

Dynamical origin of A_{FB}^t and A_{FB}^ℓ correlation

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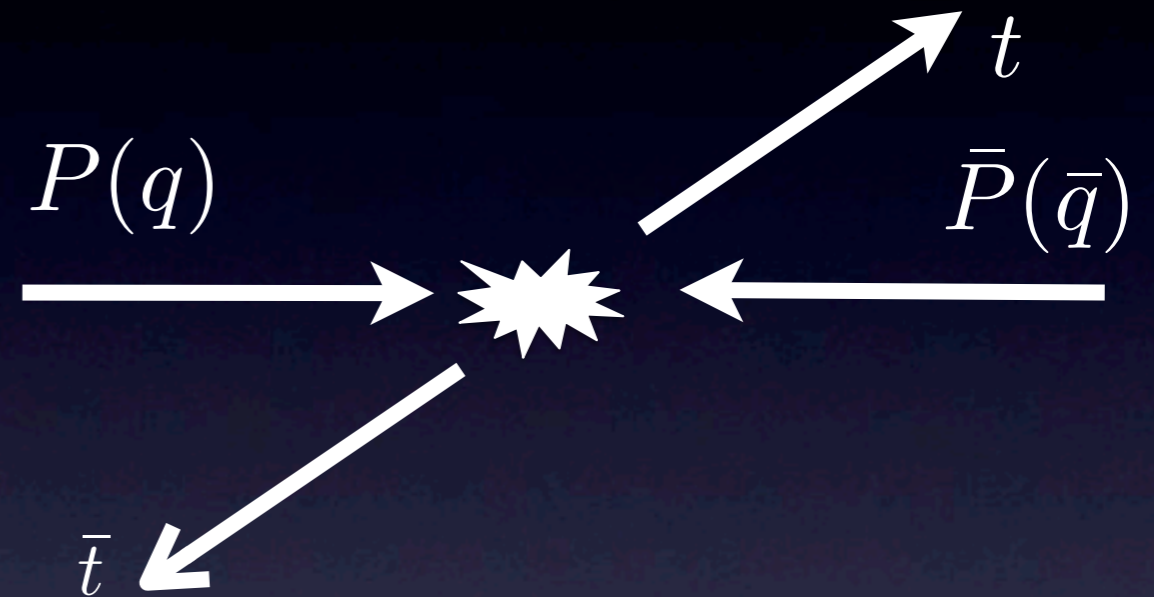
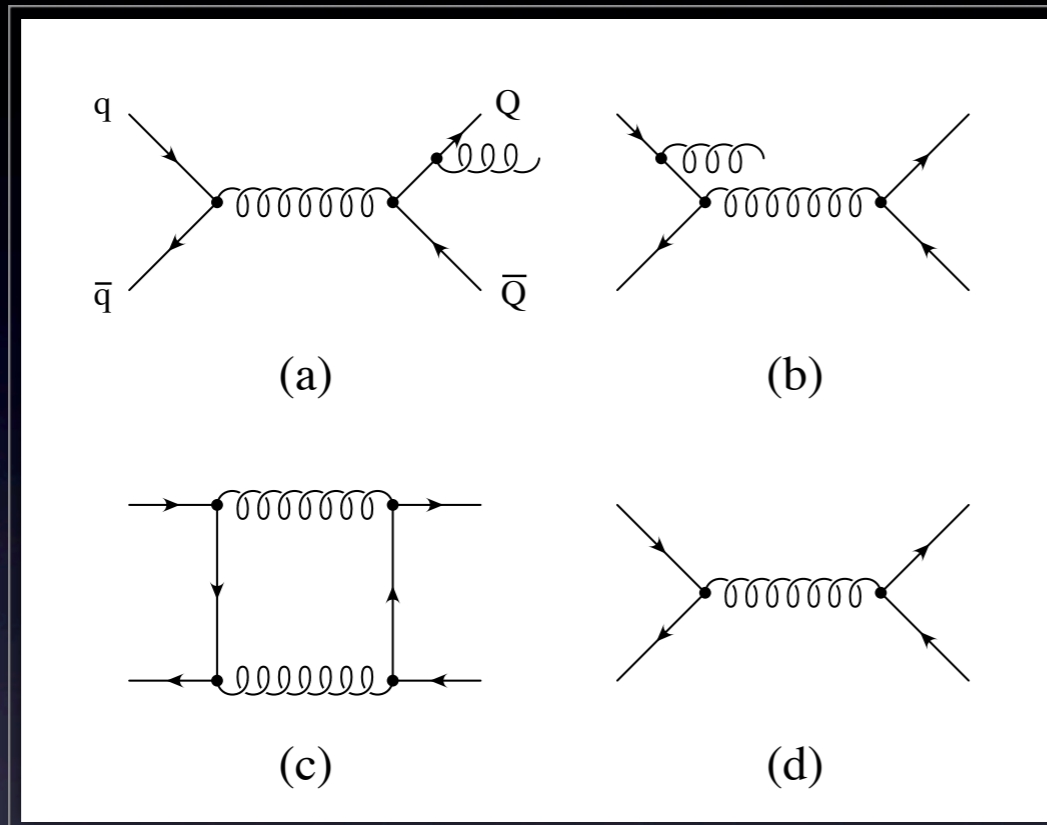
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arXiv:1111.3641



Top-quark F-B asymmetry in the SM

- A charge asymmetry arises at NLO



Top quarks are produced along the direction of the incoming quark

$$A^{p\bar{p}} = \frac{N_t(y > 0) - N_{\bar{t}}(y > 0)}{N_t(y > 0) + N_{\bar{t}}(y > 0)} = 0.051(6)$$

$$A^{t\bar{t}} = \frac{N(\Delta y > 0) - N(\Delta y < 0)}{N(\Delta y > 0) + N(\Delta y < 0)} = 0.078(9) \quad \Delta y = y_t - y_{\bar{t}}$$

Timeline of top-quark A_{FB}

SM theo. Prediction

Brown, Ellis, Rainwater
 hep-ph/0509267
 Collider simulation of $tt+0(1)j$
 Measuring A_{FB} is
 very challenging

Almeida, Sterman, Vogelsang
 0805.1885
 NLL Threshold resum.
 Asymmetry is robust

Melnikov, Schulze
 1004.3284
 Confirm Dittmaier et al

Kuhn, Rodrigo
 hep-ph/9802268
 SM NLO QCD
 $A_{FB}^t = 5\%$

Dittmaier, Uwer, Weinzierl
 hep-ph/0703120
 NLO QCD corr. to $t\bar{t}+j$

Ahrens, Ferroglia, Neubert,
 Pecjak, Li Lin Yang,
 1003.5827
 SCET NNLL

1998

2005

2007

2008

2010

2011

Exp. Measurements

D0 (1.9 fb^{-1})
 0712.0851
 uncorrected
 $A_{FB} = [12 \pm 8 \pm 1]\%$

CDF (1.9 fb^{-1})
 0806.2472
 $A_{FB} = [24 \pm 14]\%$
 Consistent with SM

CDF (5.3 fb^{-1})
 1101.0034
 $A_{FB} = 0.475 \pm 0.114$
 for $m_{t\bar{t}} \geq 450 \text{ GeV}$

D0 (5.4 fb^{-1})
 1107.4995
 $A_{FB}^t = [19.6 \pm 6.5]\%$
 $A_{FB}^\ell = [15.2 \pm 4.0]\%$

A_{FB}^{ℓ} versus A_{FB}^t

D0: $A_{FB}^t = 0.196 \pm 0.065$

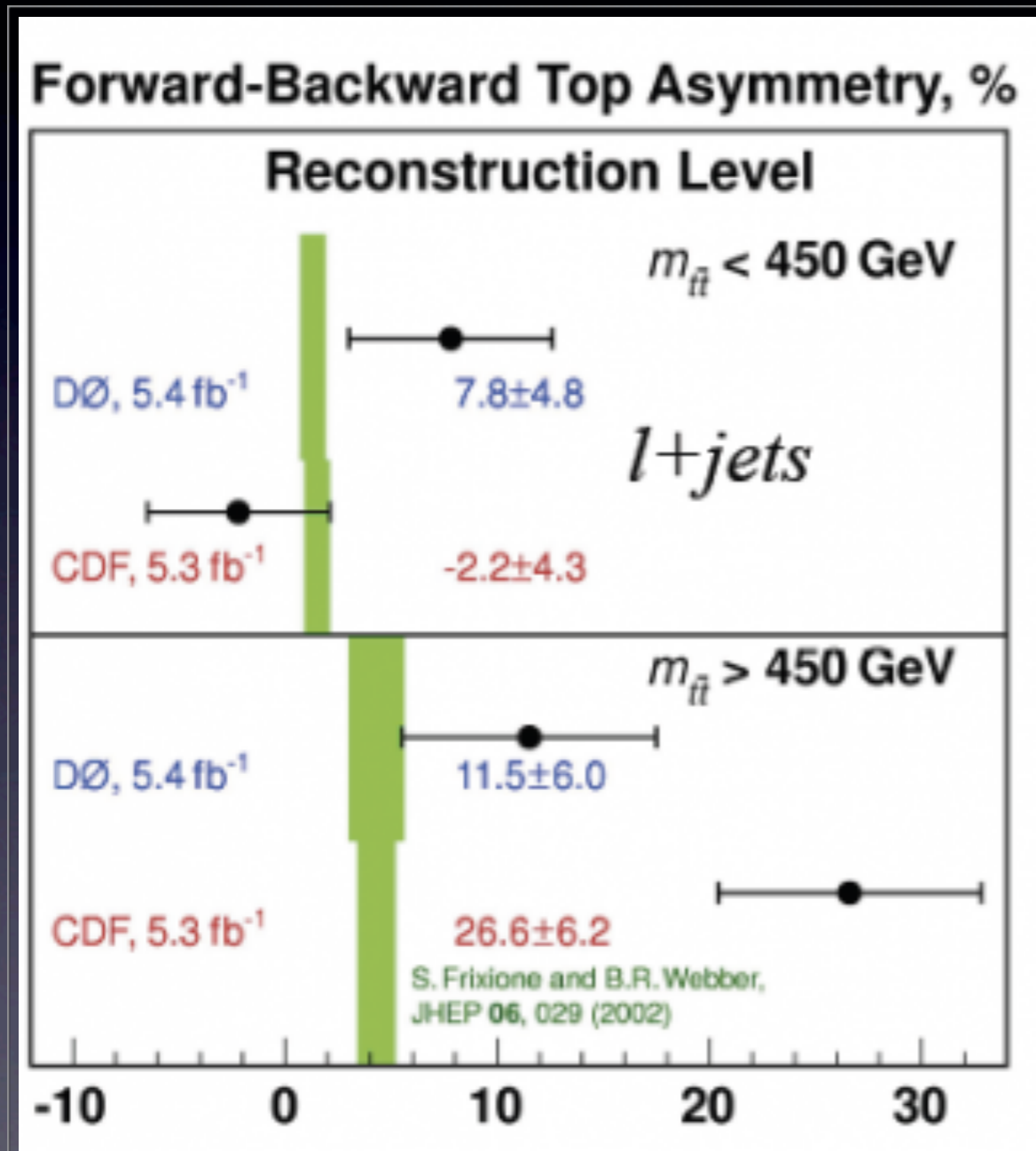
$A_{FB}^{\ell} = 0.152 \pm 0.040$

$$\left. \frac{A_{FB}^{\ell}}{A_{FB}^t} \right|_{D0} \sim \frac{3}{4}$$

SM: $A_{FB}^t = 0.051 \pm 0.001$

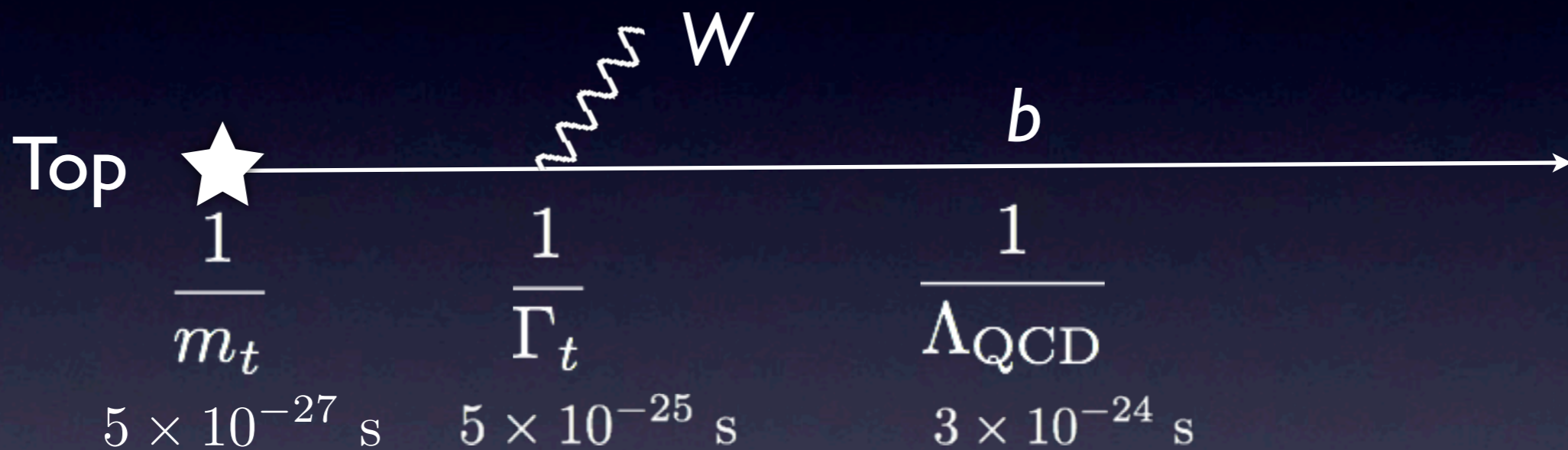
$A_{FB}^{\ell} = 0.021 \pm 0.001$

$$\left. \frac{A_{FB}^{\ell}}{A_{FB}^t} \right|_{SM} \sim \frac{1}{2}$$

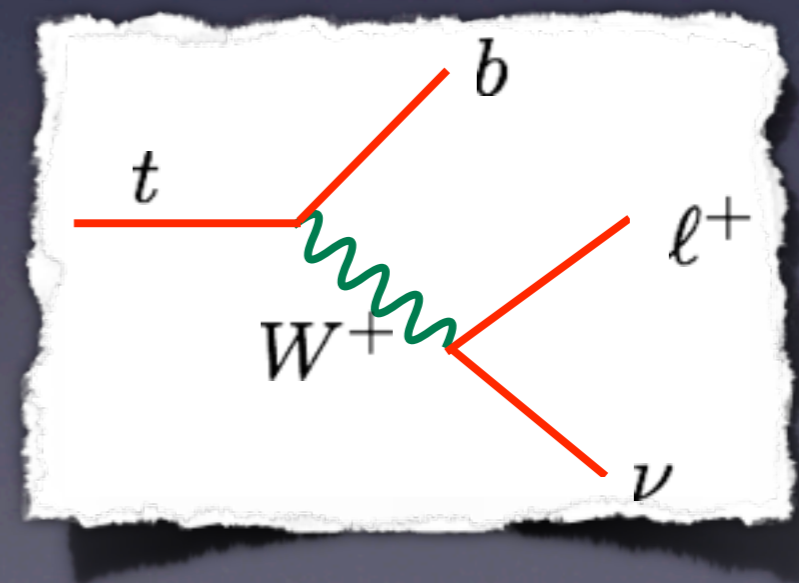


Top-quark: king of the SM

- Large mass: 173 GeV
- Short lifetime:



