Habemus MSSM ?

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The post–Higgs MSSM scenario :

- observation of the lighter h boson at a mass of $\approx 125\ GeV$.
- non-observation of superparticles at the LHC.

MSSM $\Rightarrow$ SUSY–breaking scale M_S is rather high, $M_S \gtrsim 1$ TeV.

1. $M_h \approx 125$ GeV fixes the dominant radiative corrections that enter the MSSM Higgs boson masses $\Rightarrow$ the Higgs sector can be described by only 2 free parameters (good approximation).

2. Main phenomenological consequence of these high M_S values :
   - reopen the low tan β region, tan $\beta \lesssim$ 3–5, which was for a long time buried under the LEP constraint on the lightest h mass when a low SUSY scale was assumed.
   - The heavier MSSM neutral H/A and charged $H^{\pm}$ states can be searched for in a variety of interesting final states.

3. We consider the direct supersymmetric radiative corrections :
   - the phenomenology of the lighter Higgs state can be described by its mass and 3 couplings.
   - We perform a fit of these couplings using the latest LHC data on the production and decay rates of the light h boson.

In the MSSM to break the electroweak symmetry one need 2 doublets of complex scalar fields :

$$H_d = \begin{pmatrix} H_d^0 \\ H_d^- \end{pmatrix} \text{ with } Y_{H_d} = -1 \;\;,\;\; H_u = \begin{pmatrix} H_u^+ \\ H_u^0 \end{pmatrix} \text{ with } Y_{H_u} = +1$$

The tree–level masses of the CP–even h and H bosons depend on M_A, $\tan\beta$ and M_Z.

However, many parameters of the MSSM such as the SUSY scale $M_S = \sqrt{m_{\tilde{t}_1} m_{\tilde{t}_2}}$, the stop/sbottom trilinear couplings $A_{t/b}$ or the higgsino mass μ enter M_h and M_H through radiative corrections.

In the basis (H_d, H_u), the CP–even Higgs mass matrix can be written as:

$$M_S^2 = M_Z^2 \begin{pmatrix} c_\beta^2 & -s_\beta c_\beta \\ -s_\beta c_\beta & s_\beta^2 \end{pmatrix} + M_A^2 \begin{pmatrix} s_\beta^2 & -s_\beta c_\beta \\ -s_\beta c_\beta & c_\beta^2 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{11} & \Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{12} \\ \Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{12} & \Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{22} \end{pmatrix}$$

where we have introduced the radiative corrections by a 2×2 matrix $\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{ij}$.

One can then derive the neutral CP even Higgs boson masses and the mixing angle α that diagonalises the h, H states, $H = \cos\alpha H_d^0 + \sin\alpha H_u^0$ & $h = -\sin\alpha H_d^0 + \cos\alpha H_u^0$

$$M^2_{h/H} = \frac{1}{2}\left(M_A^2 + M_Z^2 + \Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{11} + \Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{22} \mp \sqrt{M_A^4 + M_Z^4 - 2M_A^2 M_Z^2 c_{4\beta} + C}\right)$$

$$\tan\alpha = \frac{2\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{12} - (M_A^2 + M_Z^2)s_\beta}{\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{11} - \Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{22} + (M_Z^2 - M_A^2)c_{2\beta} + \sqrt{M_A^4 + M_Z^4 - 2M_A^2 M_Z^2 c_{4\beta} + C}}$$

$$C = 4\Delta\mathcal{M}^4_{12} + (\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{11} - \Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{22})^2 - 2(M_A^2 - M_Z^2)(\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{11} - \Delta M^2_{22})c_{2\beta} - 4(M_A^2 + M_Z^2)\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{12} s_{2\beta}$$

Let's assume that only $\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{22}$ which involves the by far dominant stop–top sector correction, is relevant, $\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{22} \gg \Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{11}, \Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{12}$.

One can simply trade $\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{22}$ for the by now known M_h using

$$\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{22} = \frac{M_h^2(M_A^2 + M_Z^2 - M_h^2) - M_A^2 M_Z^2 c^2_{2\beta}}{M_Z^2 c_\beta^2 + M_A^2 s_\beta^2 - M_h^2}$$

In this case, one can simply write M_H and α in terms of $M_A, \tan\beta$ and M_h:

$$\text{hMSSM}: \quad M_H^2 = \frac{(M_A^2 + M_Z^2 - M_h^2)(M_Z^2 c_\beta^2 + M_A^2 s_\beta^2) - M_A^2 M_Z^2 c^2_{2\beta}}{M_Z^2 c_\beta^2 + M_A^2 s_\beta^2 - M_h^2}$$

$$\alpha = -\arctan\left(\frac{(M_Z^2 + M_A^2)c_\beta s_\beta}{M_Z^2 c_\beta^2 + M_A^2 s_\beta^2 - M_h^2}\right)$$

