

# SUPERSYMMETRY AT THE LHC

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- News from the Higgs
- My personal 04-05 highlights: Susy at the LHC
- Split Susy at the LHC

n.b. Lots of figures in this talk stolen or preliminary!

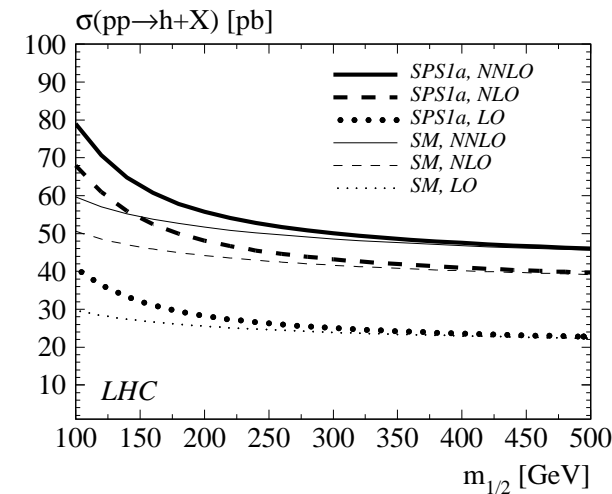
# SUSY-HIGGS AT THE LHC

## NLO and parton shower in MC@NLO [Frixione, Webber, DelDuca, O'Leari]

- combine collinear jets, hard jets, virtual corrections in Herwig
- THE tool for analyses, currently in use in Atlas & CMS
- unfortunately only Standard Model [DY, W, Z, H,  $t\bar{t}$ , ...]

## Higher-order SUSY-Higgs production [Harlander, Steinhauser, Hofmann]

- Standard Model  $gg \rightarrow H$  known to NLO [Spira]
- $\Rightarrow$  exact NLO squark contributions large [talk Mühlleitner, Spira]
- (SUSY) Wilson coefficient for heavy particles
- $\Rightarrow$  approximate NNLO cross section in heavy-mass limit



## Bottom parton issues resolved [charged Higgs reach reduced]

- conceptual problem with bottom partons clarified [Boos, TP, Maltoni, Willenbrock,...]
- NLO  $gg \rightarrow b\bar{b}H$  and NNLO  $b\bar{b} \rightarrow H$  agree [Dittmaier, Spira,... ; Dawson,... ; Harlander & Kilgore]
- distributions checked for  $gb \rightarrow tH^-$ ,  $b\bar{b} \rightarrow H^+H^-$  [Berger, Han, Jiang, TP; Alves & TP]

# SUSY SIGNALS AT LHC (AND TEVATRON)

10 years of discovering:

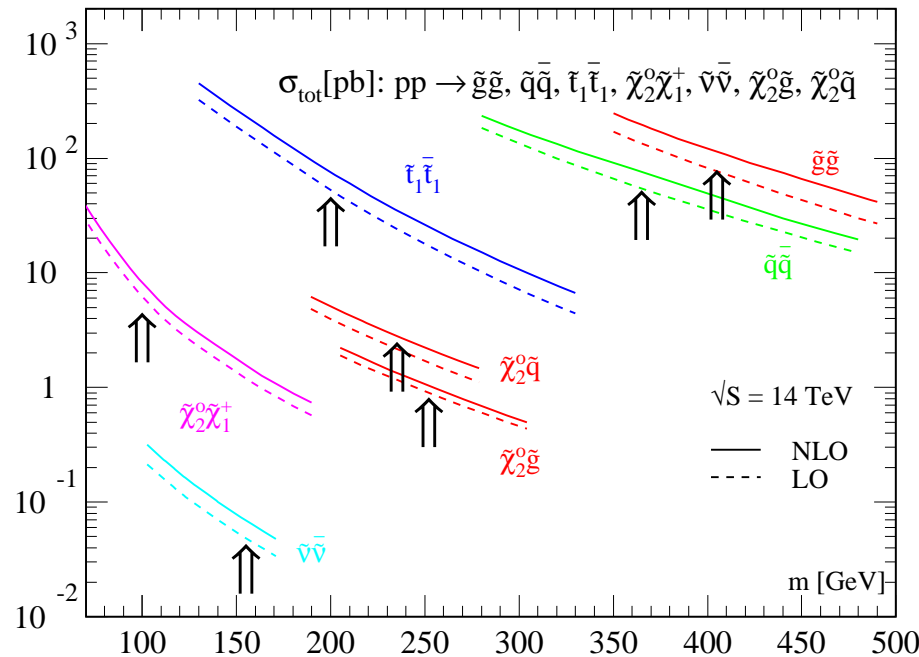
- (1) **possible discovery** — signals for new physics, exclusion of parameter space
- (2) **measurements** — masses, cross sections, decays
- (3) **parameter studies** — MSSM Lagrangean, SUSY breaking

