





# **Stealth SUSY**

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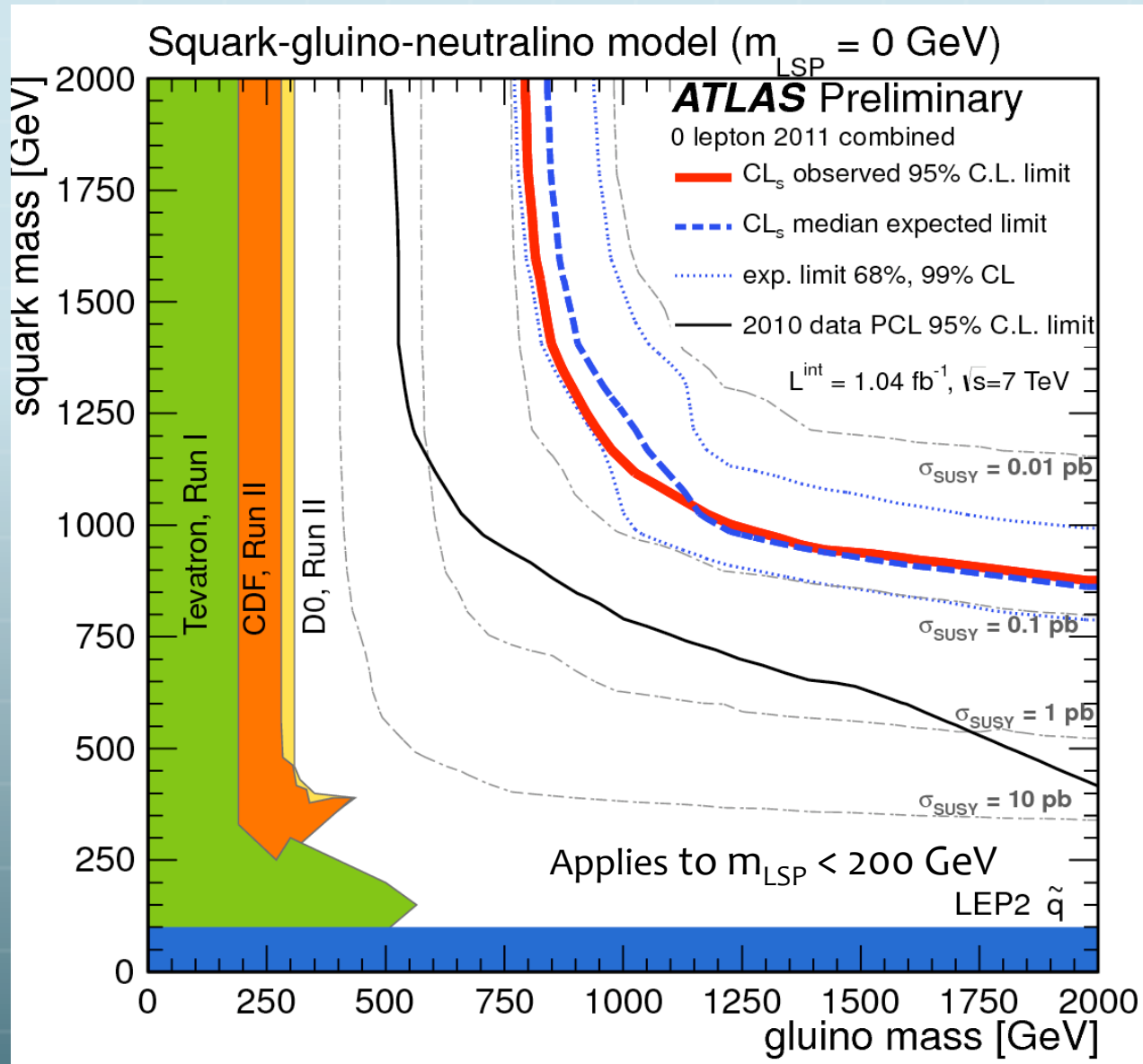
**Based on work with Matt Reece and Josh Ruderman  
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# Outline

-  **Motivation**
-  **Mechanism**
-  **A simple example model**
-  **Spectrum and collider signals**

-  **So far Jets+ MET search at the LHC has already placed strong limits on the colored MSSM superpartners in R-parity conserving scenarios**

$M_{\text{gluino}} > 800 \text{ GeV}$  (with decoupled squark)



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Henri Bachacou,  
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# SUSY variants




