Bounds on Neutral and Charged Higgs from the LHC

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Two-Higgs doublet models

- The Higgs basis:

$$\Phi_1 = \begin{bmatrix} G^+ \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(v + S_1 + iG^0\right) \end{bmatrix} \qquad \Phi_2 = \begin{bmatrix} H^+ \\ \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}}\left(S_2 + iS_3\right) \end{bmatrix}$$

- If $\varphi_i^0(x) = \{h(x), H(x), A(x)\} \;\Rightarrow\; \varphi_i^0(x) = \mathcal{R}_{ij} S_j(x)$

- When the potential is CP-conserving:

$$\begin{pmatrix} h \\ H \\ A \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos\tilde{\alpha} & \sin\tilde{\alpha} & 0 \\ -\sin\tilde{\alpha} & \cos\tilde{\alpha} & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} S_1 \\ S_2 \\ S_3 \end{pmatrix}$$

- $\tilde{\alpha} \equiv \alpha - \beta$, $v = \sqrt{v_1^2 + v_2^2} \approx 246$ GeV, $\tan\beta \equiv v_2/v_1$.

Yukawa Lagrangian

- The general Yukawa Lagrangian in the Higgs basis:

$$\mathcal{L}_Y = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{v}\Big\{ \bar{Q}'_L\,(M'_d\Phi_1 + Y'_d\Phi_2)\,d'_R + \bar{Q}'_L\,(M'_u\Phi_1 + Y'_u\Phi_2)u'_R + \bar{L}'_L\,(M'_l\Phi_1 + Y'_l\Phi_2)\,l'_R \Big\}$$

- with M'_f and Y'_f complex independent matrices (non simultaneously diagonalizable) $\Rightarrow$ tree level FCNCs.

- One usually imposes a discrete $\mathcal{Z}_2$ symmetry on the Higgs doublets: $\phi_1 \to \phi_1\,,\ \phi_2 \to -\phi_2$ (in a generic basis), etc.

- However, a more general approach is to impose alignment in the flavour space: $Y'_f \sim M'_f$.

Yukawa Lagrangian

- Now we can simultaneously diagonalize both matrices and:

$$Y_{d,l} = \varsigma_{d,l}\, M_{d,l} \qquad\qquad Y_u = \varsigma_u^*\, M_u$$

- The Yukawa Lagrangian now reads:

$$\mathcal{L}_Y = -\frac{\sqrt{2}}{v}\, H^+ \left\{ \bar{u} \left[\varsigma_d\, V M_d \mathcal{P}_R - \varsigma_u\, M_u^\dagger V \mathcal{P}_L \right] d \,+\, \varsigma_l\, \bar{\nu} M_l \mathcal{P}_R l \right\}$$
$$-\frac{1}{v} \sum_{\varphi_i^0, f} y_f^{\varphi_i^0}\, \varphi_i^0\, \left[\bar{f}\, M_f \mathcal{P}_R f \right] \,+\, \mathrm{h.c.}$$

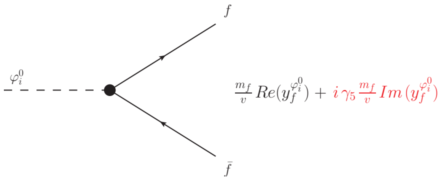
[A.Pich, P.Tuzon '09]

- If the Higgs potential is CP-conserving then the neutral Yukawas read:

$$y_{d,l}^h = \cos\tilde{\alpha} + \varsigma_{d,l}\, \sin\tilde{\alpha} \qquad y_{d,l}^H = -\sin\tilde{\alpha} + \varsigma_{d,l}\, \cos\tilde{\alpha} \qquad y_{d,l}^A = i\, \varsigma_{d,l}$$
$$y_u^h = \cos\tilde{\alpha} + \varsigma_u^*\, \sin\tilde{\alpha} \qquad y_u^H = -\sin\tilde{\alpha} + \varsigma_u^*\, \cos\tilde{\alpha} \qquad y_u^A = -i\, \varsigma_u^*$$

