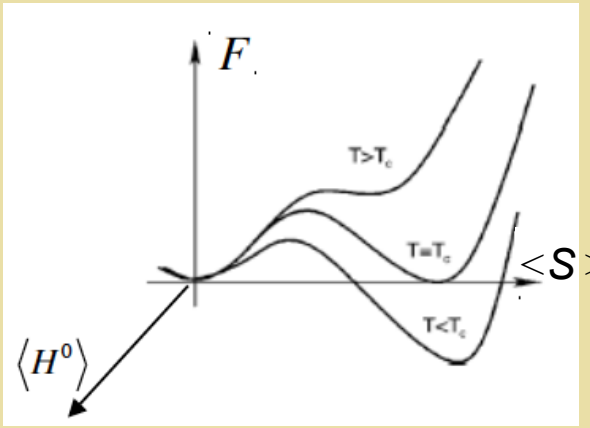
$$V_{\rm HS} = \frac{a_1}{2}\left(H^\dagger H\right) S + \frac{a_2}{2}\left(H^\dagger H\right) S^2$$

- *Strong first order EWPT*
- *Two mixed singlet-doublet states*

EW Phase Transition: New Scalars





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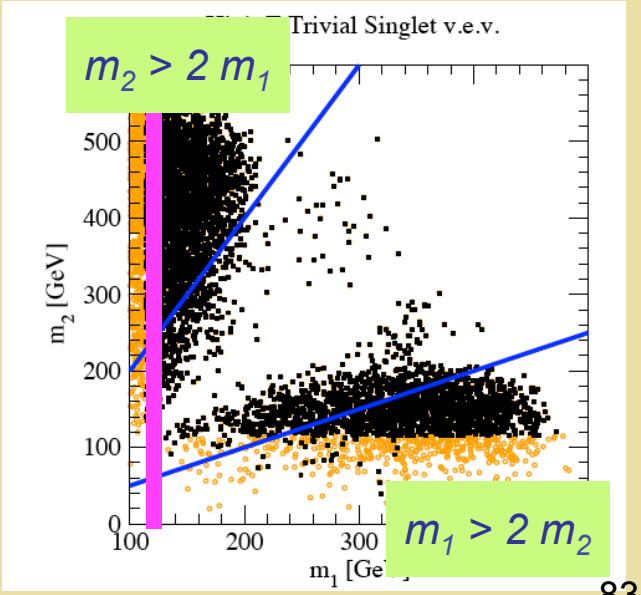
Real Singlet: $\phi \rightarrow S$

Simplest Extension:
two states h_1 & h_2



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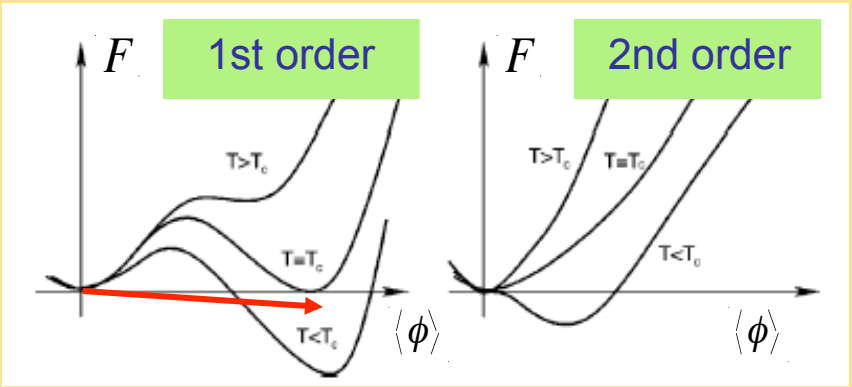

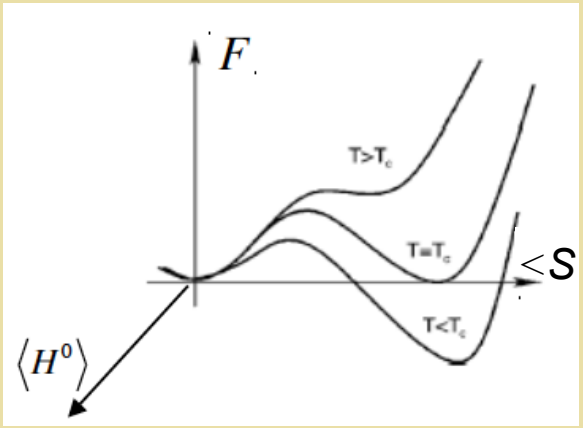

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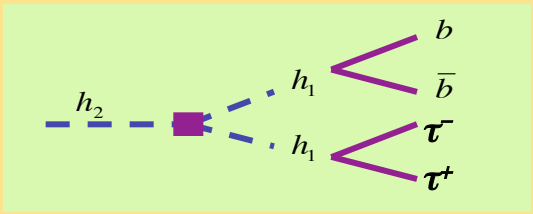

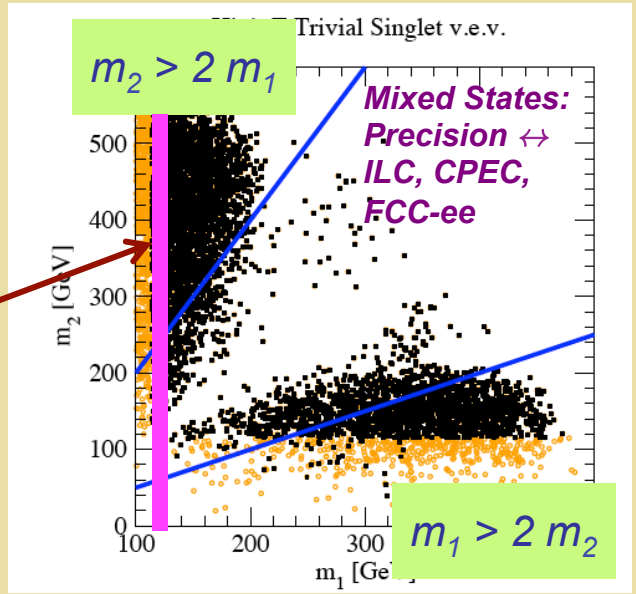

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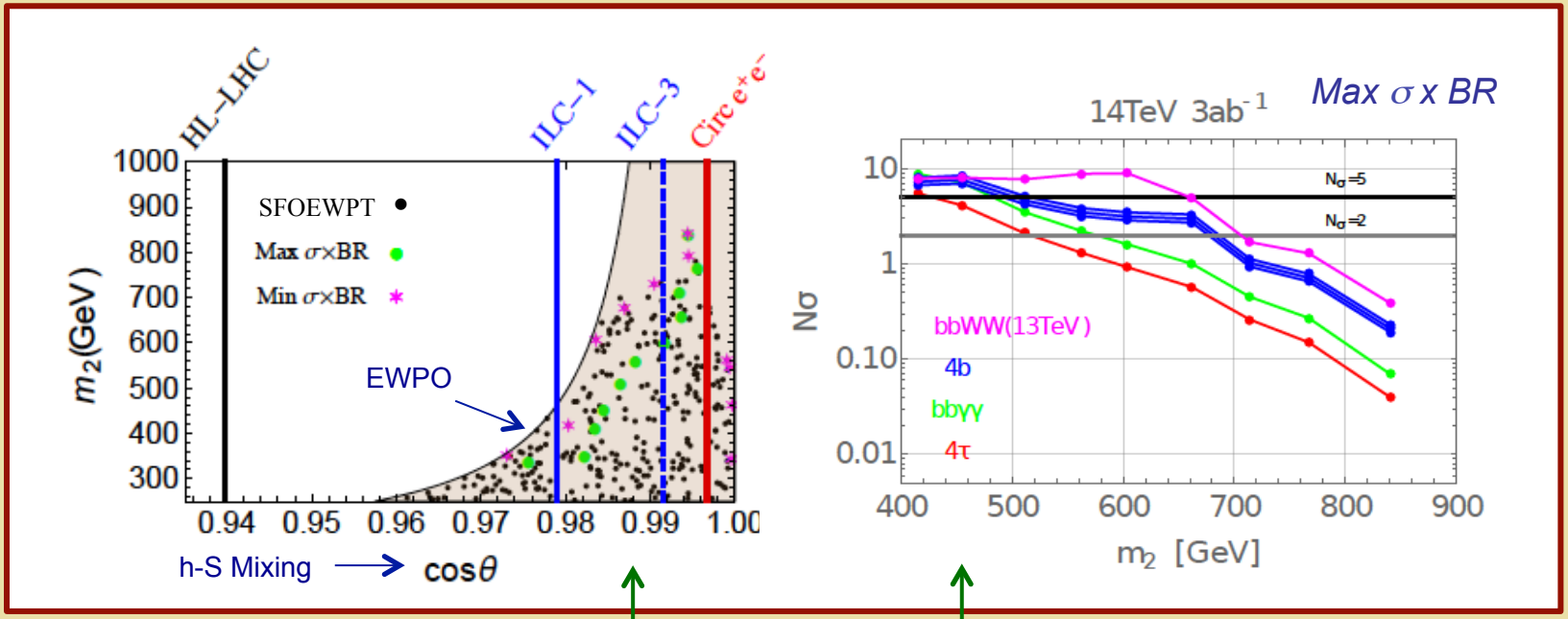

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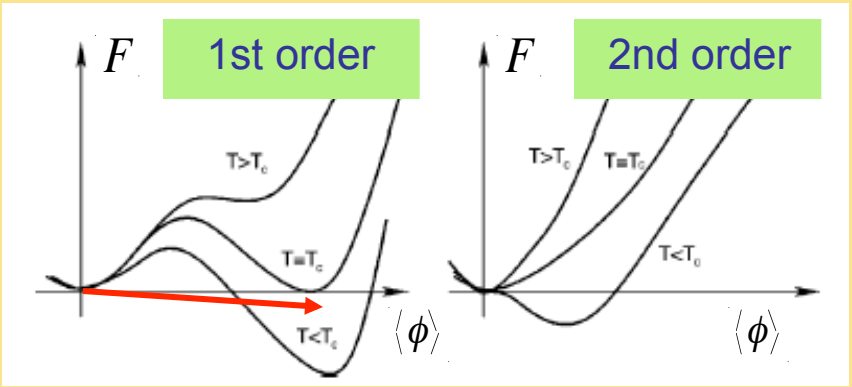