**The bounds have several known exceptions:**

**R-parity violation, squeezed MSSM spectrum, long  
cascade decay chains**

 **A simple and natural exception: SUSY without MET**

**No R-parity violation;**

**No artificial tuning: SUSY hides SUSY;**

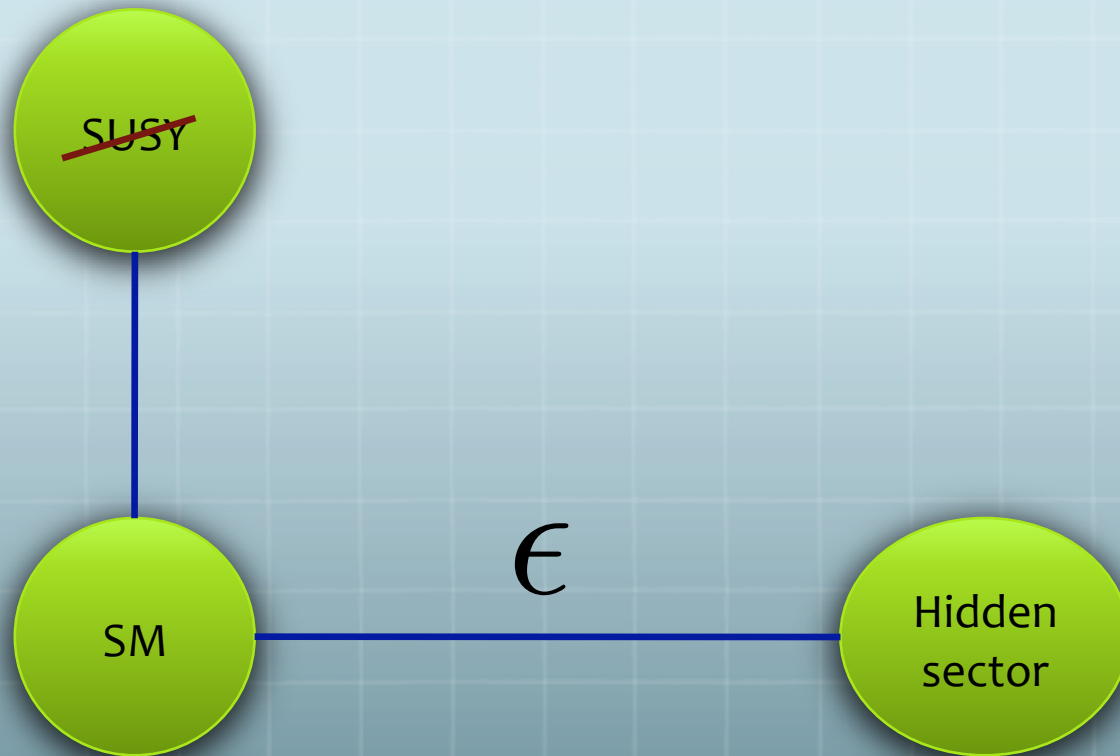
 **An electroweak scale hidden sector with a naturally squeezed spectrum (as a result of an approximate SUSY)**

**Different from MSSM with a squeezed spectrum (e.g., gluino mass close to bino mass, which requires tuning)**

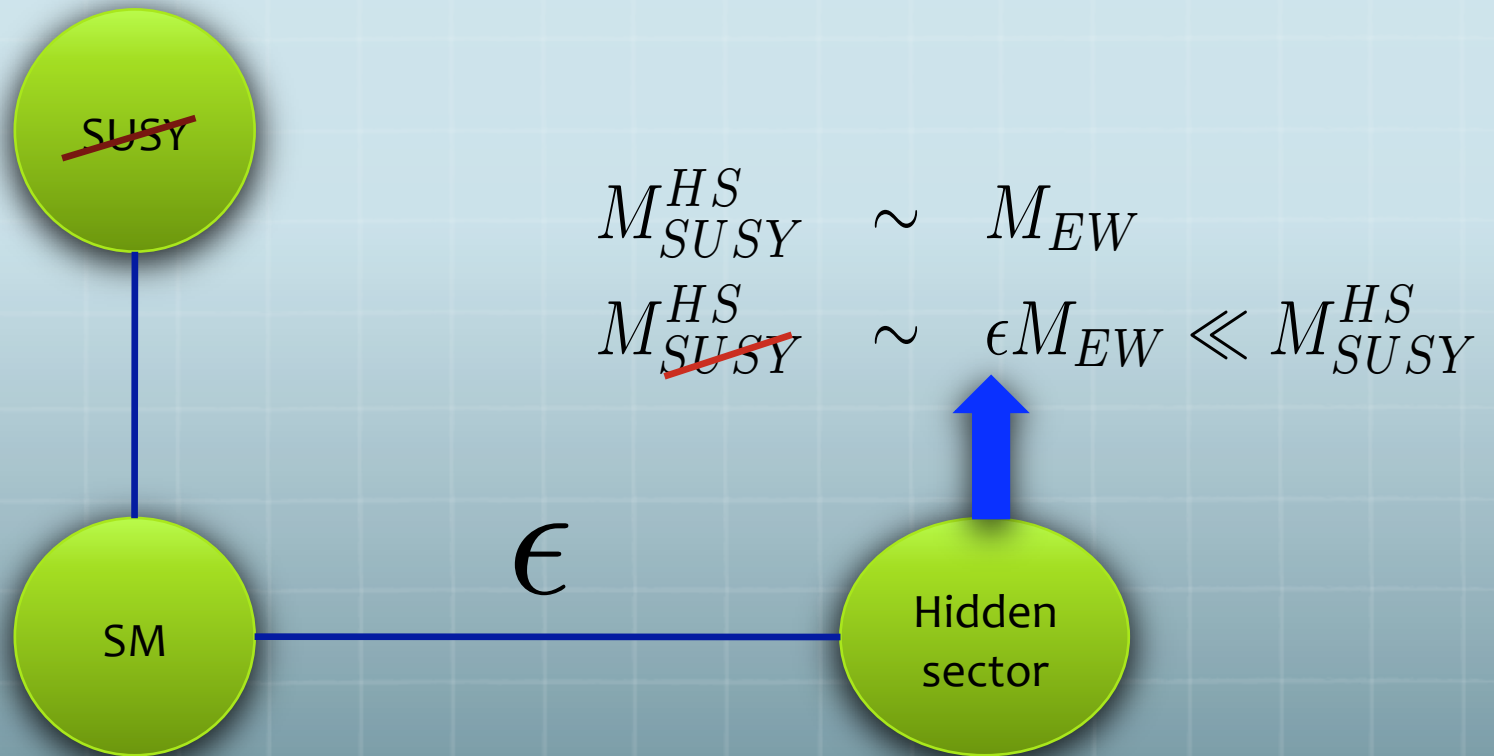
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**many more theoretical possibilities:  $z'$ , vector-like confinement sector; compatible with different SUSY breaking mechanisms.**