Yukawa Lagrangian

- The complex parameters still allow for new sources of CP-violation in the neutral Yukawa sector:



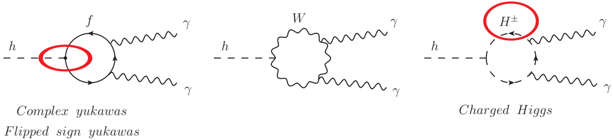
- SM: $Re(y_f^{\varphi_i^0}) = 1$ and $Im(y_f^{\varphi_i^0}) = 0$.
- For real ς_f we can recover the usual $\mathcal{Z}_2$ models:

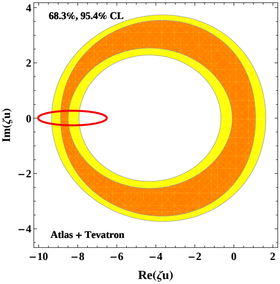
Model	ς_d	ς_u	ς_l
Type I	$\cot\beta$	$\cot\beta$	$\cot\beta$
Type II	$-\tan\beta$	$\cot\beta$	$-\tan\beta$
Type X	$\cot\beta$	$\cot\beta$	$-\tan\beta$
Type Y	$-\tan\beta$	$\cot\beta$	$\cot\beta$
Inert	0	0	0

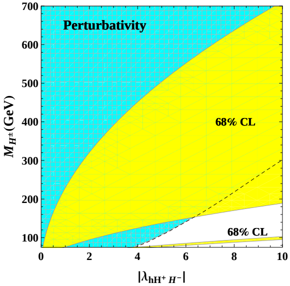
NEUTRAL SECTOR

χ^2 fit, CP-conserving potential & yukawas

- If $h \to \gamma\gamma$ excess is "real"





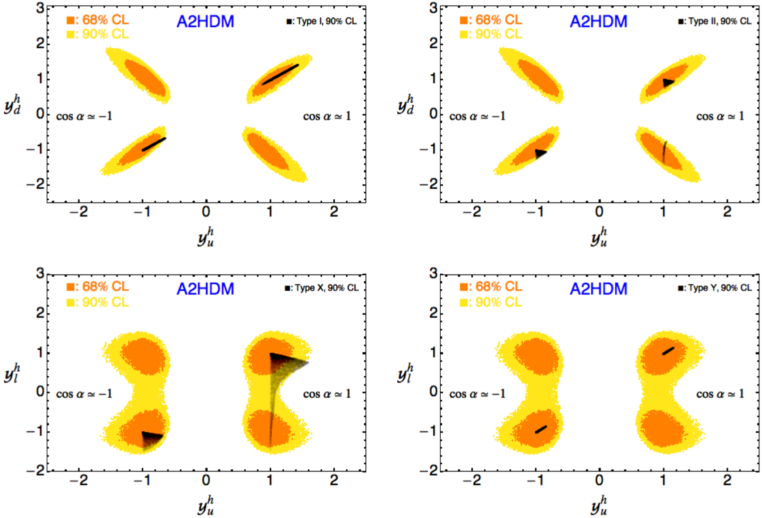


$$y_u^h = \cos\tilde{\alpha} + \varsigma_u^* \sin\tilde{\alpha} \qquad \mathcal{L}_{hH^+H^-} = -v\,\lambda_{hH^+H^-}\, hH^+H^-$$

[A.Pich, A.Celis, V.I. '13]

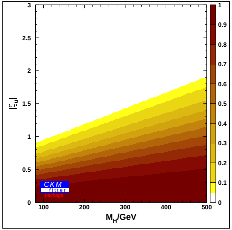
χ^2 fit, CP-conserving potential & yukawas

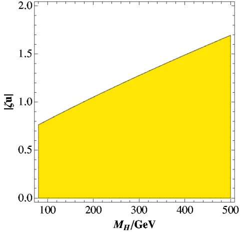
- ATHDM and $\mathcal{Z}_2$ types with Atlas + Tevatron + CMS: [A.Pich, A.Celis V.I. '13]