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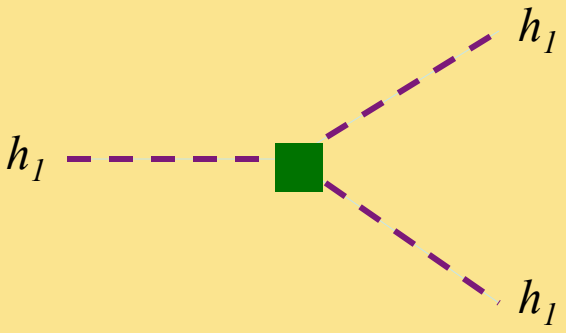

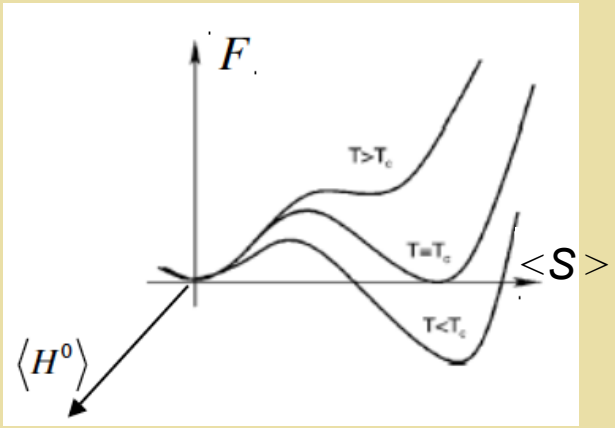

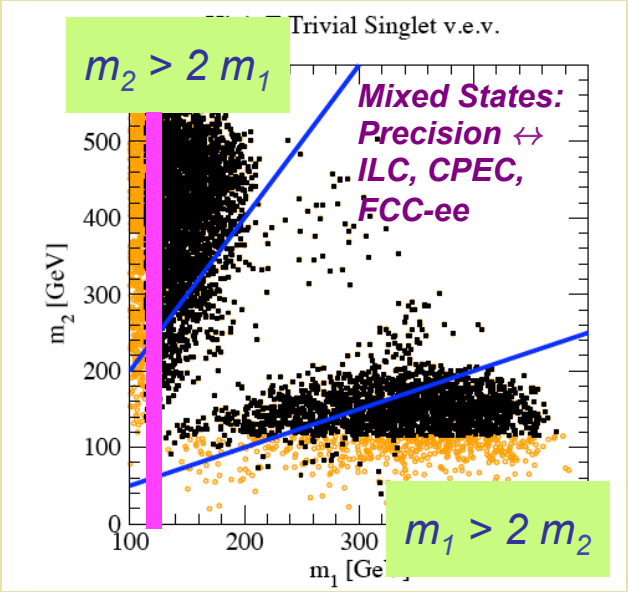

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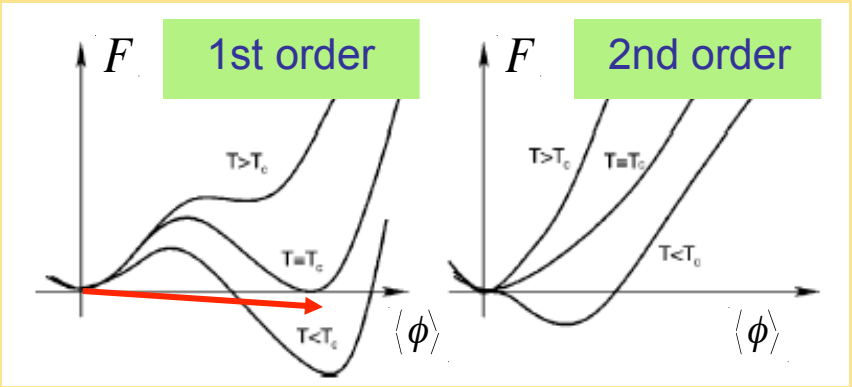

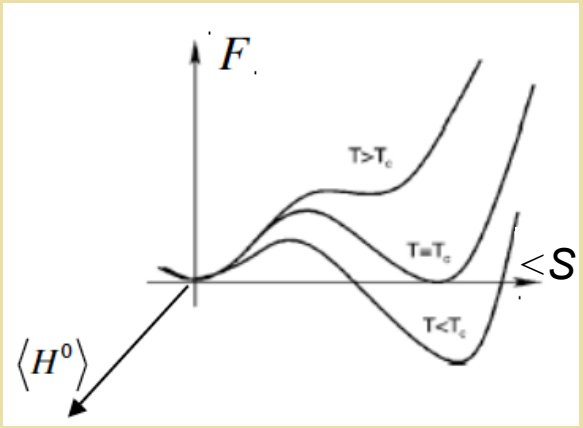

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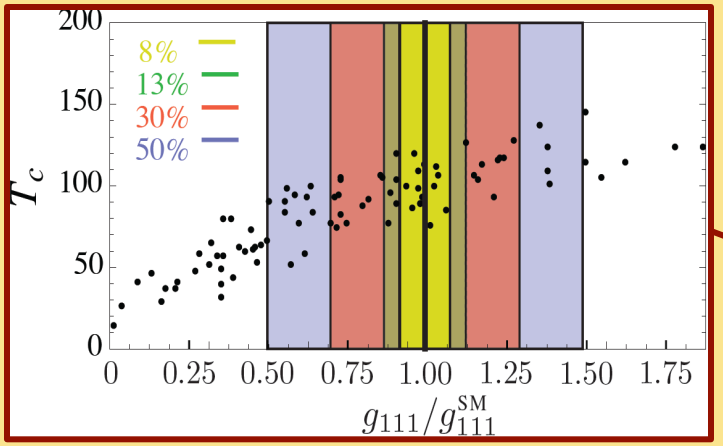

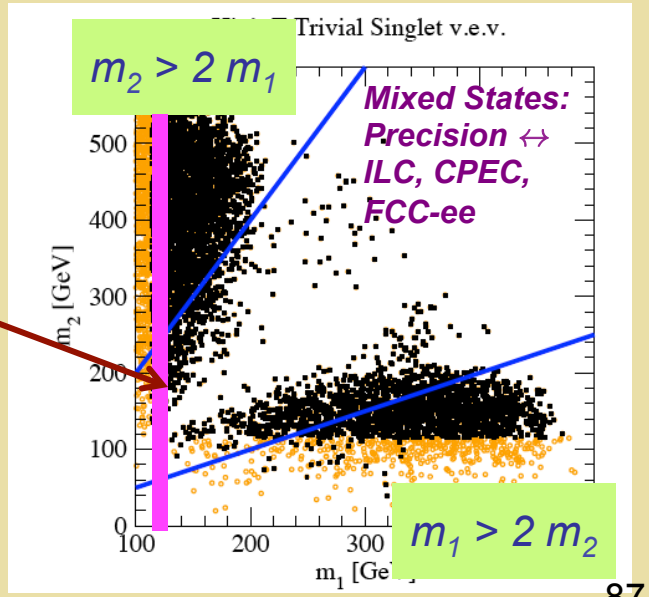

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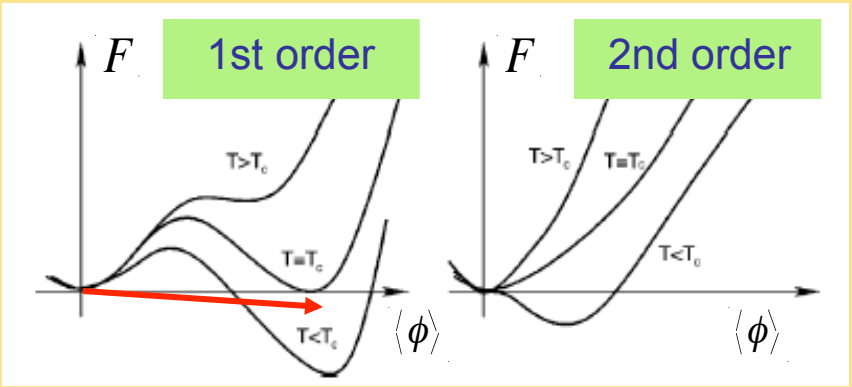

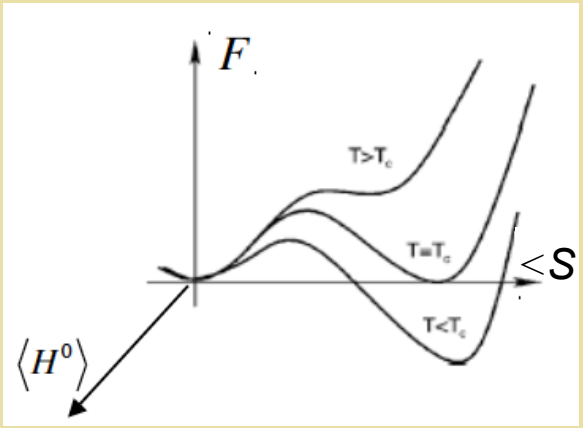

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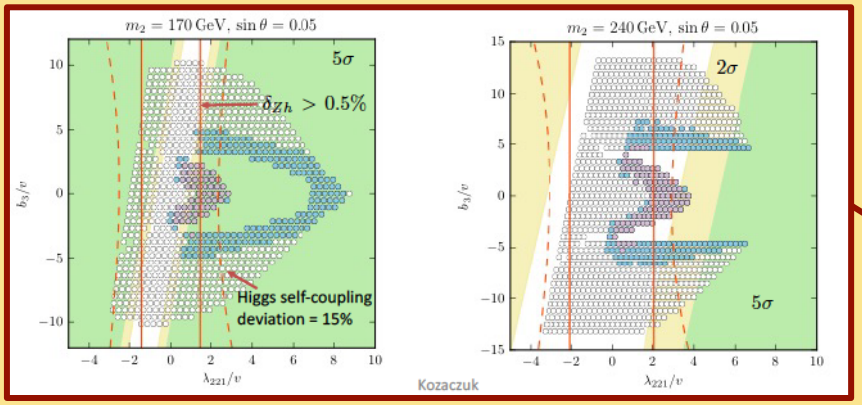