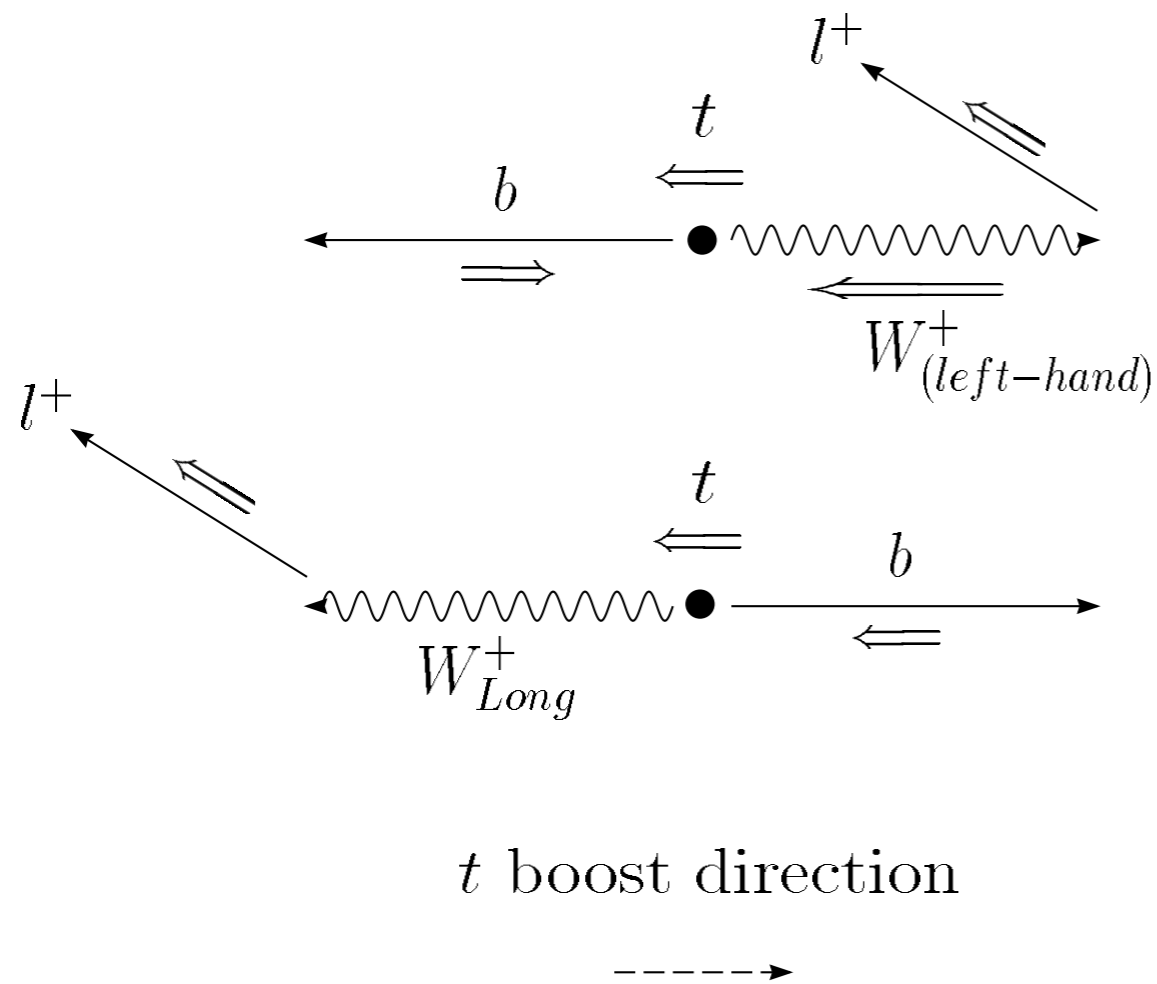
- “bare” quark:
spin info well kept among
its decay products



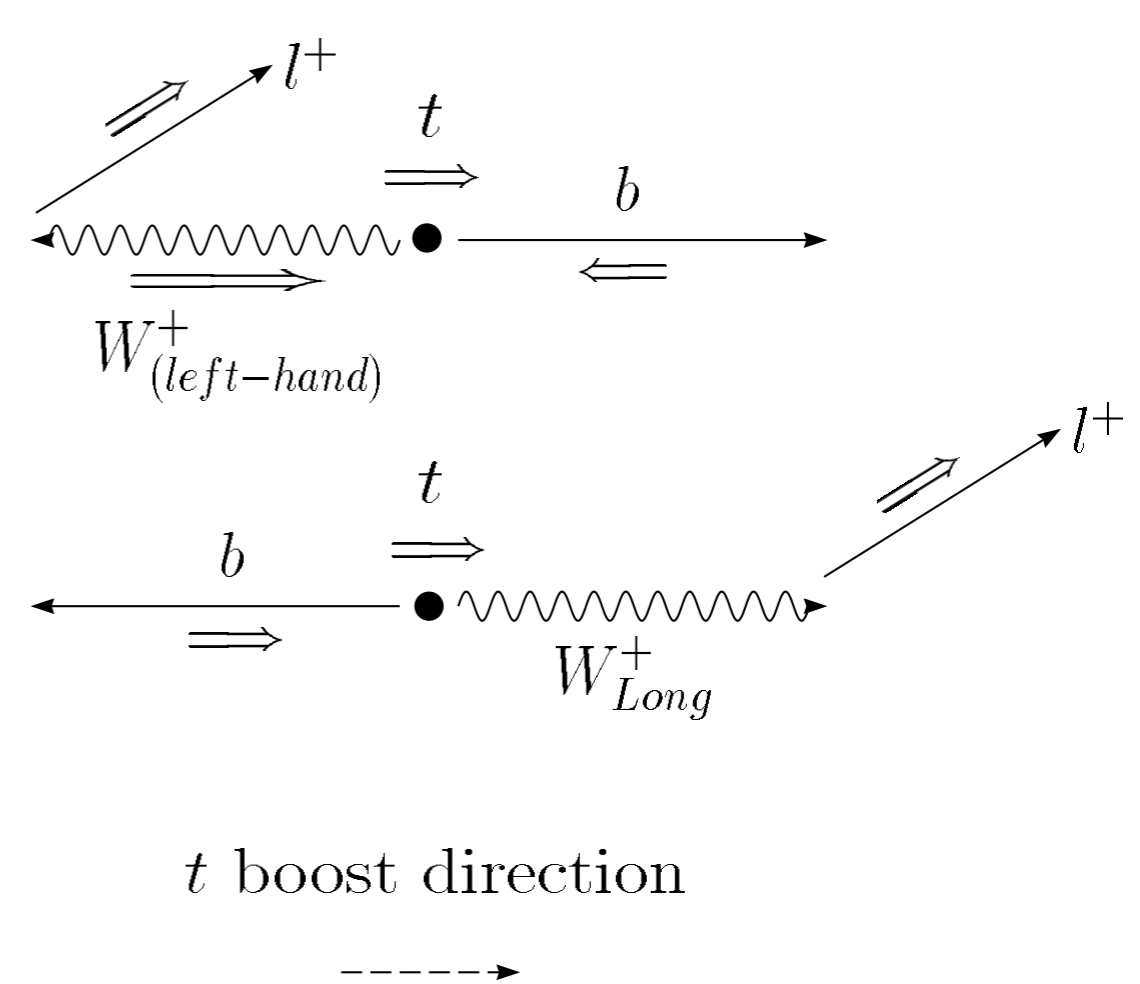
Top-quark leptonic decay

- Charged lepton: top-quark spin analyzer

(a) left-handed top



(b) right-handed top



The charged-lepton tends to follow the top-quark spin direction.

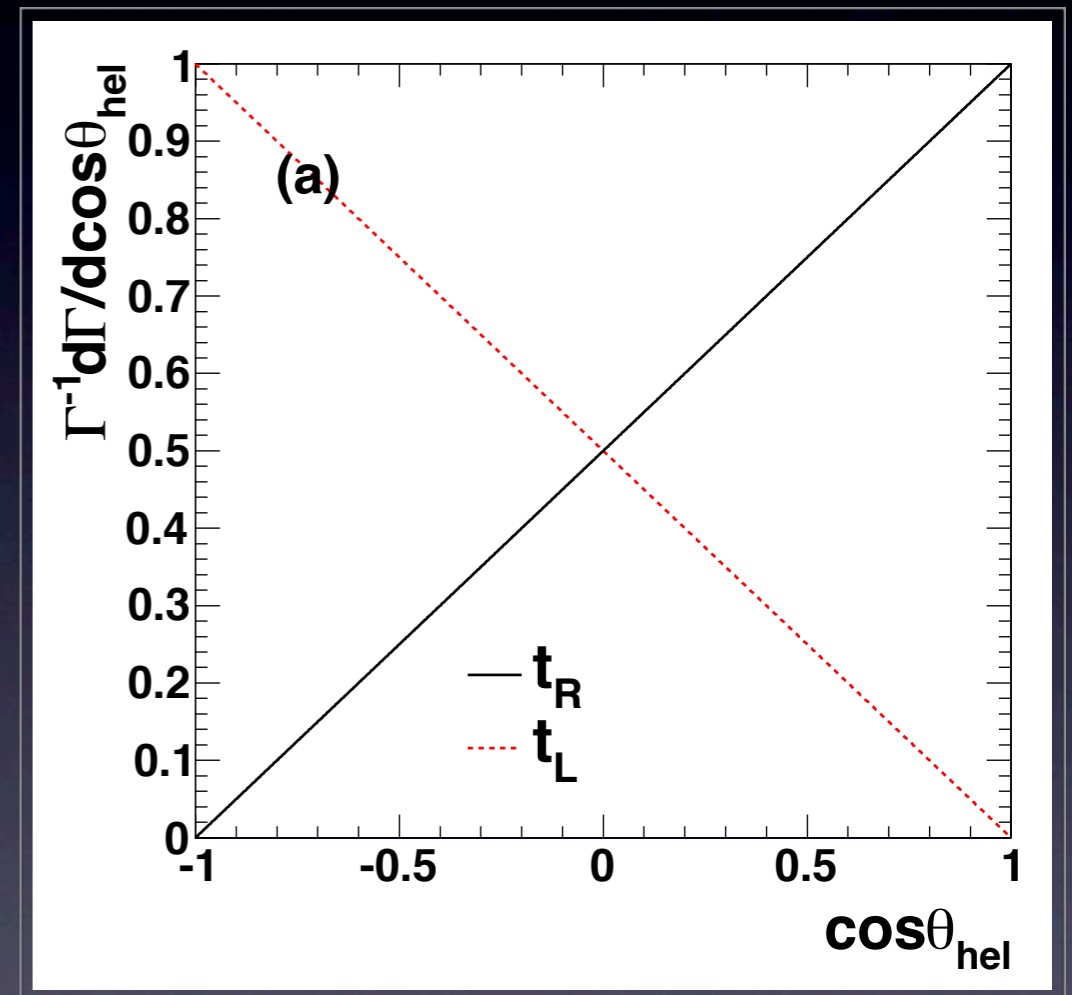
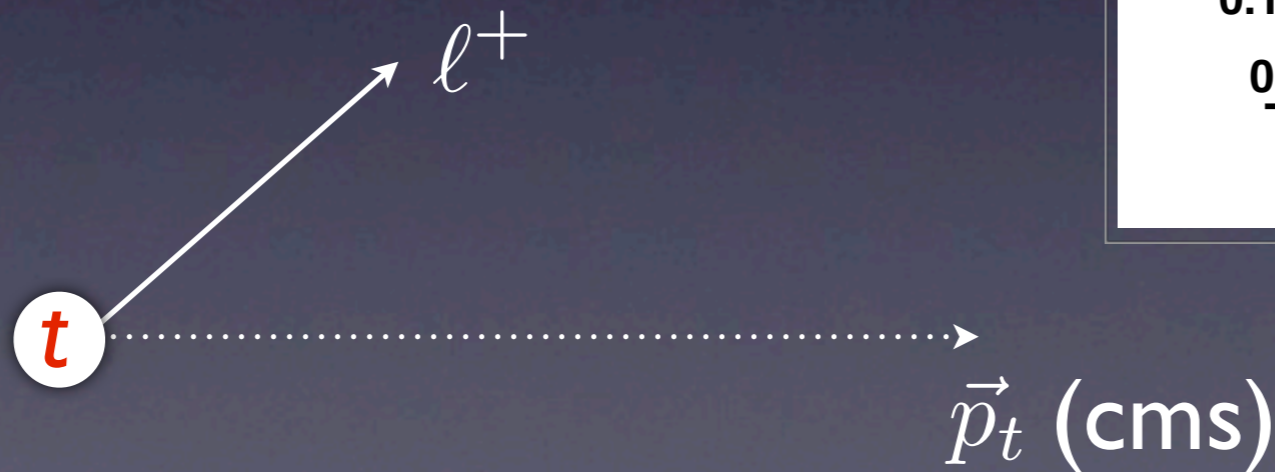
Charged lepton distribution

- In top-quark rest frame

$$\frac{1}{\Gamma} \frac{d\Gamma}{d \cos \theta_{\text{hel}}} = \frac{1 + \lambda_t \cos \theta_{\text{hel}}}{2}$$