**SUSY signals** [also Tevatron]

- jets and  $E_T$ :  $pp \rightarrow \tilde{q}\tilde{q}^*, \tilde{g}\tilde{g}, \tilde{q}\tilde{g}$
- funny tops:  $pp \rightarrow \tilde{t}_1\tilde{t}_1^*$
- like sign dileptons:  $pp \rightarrow \tilde{g}\tilde{g}$
- tri-leptons:  $pp \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0\tilde{\chi}_1^- \dots$

**Theory tools for high precision**

- NLO ( $2 \rightarrow 2$ ) cross sections: Prospino2
- NLO SUSY branching ratios: Sdecay [Mühlleitner]
- LO ( $2 \rightarrow n$ ) matrix elements: Smadgraph, Sherpa, Whizard
- all SUSY input through Les Houches Accord [Allanach, Skands,...]



# SUSY CASCADE ANALYSES

## Spectra from cascade decays

– decay  $\tilde{g} \rightarrow \tilde{q}\bar{q} \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 q\bar{q} \rightarrow \mu^+ \mu^- q\bar{q} \tilde{\chi}_1^0$  [better not via Z or to  $\tau$ ]

– cross sections some 100 pb [more than  $3 \times 10^5$  events]

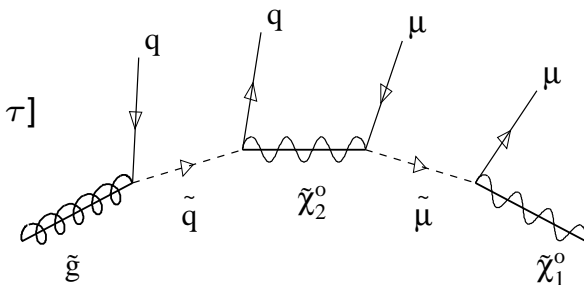
– thresholds & edges [Hinchliffe, Paige...; Cambridge ex-ph]

$$\text{classical } m_{\ell\ell}^2 < (m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0}^2 - m_{\ell}^2)(m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}^2 - m_{\ell}^2) / m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}^2$$

– detector resolution, calibration, systematic errors, shape analysis? [talk Miller]

– cross sections as additional input? [Lester...]

⇒  $\tilde{q}_L$  cascade reconstruction great for SPS1a [mass differences better; talk Hinchliffe]