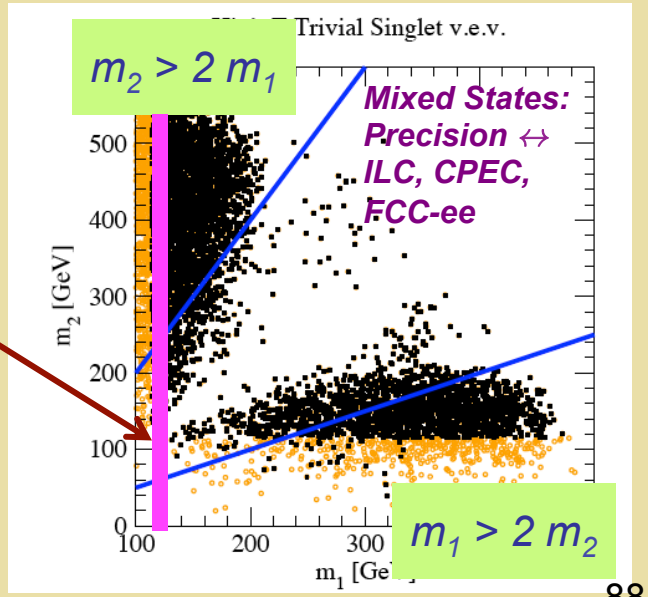

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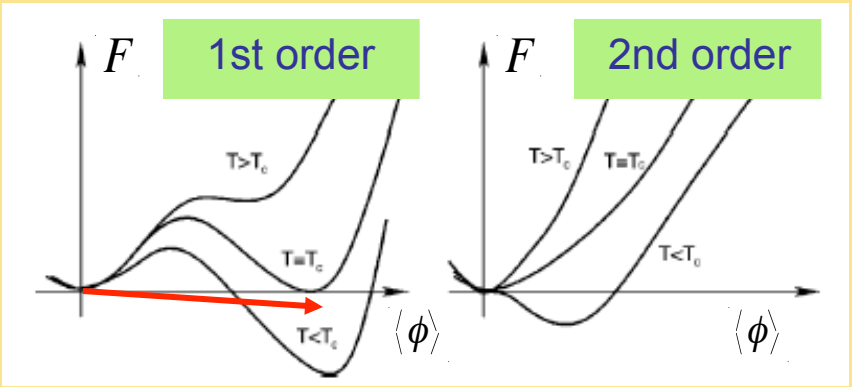

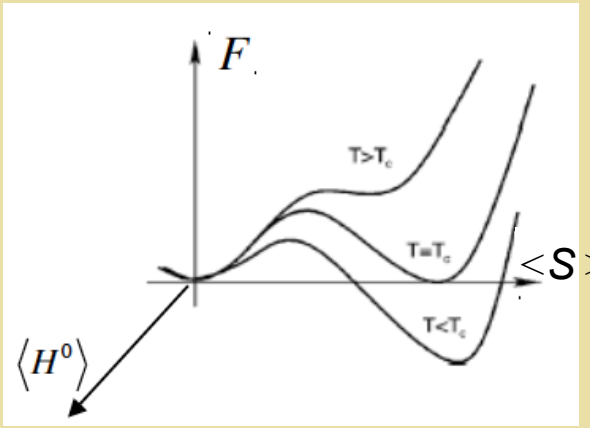

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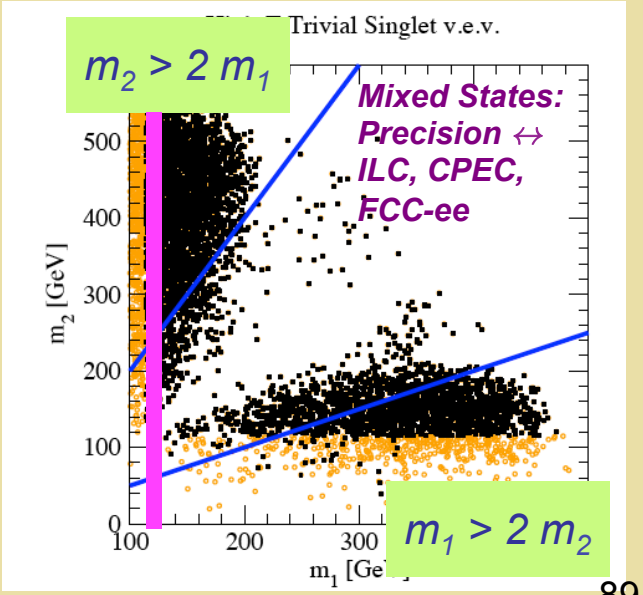
⟵ *New scalars*

Real Singlet: $\phi \to S$

Simplest Extension: two states h_1 & h_2 – h,S mixtures



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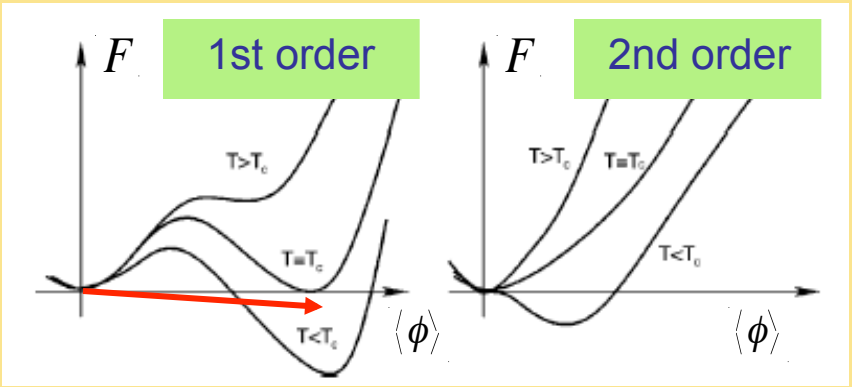

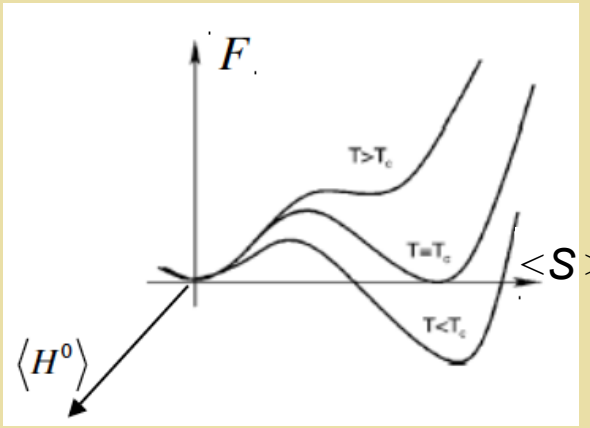

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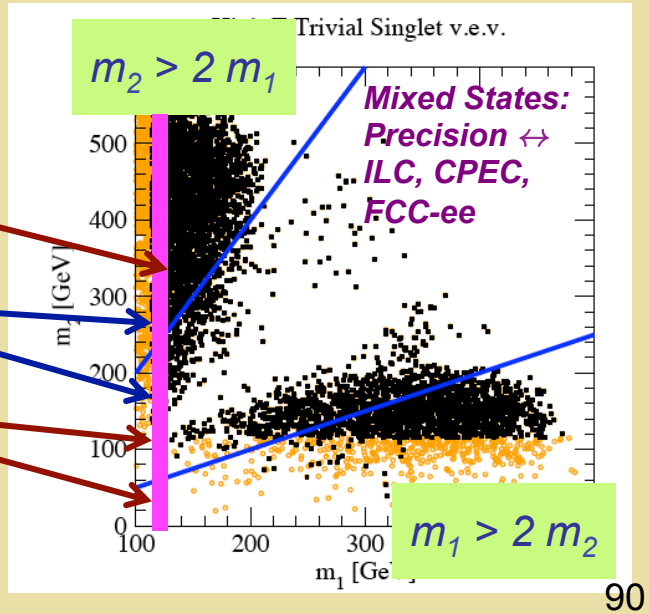
- *Resonant di-Higgs production*
- *Precision Higgs measurements*
- *Non-resonant di-Higgs & exotic Higgs decays*



