

Hi!

Introducing SModels

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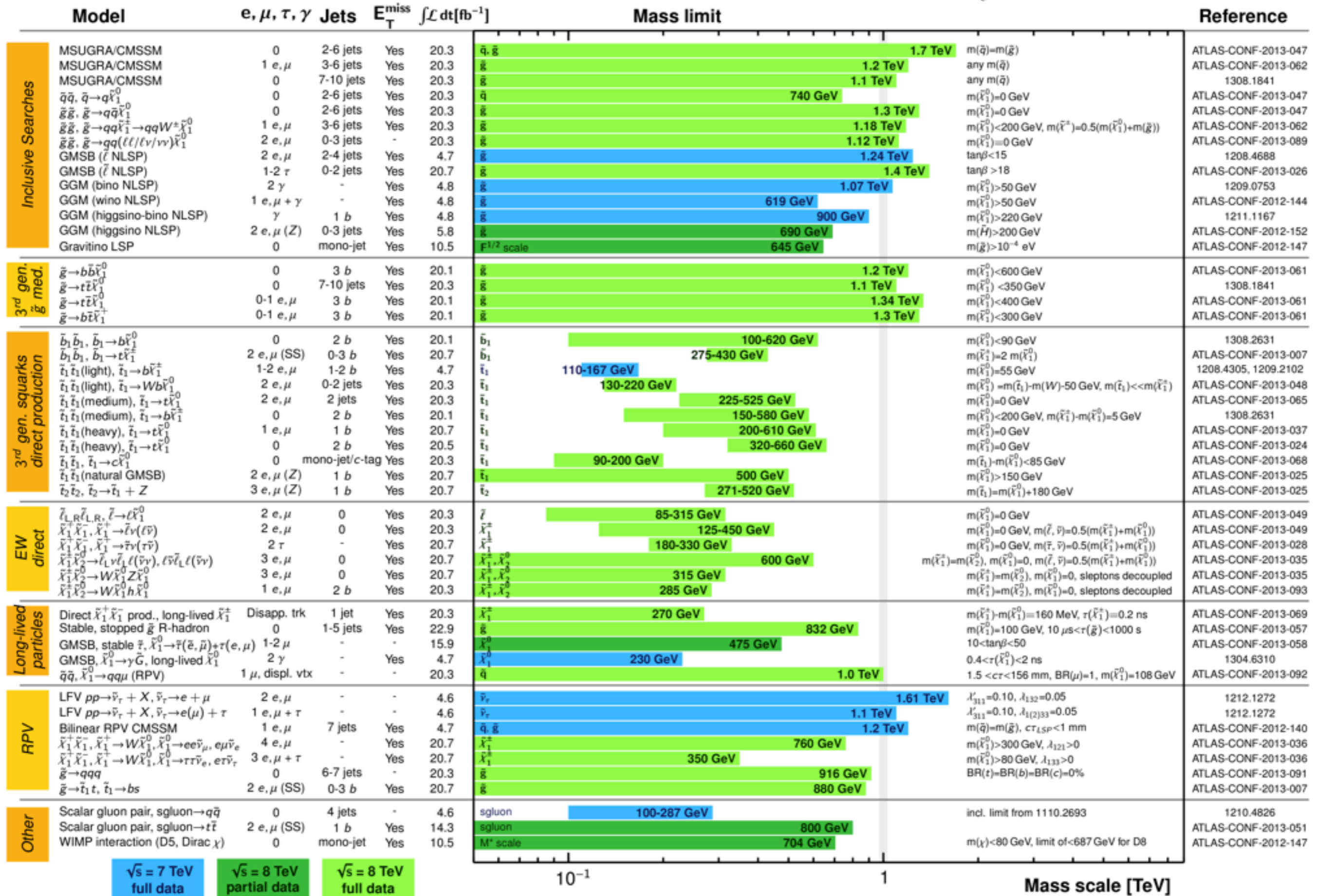
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ATLAS SUSY Searches* - 95% CL Lower Limits

Status: SUSY 2013

ATLAS Preliminary

$$\int \mathcal{L} dt = (4.6 - 22.9) \text{ fb}^{-1} \quad \sqrt{s} = 7, 8 \text{ TeV}$$

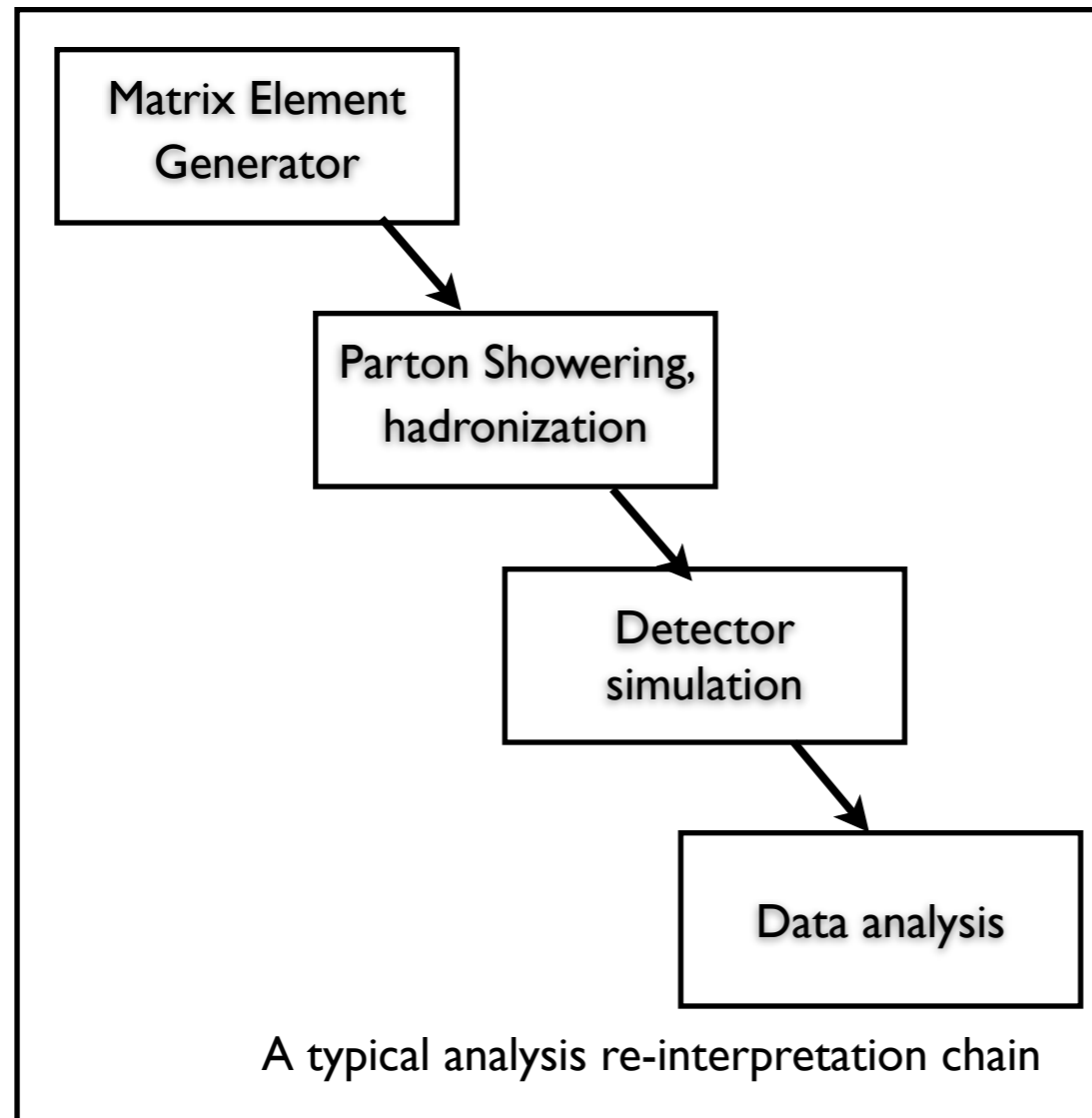


$\sqrt{s} = 7 \text{ TeV}$ full data
 $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$ partial data
 $\sqrt{s} = 8 \text{ TeV}$ full data

10⁻¹ 1 Mass scale [TeV]

*Only a selection of the available mass limits on new states or phenomena is shown. All limits quoted are observed minus 1 σ theoretical signal cross section uncertainty.

