

Beyond the Standard Model Theory

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Outline

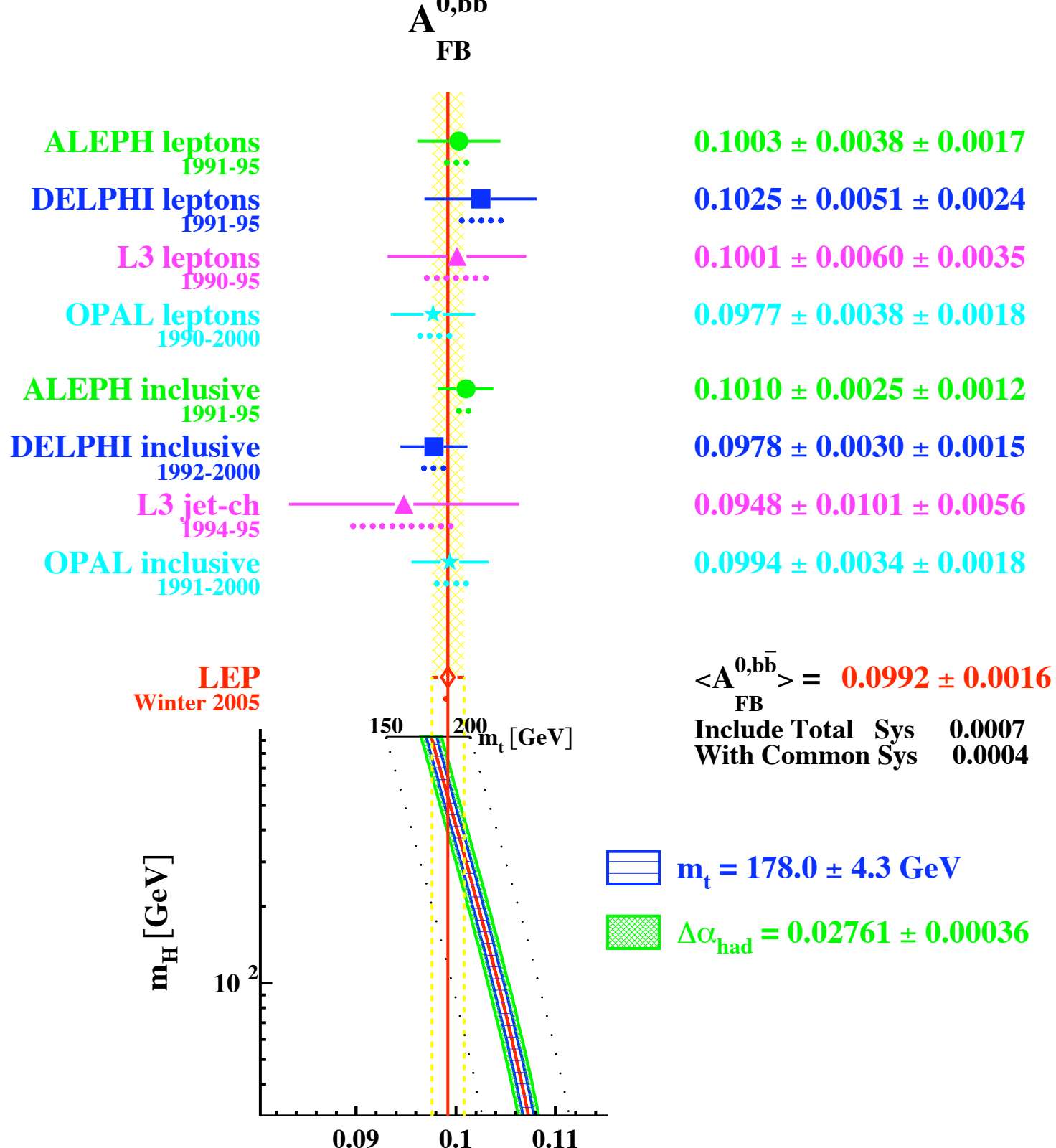
- Latest news from LEP, SLC, and Tevatron
- Implications for the Standard Model
- Low Energy Tests
- Implications for New Physics