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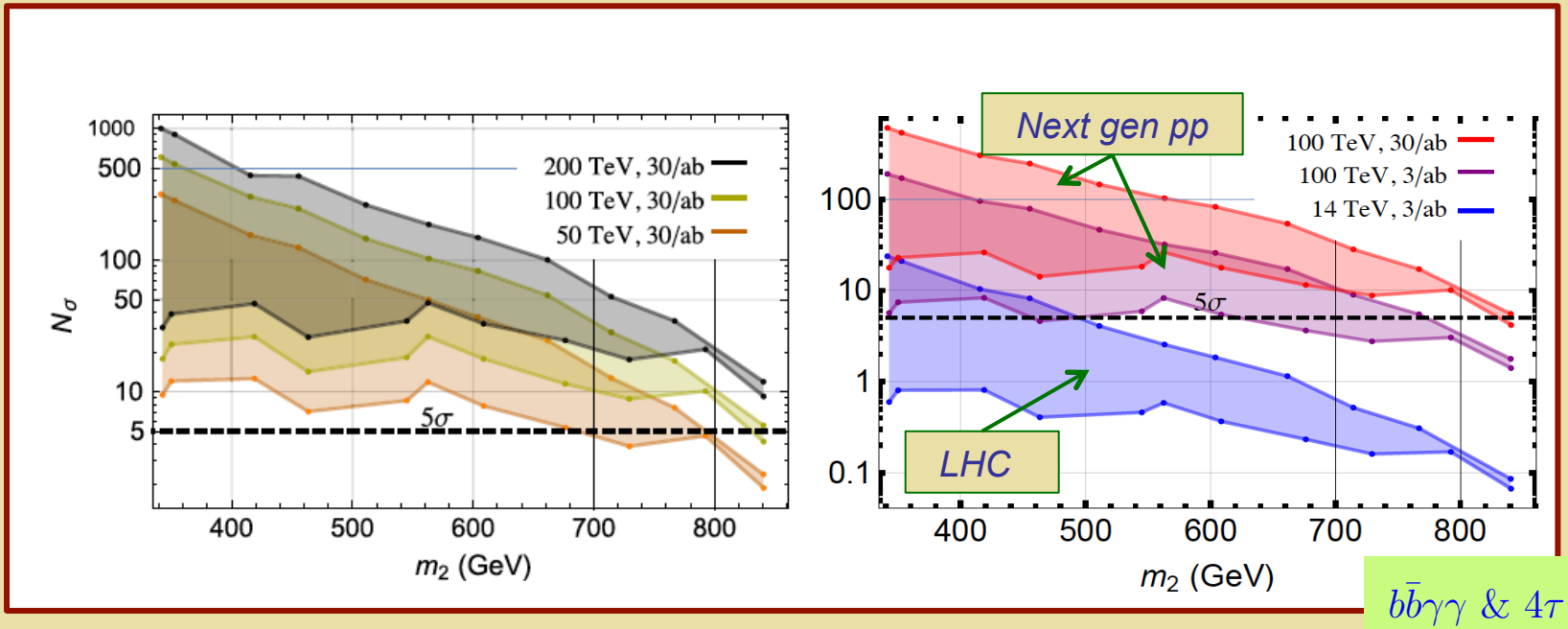

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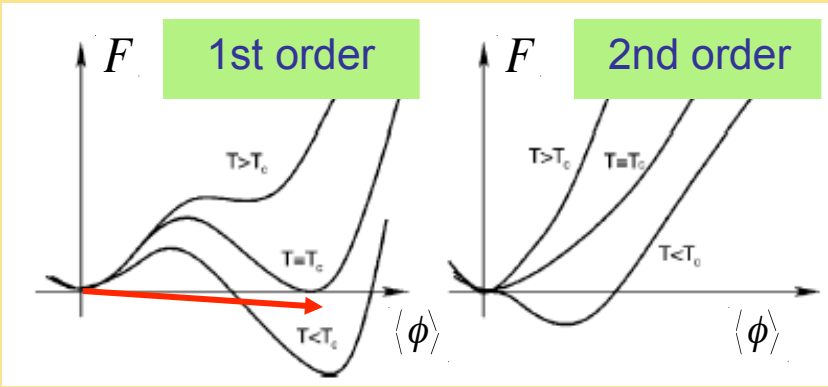

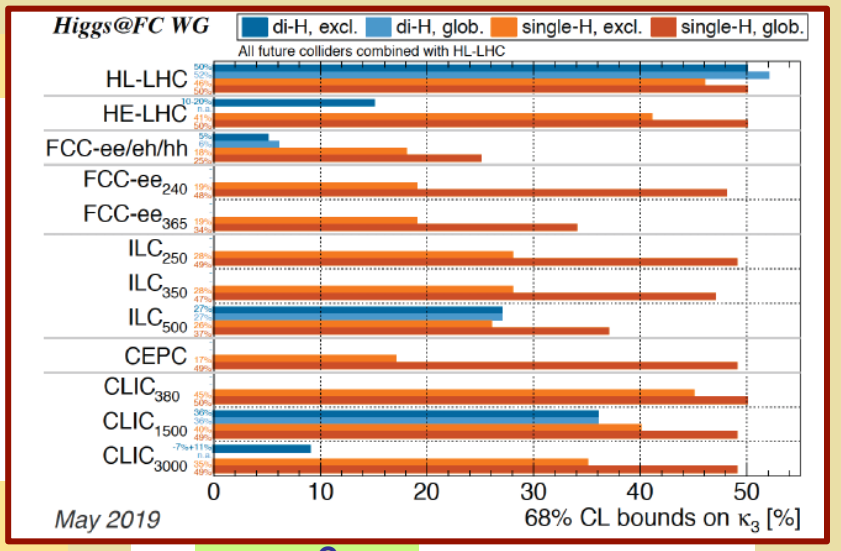

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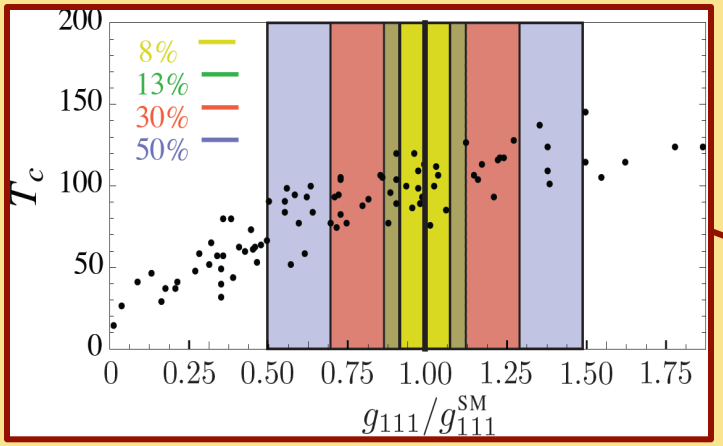

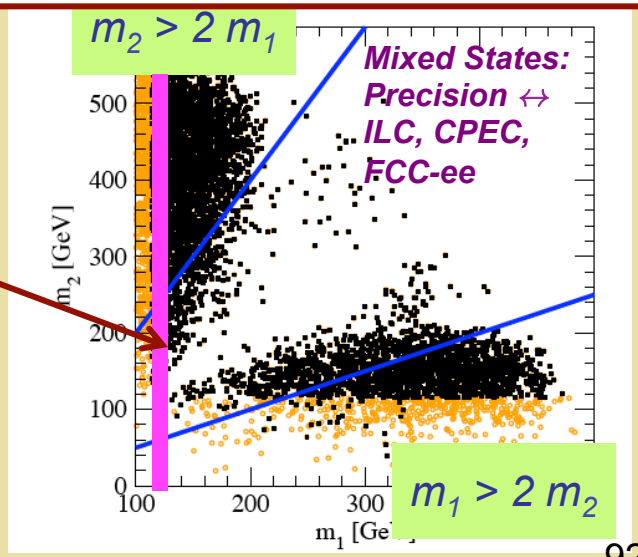

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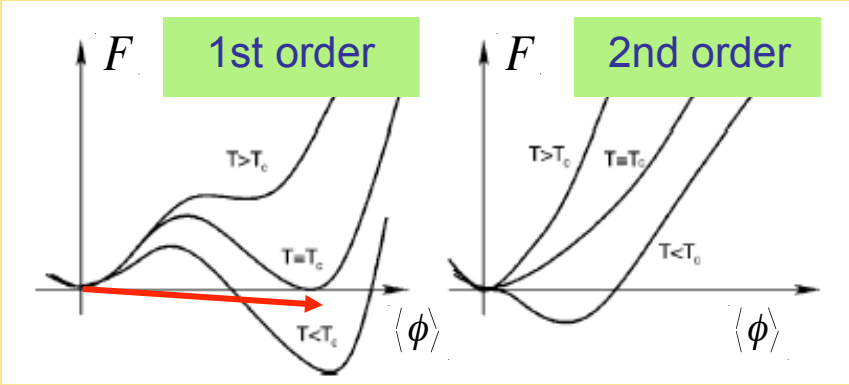

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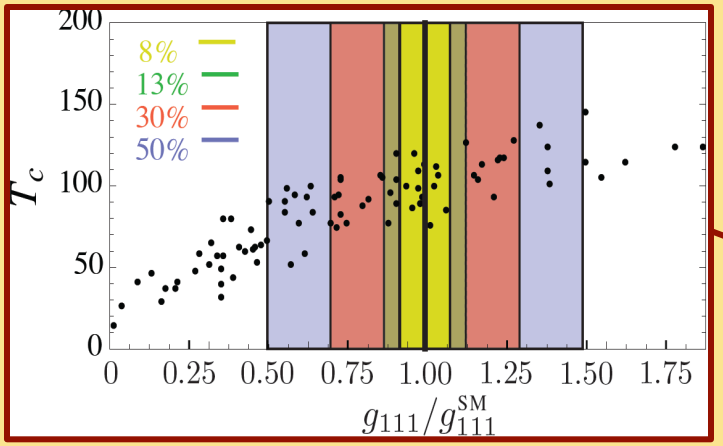

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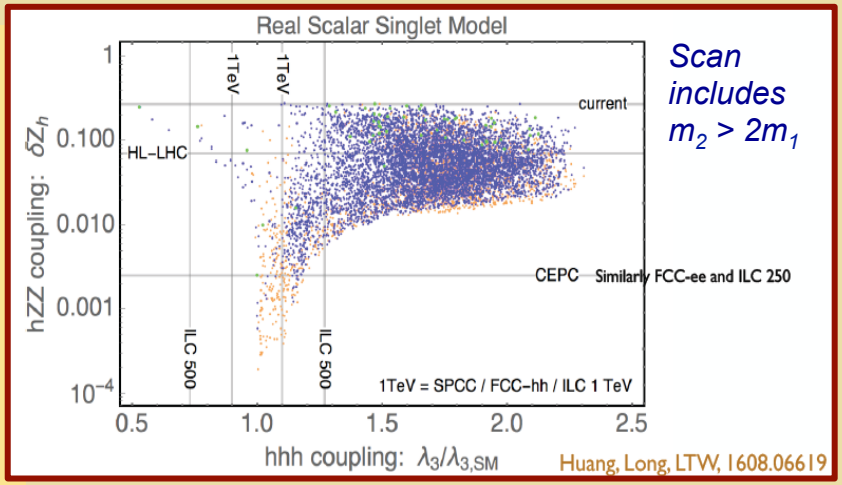