Is this the most generic scenario?



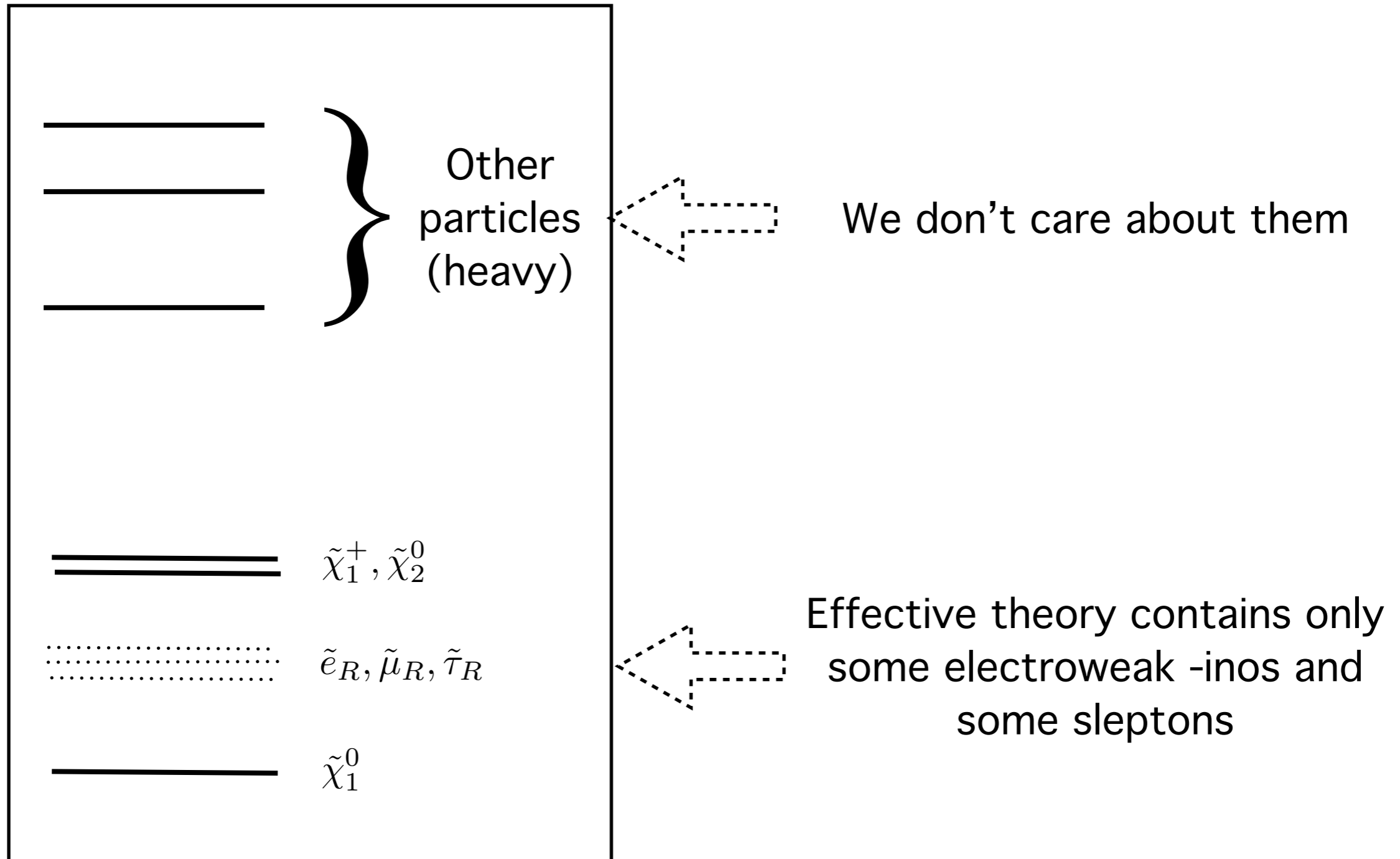
- Interpretation of LHC searches are model dependent
- Model dependence comes while converting the number of events observed to a limit on particle masses
- For a more generic case, either re-interpret the results yourself, or use simplified Models results

- Re-interpreting the results yourself involves re-implementing the analysis, requires expertise, large computing power, time consuming
- We stick to simplified models results

What is an SMS result?

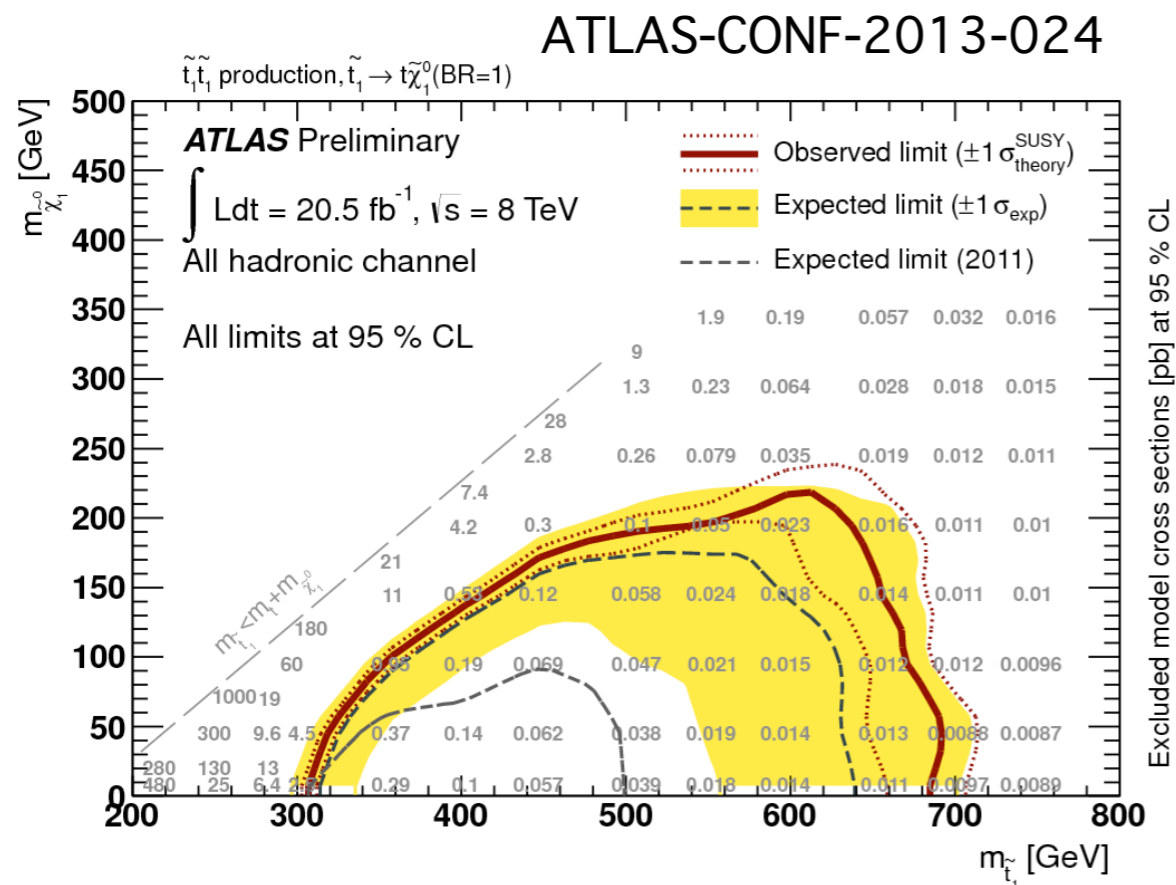
- SMS are an effective-Lagrangian description of BSM involving a limited set of new particles.