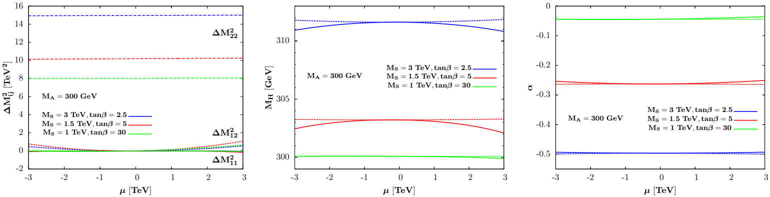
We first consider the radiative corrections when the subleading contributions proportional to $\mu, A_{t/b}$ are included in the form of : Degrassi, Slavich, Zwirner, 2001 ; Carena,Haber, 2003

$$\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{11} = -\frac{v^2\sin^2\beta}{32\pi^2}\bar{\mu}^2\left[x_t^2\lambda_t^4(1+c_{11}\ell_S)+a_b^2\lambda_b^4(1+c_{12}\ell_S)\right]$$

$$\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{12} = -\frac{v^2\sin^2\beta}{32\pi^2}\bar{\mu}\left[x_t\lambda_t^4(6-x_ta_t)(1+c_{31}\ell_S)-\bar{\mu}^2a_b\lambda_b^4(1+c_{32}\ell_S)\right]$$

$$\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{22} = \frac{v^2\sin^2\beta}{32\pi^2}\left[6\lambda_t^4\ell_S(2+c_{21}\ell_S)+x_ta_t\lambda_t^4(12-x_ta_t)(1+c_{21}\ell_S)-\bar{\mu}^4\lambda_b^4(1+c_{22}\ell_S)\right]$$

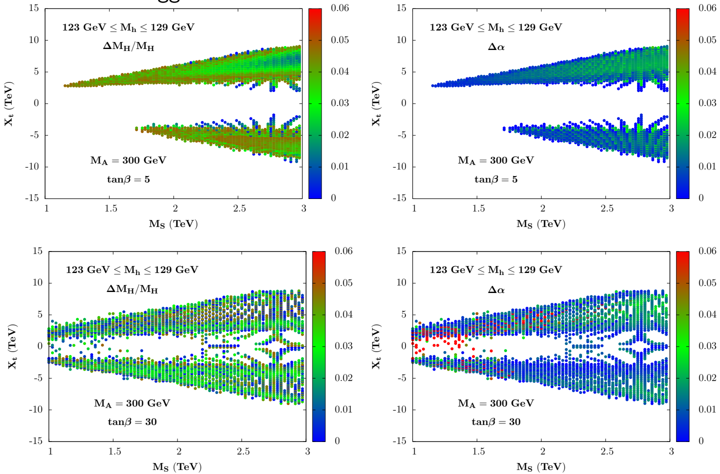
We calculate "approximate" and "exact" M_H and α values for $M_h = 126 \pm 3$GeV.



- Even for large μ, $\Delta M_H/M_H < 0.5\%$ and $\Delta\alpha \lesssim 0.015$.

$\Rightarrow$ The approximation of determining the parameters M_H and α from $\tan\beta, M_A$ and the value of M_h is extremely good.

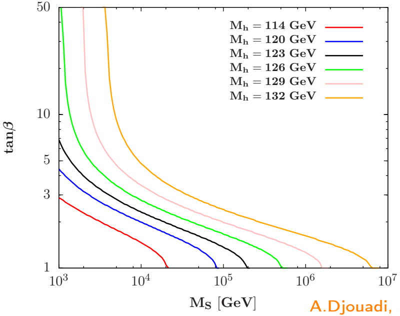
To check more thoroughly the impact of the subleading corrections $\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{11}$, $\Delta\mathcal{M}^2_{12}$: we perform a scan of the MSSM parameter space with the full two–loop radiative corrections to the Higgs sector :



For a chosen $(\tan\beta, M_A)$, $|\mu| \leq 3$ TeV, $|A_t, A_b| \leq 3M_S$, 1 TeV$\leq M_3 \leq$3 TeV and 0.5 TeV$\leq M_S \leq$3 TeV.

- In all cases, $\Delta M_H/M_H < 5\%$, very small values ($\ll \Gamma_H$).
- $\Delta\alpha < 0.025$ for low $\tan\beta$ but at high $\tan\beta$ one can reach ≈ 0.05 in some rare situations (large μ which enhance the $\mu\tan\beta$ contributions).
- Nevertheless, at high enough $\tan\beta$, we are far in the decoupling regime already for $M_A \gtrsim 200$ GeV and such a difference does not significantly affect the couplings of the h/H bosons.
- Hence, even when including the full set of radiative corrections up to two loops, it is a very good approximation to derive the parameters M_H and α in terms of the inputs $\tan\beta$, M_A and the measured value of M_h (hMSSM).
- For the charged Higgs boson mass, the radiative corrections are much smaller for large enough M_A and one has $M_{H^\pm} \simeq \sqrt{M_A^2 + M_W^2}$.