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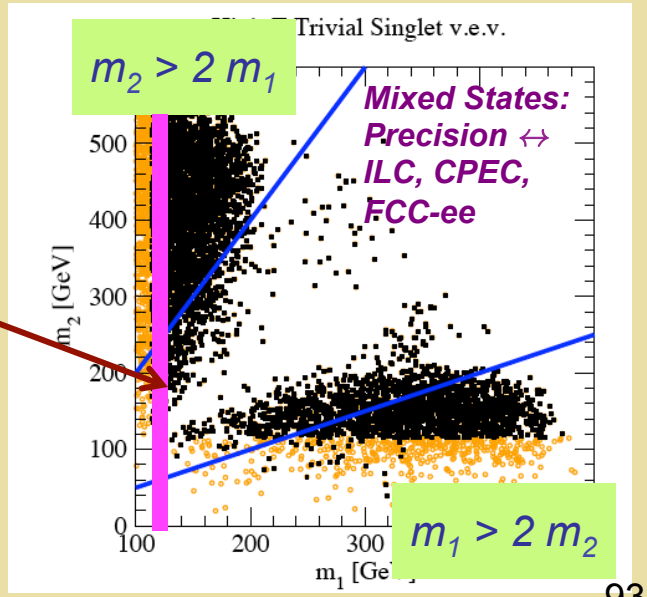

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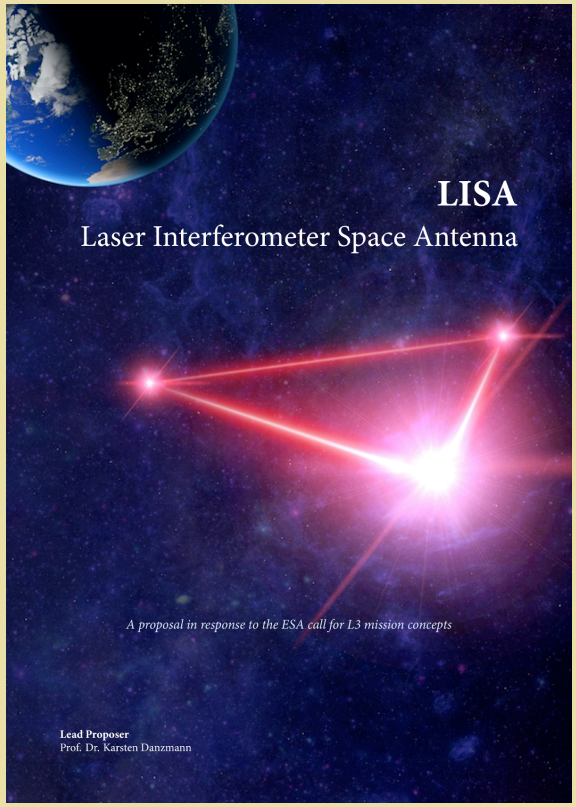
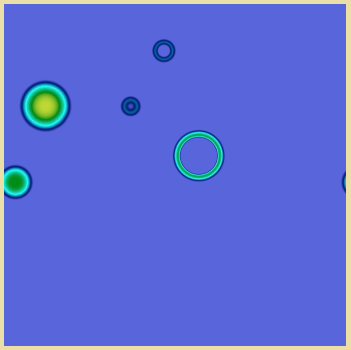
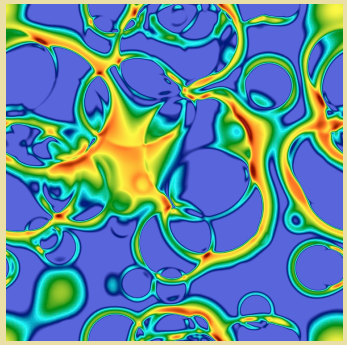




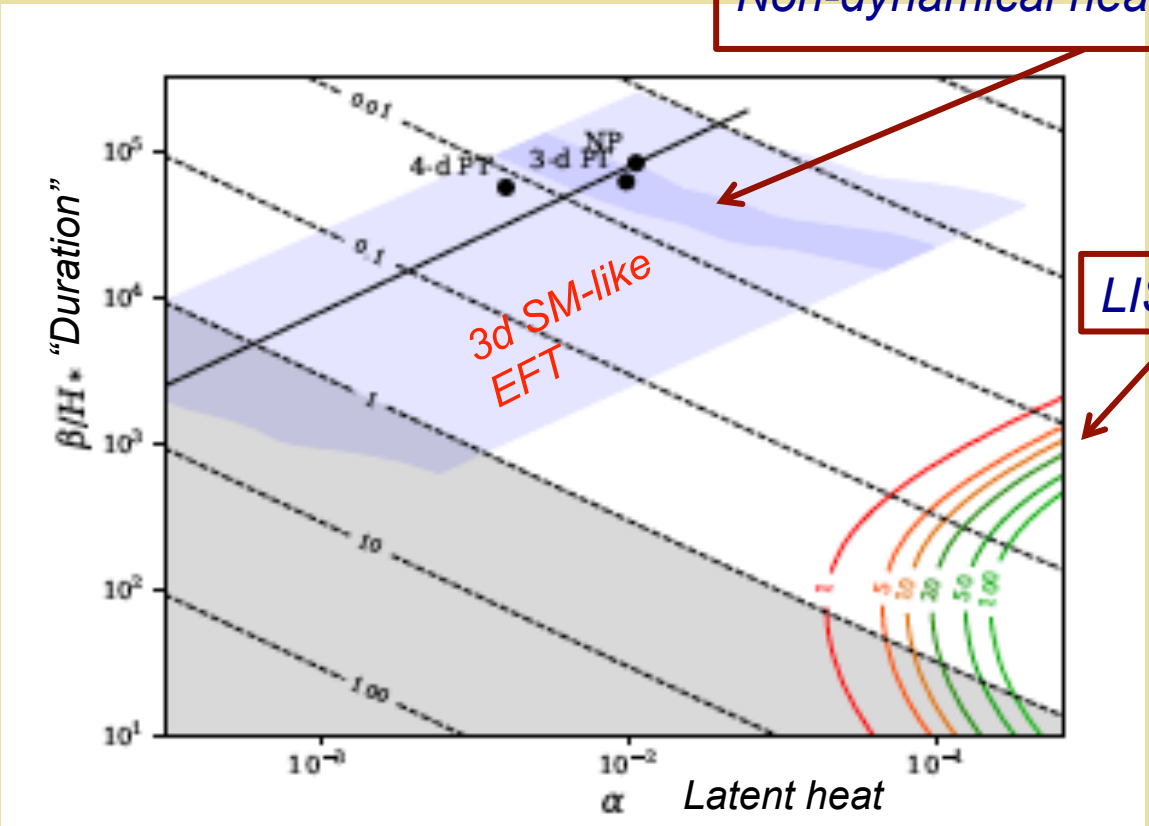


1. Bubbles nucleate and grow
2. Expand in a plasma - create reaction fronts
3. Bubbles + fronts collide - violent process
4. Sound waves left behind in plasma
5. Turbulence; damping

Thanks: D. Weir

Heavy Real Singlet: EWPT & GW

Non-dynamical heavy BSM scalars



LISA SNR

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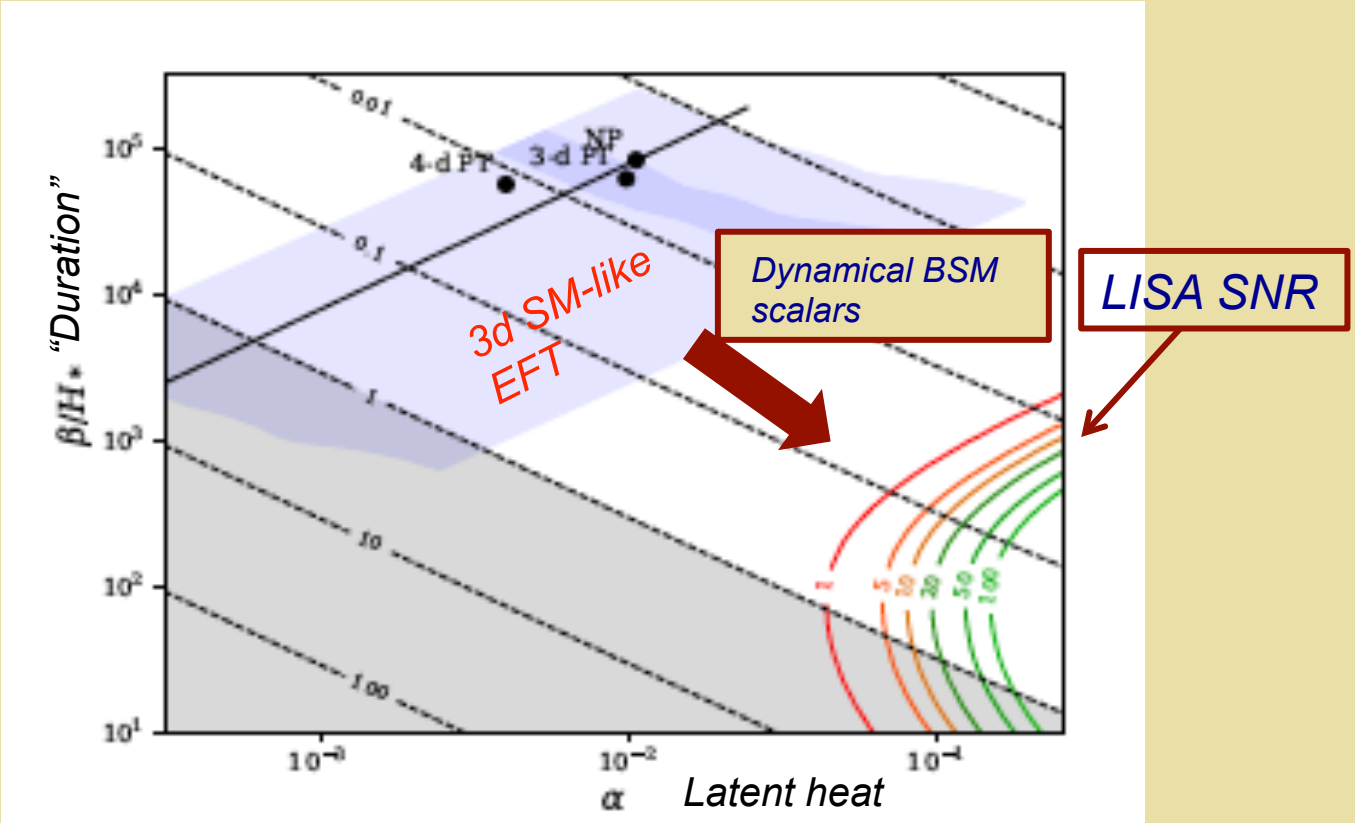