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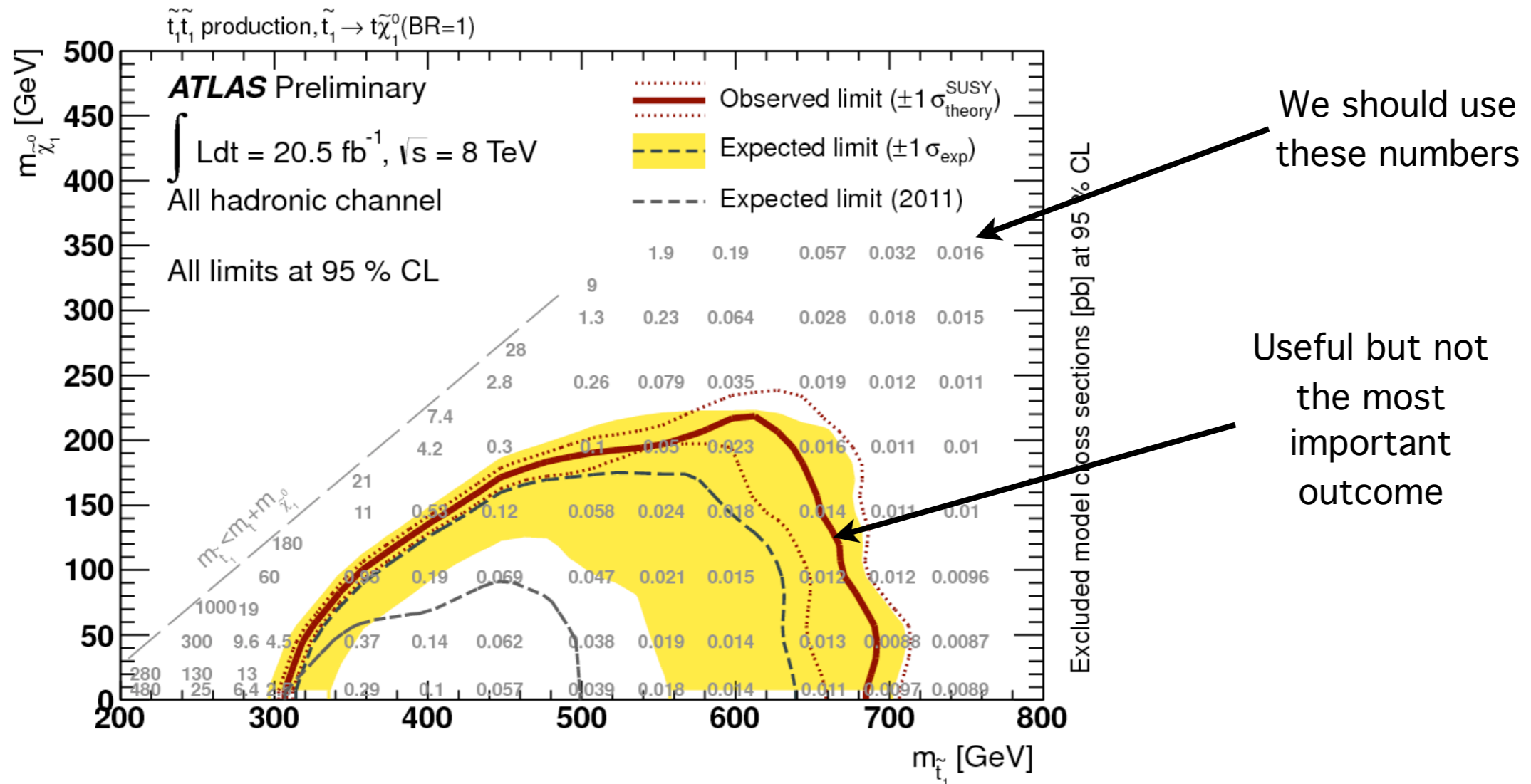
Note: the grid numbers on the plot are more important than the exclusion lines



- Every SMS interpretation is based on a set of assumptions and is applicable for specific topologies e.g. $tt\bar{b} + \text{MET}$

- A generic point in e.g. SUSY parameter space contains many topologies and is sensitive to more than one SMS interpretation e.g. $tt\bar{b} + \text{MET}$, $b\bar{b} + \text{MET}$

How to read an SMS result



- 95% CL UL is the unfolded maximum amount of cross-section allowed for a specific decay chain and a mass combination

Is $\sigma \times \text{BR}(t\bar{t} \rightarrow \text{MET})$ of your model for a given mass $>$ the number on the plot? -- Yes, point excluded; No, point allowed

Can we have a centralized database of all the SMS results to check a given SUSY point in parameter space by decomposing it into SMS topologies?

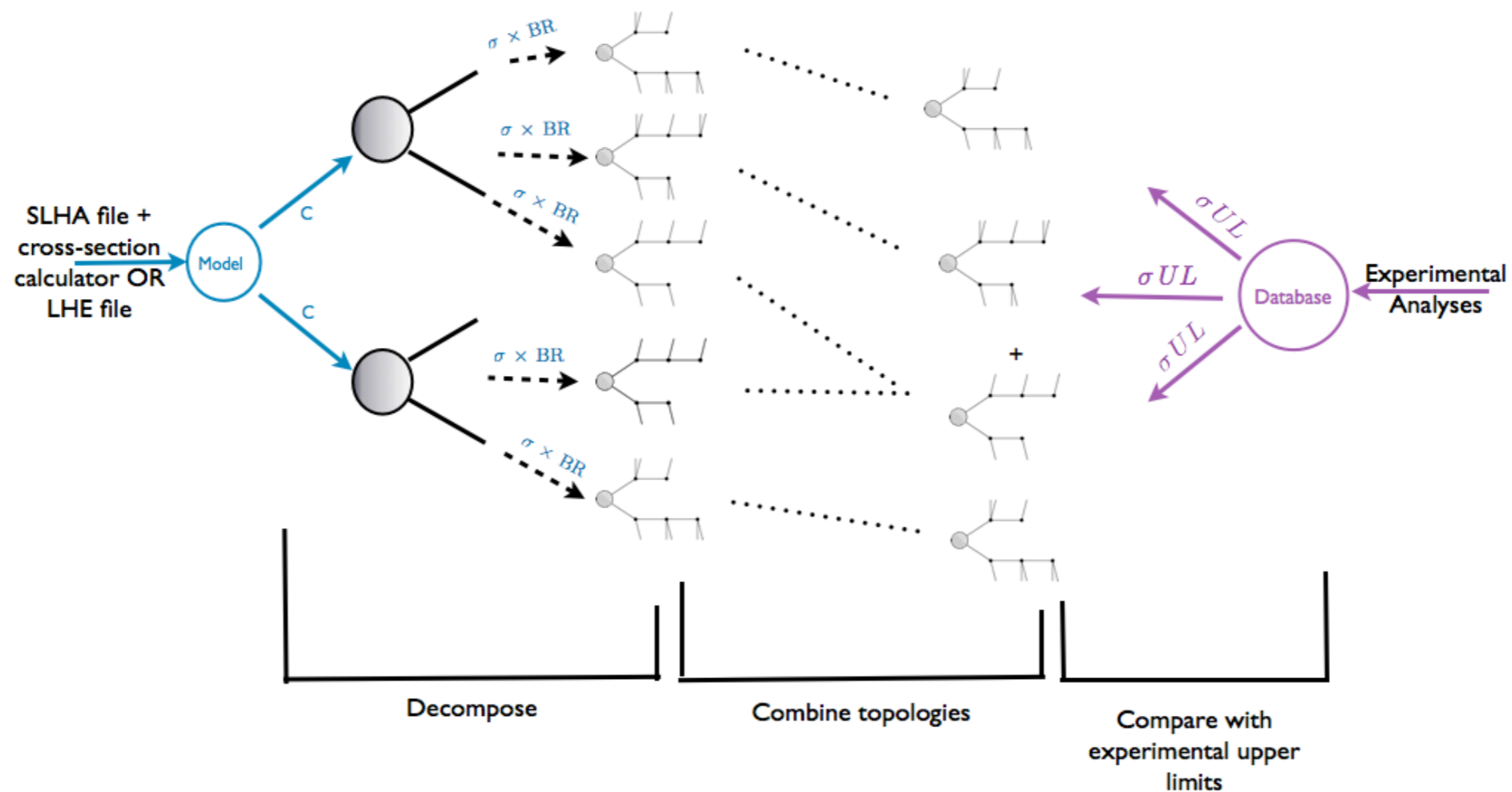
Central concept of

SM_oodels

The logo for SMoodels features the text "SMoodels" in a grey, rounded font. The letter "o" is replaced by a stylized orange particle symbol, specifically a loop with two wavy lines extending downwards, representing a gluon loop.