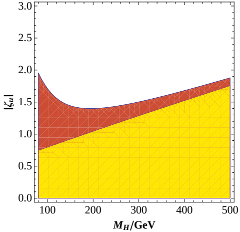


Flavour sector

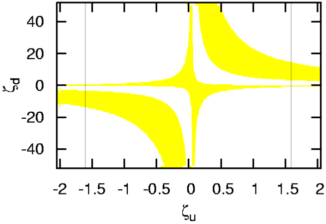
- Flavour constraints on ς_u: R_b, ϵ_K, $\bar{B} - B$ mixing [A.Pich, M.Jung, P.Tuzon '10]





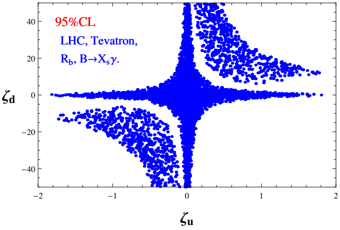


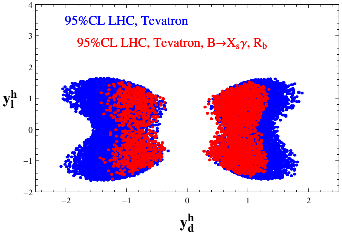
- Flavour constraints on $(\varsigma_u, \varsigma_d)$: $B \to X_s \gamma$



Combined constraints

- Joining all the relevant constraints LHC + Tevatron + R_b + $B \to X_s\gamma$ we obtain at 95 % CL:





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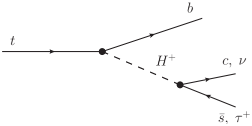
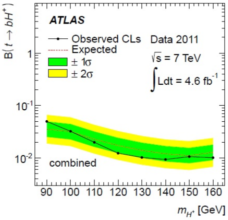
CHARGED SECTOR

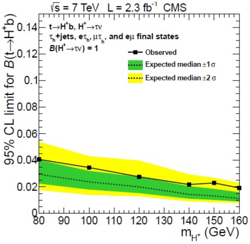
Direct $H^{\pm}$ searches

- Atlas and CMS direct $H^{\pm}$ searches:



- Limits on: $BR(t \to H^+ b) \times BR(H^+ \to c\bar{s},\ \tau^+ \nu)$





Direct $H^{\pm}$ searches

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$$\frac{\Gamma(H^+ \to c\bar{b})}{\Gamma(H^+ \to c\bar{s})} \approx \frac{|V_{cb}|^2 \left(|\varsigma_d|^2 \; m_b^2 + |\varsigma_u|^2 \; m_c^2\right)}{|V_{cs}|^2 \left(|\varsigma_d|^2 \; m_s^2 + |\varsigma_u|^2 \; m_c^2\right)}$$

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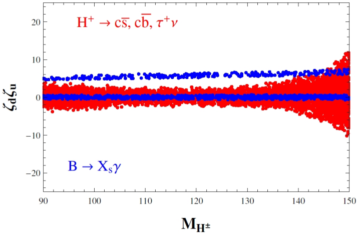

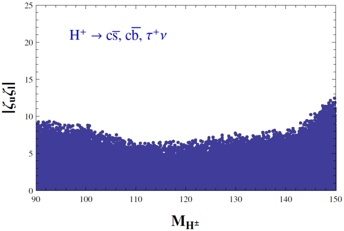

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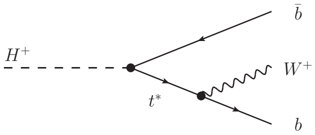
$H^{\pm} \to t^* b\bar{b} \to W^+ b\bar{b}$ decay