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Higgs Portal: Simple Scalar Extensions

Extension	DOF	EWPT	DM
Real singlet: ~~Z_2~~	1	✔	✖
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Complex Singlet	2	✔	✔
EW Multiplets	3+	✔	✔

May be low-energy remnants of UV complete theory & illustrative of generic features

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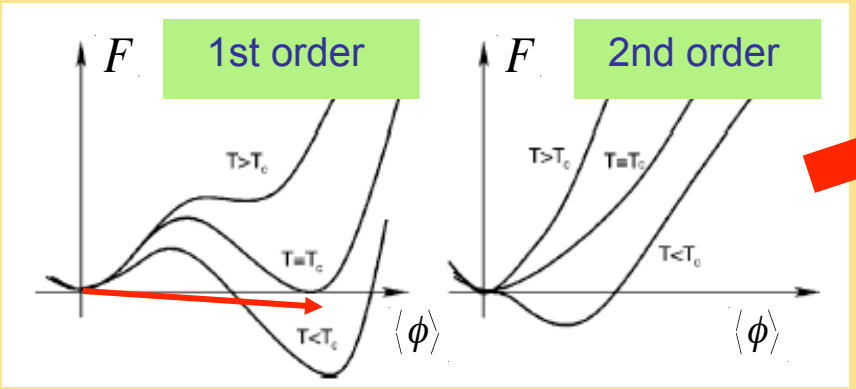

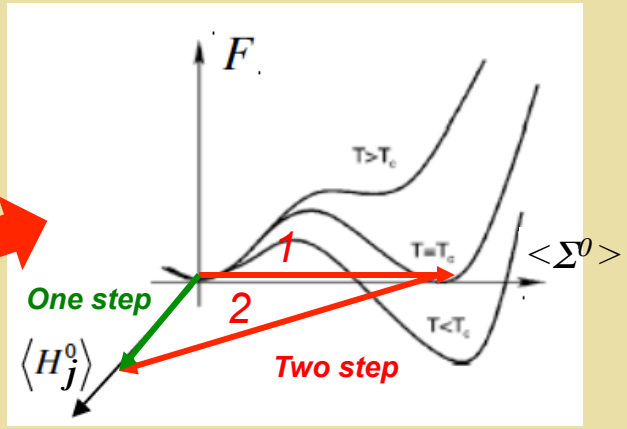

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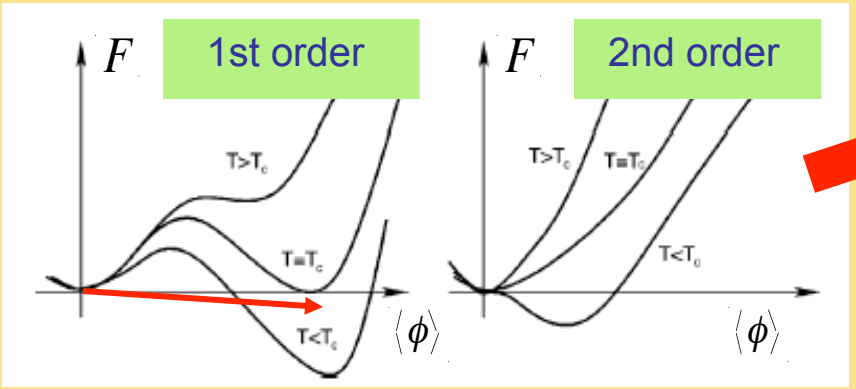

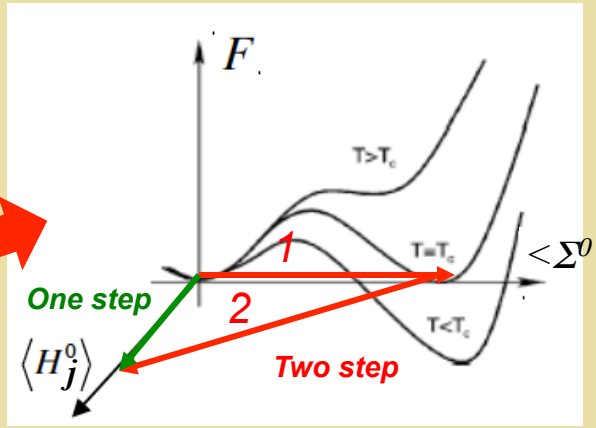

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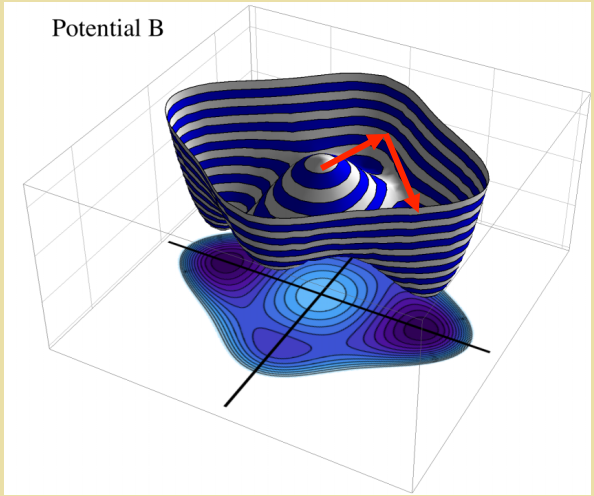

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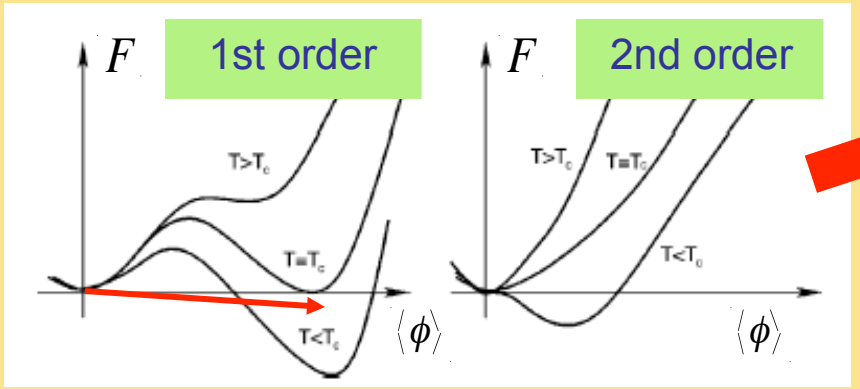

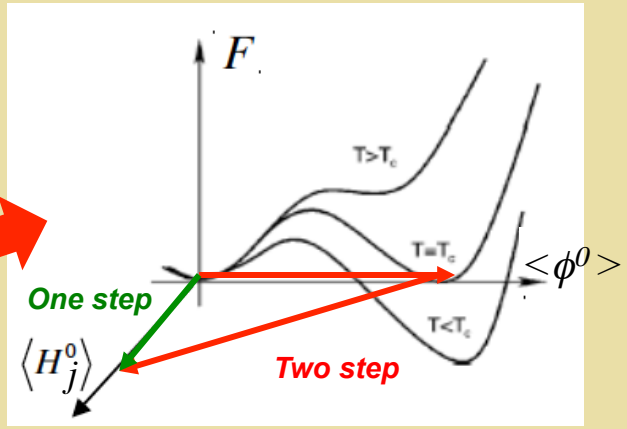

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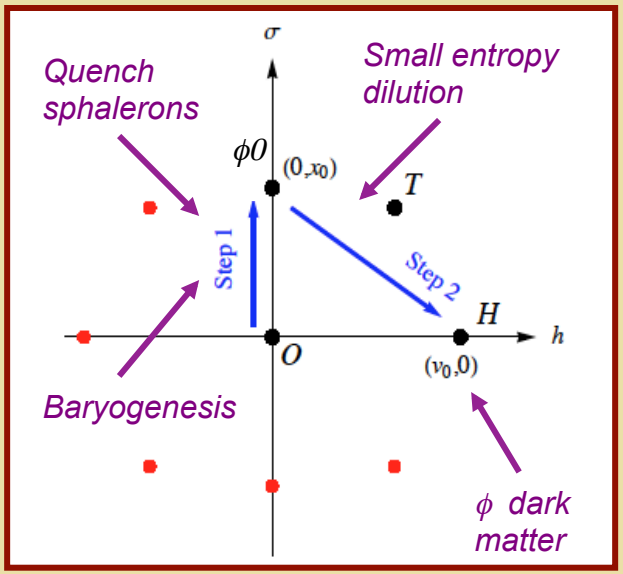

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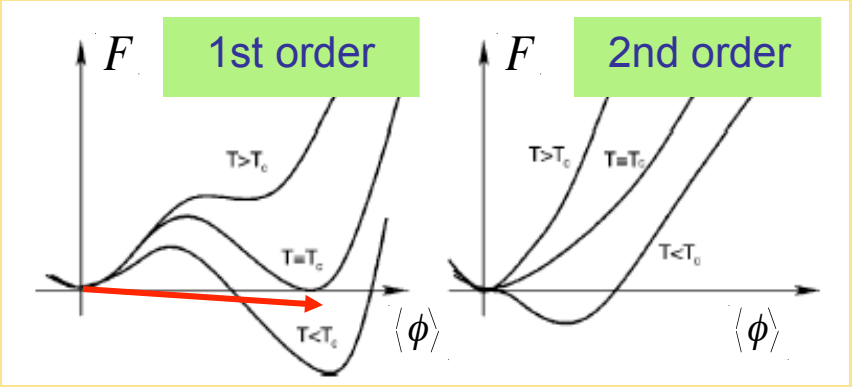