SModelS framework

- It assumes, for most experimental searches, the BSM model can be approximated by a sum over effective simplified models



- Current implementation assumes R-parity is conserved

Given Spectra

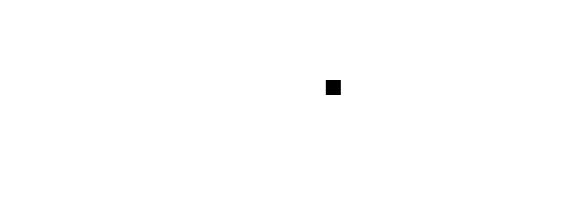
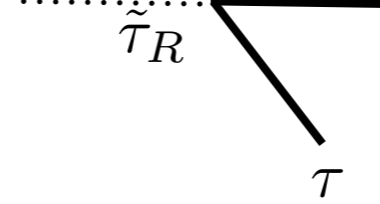
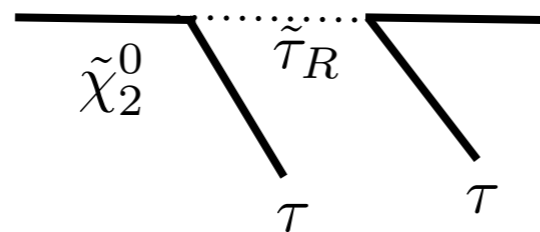
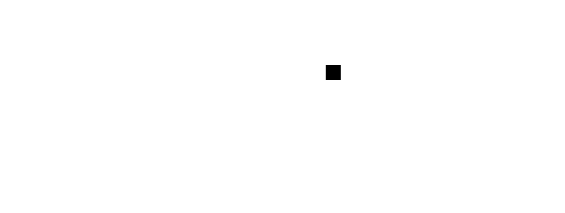
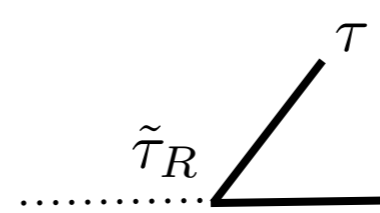
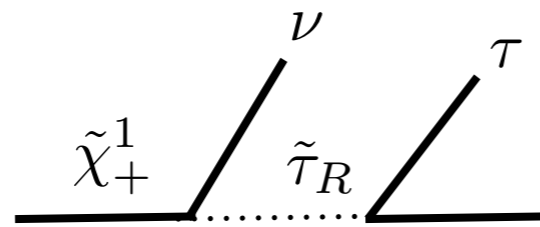
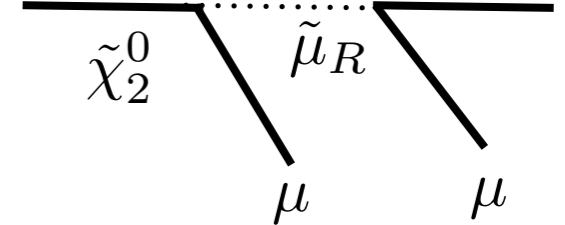
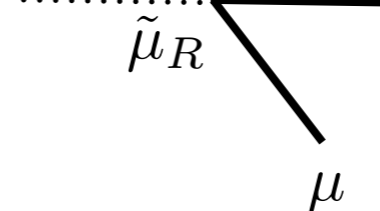
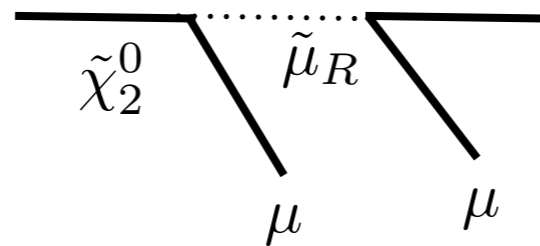
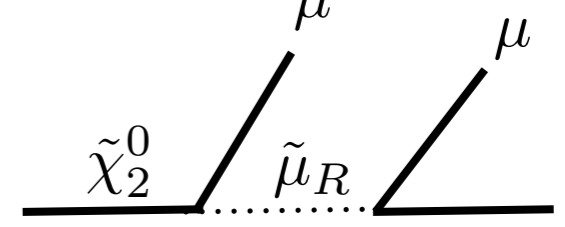
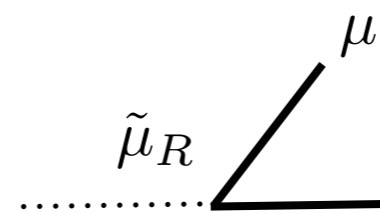
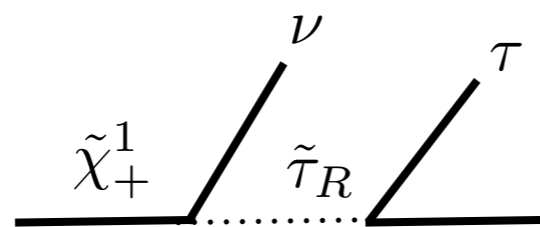
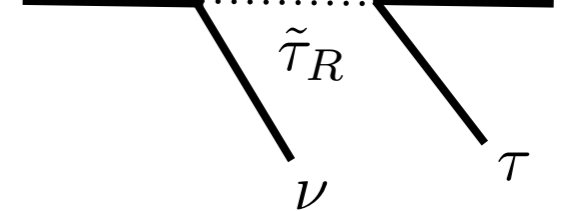