# Mechanism

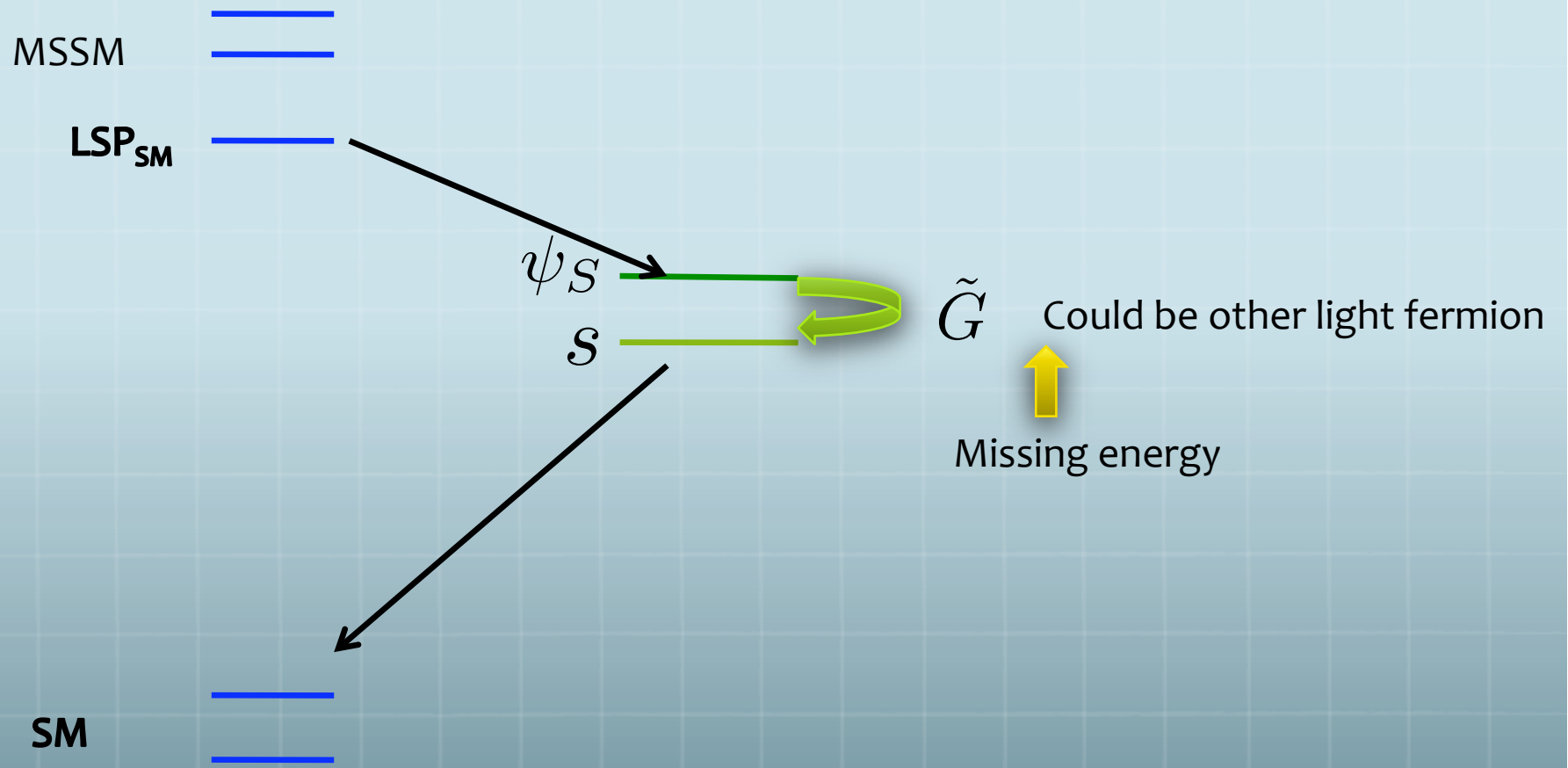


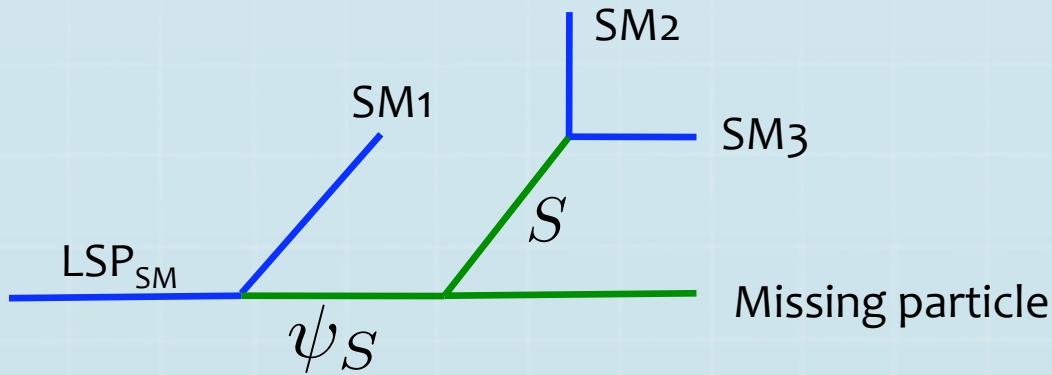
# Mechanism





# E.g., Low-scale gauge mediation with a singlet S





In the  $\psi_S$  rest frame,

$$E_{missing} = \frac{m_{\tilde{S}}^2 - m_S^2}{2m_{\tilde{S}}} \approx \delta m$$