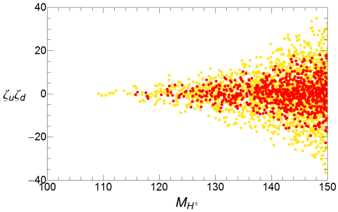
- When $M_{H^{\pm}} > M_W + 2m_b$ there is a extra decay mode that can play a important role:

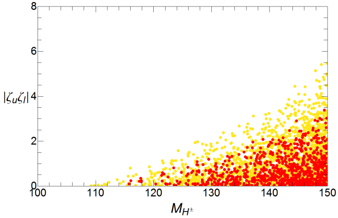


- It has been previously analysed in MSSM and $\mathcal{Z}_2$ models $\to$ important contributions when $M_{H^{\pm}} \gtrsim 135 - 145$ GeV, depending on the model and on $\tan\beta$.
- In the ATHDM it can bring sizeable contributions $BR \sim 10 - 20\%$ already when $M_{H^{\pm}} \gtrsim 110$ GeV.

$H^{\pm} \to t^* b\bar{b} \to W^+ b\bar{b}$ decay

- Red: $BR(H^+ \to W^+ b\bar{b}) > 20\%$, Yellow: $BR(H^+ \to W^+ b\bar{b}) > 10\%$



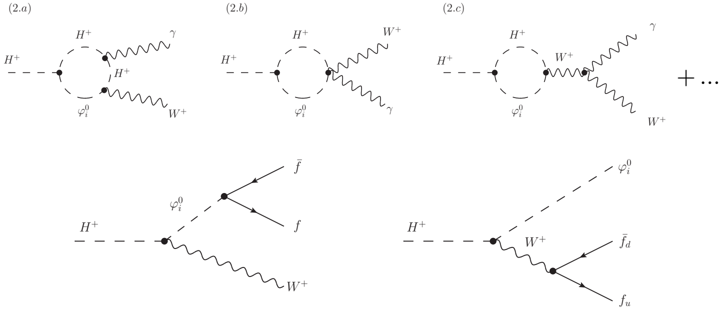


- Wide regions - partially overlap with the allowed parameter space region from direct searches. Therefore this decay mode should be included for a correct analysis and
- The experimental searches should be enlarged by also including this channel!

[A.Pich, A.Celis, V.I. '13]

Fermiophobic $H^{\pm}$

- For a fermiophobic charged Higgs ($\varsigma_f = 0$) therefore H^+ does not couple to fermions at tree level.
- All experimental bounds are trivially satisfied; other production channels and decay rates would be needed to prove such a scenario.



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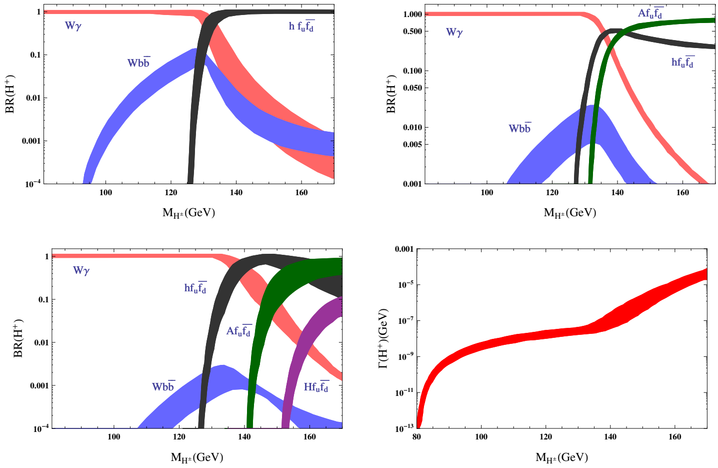
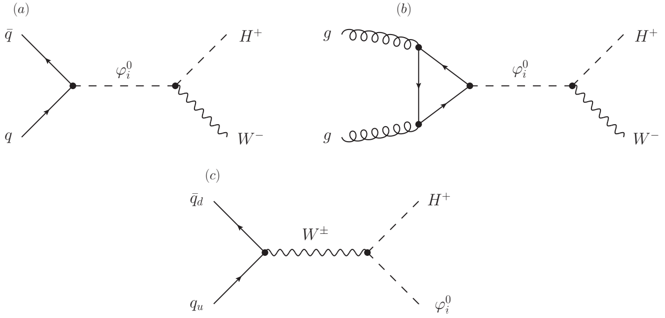
BRs and total decay width