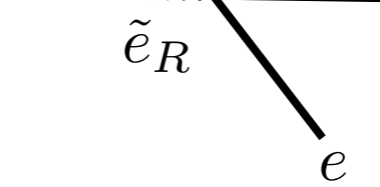
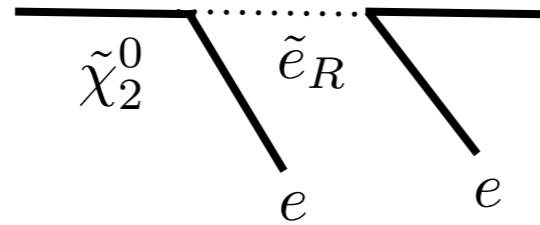
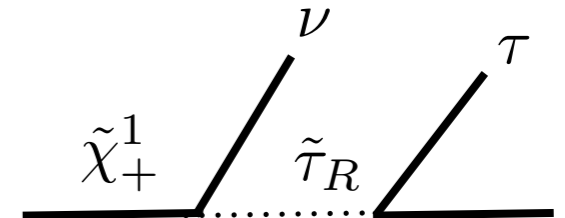
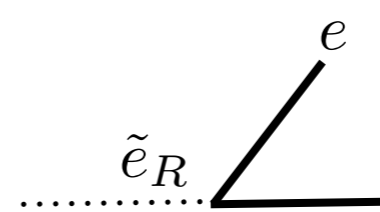
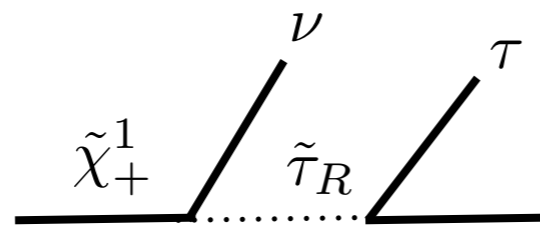
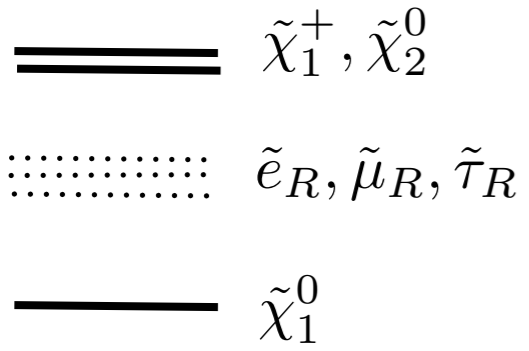
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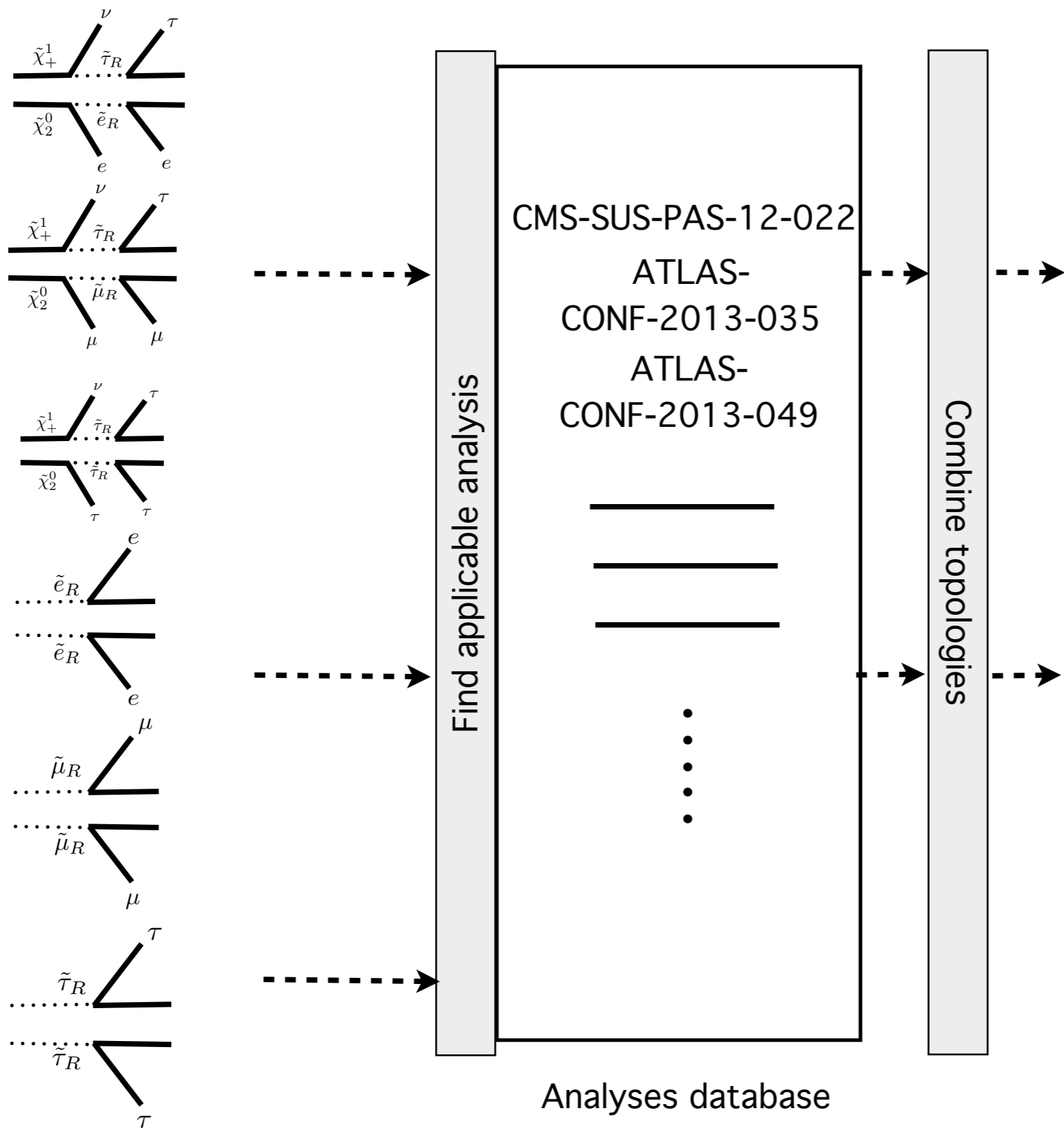
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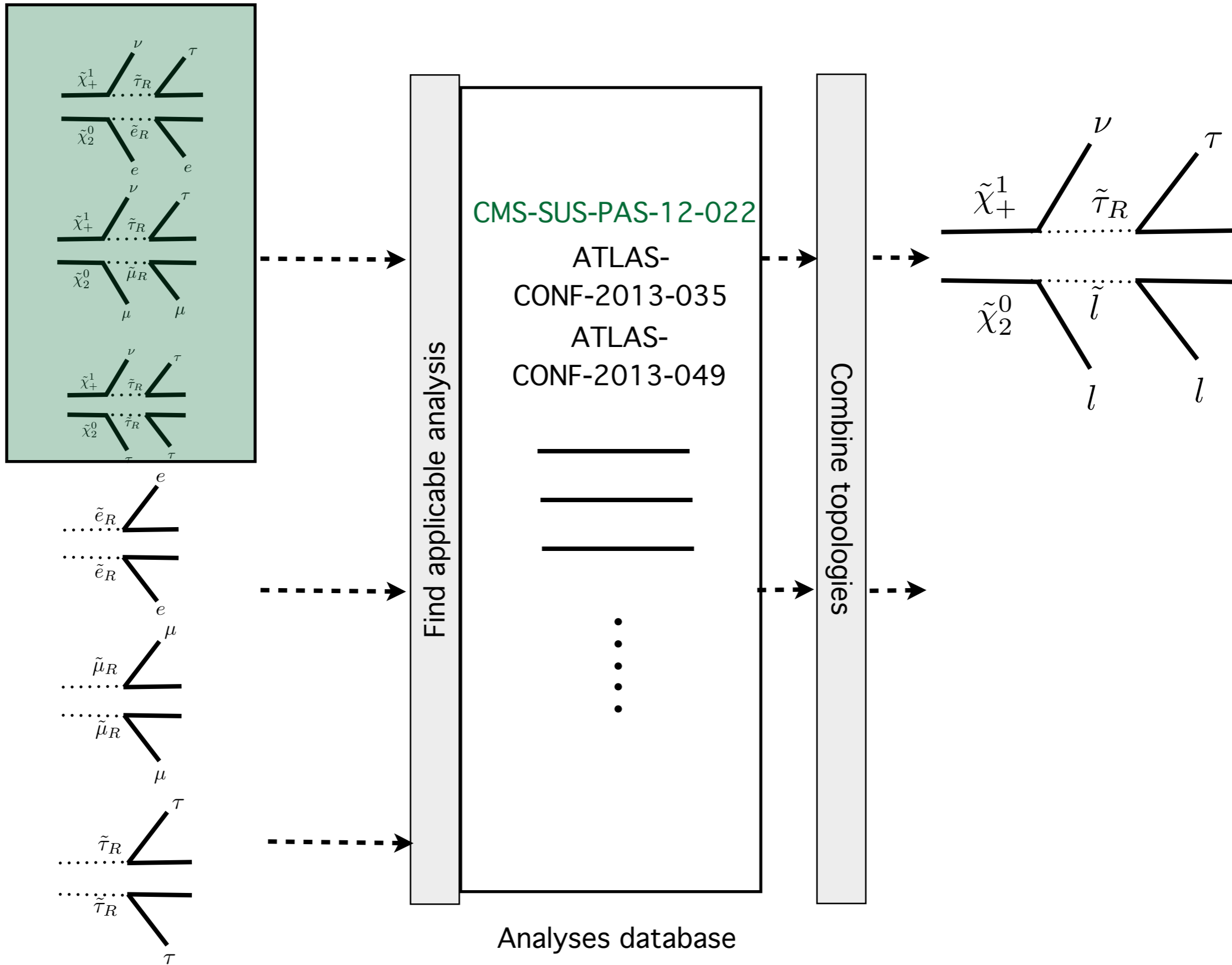
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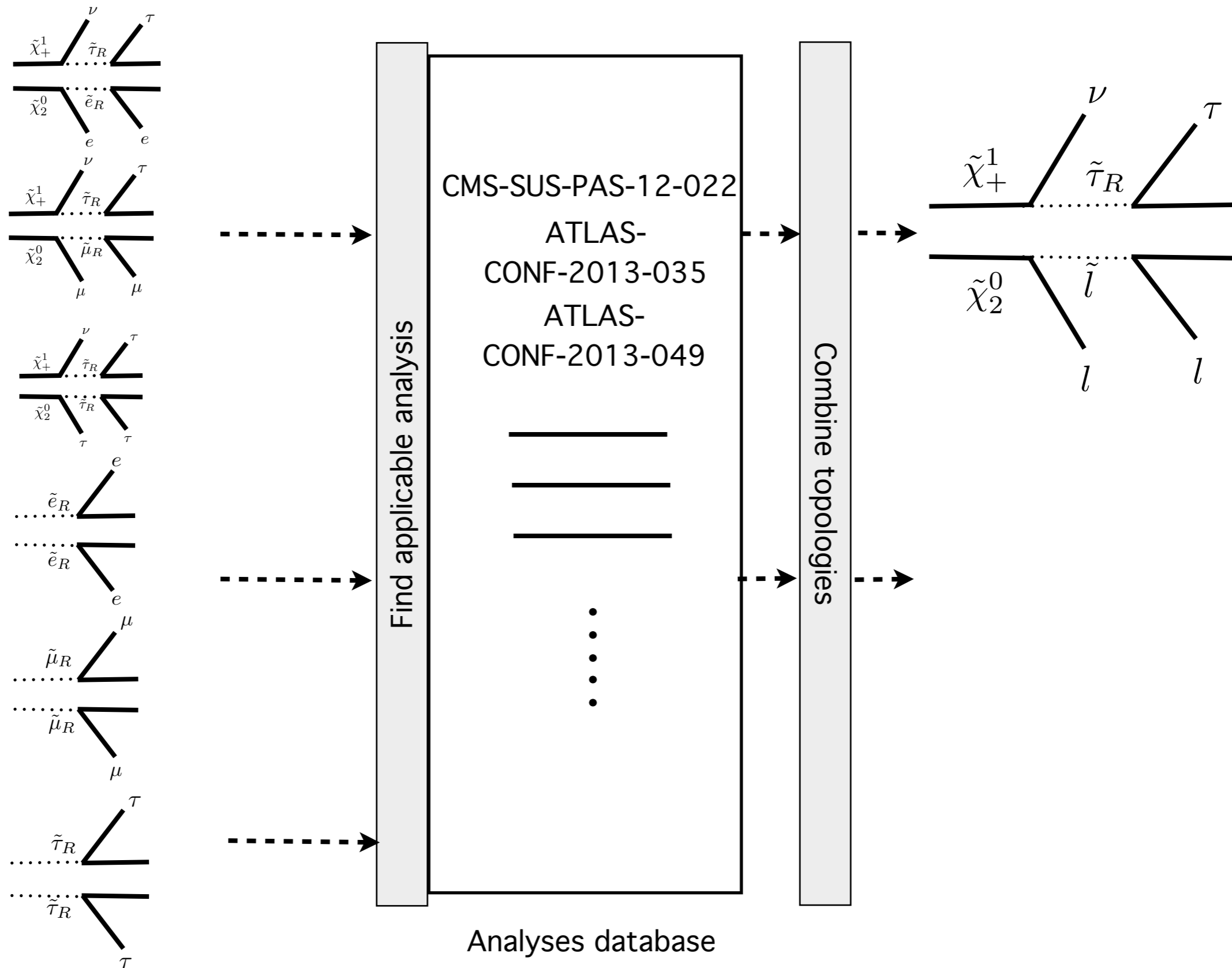
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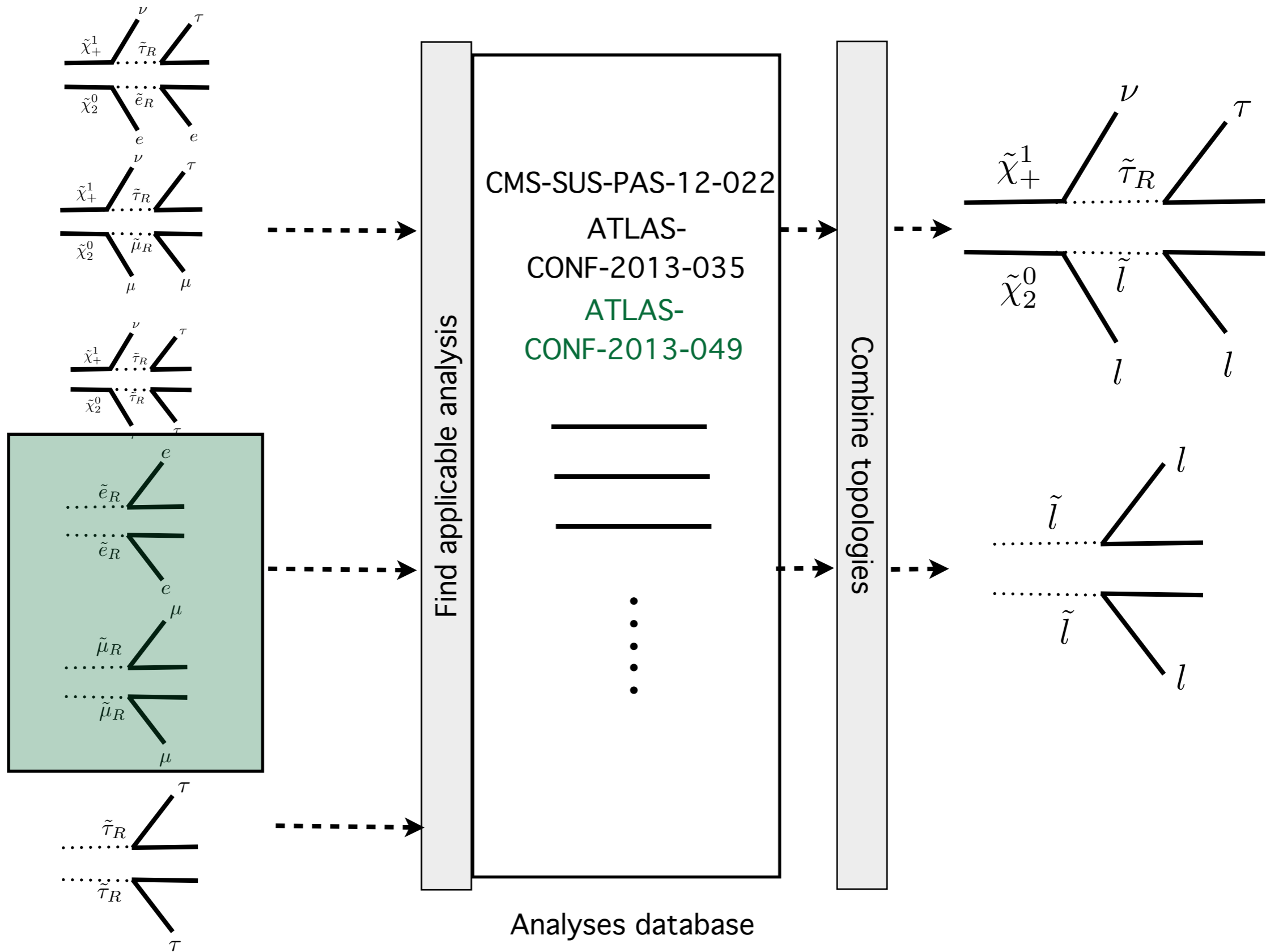
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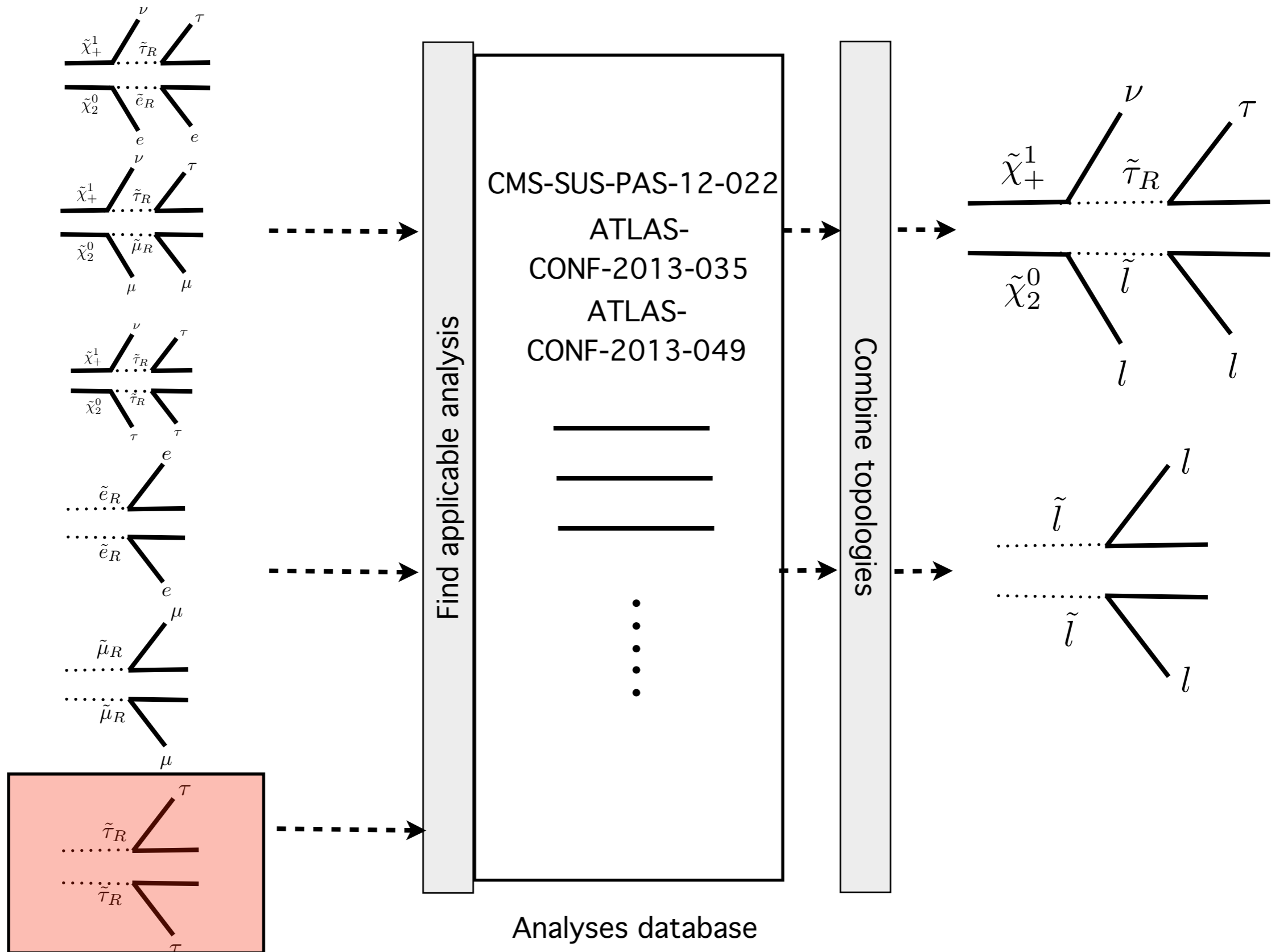