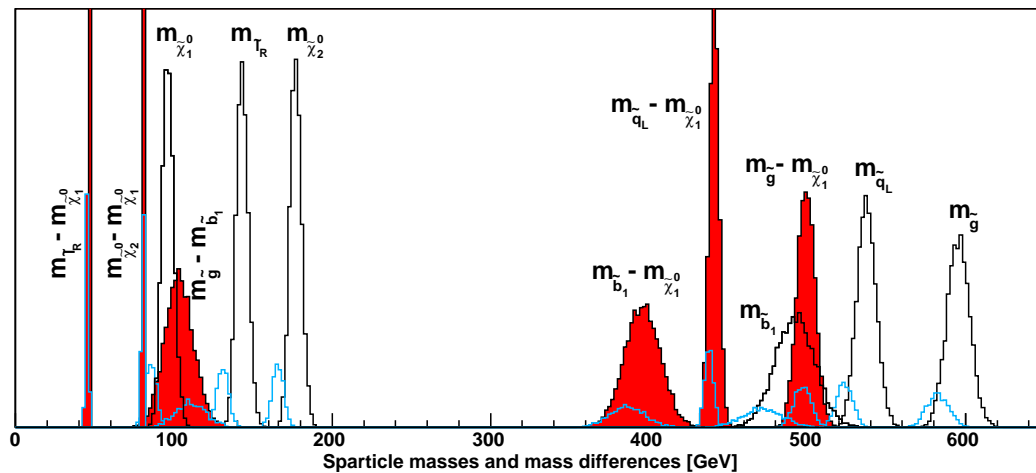
## Glino mass [Gjelsten, Miller, Osland]