$\lambda_t = +$ right-handed

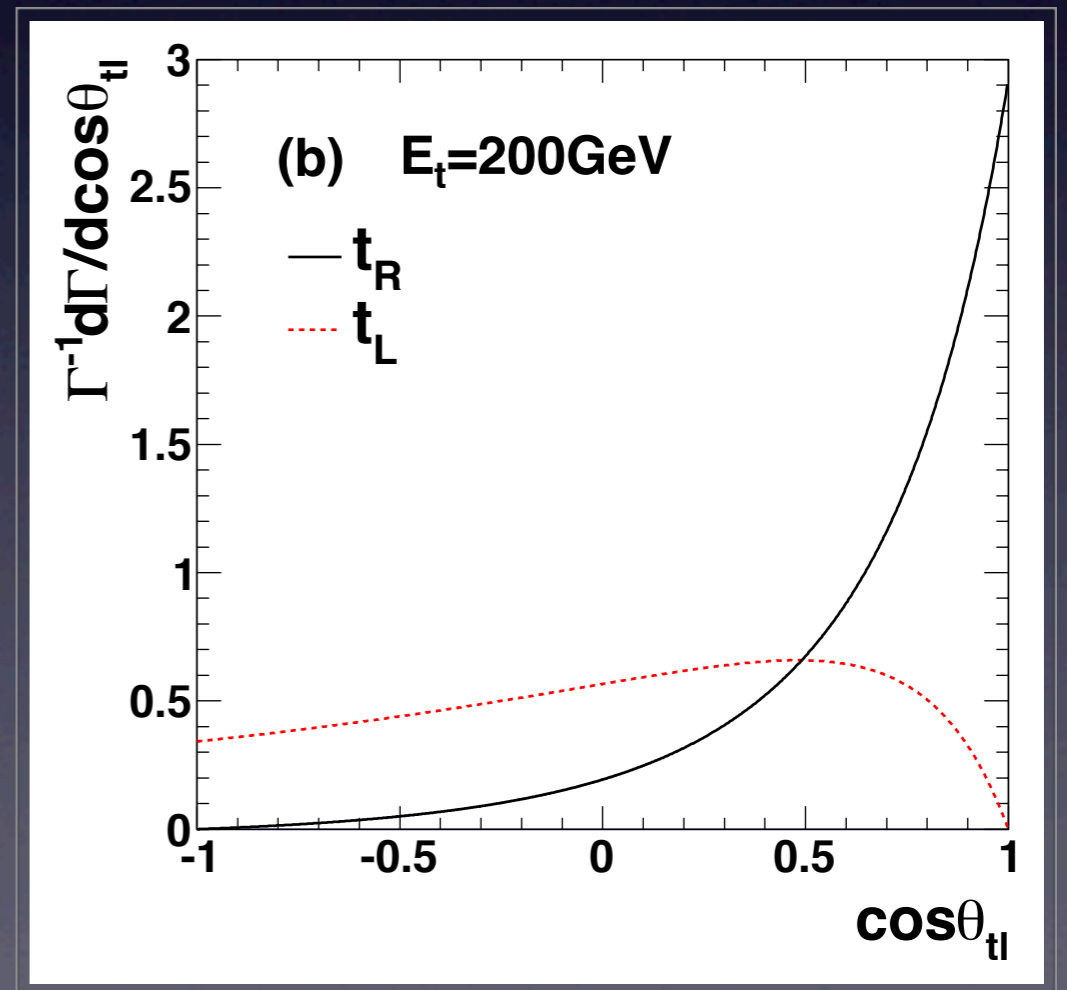
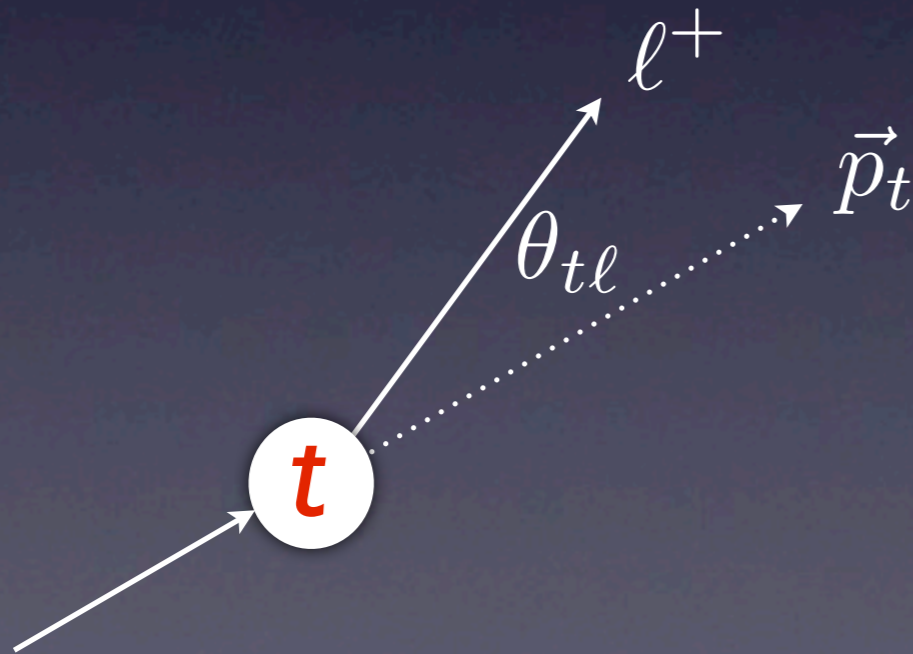
$\lambda_t = -$ left-handed



Charged lepton distribution

- In the c.m. frame

$$\frac{d\Gamma}{\Gamma d\cos\theta_{t\ell}} = \frac{1 - \beta \cos\theta_{t\ell} + \lambda_t (\cos\theta_{t\ell} - \beta)}{2\gamma^2 (1 - \beta \cos\theta_{t\ell})^3}$$

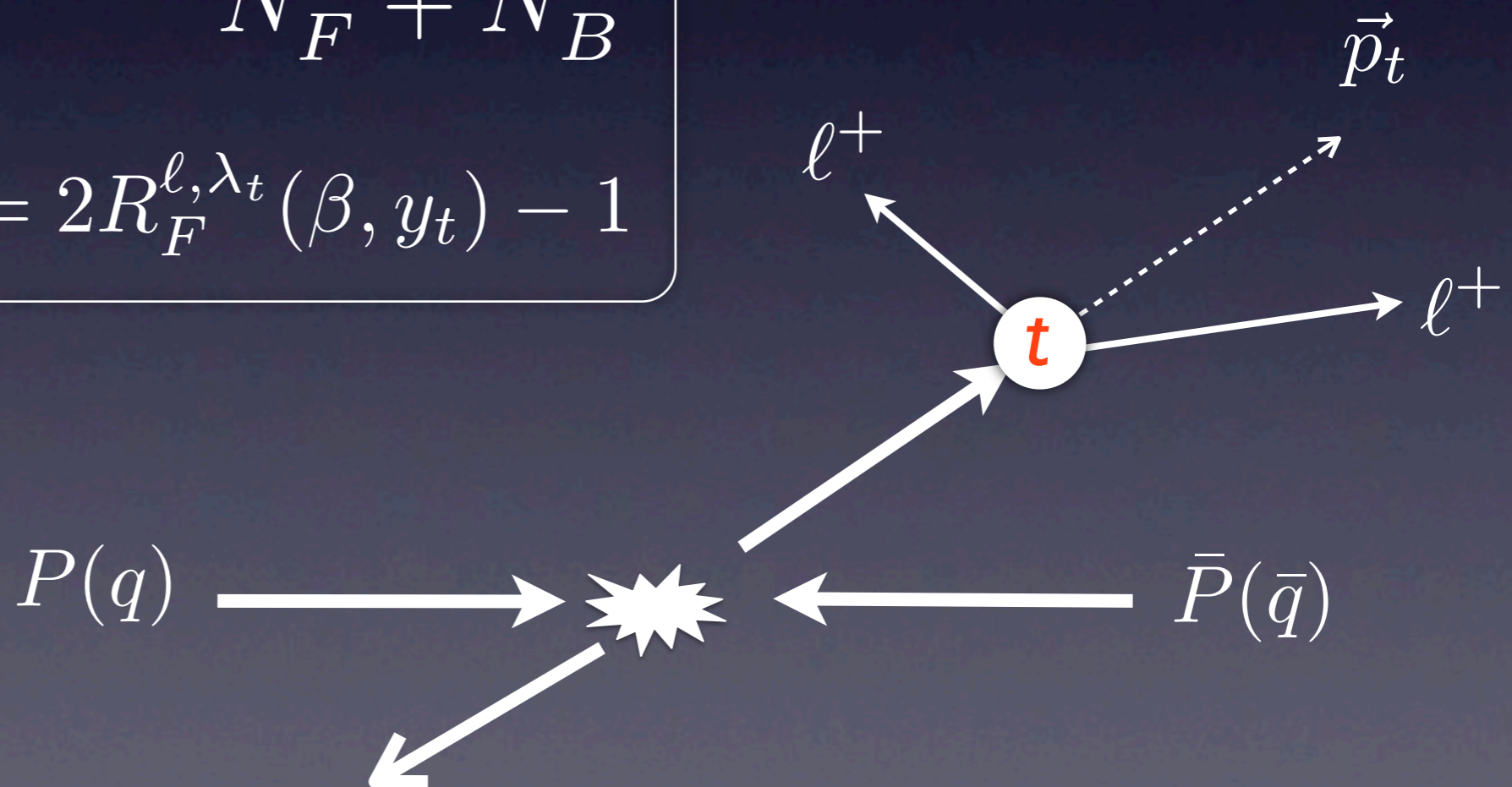


A_{FB}^ℓ dependence on top kinematics

- Possibility of lepton in the forward region of detector for a top-quark (β, y_t, λ_t)

$$R_F^{\ell, \lambda_t}(\beta, y_t) = \frac{N_F^\ell}{N_F^\ell + N_B^\ell}$$

$$A_{FB}^{\ell, \lambda_t}(\beta, y_t) = 2R_F^{\ell, \lambda_t}(\beta, y_t) - 1$$



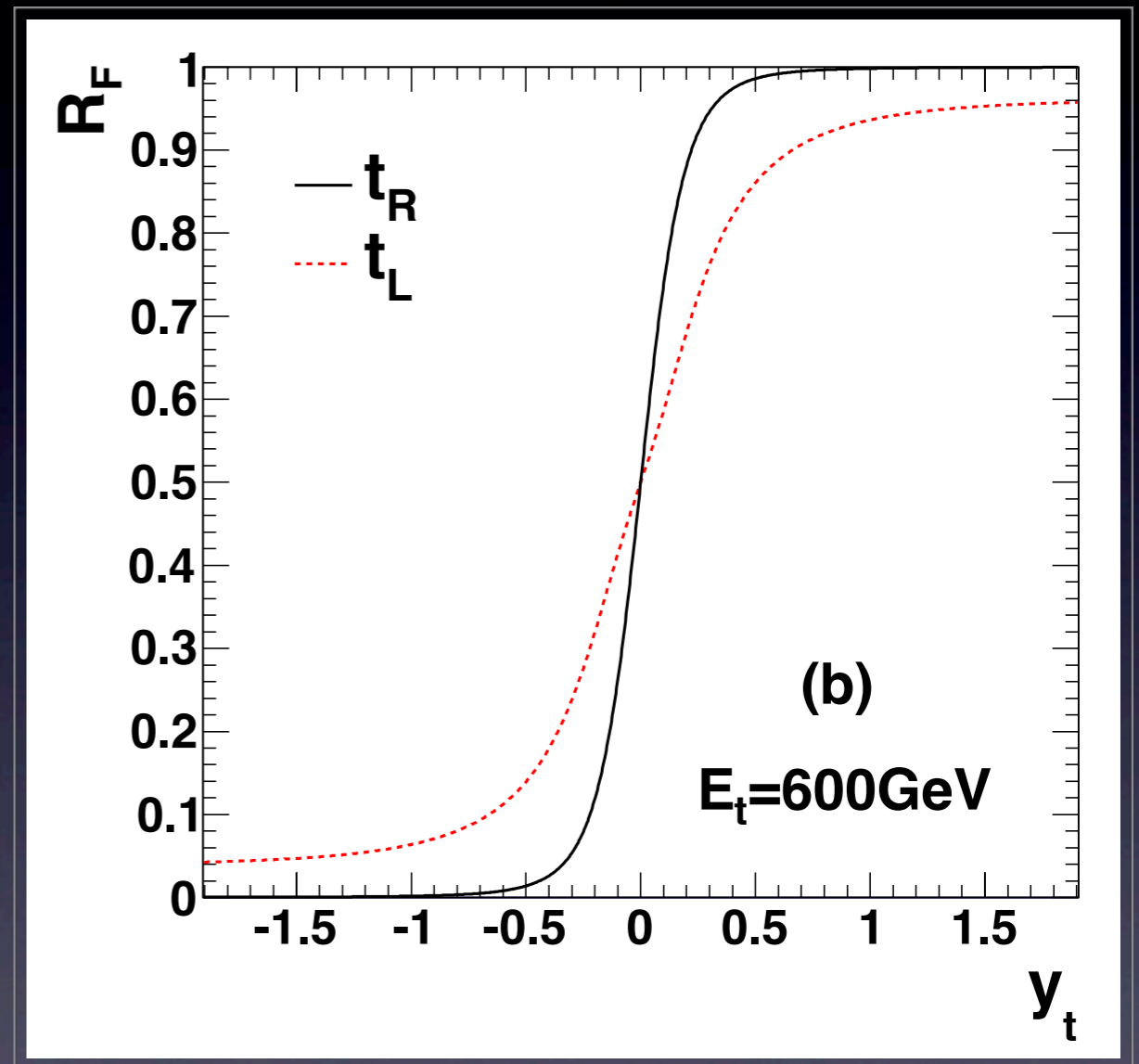
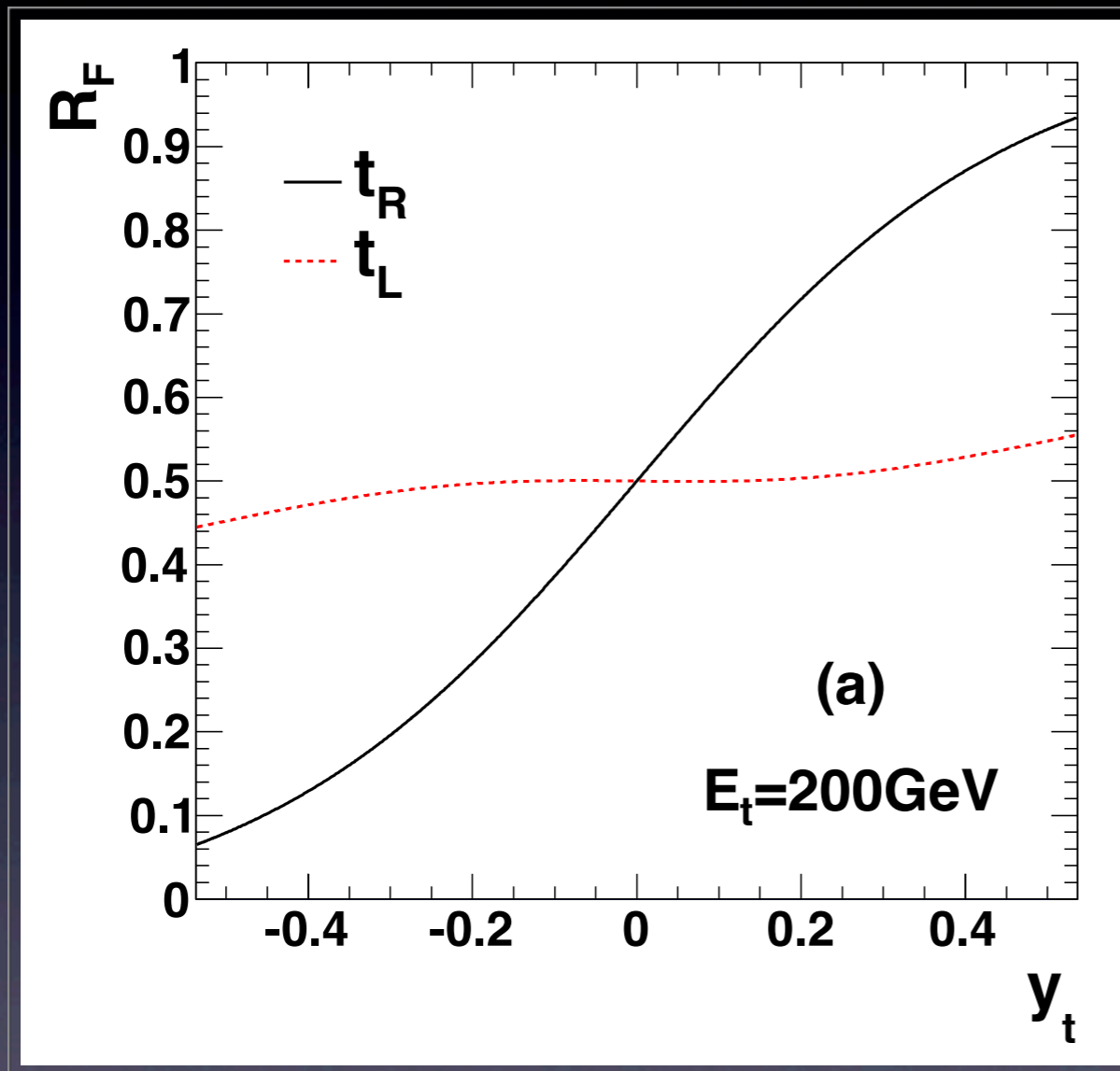
It is easy to show ...