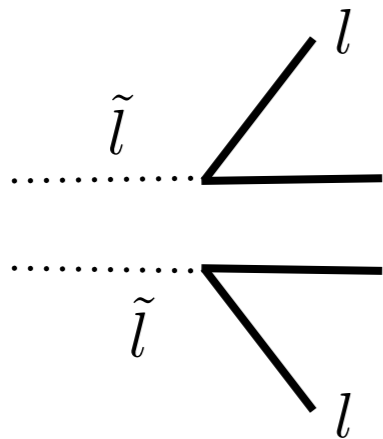
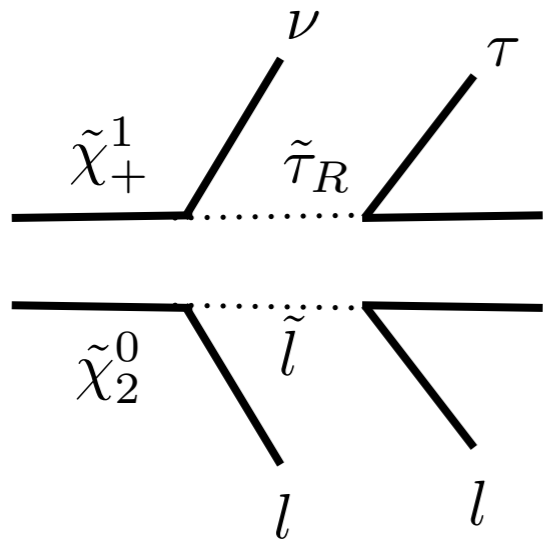