- Different mass configurations and couplings



Fermiophobic $H^{\pm}$

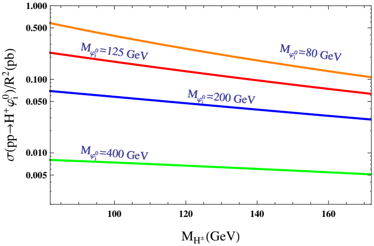
- Dominating production modes.

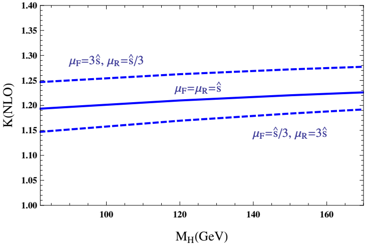


$+$ QCD corrections

$H^+\varphi_i^0$ associated production

$$\hat{\sigma}(q_u\bar{q}_d \to H^+\varphi_i^0) = \frac{g^4\ |V_{ud}|^2}{768\ \pi\ N_c\ \hat{s}^2}\ \frac{(\mathcal{R}_{i2}^2+\mathcal{R}_{i3}^2)}{(\hat{s}-M_W^2)^2}\ \lambda^{3/2}(\hat{s}, M_{H^\pm}^2, M_{\varphi_i^0}^2)$$



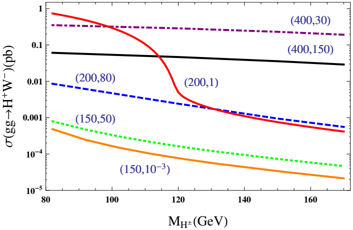


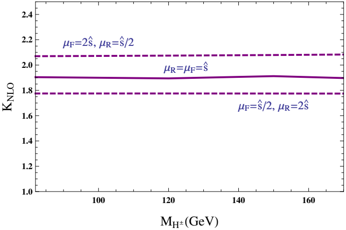
LO production cross section $\sigma(pp \to H^+\varphi_i^0)/R^2$ at $\sqrt{s} = 14$ TeV (left), as function of $M_{H^\pm}$, for different values of $M_{\varphi_i^0}$. The QCD K factor is shown (right) for $M_{\varphi_i^0} = 125$ GeV and different choices of μ_R and μ_F

- $K_{NLO} \equiv \sigma_{NLO}/\sigma_{LO}$

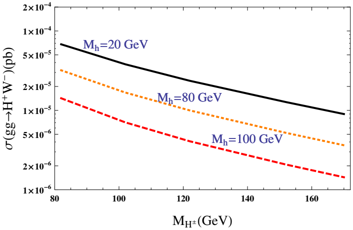
H^+W^- associated production

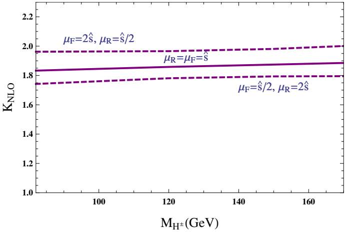
- If $M_h = 125$ GeV H can reach on-shell region → estimate Γ_H





- If $M_H = 125$ GeV both h and H are always off-shell.