- Possibility of lepton in the forward region of detector for a top-quark (β, y_t, λ_t)

$$R_F^{\ell, \lambda_t}(\beta, y_t)$$

$$= \begin{cases} \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2(1 + \gamma^{-2} \coth^2 y_t)^{1/2}} + \frac{\lambda_t \coth^2 y_t}{4\beta\gamma^2 (1 + \gamma^{-2} \coth^2 y_t)^{3/2}}, & (y_t > 0) \\ \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2(1 + \gamma^{-2} \coth^2 y_t)^{1/2}} - \frac{\lambda_t \coth^2 y_t}{4\beta\gamma^2 (1 + \gamma^{-2} \coth^2 y_t)^{3/2}}, & (y_t < 0) \end{cases}$$

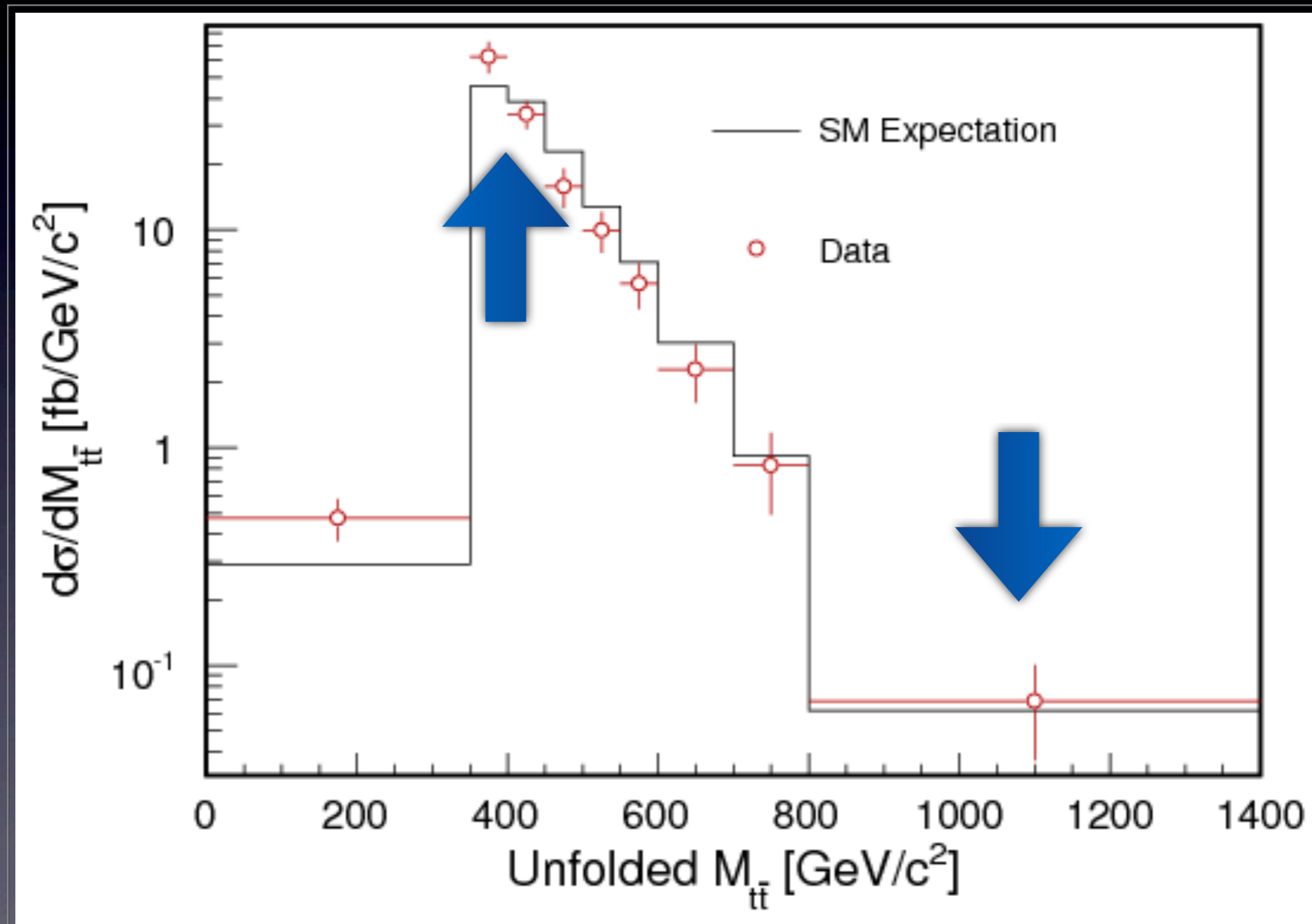
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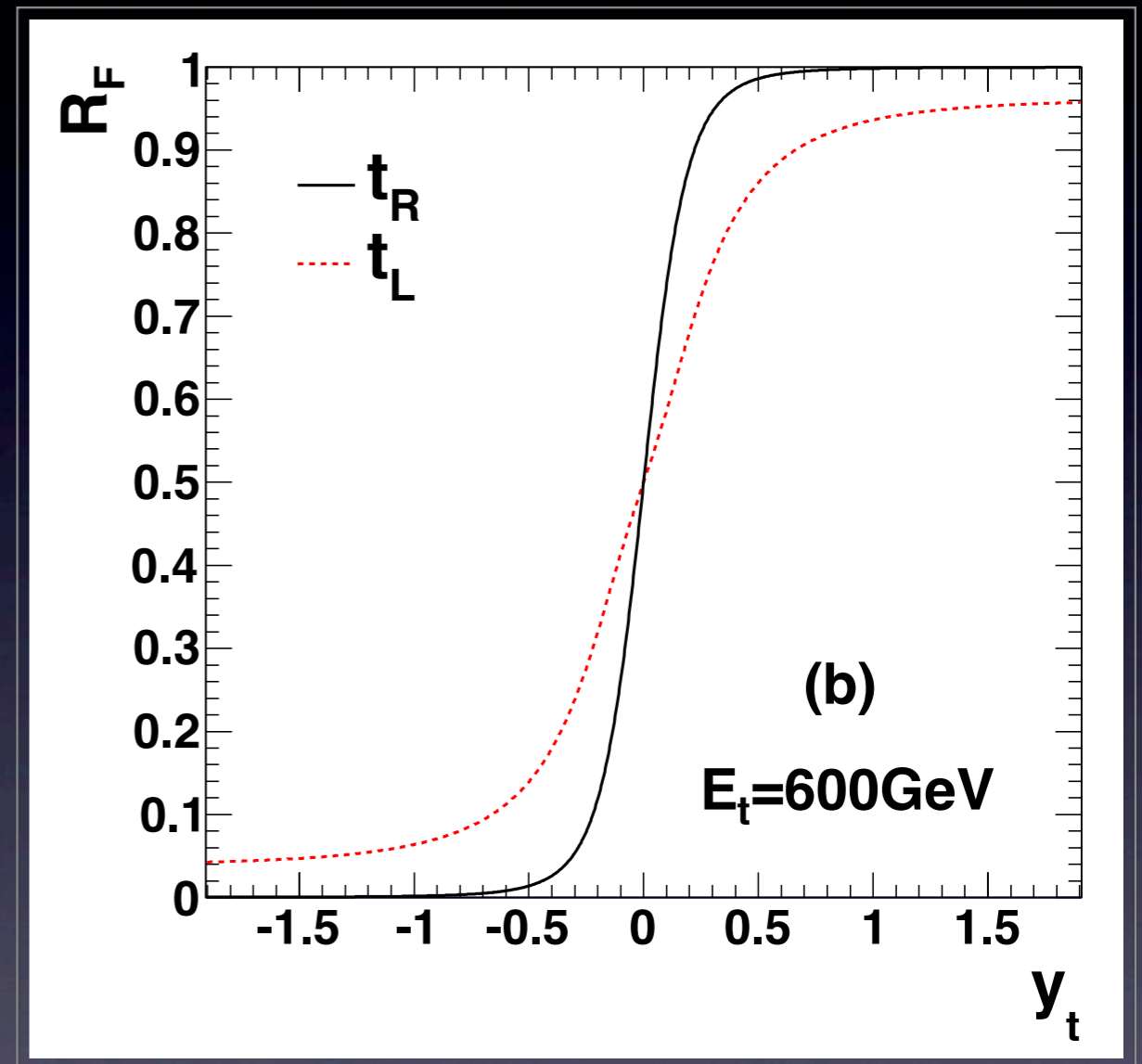
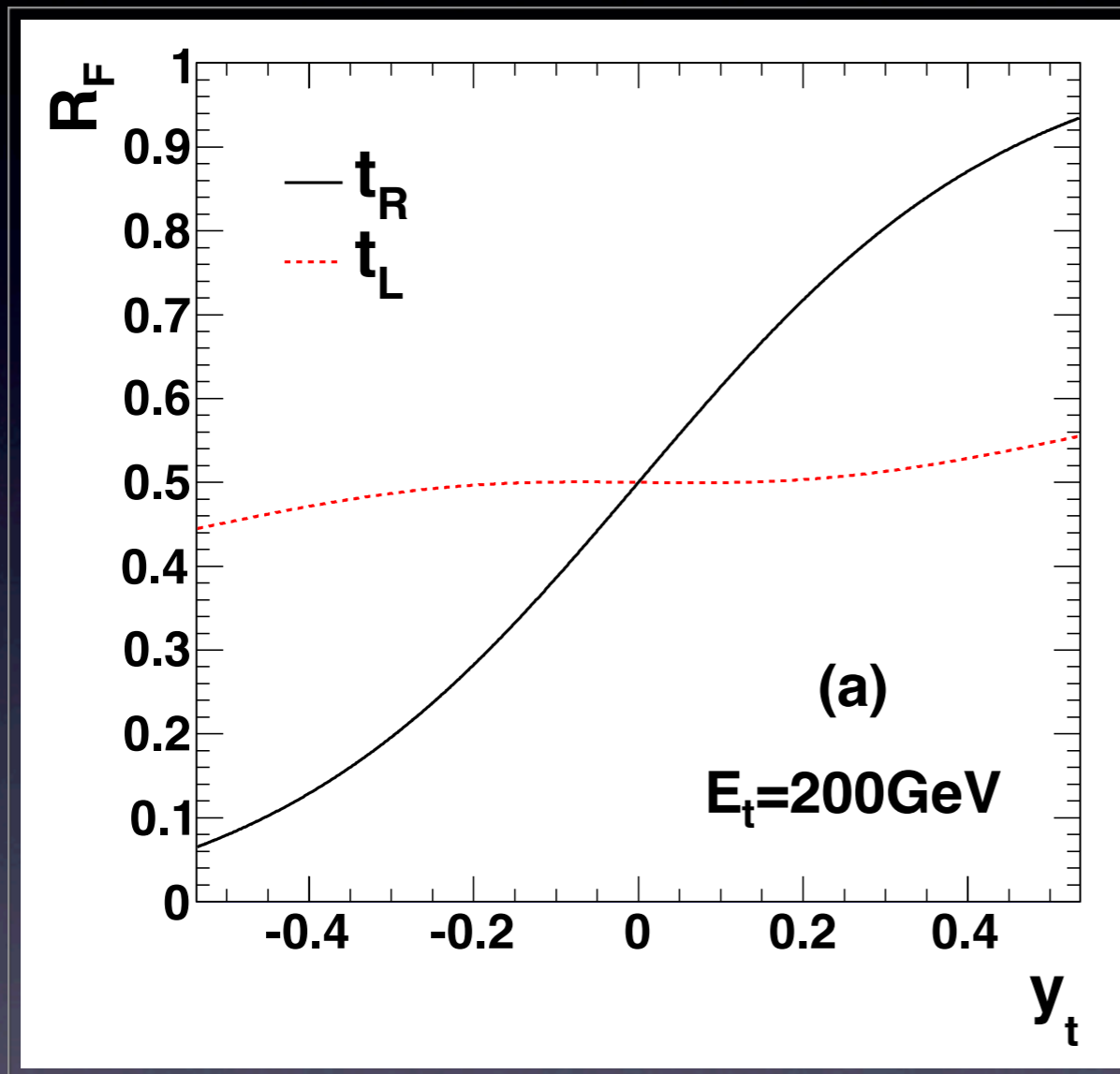
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Invariant mass spectrum of top quark pair