Fermion mass    Scalar mass

$$\delta m \equiv m_{\tilde{S}} - m_S$$

In the lab frame,

$$E_{missing} = \gamma \delta m \approx \frac{m_{LSP_{SM}}}{m_{\tilde{S}}} \delta m$$

$$\delta m \rightarrow 0, E_{missing} \rightarrow 0$$

# An example model

🌐 **Portal:**  $Y, \bar{Y} \quad 5 + \bar{5}$  under SM SU(5)

🌐 **Model:**

$$W = \lambda S Y \bar{Y} + m_S S^2 + m_Y^2 Y \bar{Y}$$

$m_S$  is taken to be 100 GeV

🌐 **Soft mass of S is generated at one-loop (in gauge mediation)**

$$m_s^2 \sim -\frac{|\lambda|^2}{(4\pi)^2} (6\tilde{m}_D^2 + 4\tilde{m}_L^2) \log \frac{M_{\text{mess}}^2}{m_Y^2}$$

$$W = \lambda SY\bar{Y} + m_S S^2 + m_Y^2 Y\bar{Y}$$

$SY\bar{Y}$	
$m = 100 \text{ GeV}$	$m_{\tilde{s}} = 100 \text{ GeV}$
$\lambda = 0.2$	$m_{s,a} = 91 \text{ GeV}$
$m_Y = 1000 \text{ GeV}$	$\Gamma_{s,a} = 2 \times 10^{-7} \text{ GeV}$
$\tilde{m}_D = 300 \text{ GeV} \quad \tilde{m}_L = 200 \text{ GeV}$	$\text{Br}_{s,a \rightarrow \gamma\gamma} = 4 \times 10^{-3}$
$M_{\text{mess}} = 100 \text{ TeV}$	

$$\lambda \lesssim 0.1 - 0.2 \quad \delta m \lesssim 10 \text{ GeV}$$

🌐 **Integrating out “messengers” Y’s,**

🌐 **Portal in**  $\lambda^a \sigma_{\mu\nu} G^{a\mu\nu} \psi_S$

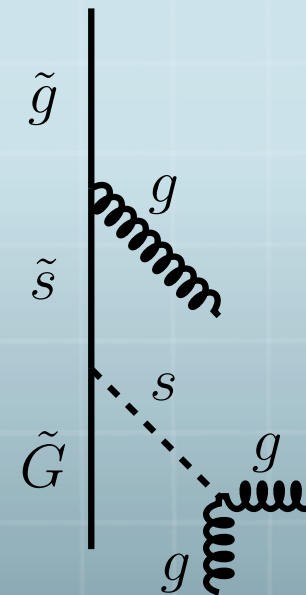
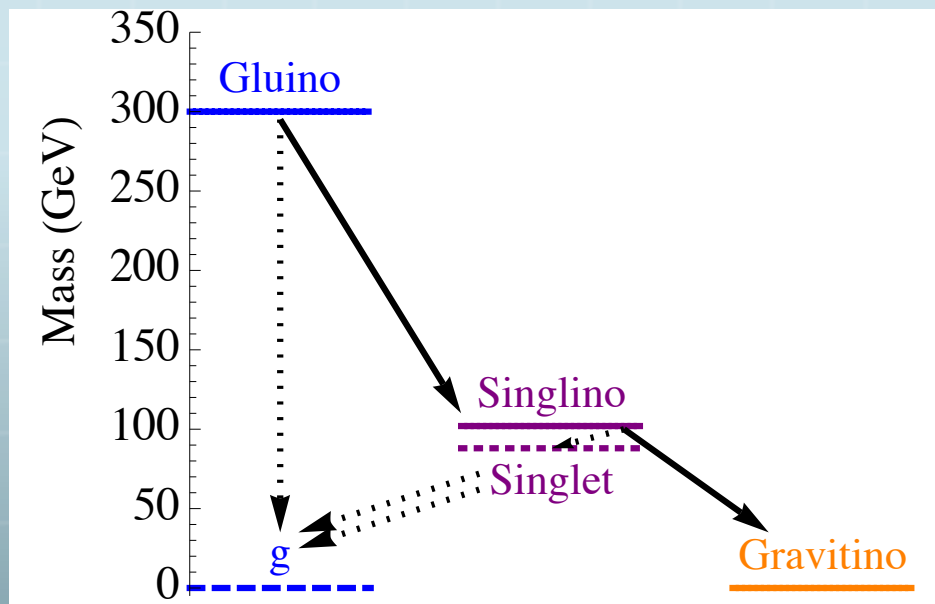
$$\tilde{g} \rightarrow g + \psi_S$$