– now four jets instead of two

– jet identification crucial

–  $\tilde{b}_L$  instead, all jets b-tagged

⇒ **gluino mass to  $\sim 1\%$   
statistical error dominant**



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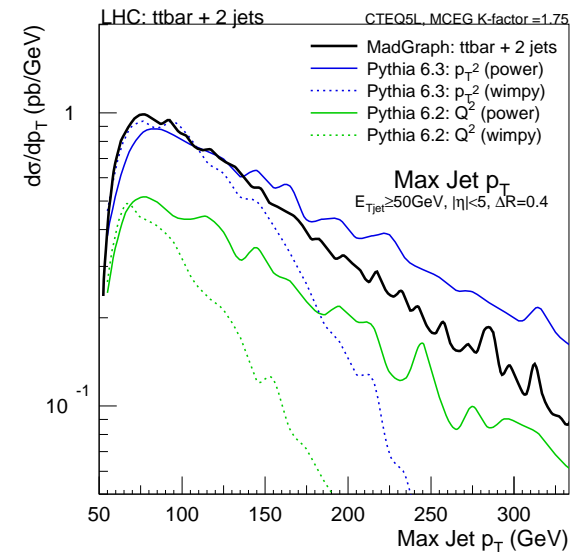
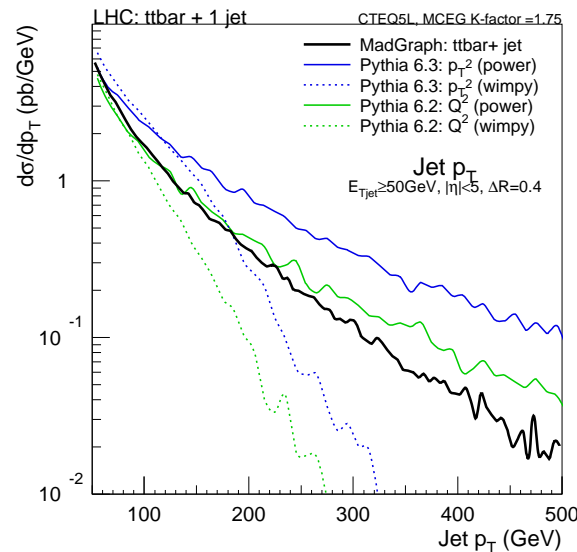
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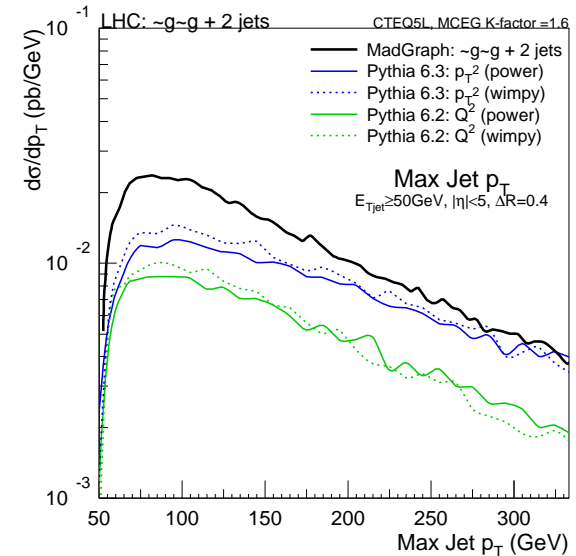
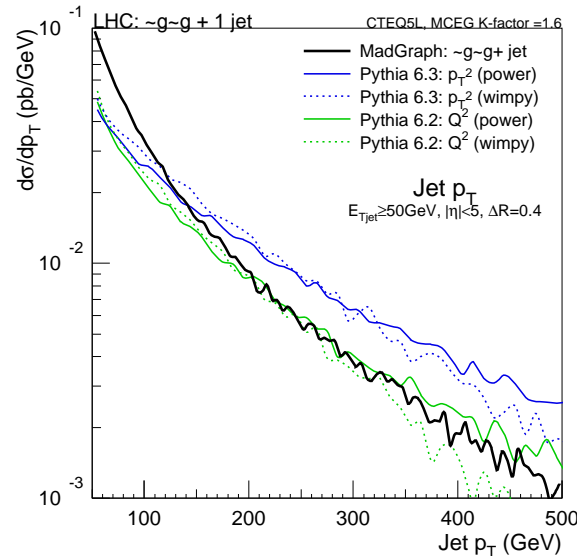
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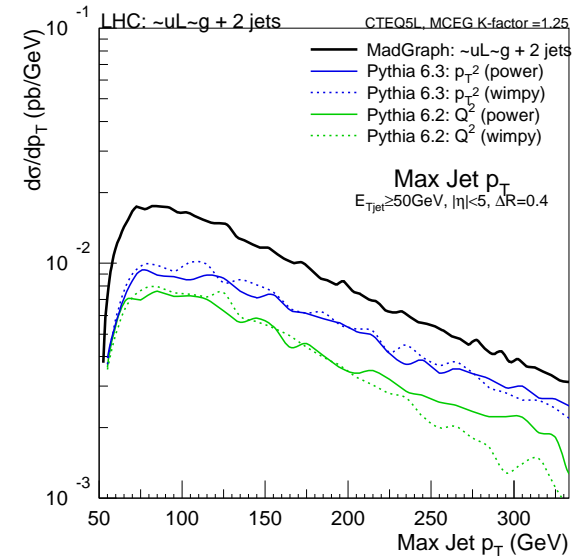
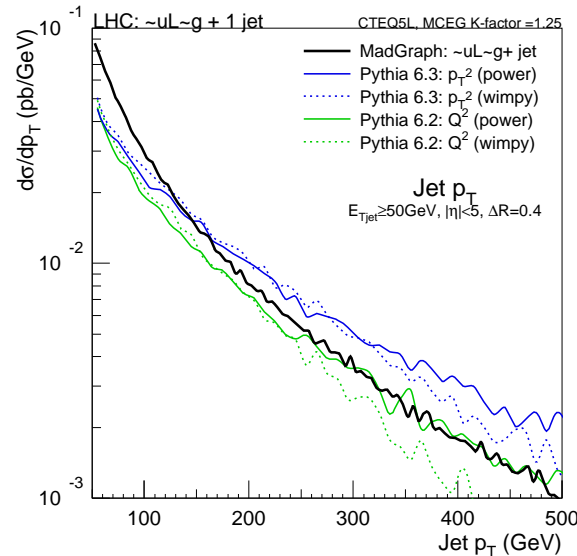
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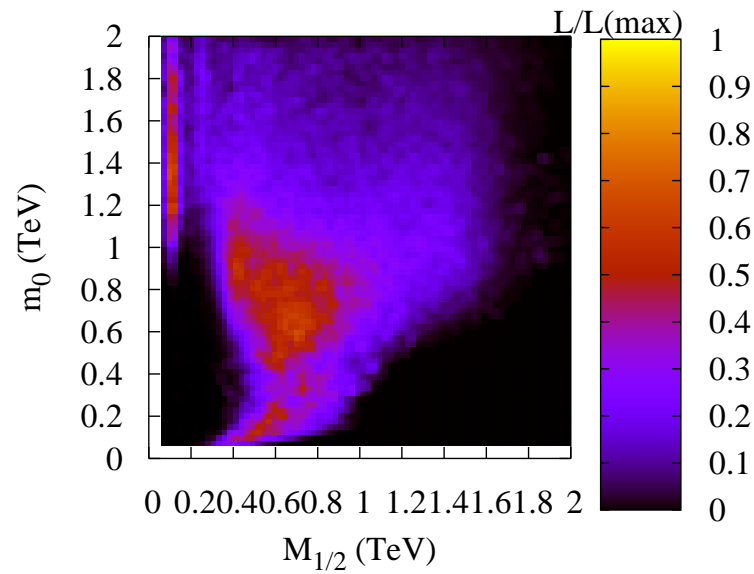
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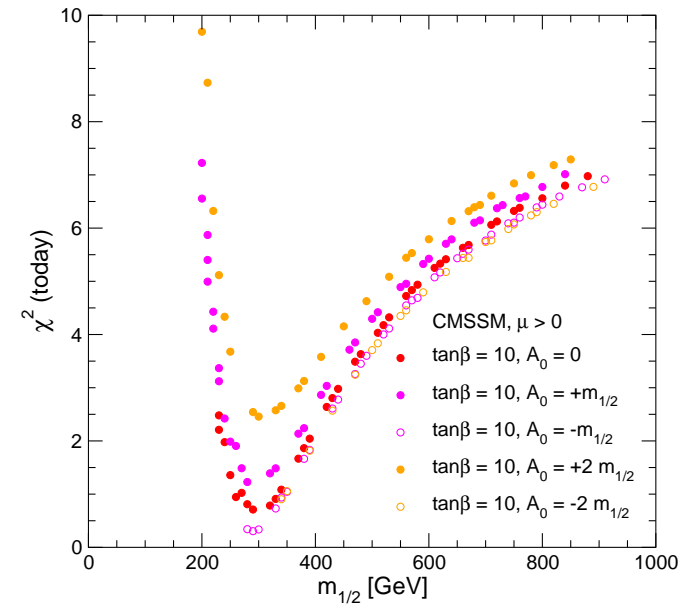
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## Sfitter/Fittino [Lafaye, TP, Zerwas; Bechtle, Desch, Wienemann]