- Large value of M_h+ non-observation of superparticles at the LHC $\Rightarrow$ suggest a high M_S.
- tan $\beta \lesssim 3$ usually "excluded" by LEP2 ($M_h \gtrsim 114$ GeV) but it assumes $M_S \sim 1$TeV!
  But we can be more relaxed: $M_S \gg M_Z \Rightarrow \tan\beta \approx 1$ could be allowed!
  $\Rightarrow$ Let's reopen the low tan β regime and heavy Higgs searches.



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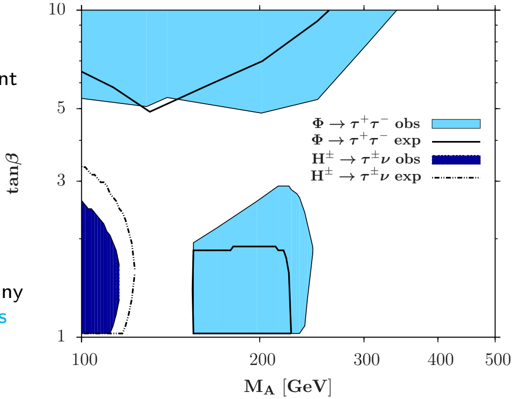
- (hMSSM) We turn $M_h \sim M_Z|\cos 2\beta| + RC$ to $RC = 126GeV - f(M_A, \tan\beta)$
  ie. we trade the RC with the measured M_h
  $\Rightarrow$ MSSM with only 2 inputs at HO: M_A,tan β a model indep. effective approach!

Constraints from the heavier Higgs searches at high tan β :

- CMS $H/A \to \tau\tau$ analysis : constraint very restrictive for $M_A \lesssim 250$ GeV, excludes tan $\beta \gtrsim 5$.
- Caveat : ATLAS&CMS constraint apply for a specific benchmark : $X_t/M_S = \sqrt{6}$ and $M_S = 1$ TeV.
- Exclusion limit can be obtained in any MSSM scenario, CMS search limit is effective and excludes low tan β.



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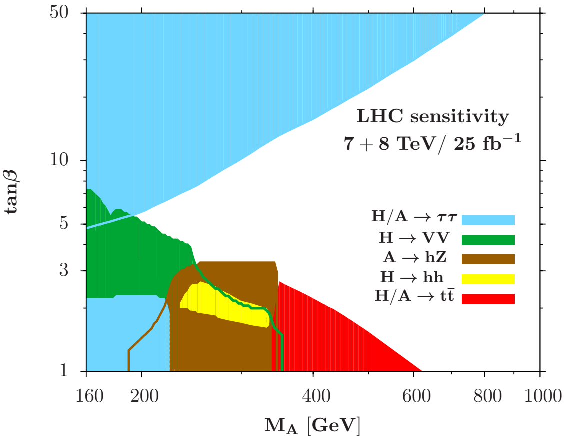
$\rightarrow$ Low tan β areas, thought to be buried under the LEP2 exclusion bound on M_h, are now open territory for heavy MSSM Higgs hunting!

$\rightarrow$This can be done not only in these 2 channels but also in a plethora of channels...

The main search channels for the H/A states :

- The **H** $\to$ **WW, ZZ** channels
- The **H/A** $\to$ **t$\bar{t}$** channels
- The **A** $\to$ **Zh** channel
- The **H** $\to$ **hh** channel



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- Knowing $[\tan\beta, M_A]$ and fixing $M_h = 125$ GeV, the couplings of the Higgs bosons can be derived, including the generally dominant radiative corrections that enter in the MSSM Higgs masses :

$$c_V^0 = \sin(\beta - \alpha)\ , \quad c_t^0 = \frac{\cos\alpha}{\sin\beta}\ , \quad c_b^0 = -\frac{\sin\alpha}{\cos\beta}$$

- However, there are also direct radiative corrections to the Higgs couplings not contained in the mass matrix. These can alter this simple picture!

- The $hb\bar{b}$ coupling : modified by additional one–loop vertex corrections,

$$c_b \approx c_b^0 \times [1 - \Delta_b/(1+\Delta_b) \times (1 + \cot\alpha \cot\beta)]$$

Δ_b : SUSY–QCD corr. with sbottom–gluino loops

- The $ht\bar{t}$ coupling : derived indirectly from $\sigma(gg \to h)$ and $BR(h \to \gamma\gamma)$,

$$c_t \approx c_t^0 \times \left[1 + \frac{m_t^2}{4 m_{\tilde{t}_1}^2 m_{\tilde{t}_2}^2} (m_{\tilde{t}_1}^2 + m_{\tilde{t}_2}^2 - (A_t - \mu\cot\alpha)(A_t + \mu\tan\alpha)\ )\right]$$

- $c_c = c_t^0$ and $c_\tau = c_b^0$.