$$\tilde{B} \rightarrow \gamma + \psi_S$$

🌐 **Portal out**  $s G_{\mu\nu}^a G^{a\mu\nu}$

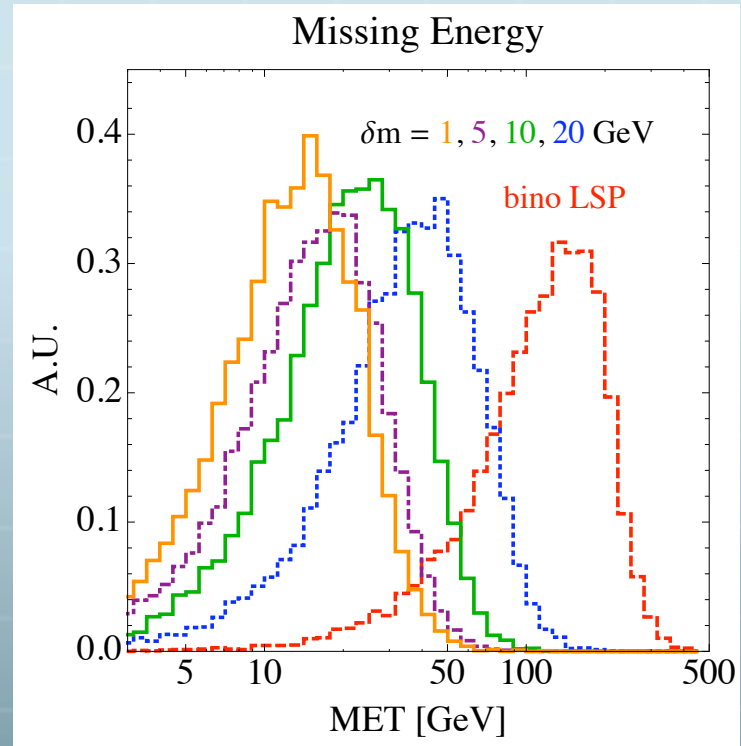
$$s \rightarrow gg$$

# Spectrum and decay chain

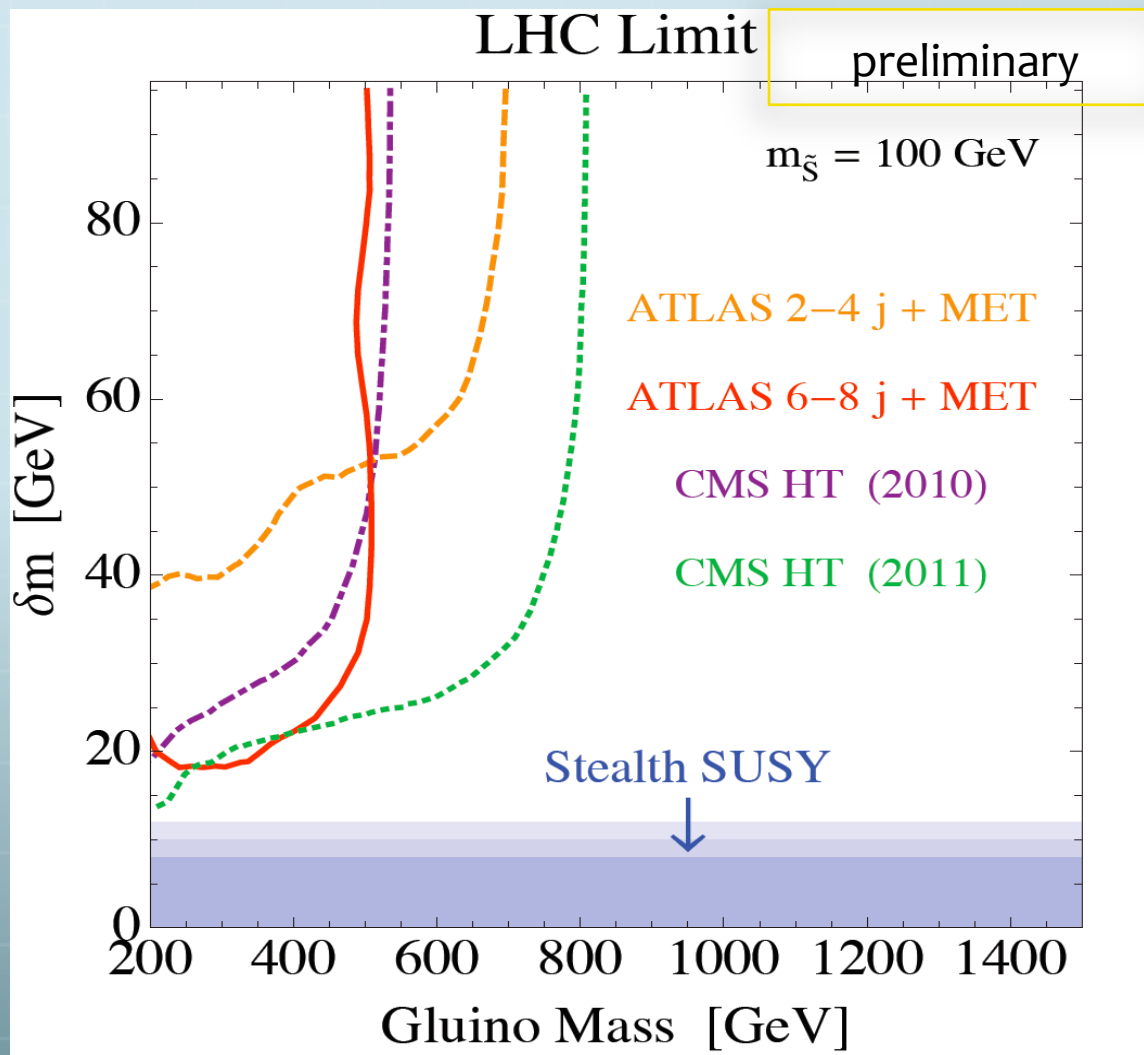




## Missing energy spectrum



Missing  $E_T > 130$  GeV, ATLAS

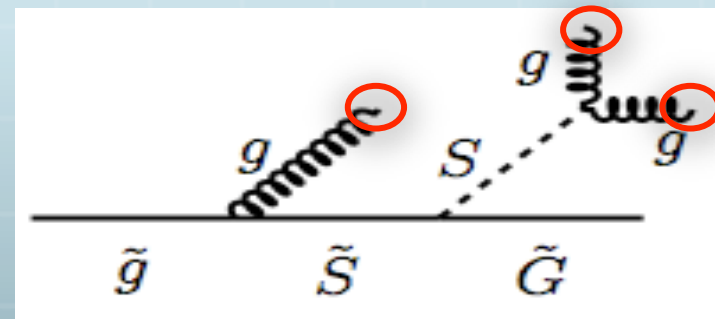
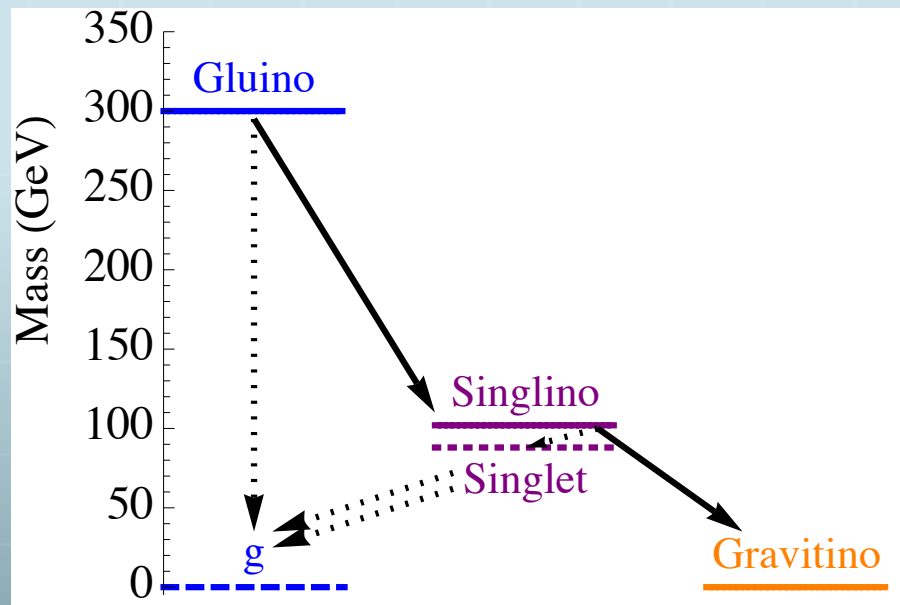


