

Degenerate scalar and pseudoscalar Higgs bosons near 125 GeV in NUHM-CNMSSM

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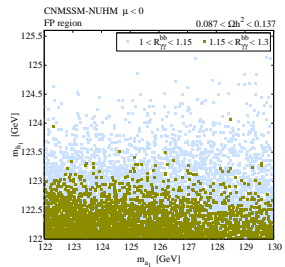
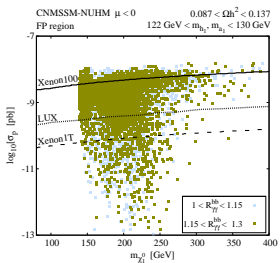
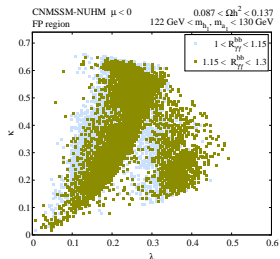
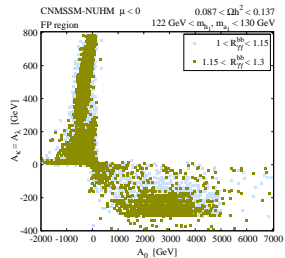
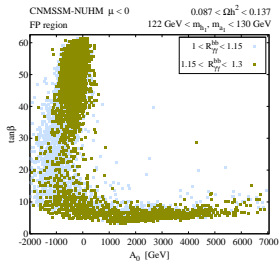
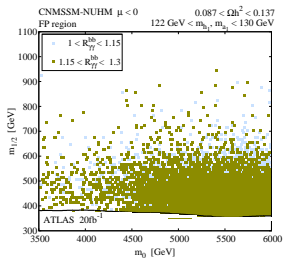
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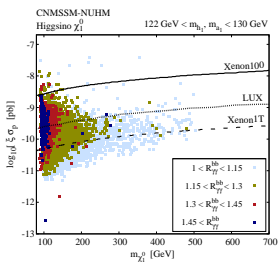
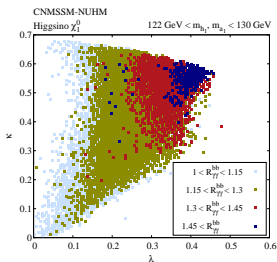
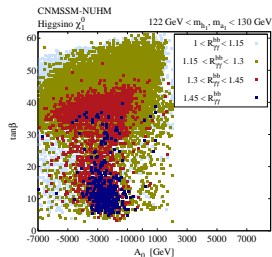
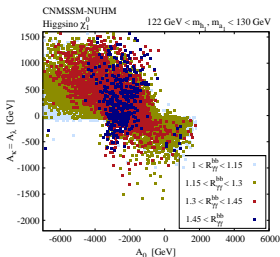
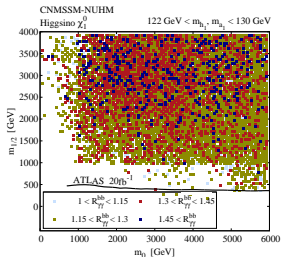
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The higgsino region



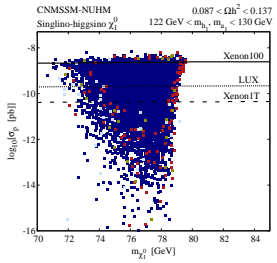
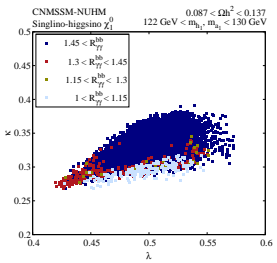
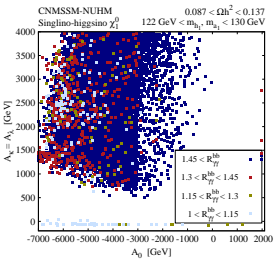
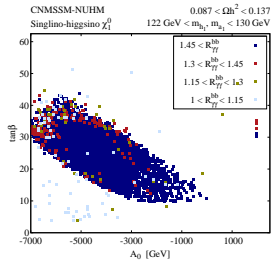
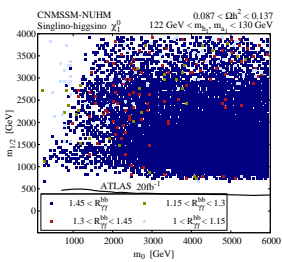
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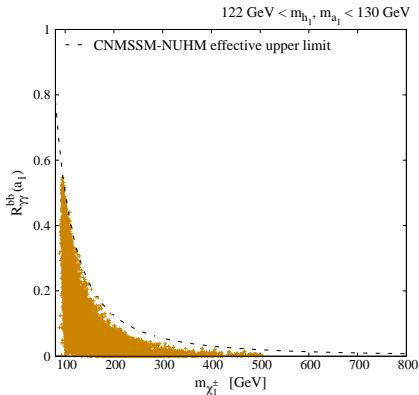
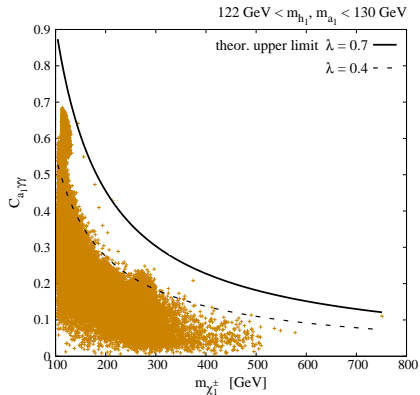
due to χ_1^0

The singlino-higgsino region

→ Region allowing maximum enhancement in $R_{\gamma\gamma}(h_{a1})$ (~60%)!



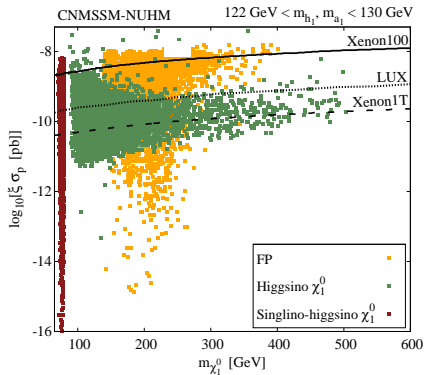
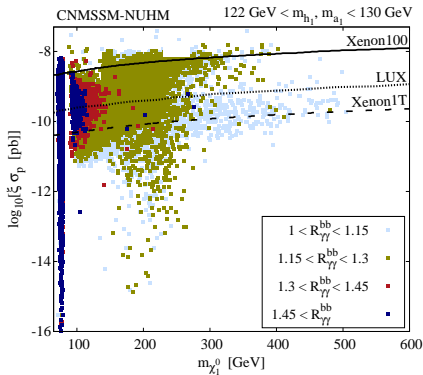
Upper limit on χ_1^\pm (and χ_1^0) mass in CNMSSM-NUHM



Summary

- ▶ A 125 GeV a_1 achievable when the universality condition is lifted from the Higgs sector
- ▶ With a light and higgsino-like χ_1^\pm , a_1 could result in an enhancement in the $\gamma\gamma$ rate around 125 GeV
- ▶ A dedicated analysis of the $b\bar{b}$ associated Higgs production mode important for identifying this (and some other possible) BSM scenario(s)

Backup 1



Backup 2