Conclusions

- The $BR(H^{\pm})$ depend sensitively on the chosen parameters.
- There are only a few decay channels to be analysed.
- The largest decay widths are the tree-level ones, (on-shell production of scalar bosons).
- Thus, the number of decay channels decreases as the number of neutral scalar bosons that are heavier than the charged Higgs (i.e., $M_{\varphi_i^0} > M_{H^\pm}$) increases.
- The $W\gamma$ decay mode can bring sizeable contributions below and close to the the on-shell production threshold of a scalar boson φ_i^0.
- $\tau_{H^\pm}$ is short, ranging from 10^{-11} to 10^{-23} s $\rightarrow$ its direct detection very compelling at the LHC.
- If a fermiophobic $H^{\pm}$ is discovered the precise value of its mass would provide priceless information about all other parameters.
- The masses of the remaining scalars would also be highly constrained by the electroweak oblique parameters.

Backup slides

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- The one loop corrections introduce some misalignment. Using the renormalization-group equations one finds FCNCs structures:

$$\mathcal{L}_{FCNC} = \frac{C(\mu)}{4\pi^2 v^3}(1+\varsigma_u^*\varsigma_d)\sum_i \varphi_i^0 \times$$
$$\times \Big\{(\mathcal{R}_{i2}+i\mathcal{R}_{i3})(\varsigma_d-\varsigma_u)\Big[\bar{d}_L V^\dagger M_u M_u^\dagger V M_d d_R\Big]$$
$$-(\mathcal{R}_{i2}-i\mathcal{R}_{i3})(\varsigma_d^*-\varsigma_u^*)\Big[\bar{u}_L V M_d M_d^\dagger V^\dagger M_u u_R\Big]\Big\} + h.c.$$

- The leptonic coupling ς_l does not introduce any FCNC interaction.
- Assuming the alignment to be exact at some scale μ_0 ($C(\mu_0)=0$), a non-zero value is generated when running to another scale:

$$C(\mu) = -\log(\mu/\mu_0)$$

- These effects are very suppressed by $m_q m_q'/v^3$ and by the quark mixing factors, avoiding the stringent experimental constraints.

- The χ^2 used for the fit is defined as:

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{a \neq b} \left(\frac{(\mu_a - \hat{\mu}_a)^2}{\sigma_a^2} + \frac{(\mu_b - \hat{\mu}_b)^2}{\sigma_b^2} - 2\rho_{ab} \frac{(\mu_a - \hat{\mu}_a)\,(\mu_b - \hat{\mu}_b)}{\sigma_a\,\sigma_b} \right)$$

- $\hat{\mu}_a$ and σ_a are the experimental signal strength and error; ρ_{ab} is the correlation coefficient and:

$$\mu_a^{\varphi_i^0} = \frac{\sigma(pp \to \varphi_i^0)}{\sigma(pp \to h)_{SM}} \frac{\mathrm{Br}(\varphi_i^0 \to a)}{\mathrm{Br}(h \to a)_{SM}}$$

$$\frac{\mathrm{Br}(\varphi_i^0 \to a)}{\mathrm{Br}(h \to a)_{SM}} = \frac{1}{\rho(\varphi_i^0)} \frac{\Gamma(\varphi_i^0 \to a)}{\Gamma(h \to a)_{SM}}$$

$$\Gamma(\varphi_i^0) = \rho(\varphi_i^0)\Gamma_{SM}(h) \qquad (1)$$

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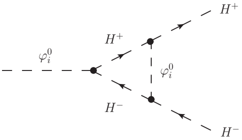
- For THDMs with a general potential $\lambda_{\varphi_i^0 H^+ H^-}$ is a free parameter. When the potential is CP-conserving ($\lambda_i \in \mathbb{R}$):

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda_{hH^+H^-} &= \lambda_3 \cos\tilde{\alpha} + \lambda_7 \sin\tilde{\alpha} \\ \lambda_{HH^+H^-} &= -\lambda_3 \sin\tilde{\alpha} + \lambda_7 \cos\tilde{\alpha} \end{aligned}$$

- As it depends on yet unknown parameters we can calculate the one-loop correction:



$$(\lambda_{\varphi_i^0 H^+ H^-})_{\text{eff}} = \lambda_{\varphi_i^0 H^+ H^-} \,(1+\Delta)$$

- and impose $\Delta \leqslant 50\%$.

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