Final LEP/SLC

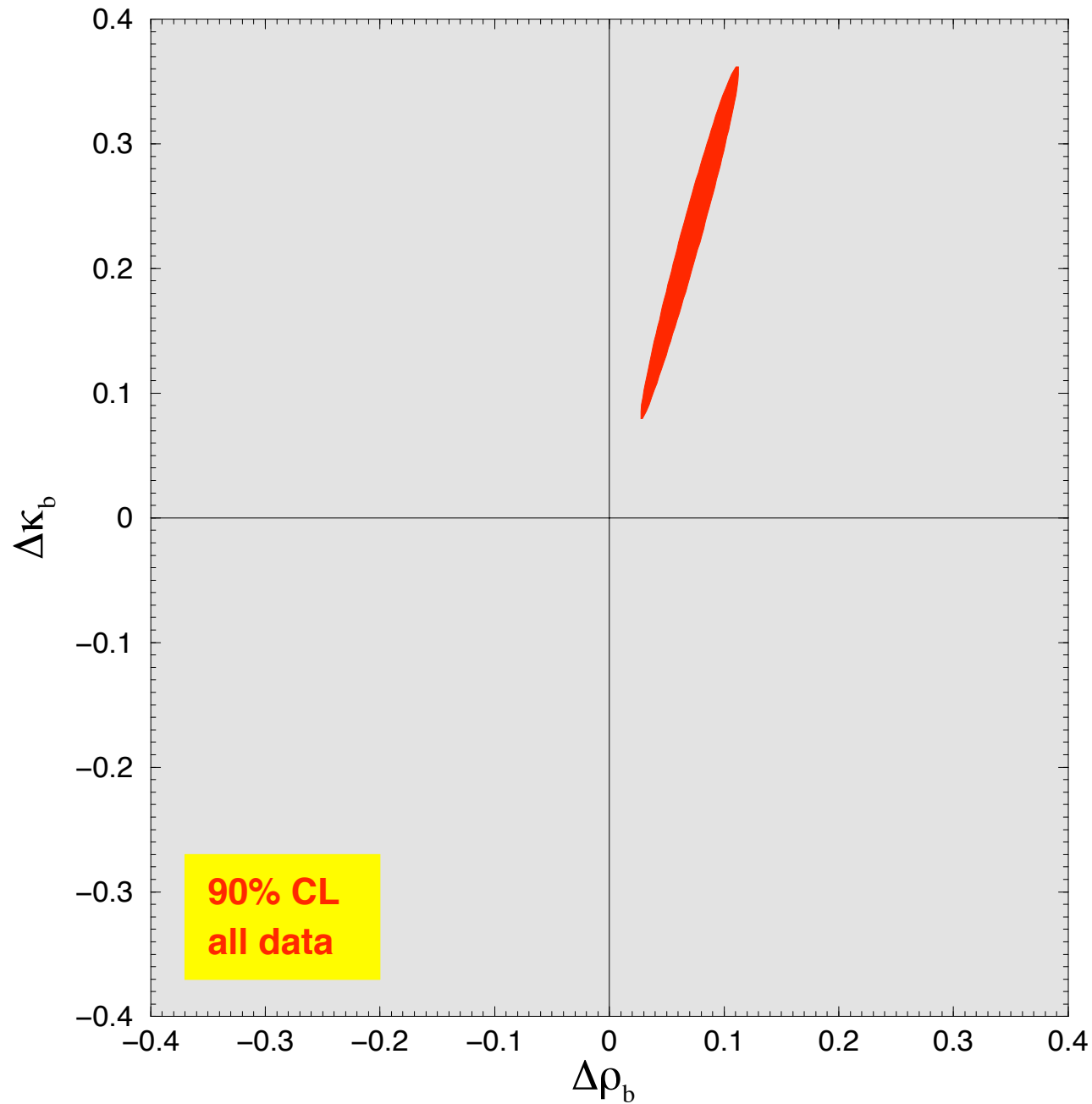
Heavy Flavor Results

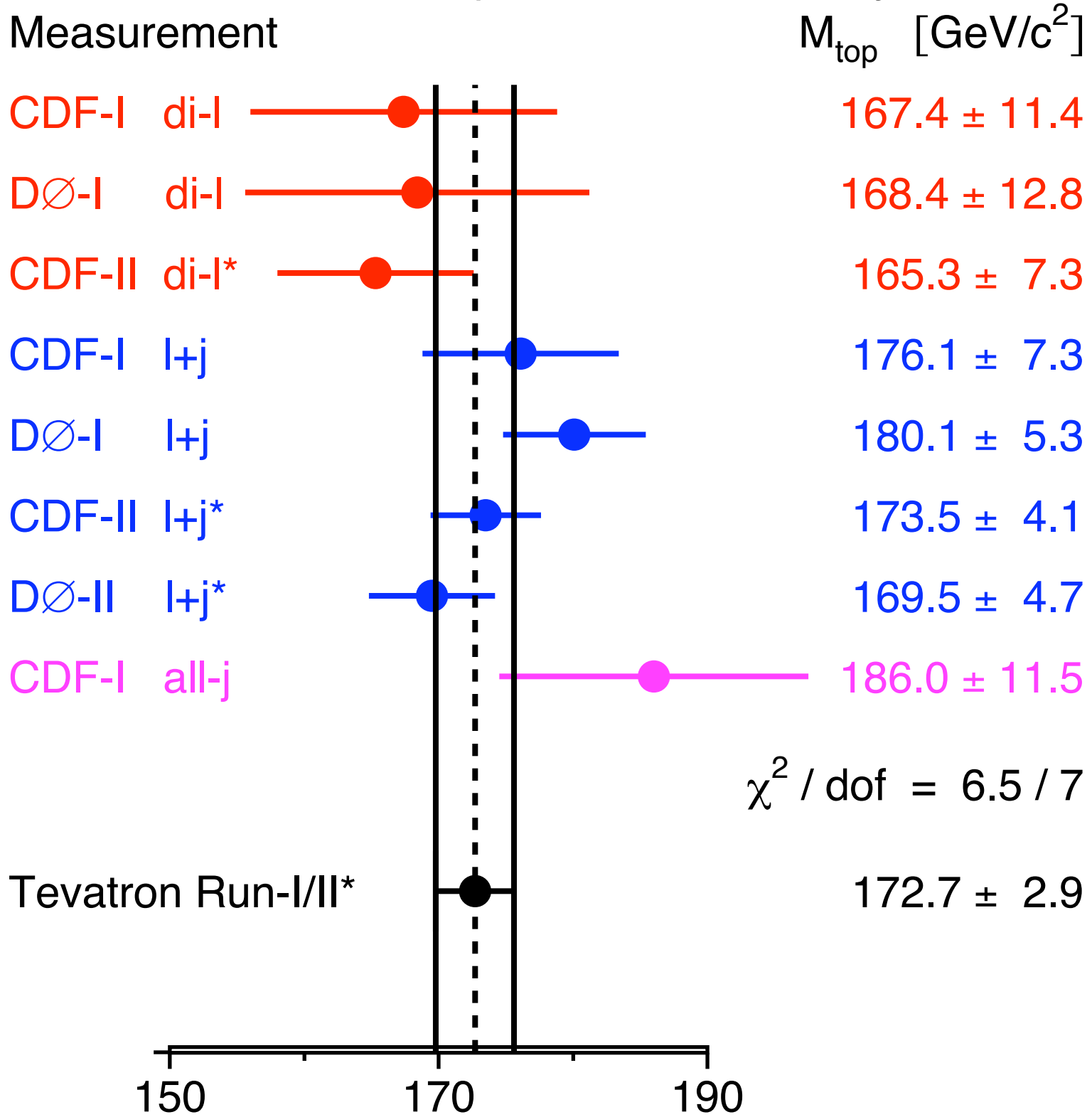
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R_b	0.21629	0.00066	0.21578	0.8
R_c	0.1721	0.0030	0.1723	-0.1
A_{FB}^b	0.0992	0.0016	0.1031	-2.4
A_{FB}^c	0.0707	0.0035	0.0737	-0.8
A_b	0.923	0.020	0.9347	-0.6
A_c	0.670	0.027	0.6678	0.1

LEP 2: R_b 2.1σ low, A_{FB}^b 1.6σ low.