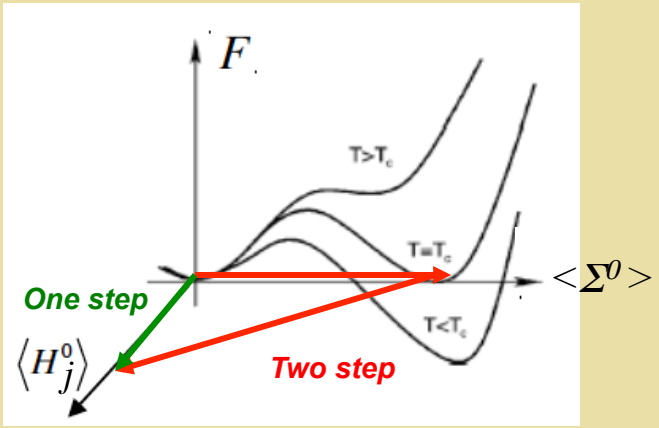

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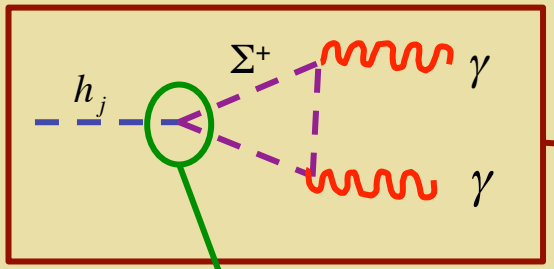

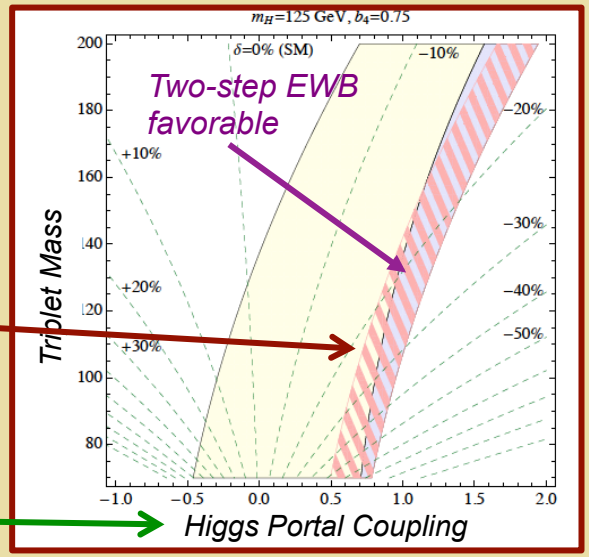

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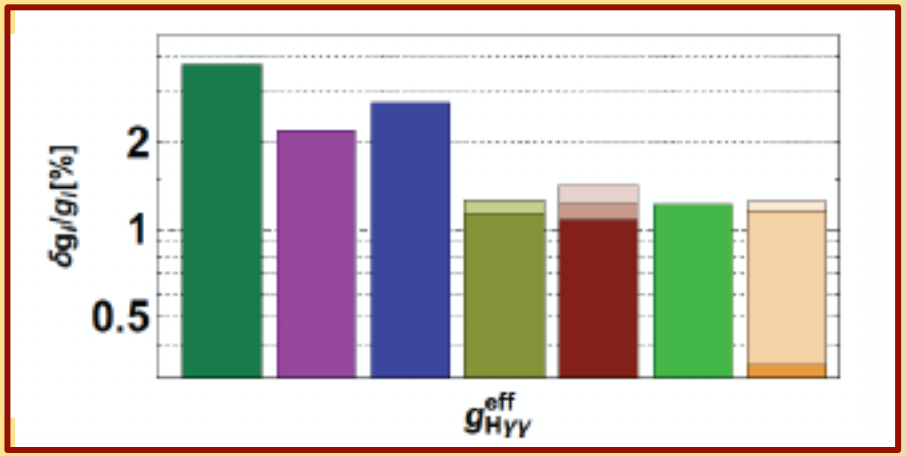

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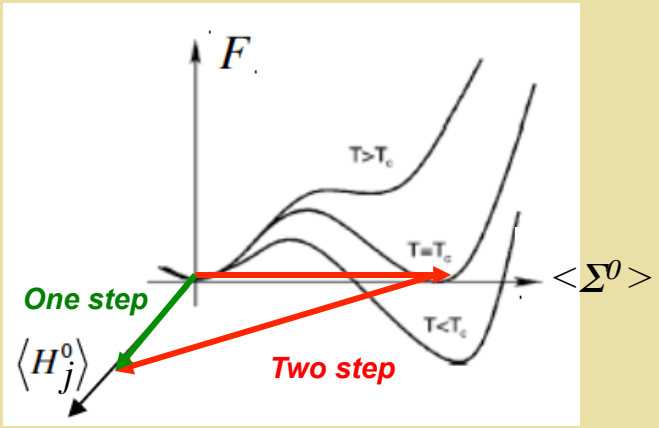

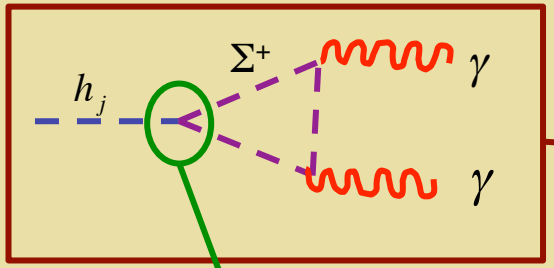

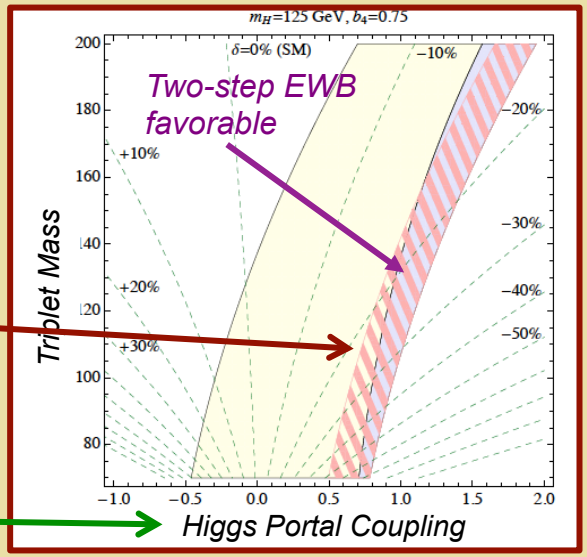

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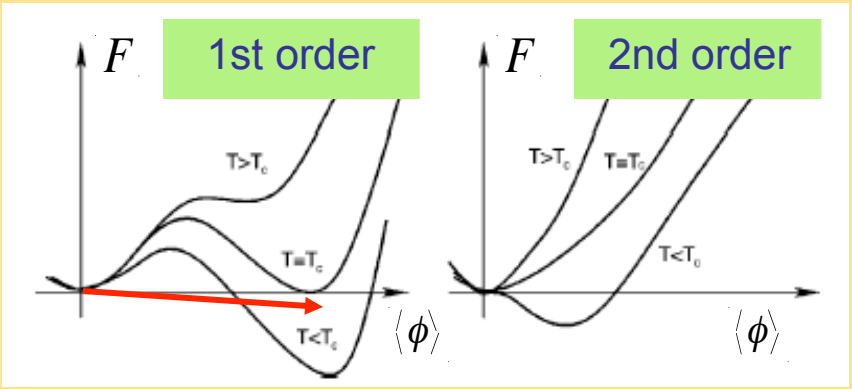

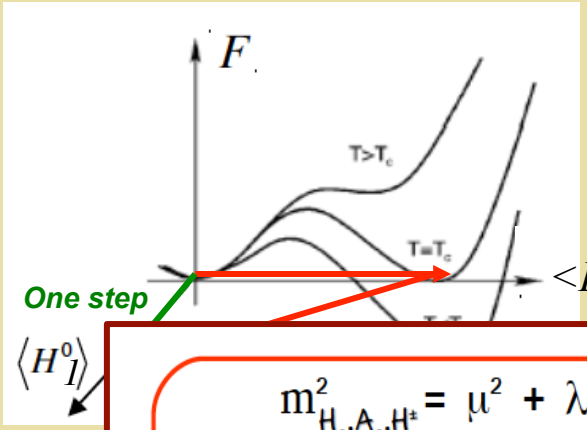

$$m^2_{H_0,A_0,H^\pm} = \mu^2 + \lambda_i v^2$$

Difference between Synmetric - Broken phase in CW piece guaranteed for large BSM mass splitting!

$$m_{A_0} - m_{H_0}$$

Increasing m_h ⟶

Nature of EWPT dominantly controlled by T=0 Vacuum energy difference

*Dorsch, Huber, Mimasu, JMN, JHEP **1712** (2017) 086*

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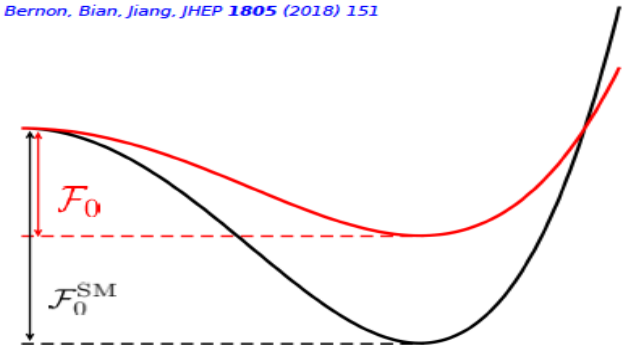

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Broken — Symmetric

1-loop (Coleman-Weinberg)