- (1) grid for closed subset
- (2) fit of remaining parameters
- (3) complete fit
- LHC better than expected
- **LHC+ILC without assumptions**
- SUSY breaking bottom–up

	LHC	ILC	LHC+ILC	SPS1a
$\tan\beta$	$10.22 \pm 9.1$	$10.26 \pm 0.3$	$10.06 \pm 0.2$	10
$M_1$	$102.45 \pm 5.3$	$102.32 \pm 0.1$	$102.23 \pm 0.1$	102.2
$M_3$	$578.67 \pm 15$	fi x 500	$588.05 \pm 11$	589.4
$M_{\tilde{\tau}_L}$	fi x 500	$197.68 \pm 1.2$	$199.25 \pm 1.1$	197.8
$M_{\tilde{\tau}_R}$	$129.03 \pm 6.9$	$135.66 \pm 0.3$	$133.35 \pm 0.6$	135.5
$M_{\tilde{\mu}_L}$	$198.7 \pm 5.1$	$198.7 \pm 0.5$	$198.7 \pm 0.5$	198.7
$M_{\tilde{q}_{3L}}$	$498.3 \pm 110$	$497.6 \pm 4.4$	$521.9 \pm 39$	501.3
$M_{\tilde{t}_R}$	fi x 500	$420 \pm 2.1$	$411.73 \pm 12$	420.2
$M_{\tilde{b}_R}$	$522.26 \pm 113$	fi x 500	$504.35 \pm 61$	525.6
$A_\tau$	fi x 0	$-202.4 \pm 89.5$	$352.1 \pm 171$	-253.5
$A_t$	$-507.8 \pm 91$	$-501.95 \pm 2.7$	$-505.24 \pm 3.3$	-504.9
$A_b$	$-784.7 \pm 35603$	fi x 0	$-977 \pm 12467$	-799.4