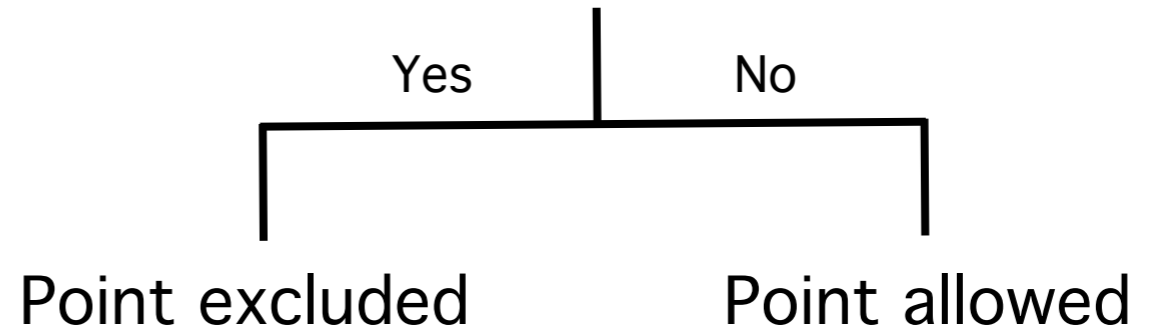






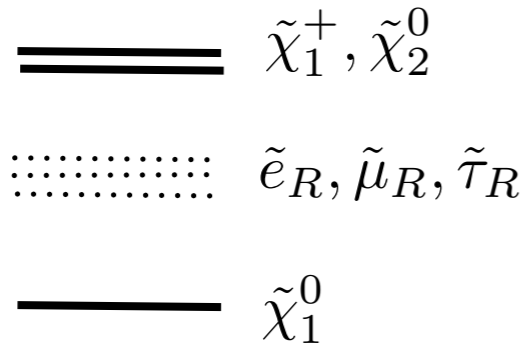
Look-up experimental limits

Is theory prediction > experimental limit?

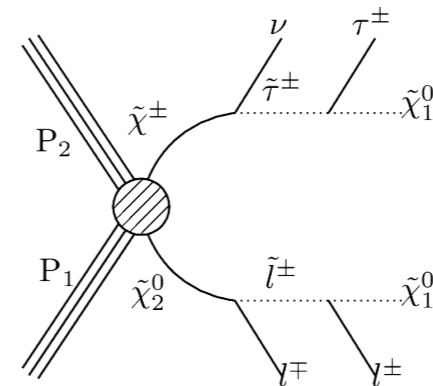


SModelS framework

- Consider:



Decompose
Element



description
masses
sigma X BR

Constraint

$$[[[\text{nu}], [\text{tau}]], [[L], [L]]] > 3^* [[[\text{nu}], [\text{tau}]], [[\text{tau}], [\text{tau}]]]$$