Bottom line:

current limits do not apply to stealth SUSY with mass splitting smaller than 10 GeV !

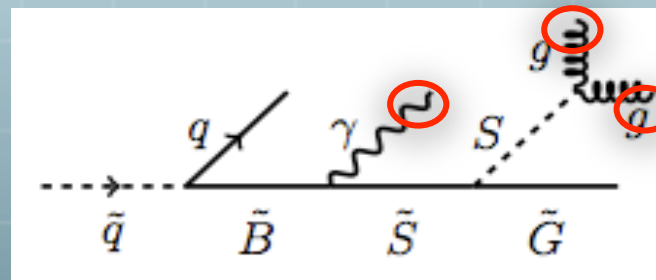
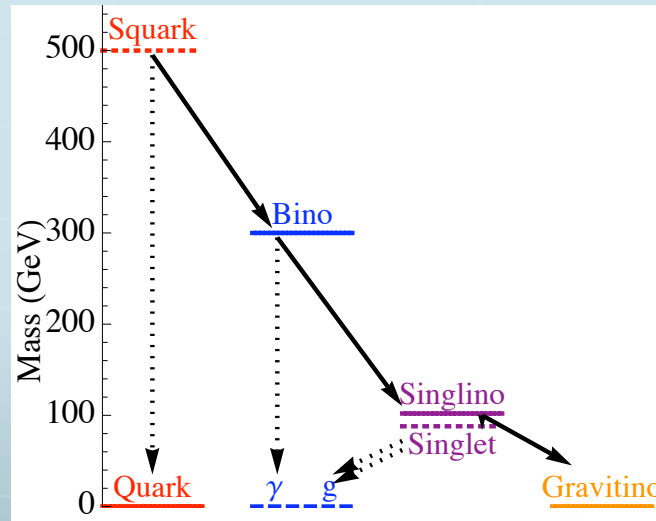


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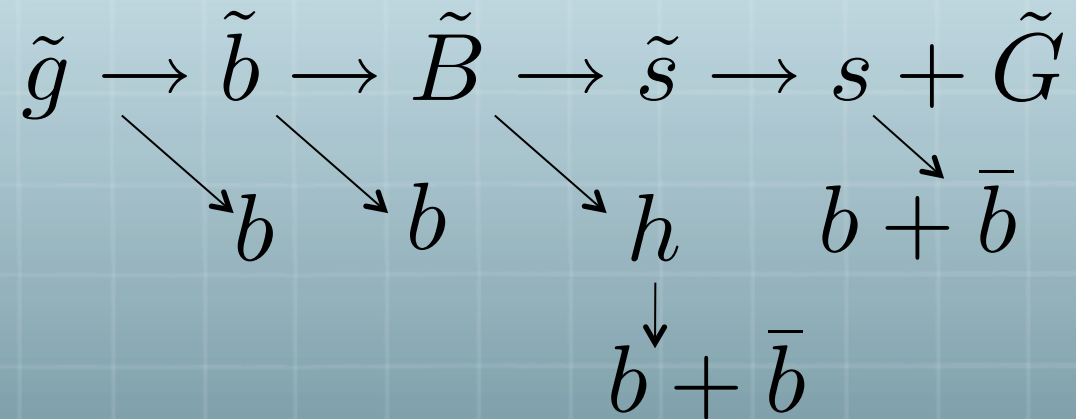
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# More searching strategies