# DIMENSIONAL REDUCTION

## Problem in renormalization group: consistent dimensional reduction [talk Stöckinger]

- $(4 - 2\epsilon)$ -dim. space-time, 4-dim. gauge fields and  $\gamma_\mu$  [2 d.o.f. for gluons and gluinos]
- no general all-orders proof yet that Dred preserves SUSY
- mathematical inconsistency
- $\Rightarrow$  new & consistent reformulation [c.f. Breitenlohner, Maison for  $\overline{\text{MS}}$ ]
- $\Rightarrow$  SUSY of Dred proven in several two-loop cases

## Hadron colliders: dimensional reduction and factorization [Signer, Stöckinger]

- massive collinear factorization broken in Dred [Beenakker, Kuijf, v. Neerven, Smith]

$$\sigma_{\text{coll}} \neq f_{\text{parton}} \otimes \sigma_{\text{Born}}$$

- ‘non-factorizing terms’ rewritten with complete set of splittings  $\sum_{g,\epsilon} f_i \otimes \sigma_i$
- from massless theory  $f_\epsilon = f_g|_{m=0}$
- now  $\epsilon$ -scalars in collinear limit [justifying usual pole subtraction]
- $\Rightarrow$  factorization valid in consistently defined Dred

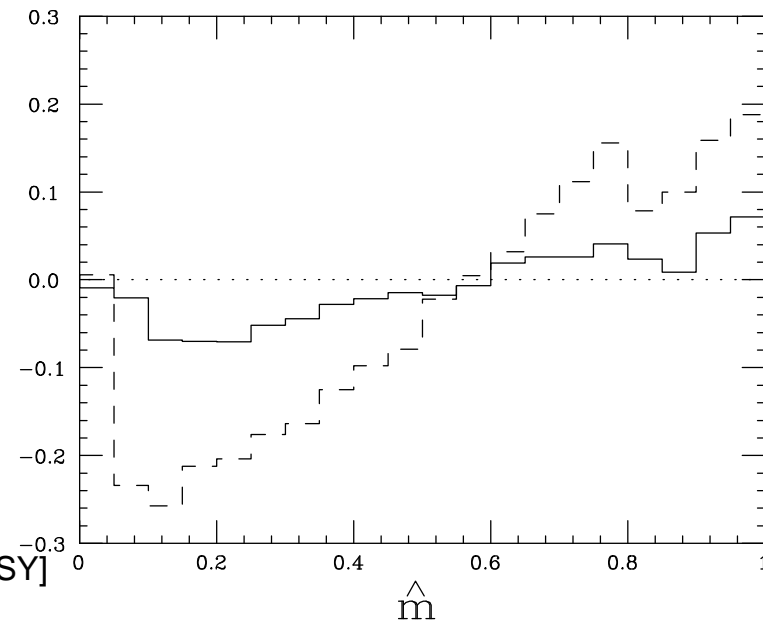
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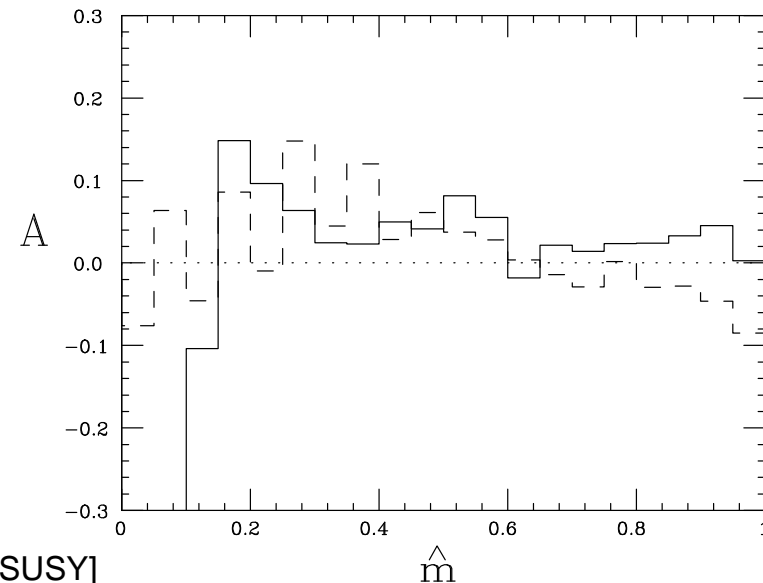
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# STABLE MASSIVE PARTICLES