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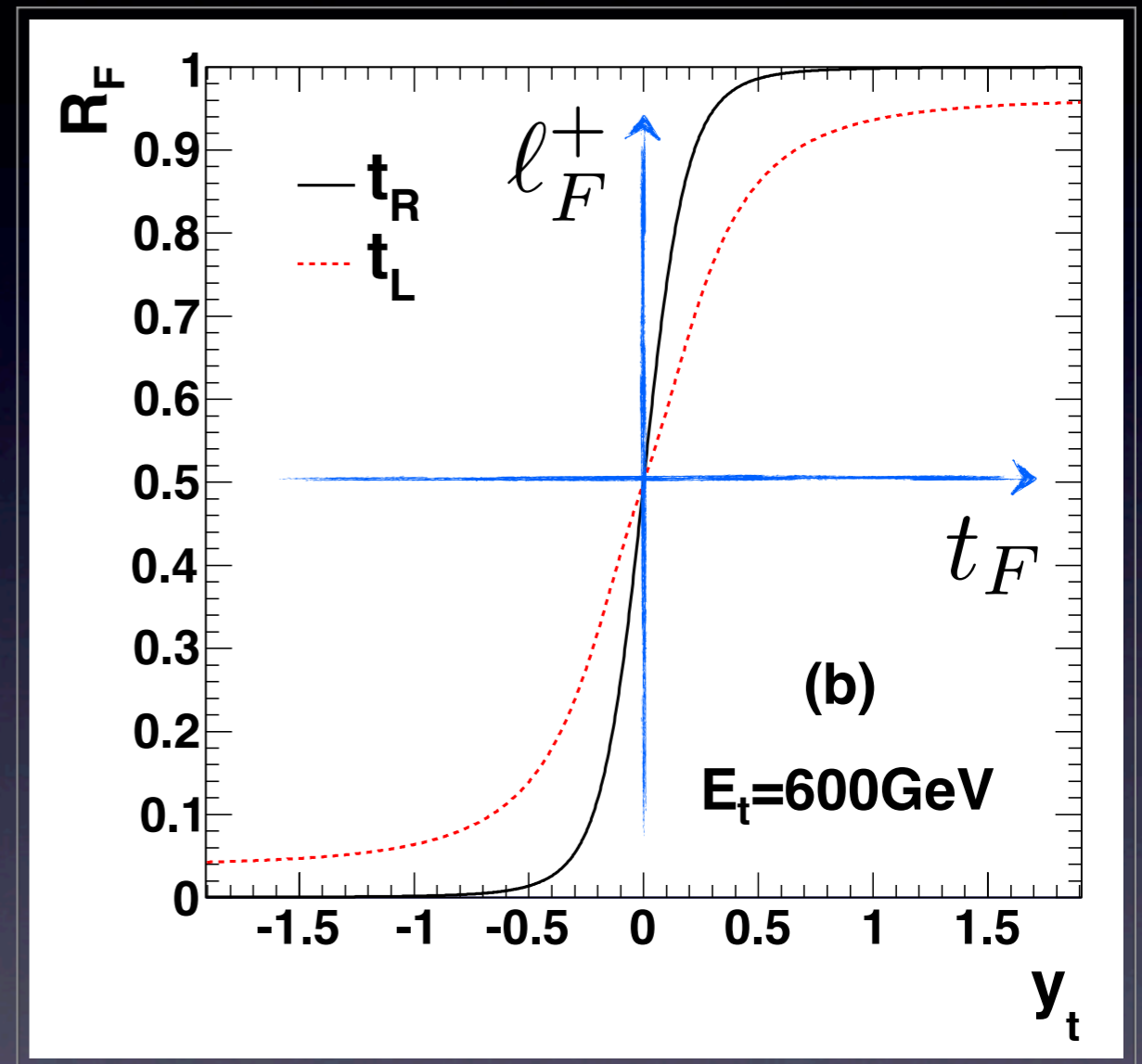
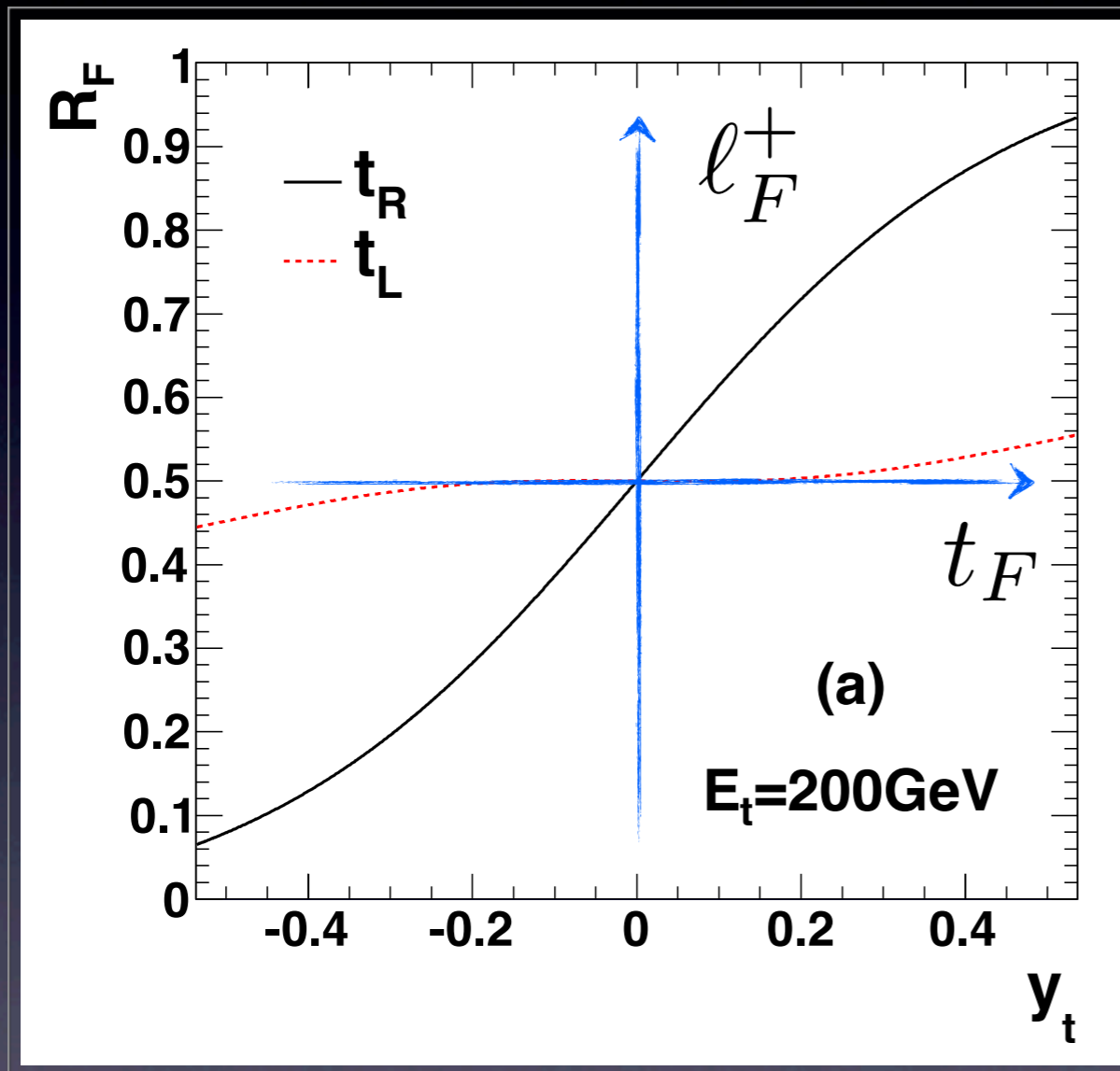


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A_{FB}^t and A_{FB}^ℓ correlation

- When $R_F \sim \text{constant}$ ($\mathcal{R}_C^{t_L}, \mathcal{R}_C^{t_R}$)

$$A_{FB}^\ell \approx \rho_{t_L} A_{FB}^{t_L} \times (2\mathcal{R}_C^{t_L} - 1) \\ + \rho_{t_R} A_{FB}^{t_R} \times (2\mathcal{R}_C^{t_R} - 1)$$

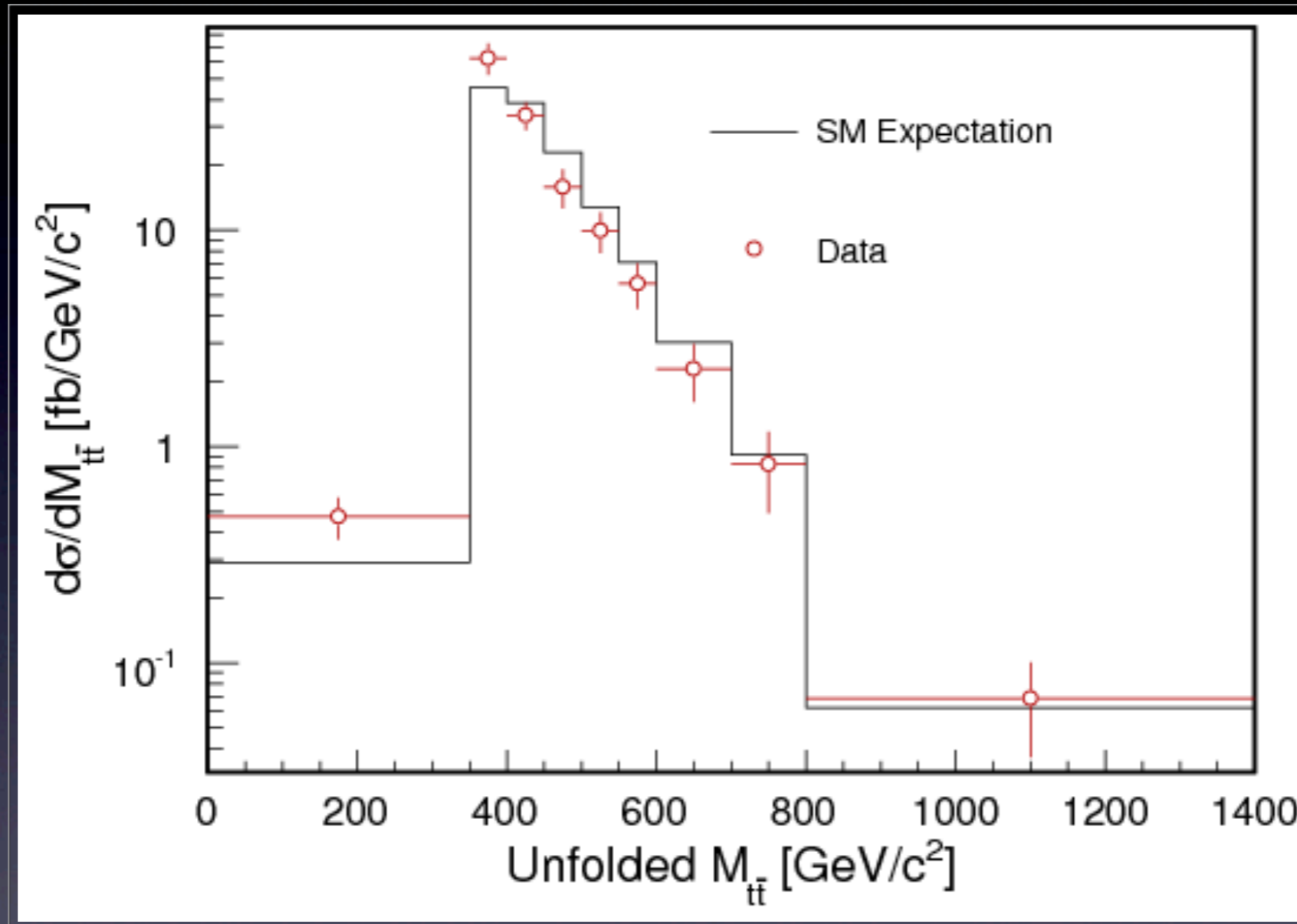
$$A_{FB}^t \approx [\rho_{t_L} A_{FB}^{t_L} + \rho_{t_R} A_{FB}^{t_R}]$$

$$\rho_{\lambda_t} = \frac{N^{\lambda_t}}{N_{\text{tot}}}$$

- The simple approximation helps in understanding the NP prediction obtained from a complete numerical calculation.

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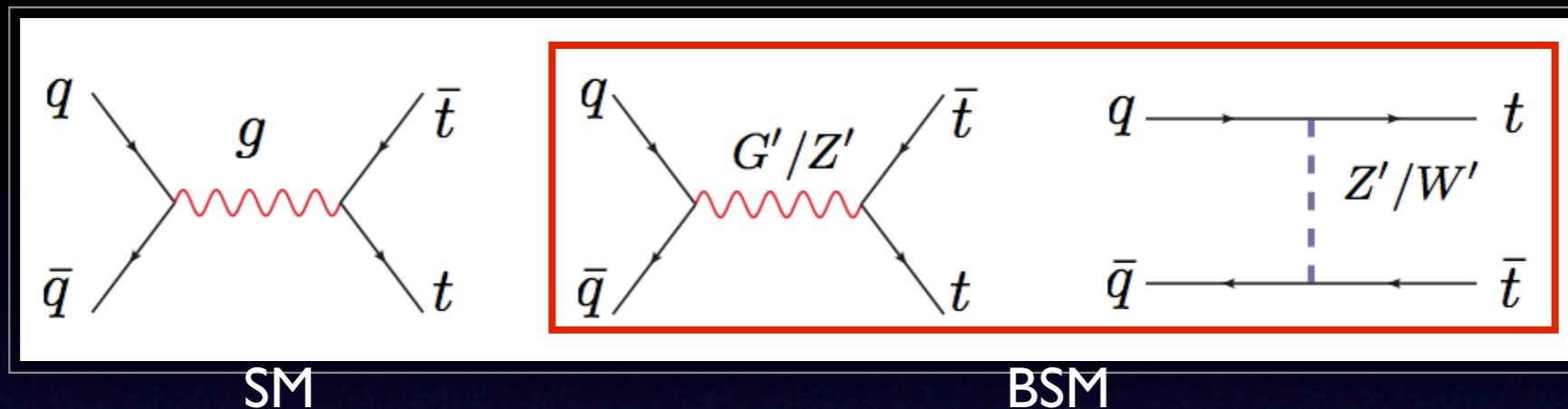
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It provides upper bounds on NP resonance.
The large bin (800GeV-1400GeV) is
the most sensitive to a heavy resonance

New physics models

NP models are divided into two classes



- **s-channel: extra octet vector gluon (axigluon is the best)**

Small couplings to the first two generations: dijet constraints at 7 TeV

Large couplings to third generation: to generate large A_{FB}

Heavy resonances: $t\bar{t}$ invariant mass spectrum

Very broad width: to interfere with the SM channel

- **t-channel: flavor changing interaction**

color singlet: Z' -u-t (ϕ -u-t)

W'^+ -d-t (ϕ^+ -d-t)

color sextet or triplet

Timeline of A_{FB}^t and NP models

s-channel

EFT

Ferrario, Rodrigo
Axigluon
0809.3353

Frampton, Shu, Wang
Axigluon
0911.2955

QHC et al
Effective coupling
(G', Z', W', H^0, H^+)
1003.3461

Ferrario, Rodrigo
chiral G'
0906.5541

Antunan, Kuhn, Rodrigo
Axigluon
0709.1652

Djouadi, Moreau, Richard, Singh
KK Gluon
0906.0604

Jung, Ko, Lee, Nam
EFT
0912.1105

2007, 2008

2009

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Jung, Murayama, Pierce, Wells
FCNC Z-prime
0907.4112