- 🌐 **Displaced vertex:**  $\tilde{s} \rightarrow s + \tilde{G}$



**Decay length ranging from mm to several cm;**

- 🌐 **High multiplicity (of b jets): Model dependent**



In model where  $S$  mixes with SM Higgs:  $SH_u H_d$

# Conclusion

-  We present a broad class of natural supersymmetric models that preserve R-parity but lack missing energy signatures.
-  The main feature is the presence of nearly degenerate fermion-boson pairs at the electroweak scale due to an approximate supersymmetry.

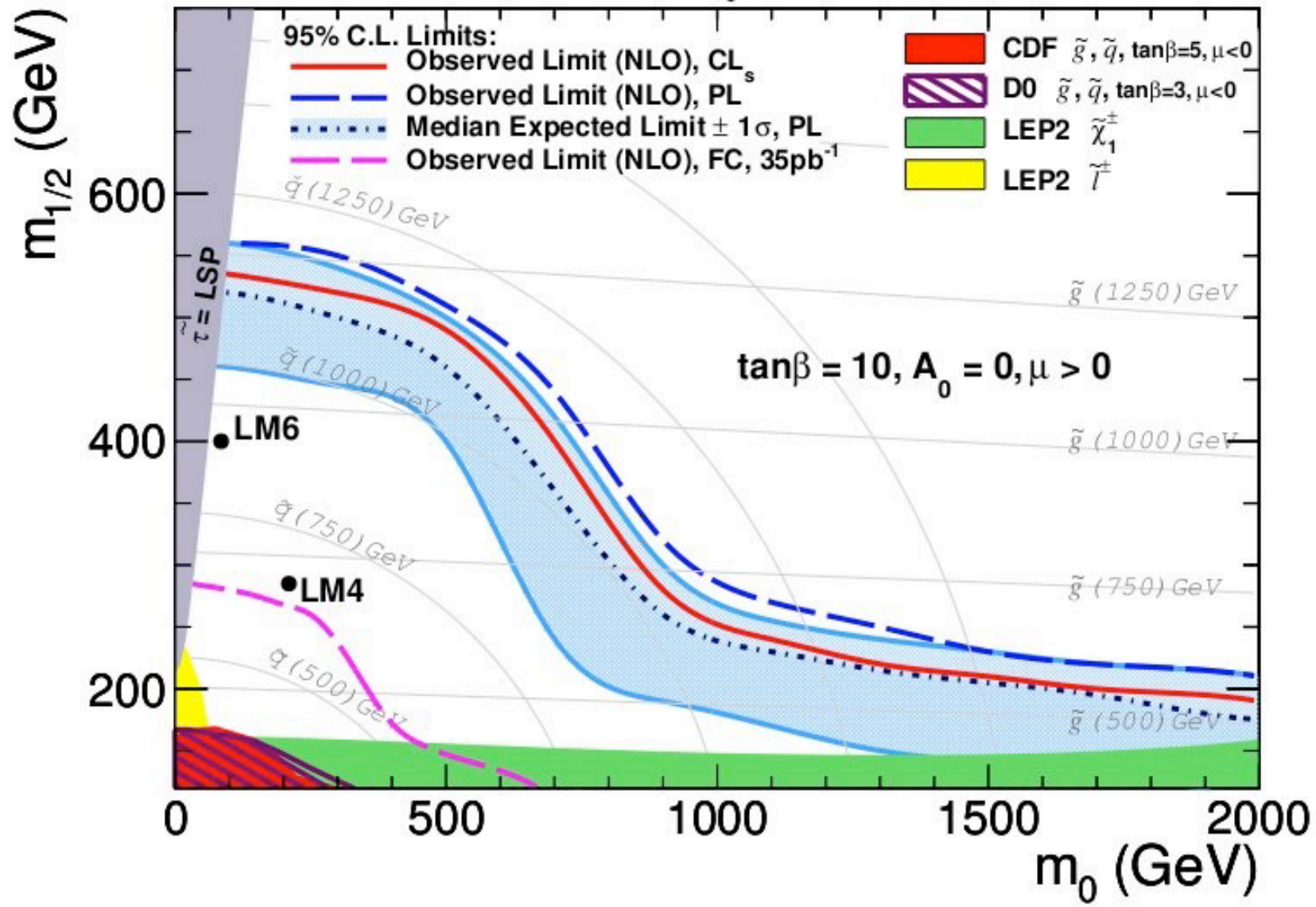
Even MSSM may have a form of stealth supersymmetry, if the right handed stop and top have nearly degenerate masses.

-  It opens up more possibilities for model building and searching strategies at the LHC.