Look up upper limit if

Condition

$$[[[\text{nu}], [\text{tau}]], [[L], [L]]]$$

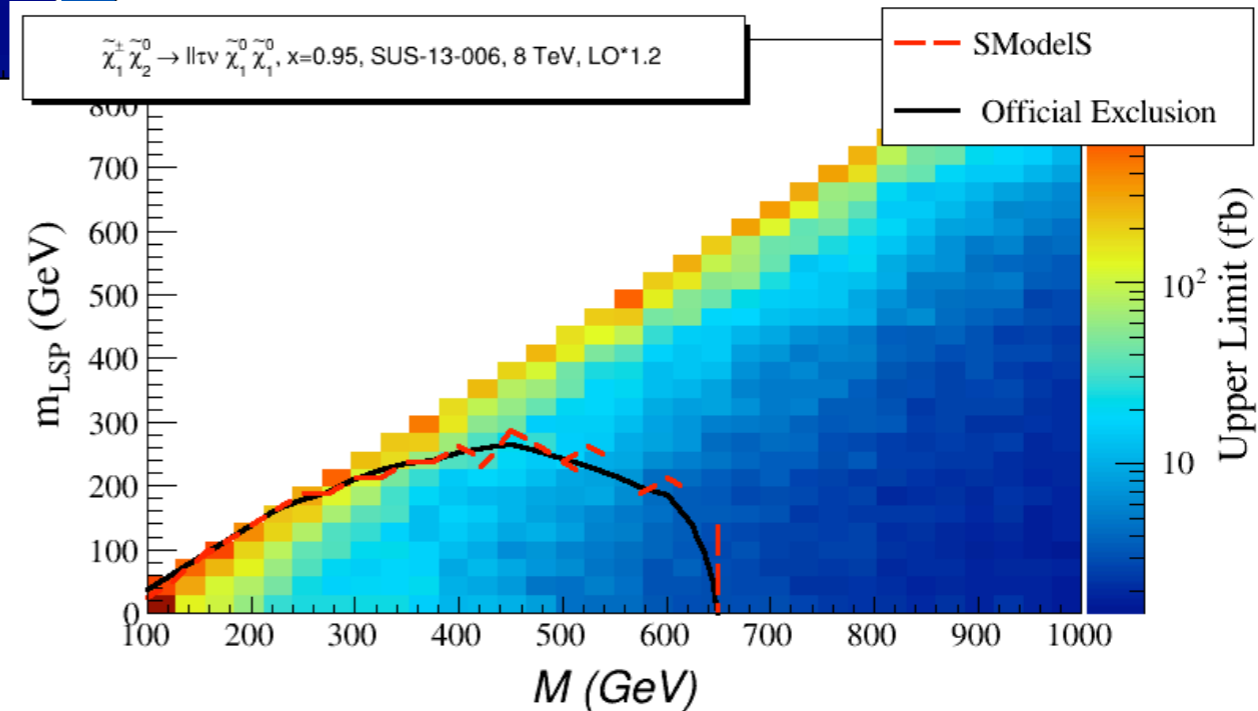
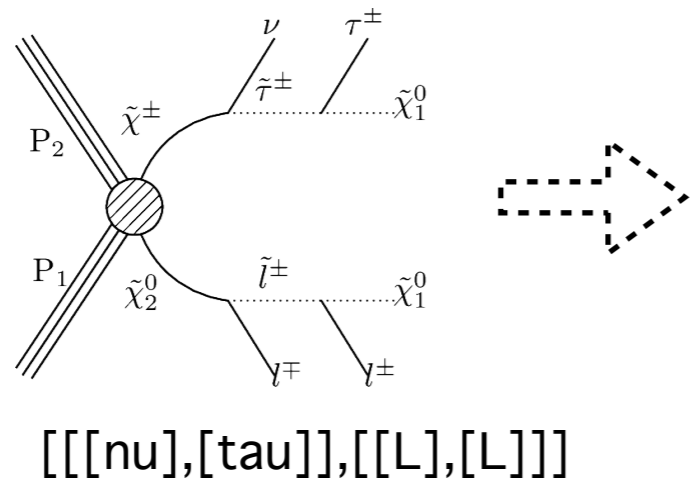
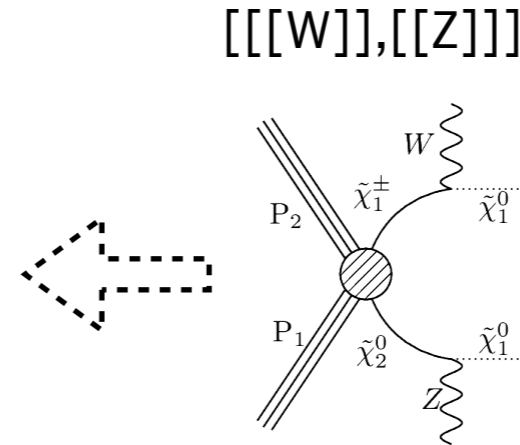
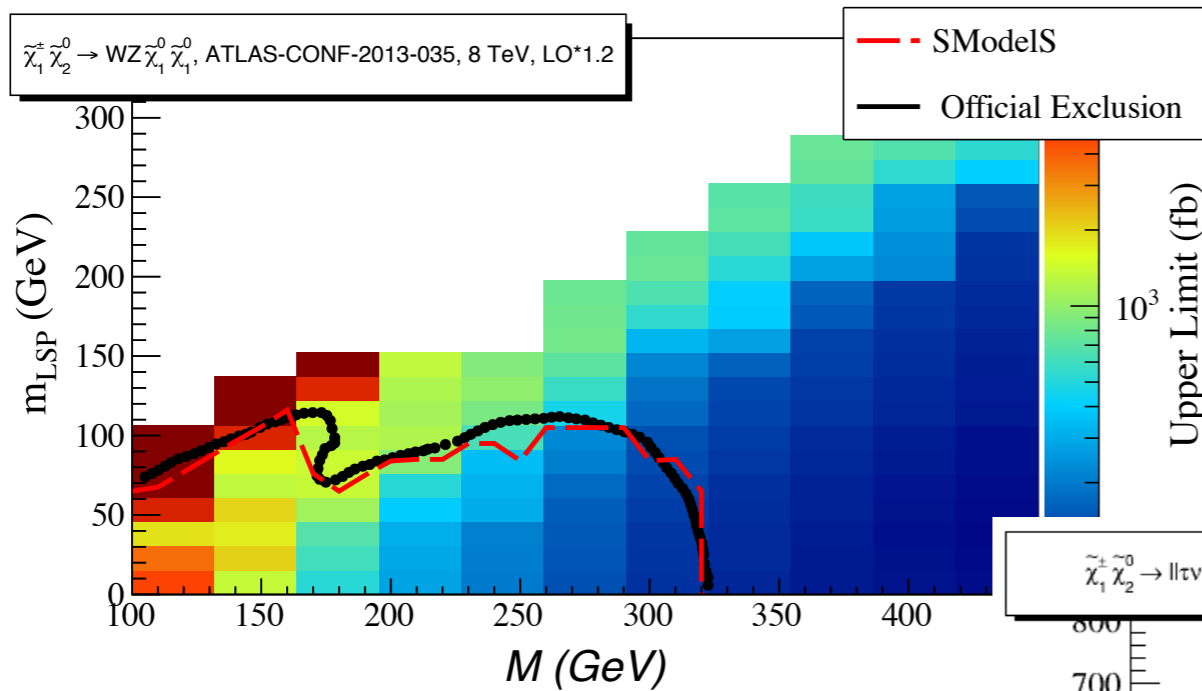
$$[[[300, 200, 100], [320, 220, 100]]]$$

Sigma X BR

- The framework does not depend on characteristics of SUSY particles, can also be applied to decompose any BSM spectra of arbitrary complexity

How do we know it works?

- The code has been validated through the reproduction of various SMS exclusion curves



Typical examples of validation plot

For a real life application of the code c.f. B. Dumont's talk

SMS approach - what's next?

- SMS approach is not perfect yet
- Not all SMS topologies are present
- Need more information from experiments, getting more and more help from experimentalists
- Likelihood information and efficiency maps can be used to combine different SMS results, they should be built or provided
- Many groups are thinking in these directions to improve upon current results

Conclusions

- SMS results are a good way to test BSM theories and can have a good constraining power
- SModelS is designed to utilize this power and constrain BSM scenarios
- The formalism of the code is generic and can be applied to any BSM spectra for which SMS results are applicable
- It can also be used when there will be signal for BSM at the LHC
- There is still room for improvement
- Stay tuned applying LHC searches to your favorite BSM model is being made easy!