Shu, Tait, Wang
Color Sextet/triplet scalar
0911.3237

Xiao, Wang, Zhu,
NLO QCD to Z-prime
1006.2510

Cheung, Keung, Yuan
FC W-prime
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Color Sextet/triplet scalar
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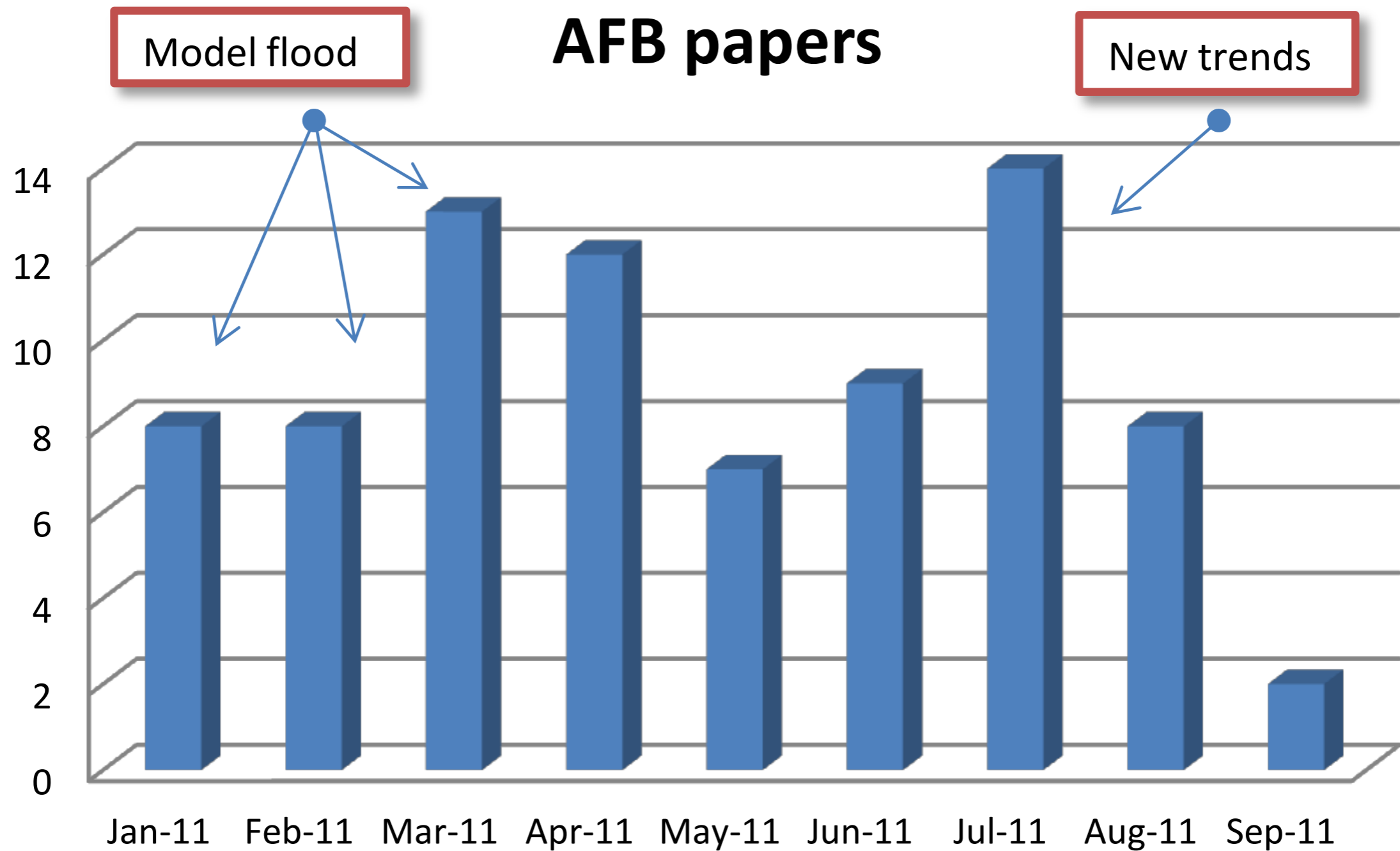
J. Cao, Heng, Wu, Yang
 \mathcal{R} -SUSY and TC2
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t-channel

NLO QCD

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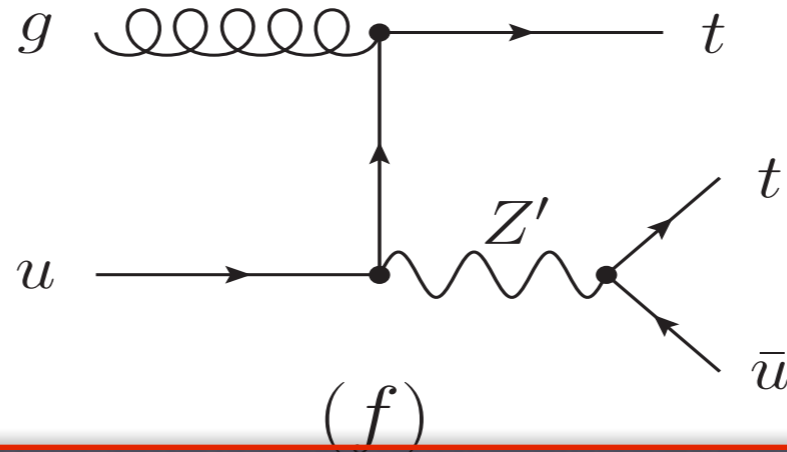
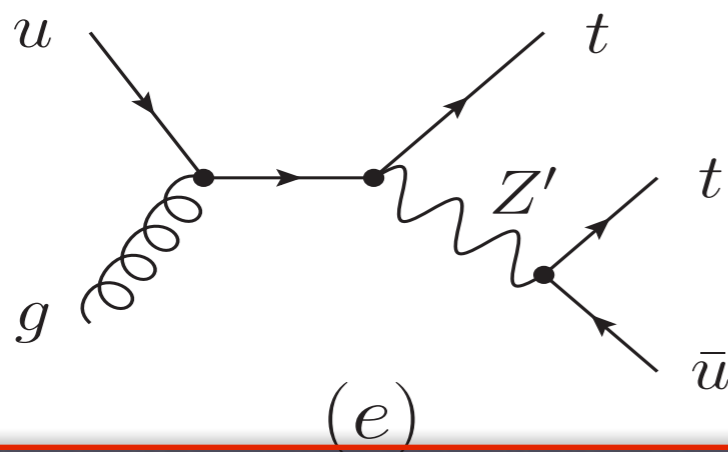
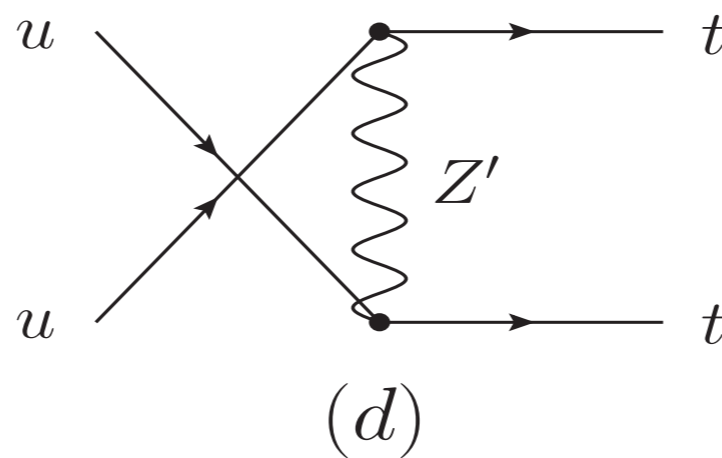
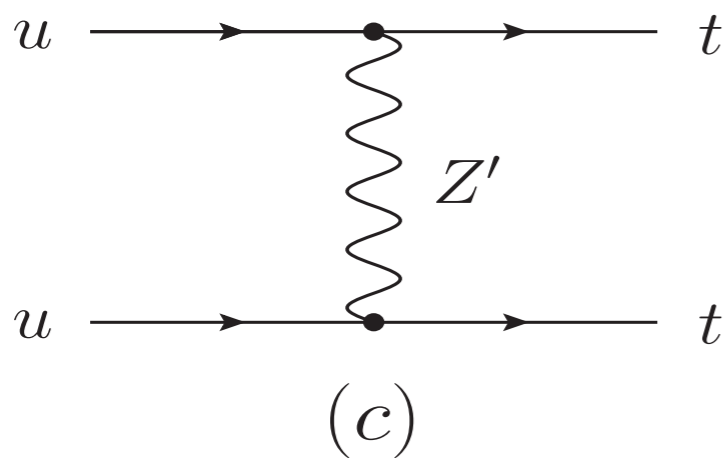
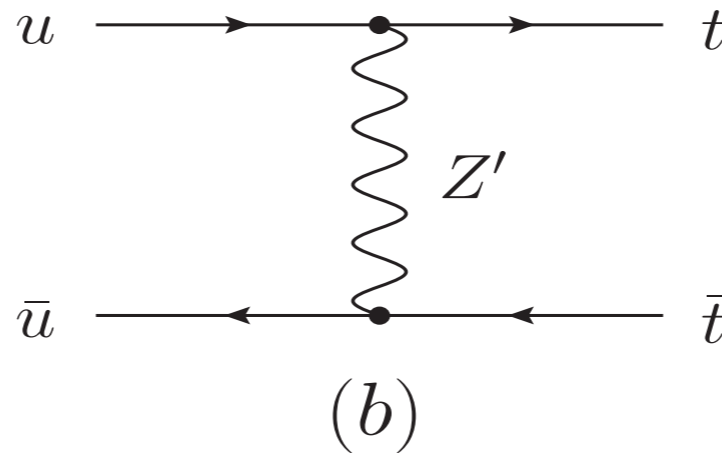
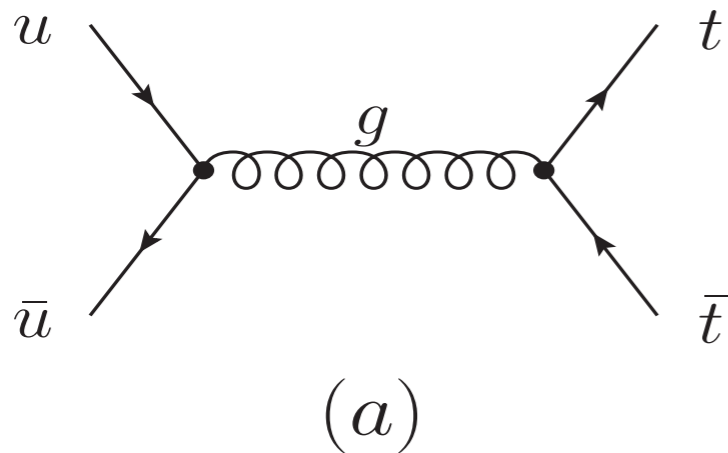


Adopted from J.A.Aguilar Saavedra's talk at TOP 2011, Sept. 2011

FCNC Z-prime: t -channel

- produce same-sign top-quark pair at the LHC

J. Cao et al
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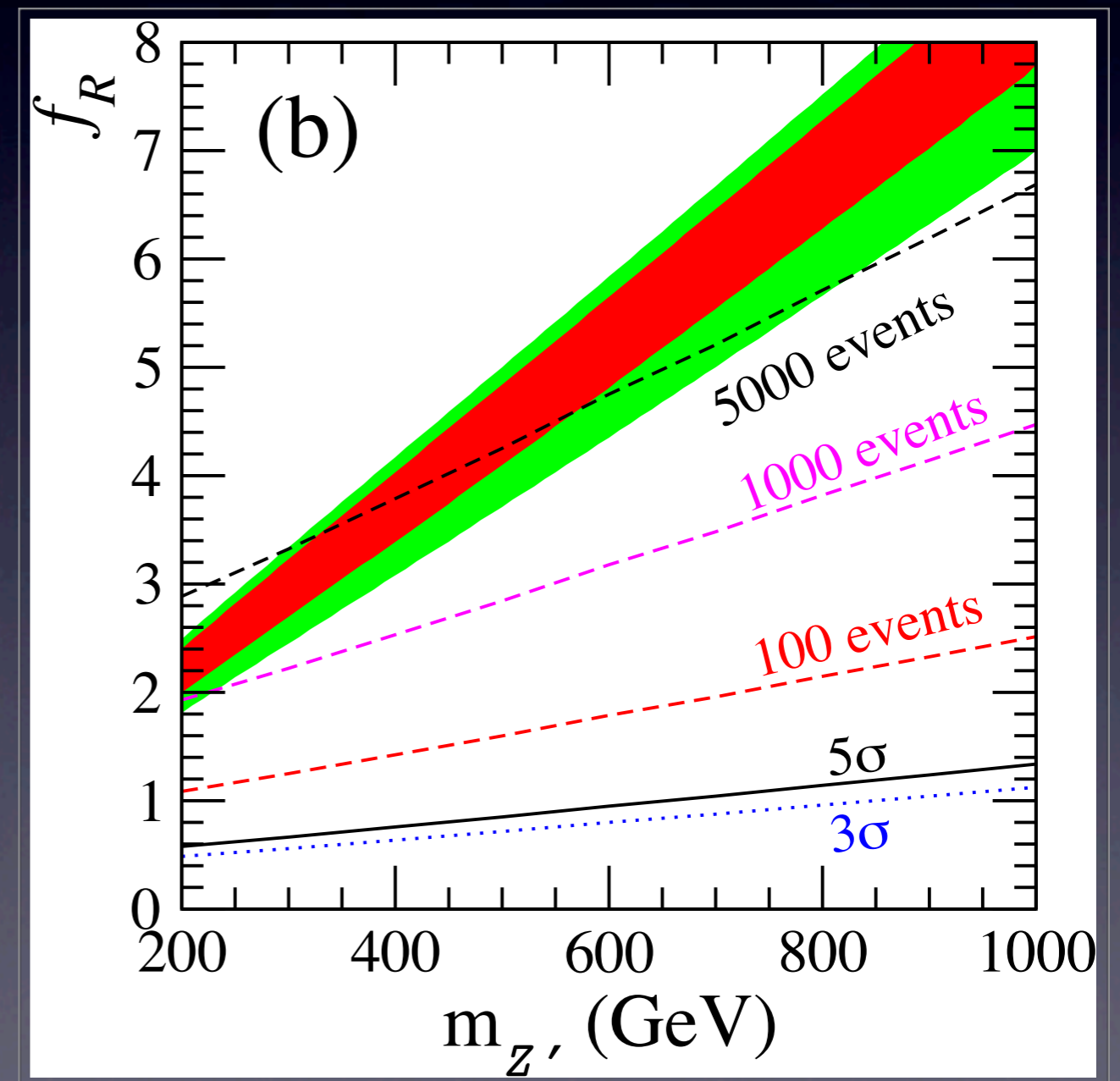
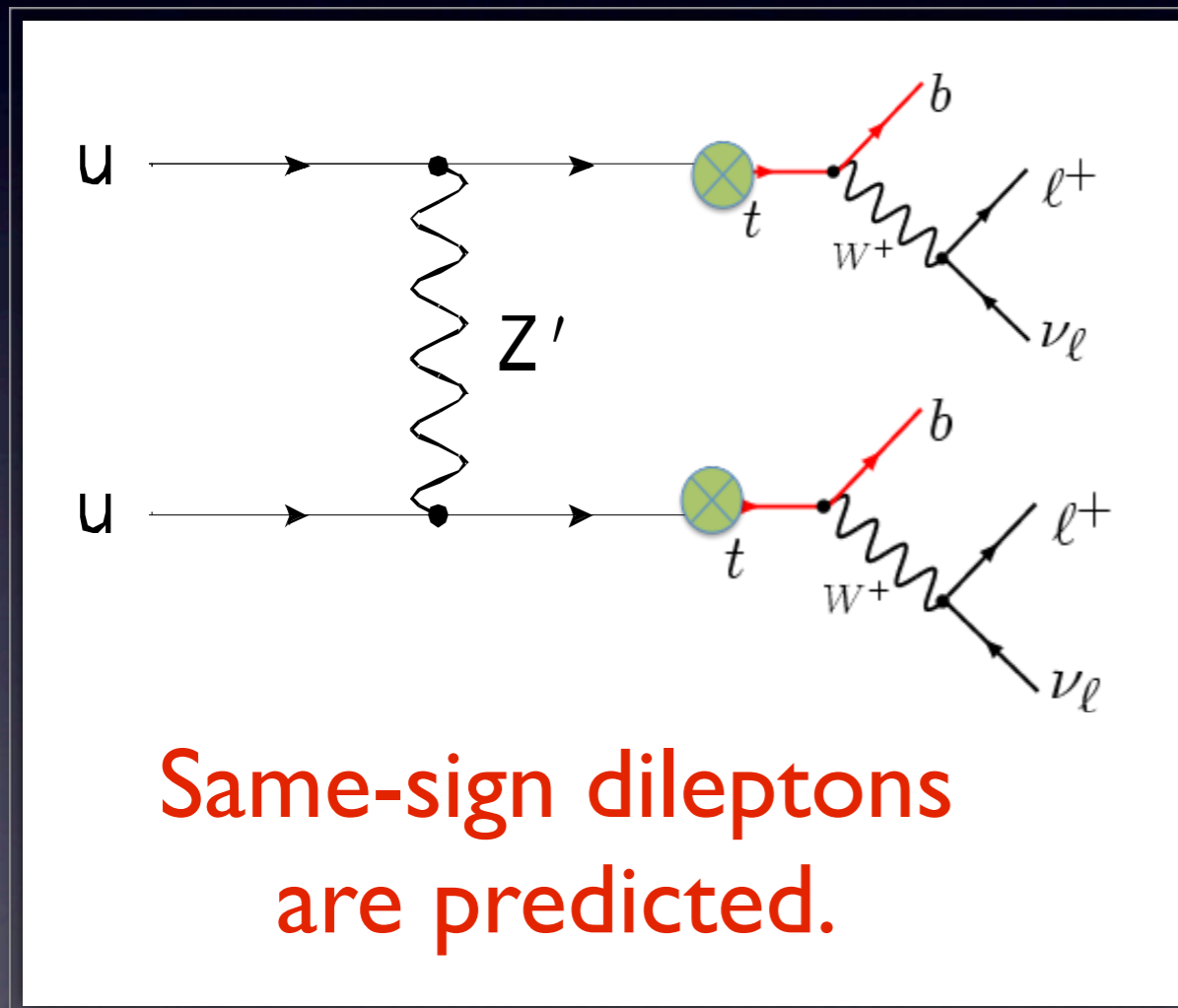
Same-sign
top pair