**Thank you!**

# Backups

CMS preliminary  $\alpha_T \int L dt = 1.1 \text{ fb}^{-1} \sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$



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- A EW scale hidden sector with a squeezed spectrum
- **Simplest possibility: a chiral superfield  $S$**

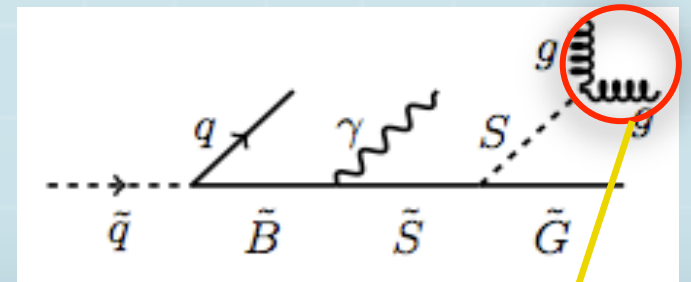
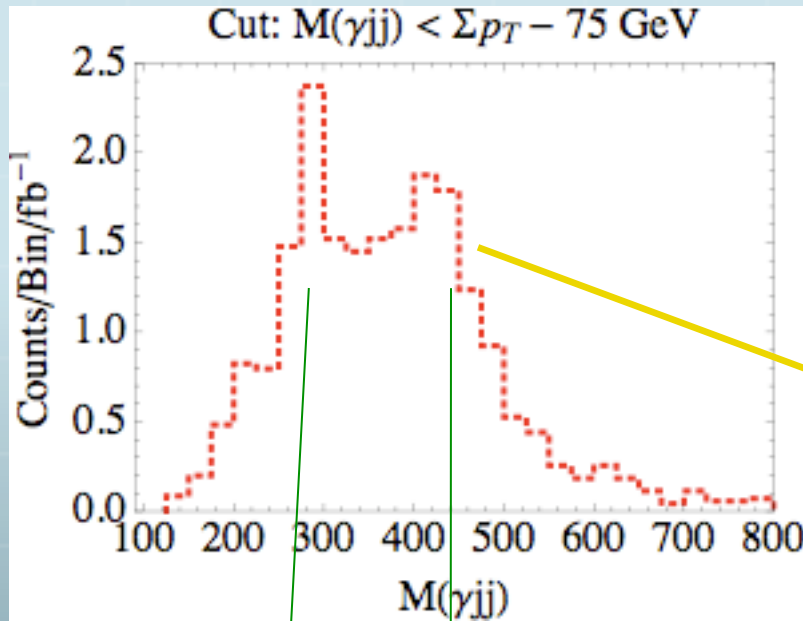


$$m_S \sim \mathcal{O}(100 \text{ GeV})$$

$$\delta m \sim \epsilon m_{EW} \sim \mathcal{O}(10 \text{ GeV})$$

Small splitting inside the hidden sector could come from SUSY breaking transmitted through SM Higgs portal or additional EW scale SM charged messengers



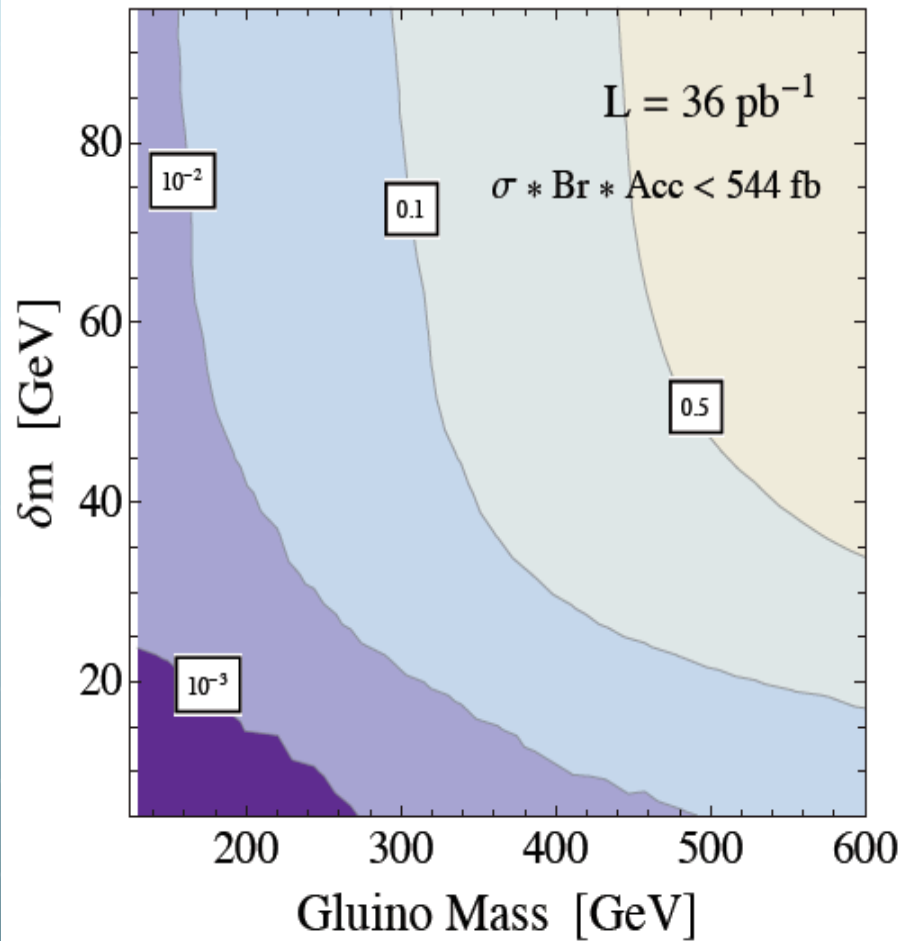


Two jets collimated into one

$\tilde{B}$   $\tilde{q}$

**Substructure could help!**

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