- Invisible decays? (Djouadi,Falkowski,Mambrini,JQ, arXiv:1205.3169)
$\Rightarrow$ neutralinos are relatively light and couple significantly to $h \to$ rather unlikely.

- If large direct corrections $\Rightarrow$ 3 independent h couplings : $c_c = c_t$, $c_\tau = c_b$ and $c_V = c_V^0$.

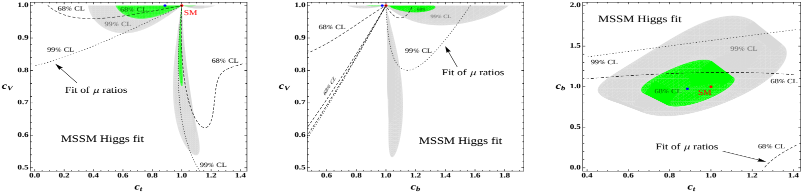
- To study the h state at the LHC, we define the effective Lagrangian :

$$\mathcal{L}_h = c_V\, g_{hWW}\, h\, W^+_\mu W^{-\mu} + c_V\, g_{hZZ}\, h\, Z^0_\mu Z^{0\mu} - c_t\, y_t\, h\bar{t}_L t_R - c_t\, y_c\, h\bar{c}_L c_R - c_b\, y_b\, h\bar{b}_L b_R - c_b\, y_\tau\, h\bar{\tau}_L \tau_R + \text{h.c.}$$

- We fit the Higgs signal strengths : $\mu_X \simeq \frac{\sigma(pp\to h)\times \mathrm{BR}(h\to XX)}{\sigma(pp\to h)_{\mathrm{SM}}\times \mathrm{BR}(h\to XX)_{\mathrm{SM}}}$

Best-fit value : $c_t = 0.89$, $c_b = 1.01$ and $c_V = 1.02$ (ATLAS & CMS data).

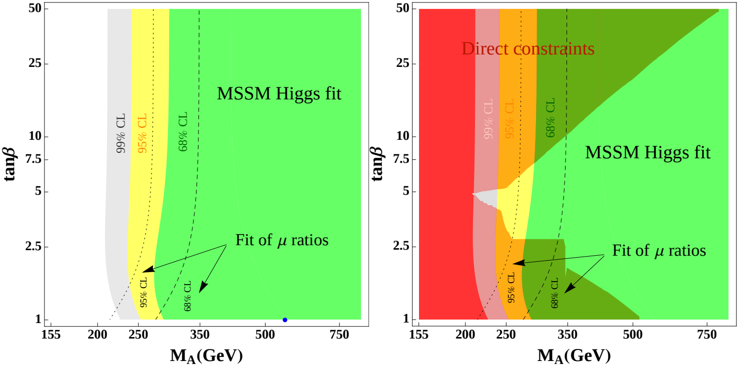
If we neglect direct corrections $\to$ 2 parameters fits :



best-fit points : ($c_t = 0.88$, $c_V = 1.0$), ($c_b = 0.97$, $c_V = 1.0$) and ($c_t = 0.88$, $c_b = 0.97$)

Using the expressions defining the hMSSM one can perform a fit in the plane $[\tan\beta, M_A]$.

The best-fit point : ($\tan\beta = 1$ and $M_A = 557$ GeV) or
($M_H = 580$ GeV, $M_{H^\pm} = 563$ GeV, $\alpha = -0.837$ rad).



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We also superimpose on these indirect limits, the direct constraints on the heavy $H/A/H^\pm$ boson searches performed by the ATLAS and CMS (as discussed earlier).

Conclusion :

- We have discussed the hMSSM, i.e. the MSSM that we seem to have after the discovery of the Higgs boson at the LHC.

  $\Rightarrow$ the MSSM Higgs sector can be described by only $(\tan\beta, M_A)$ if the information $M_h = 125$ GeV is used.

- $M_h \approx 125$ GeV and the non–observation of SUSY particles, seems to indicate that the soft–SUSY breaking scale might be large.

  $\Rightarrow$ We have considered the production of the heavier H,A and $H^{\pm}$ bosons of the MSSM at the LHC, focusing on the low $\tan\beta$ regime.

- We have shown that to describe the h properties when the direct radiative corrections are also important, we need the 3 couplings c_t, c_b and c_V.

  $\Rightarrow$ the best fit point is at low $\tan\beta$, $\tan\beta \approx 1$, and with a not too high CP–odd Higgs mass, $M_A \approx 560$ GeV.