$t\bar{t}$ + jet

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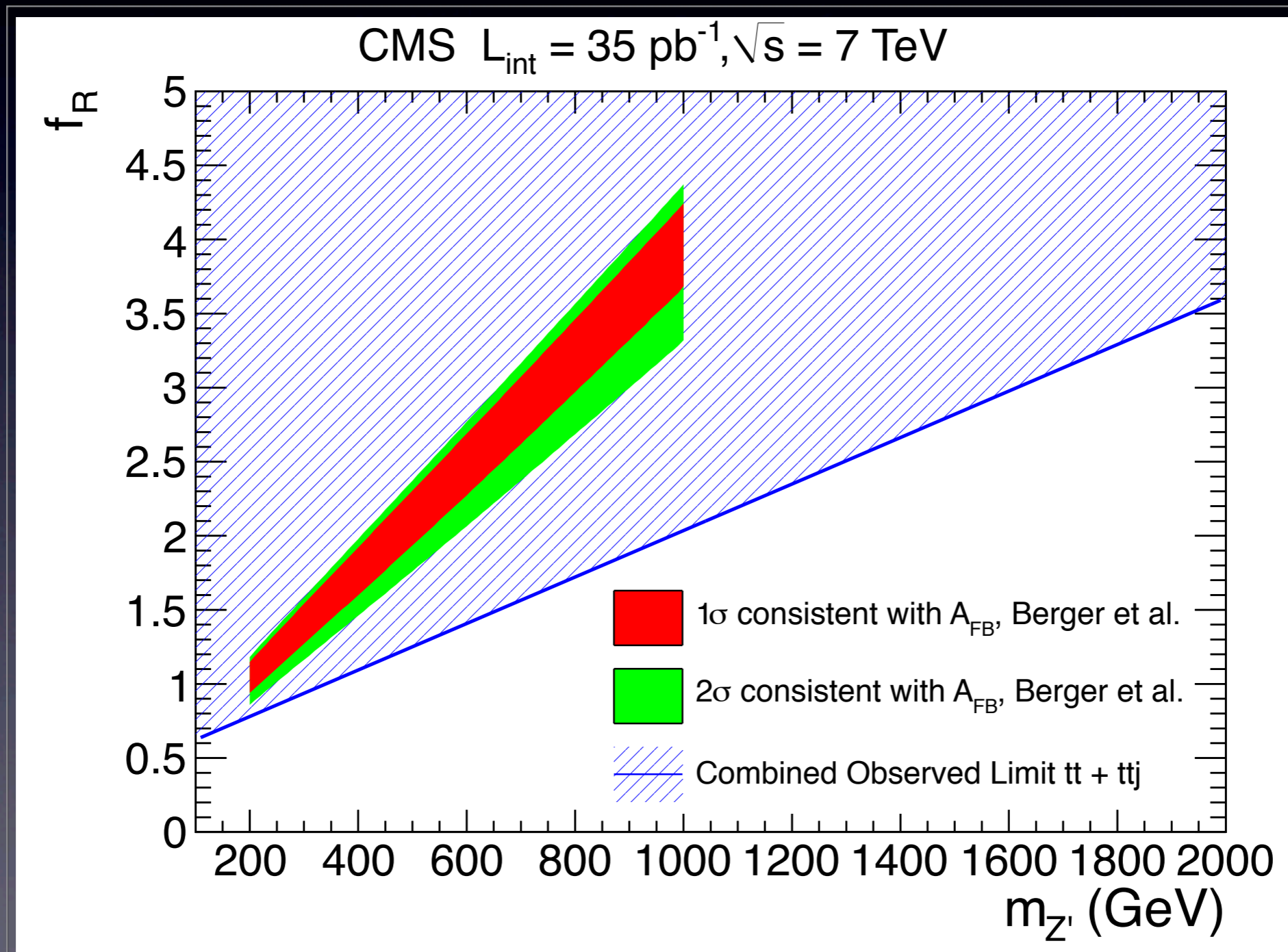
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Phys. Rev. Lett. 106 (2011) 201801, arxiv:1101.5625



FCNC Z-prime: t -channel

- Disfavored by CMS direct search of same-sign top pair

CMS, JHEP 1108 (2011) 005, arXiv:1106.2142



Axigluon: s-channel

- Purely pseudo-vector coupling

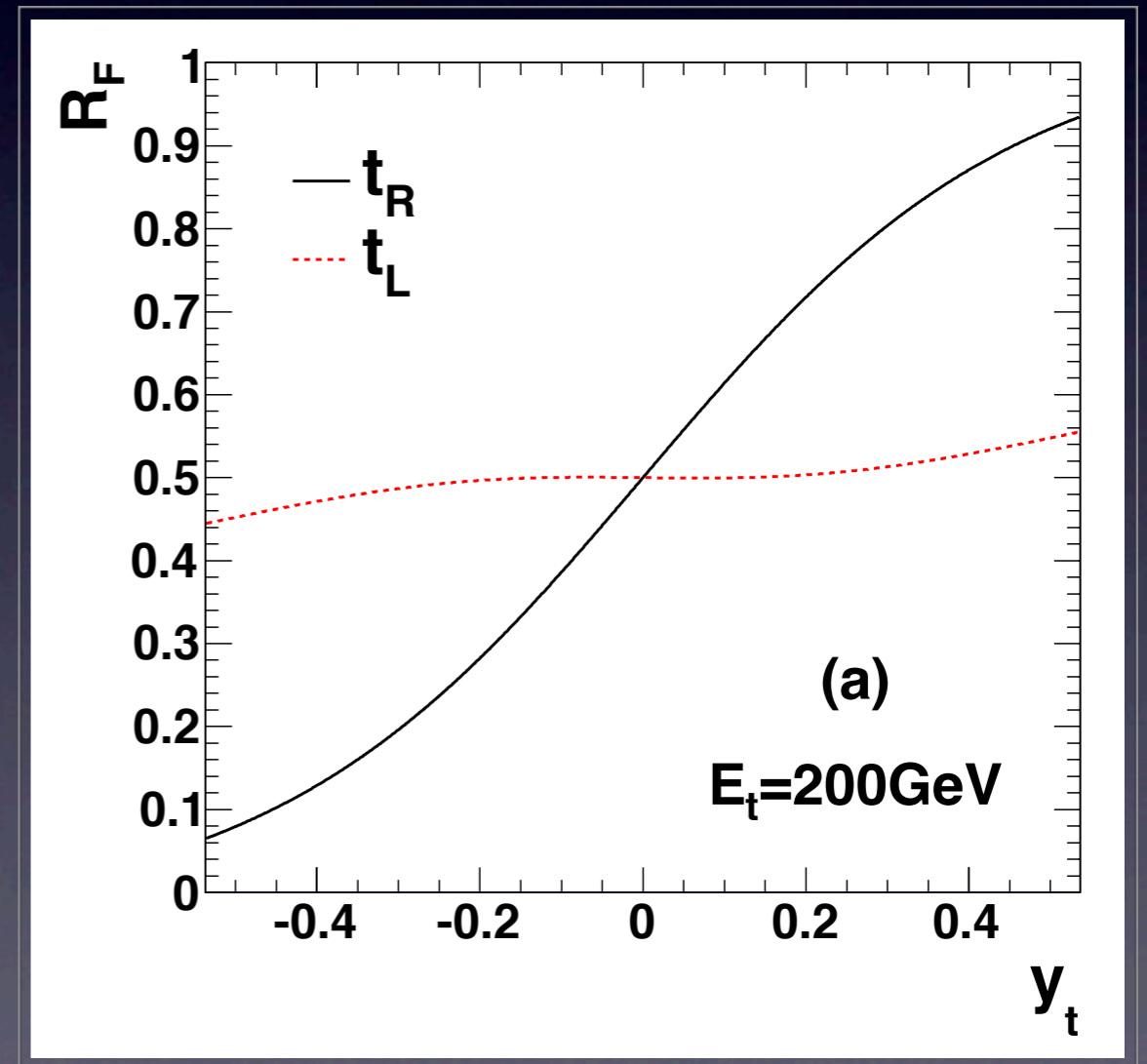
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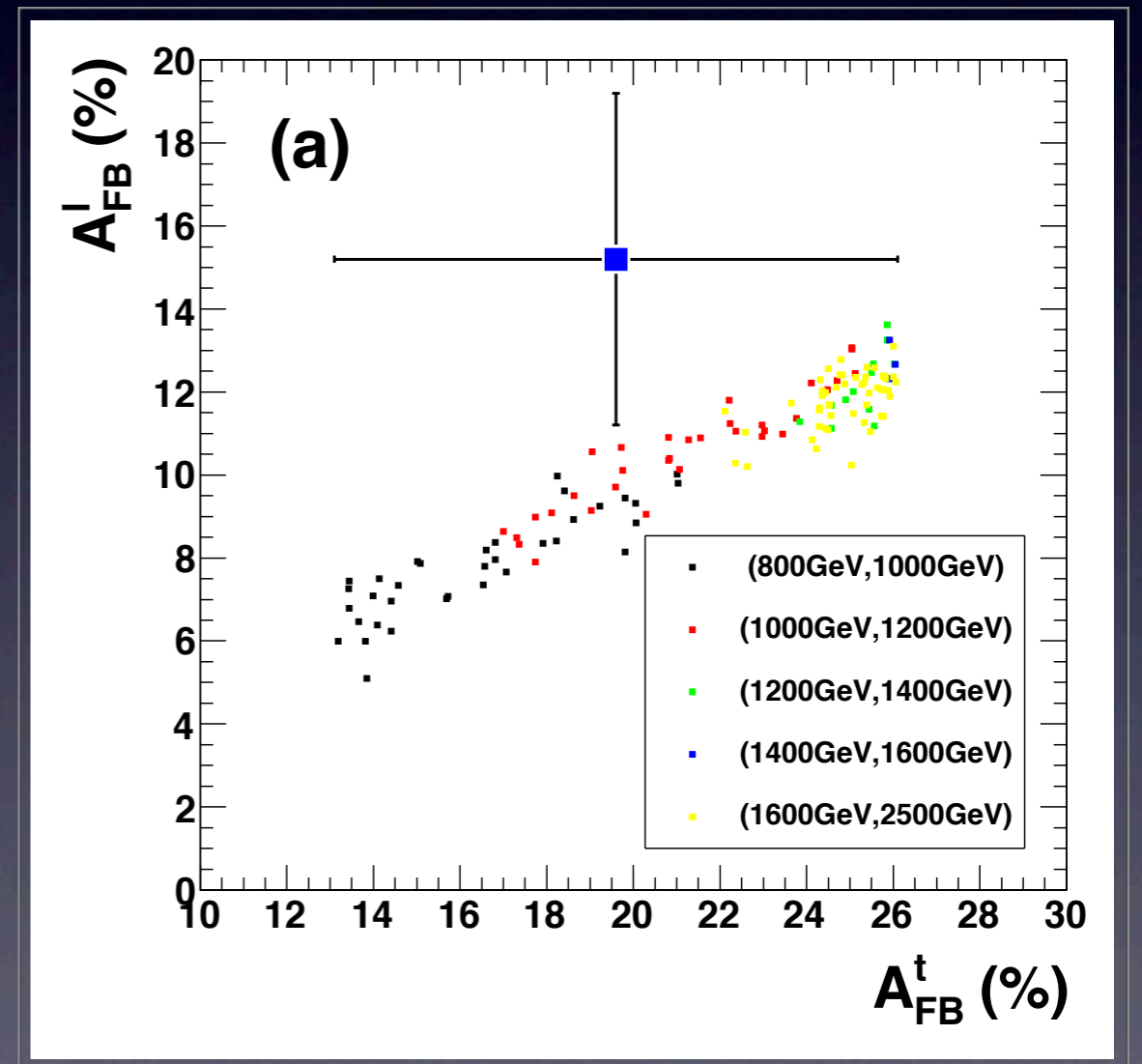
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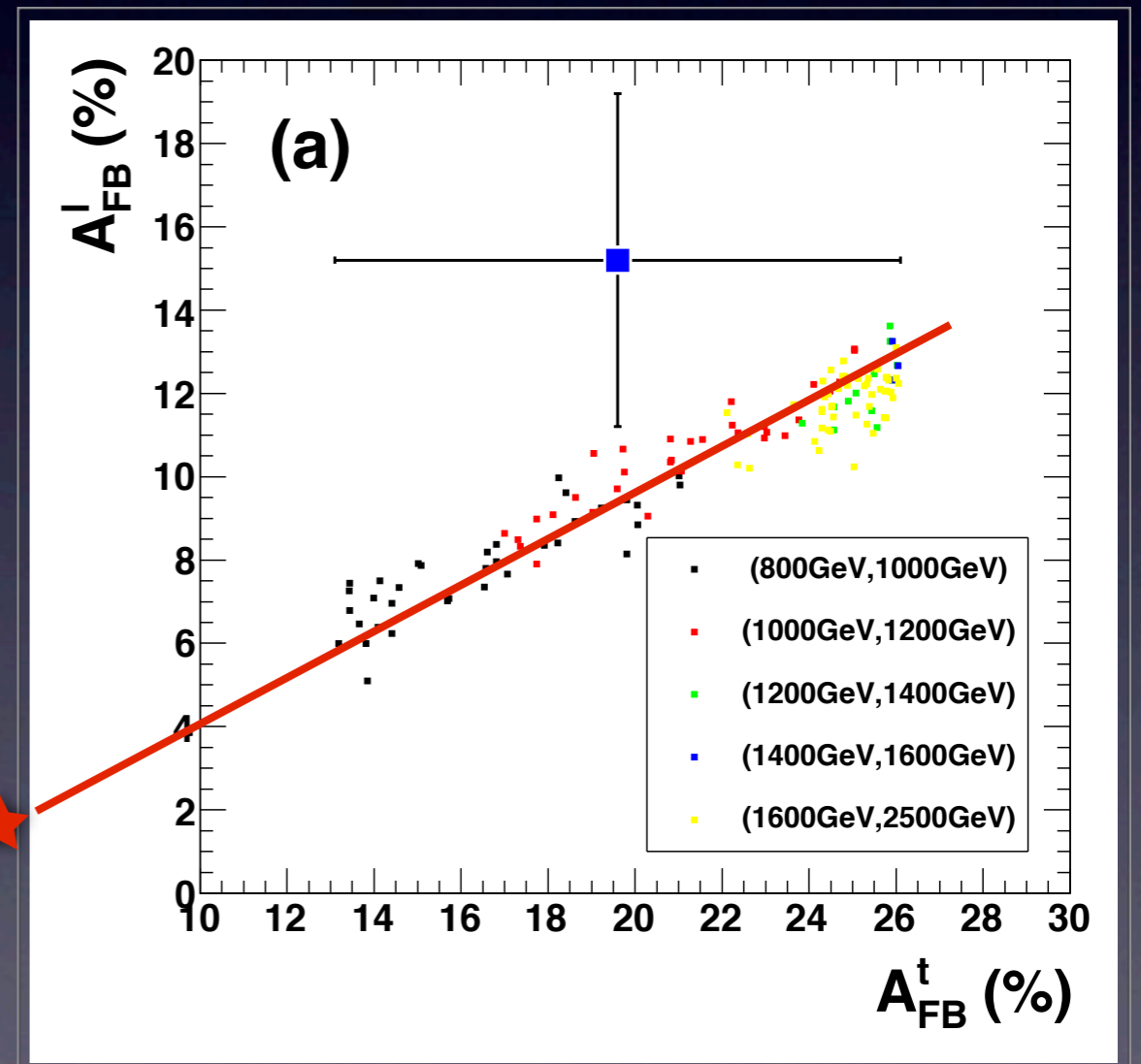
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SM ★