Thanks: J. M. No

See S. Huber Talk

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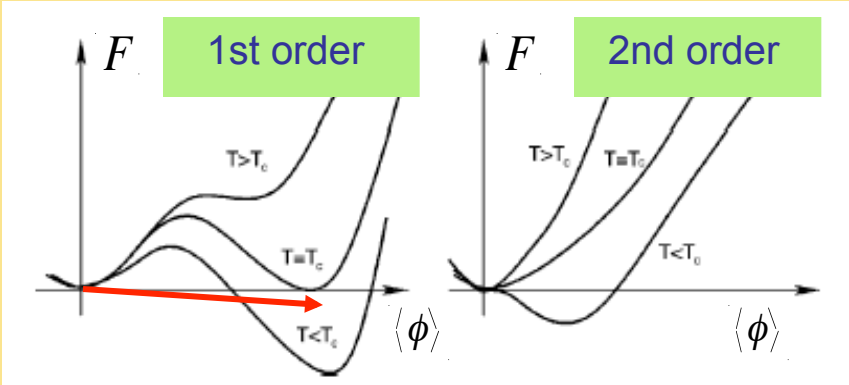

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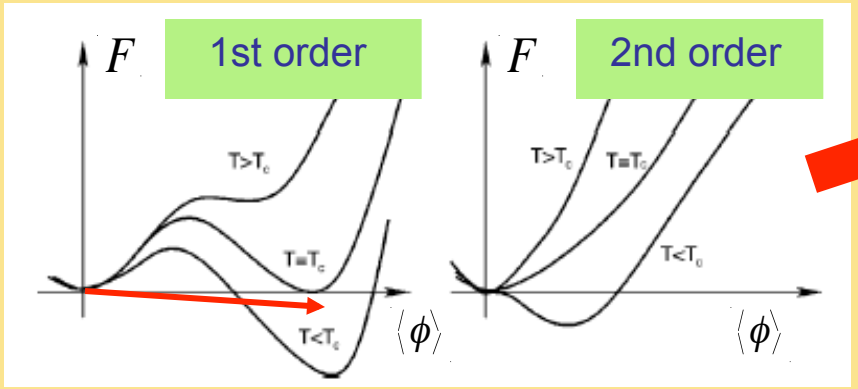

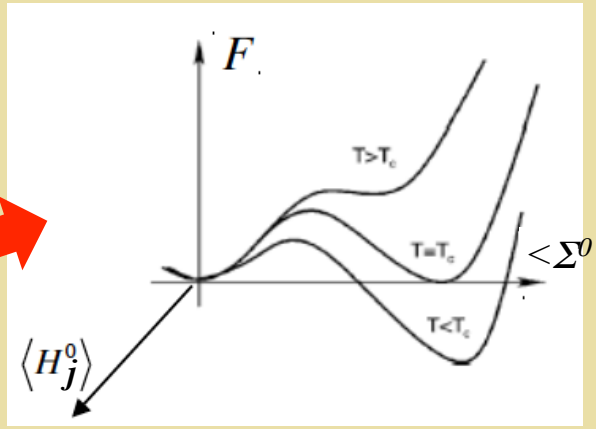

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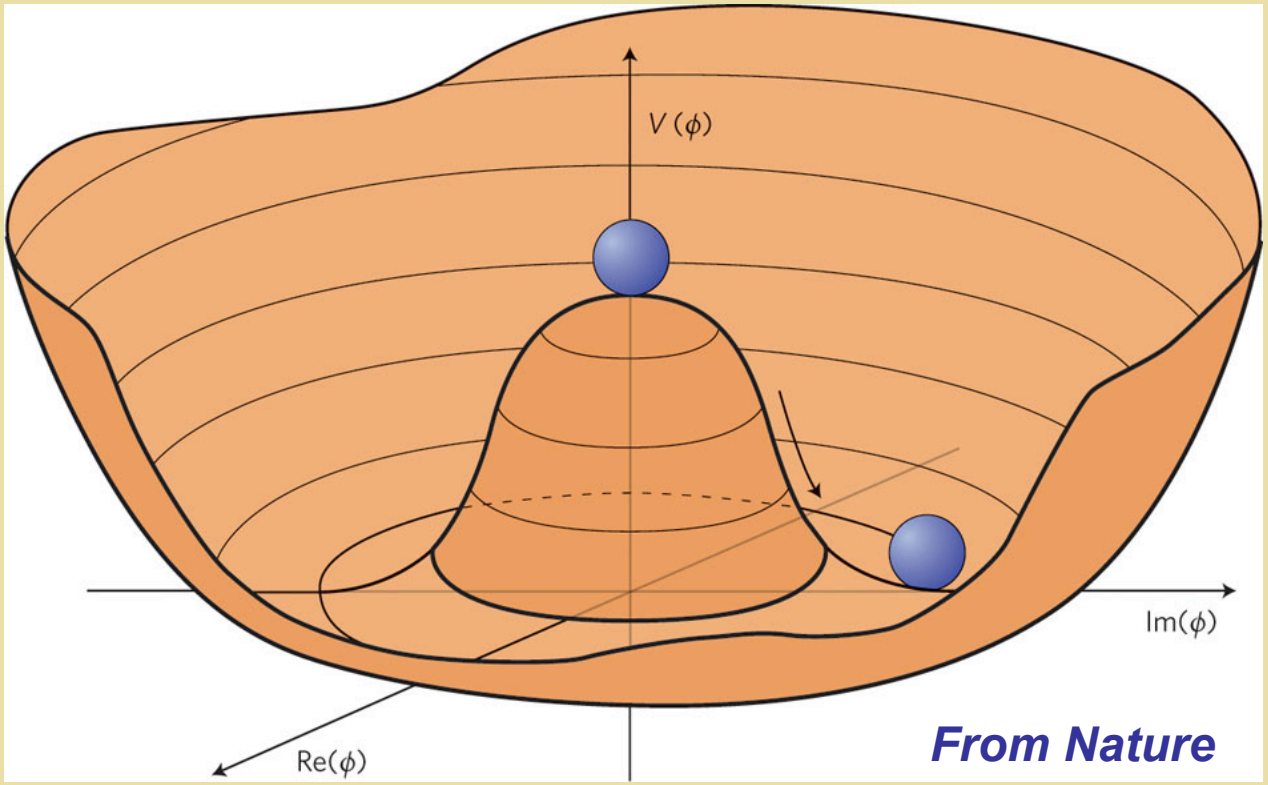

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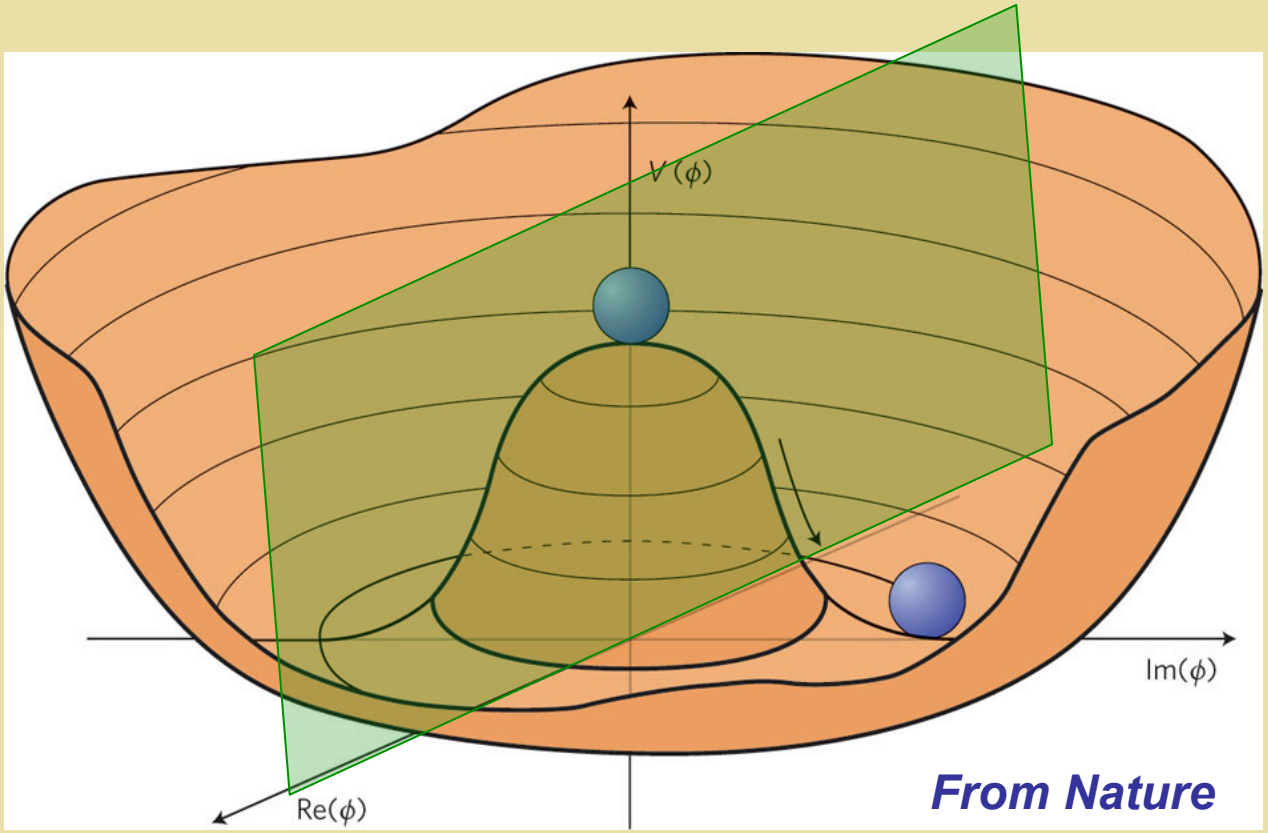
EWSB: The Scalar Potential



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EWPT: Theory & Phenomenology

- *What models can lead to a (strong) first order electroweak phase transition (EW baryogenesis & gravitational waves) ?*
- *Can they also yield contributions to Ω_{DM} ?*
- *How can they be tested experimentally ?*
- *How reliably can we compute phase transition properties & make the connection with phenomenology ?*