## Split Supersymmetry [Dimopoulos, Arkani-Hamed; Giudice, Romanino; Wells; Drees]

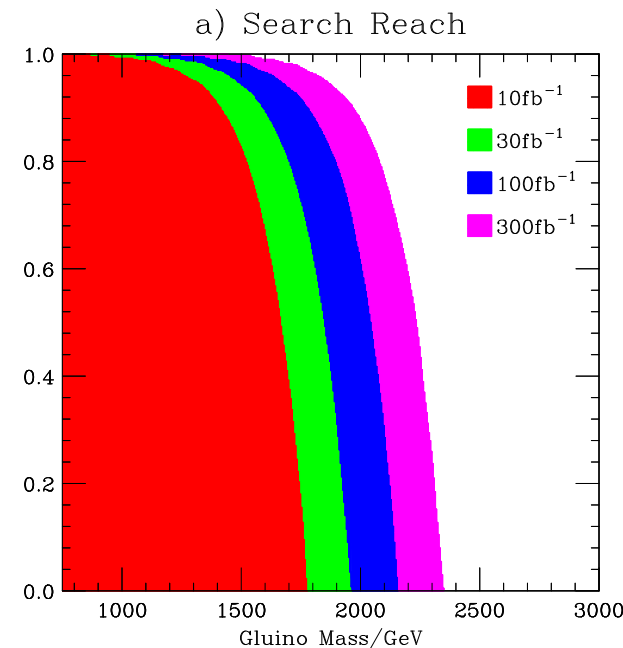
- forget about fine tuning [Higgs will never be as bad as cosmological constant]
- remember all the good things SUSY did for you [dark matter, unification]
- ⇒ make scalars heavy
- ⇒ protect gaugino and higgsino masses

## News for phenomenology [Kilian, TP, Richardson, Schmidt; Hewett, Lillie, Mazip, Rizzo]

- no cascade decays
- ⇒ hadronizing gluinos [ $\tau \sim \tilde{m}^{-4} \sim 6.5\text{s}$  for  $\tilde{m} = 10^9\text{GeV}$ ]
- heavy R hadrons [Farrar, Fayet; Baer, Cheung, Gunion; UKQCD; Kraan]
- gluinoonium, late decays,... [many unnamed talks]
- renormalization group running without scalars
- ⇒ corrections to protected couplings [ino Yukawas 20%]

## Collider prospects [with proper errors, talk Richardson]

- LHC stable gluino to  $\sim 2\text{TeV}$  [charge the key]
- ILC error on anomalous Yukawas  $\lesssim 10\%$  [indirect fit]



## LHC phenomenology

- pheno-experimental efforts going very strong
- lots of new tools on the market, waiting to be tested
- ⇒ we will be able to do amazing things at the LHC
- ⇒ we still need the ILC for precision studies

## Remember

- errors are tough, but the key to new physics
- we need more serious LHC man power  
[you can sign up in the back of this room after the talk]

Thanks to all the people whose work I presented, all those whose great work I did not manage to include, and to T. Falk