FC W -prime: t -channel

- Purely right-handed flavor changing interaction

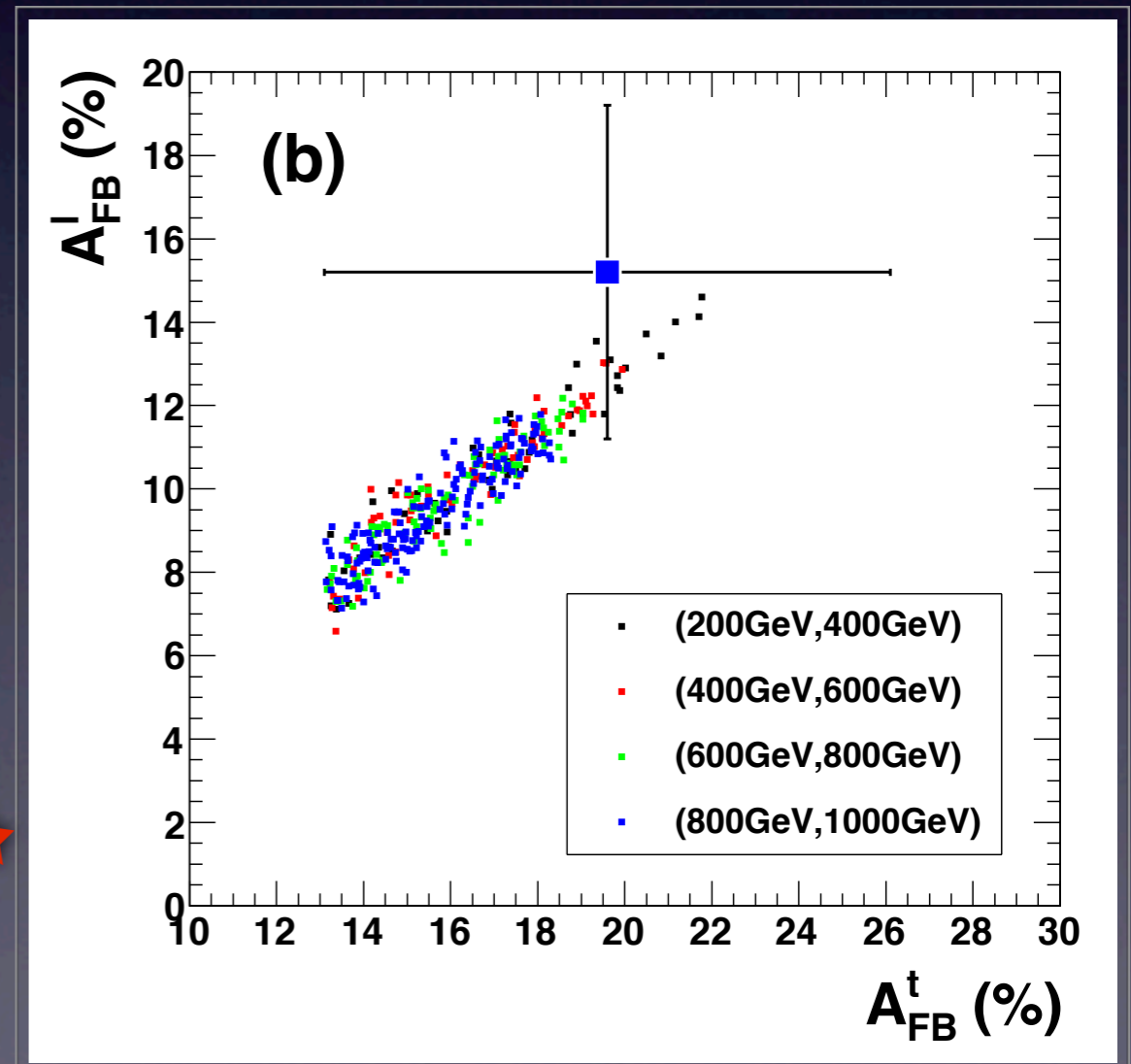
$$\mathcal{L} = g_2 g_R \bar{d} \gamma^\mu P_R t W'_\mu + h.c.$$

$$\rho_{t_R} > \rho_{t_L}$$

- Best-fit

$$A_{FB}^\ell \simeq 0.75 \times A_{FB}^t - 2.1\%$$

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Conclusion

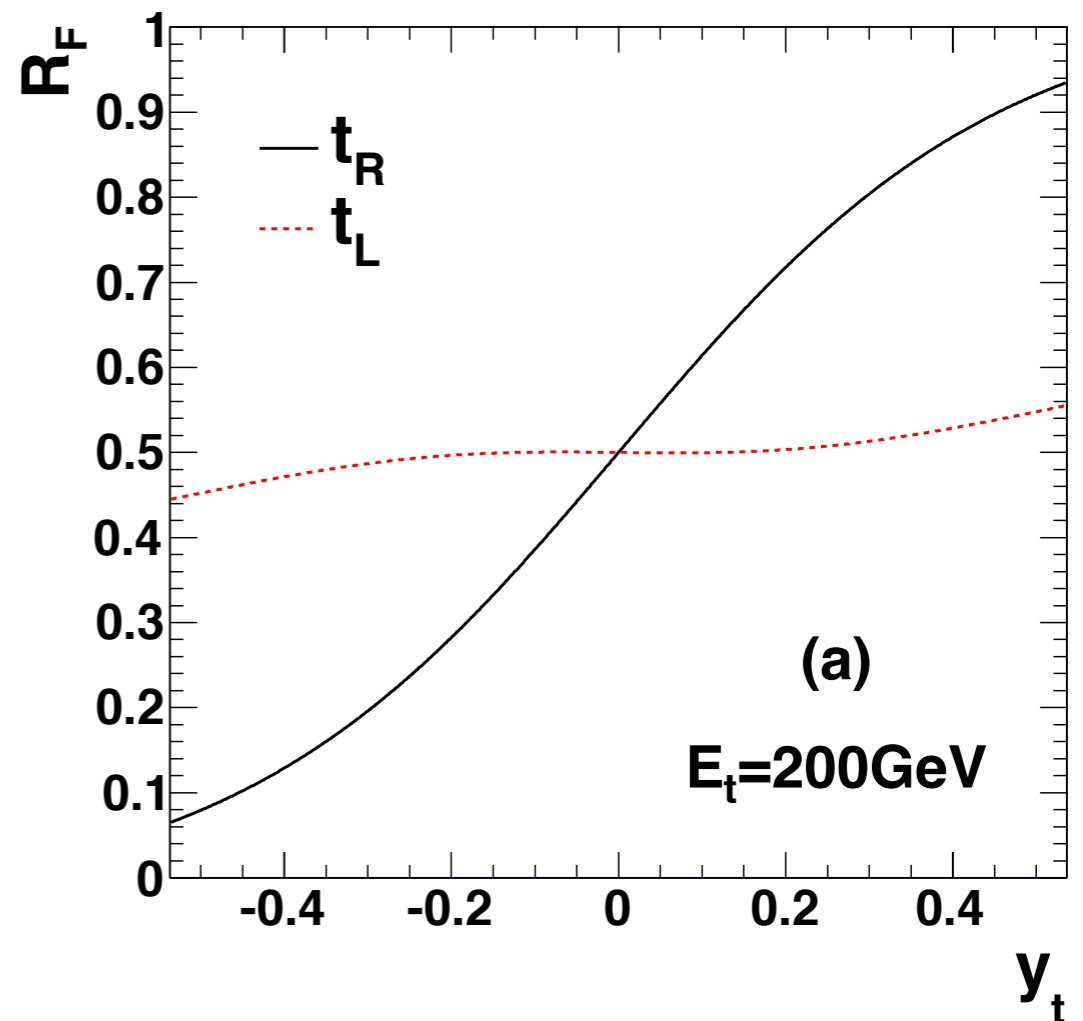
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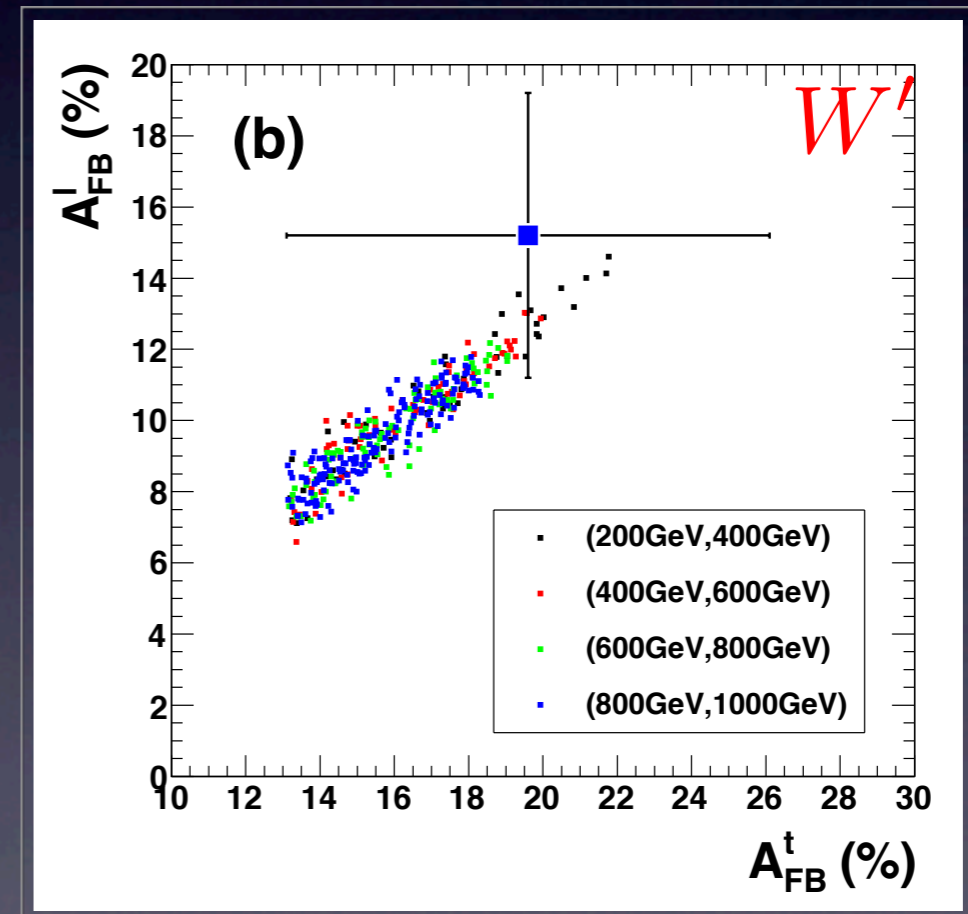
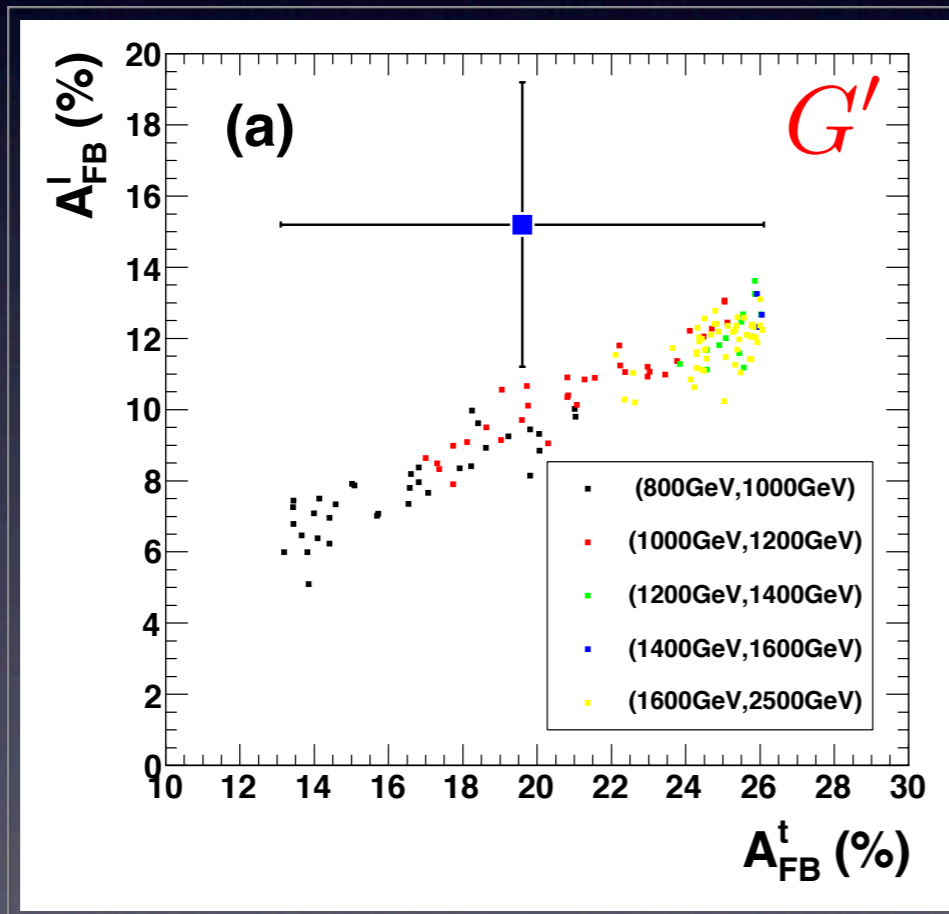
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Thank
you!