Zbb form factors





Global Fit

$$m_t = 172.6 \pm 2.8 \text{ GeV}$$

$$M_H = 89_{-28}^{+38} \text{ GeV}$$

$$\alpha_s = 0.1216 \pm 0.0017$$

$$\chi^2/d.o.f = 47.6/42$$

last year: $M_H = 113_{-40}^{+56} \text{ GeV}$

upper error: -12 GeV (top mass central value)

- 6 GeV (top mass uncertainty)

excl. low energy: - 5 GeV

excl. E-158: - 3 GeV

$$M_H$$

$$46 \text{ GeV} < M_H < 155 \text{ GeV} \quad (90\% \text{ range})$$

incl. direct searches @ LEP:

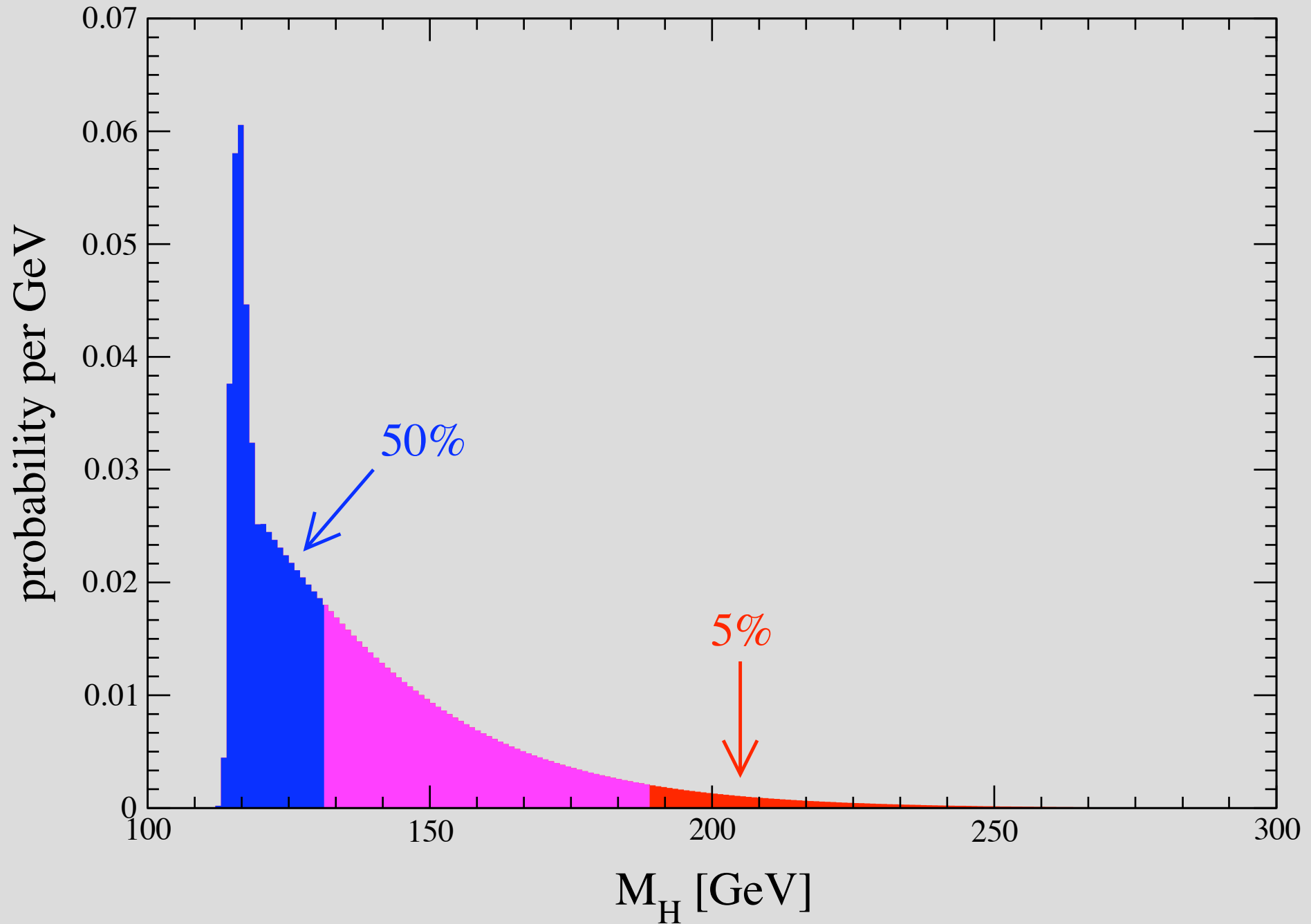
$$M_H < 189 \text{ GeV} \quad (95\% \text{ C.L.})$$

lower direct limit (LEP 2):

$$M_H > 114.4 \text{ GeV} \quad (95\% \text{ C.L.})$$

M_H Probability Distribution 2005

LEP 2 Higgs searches plus precision data



Small Deviations

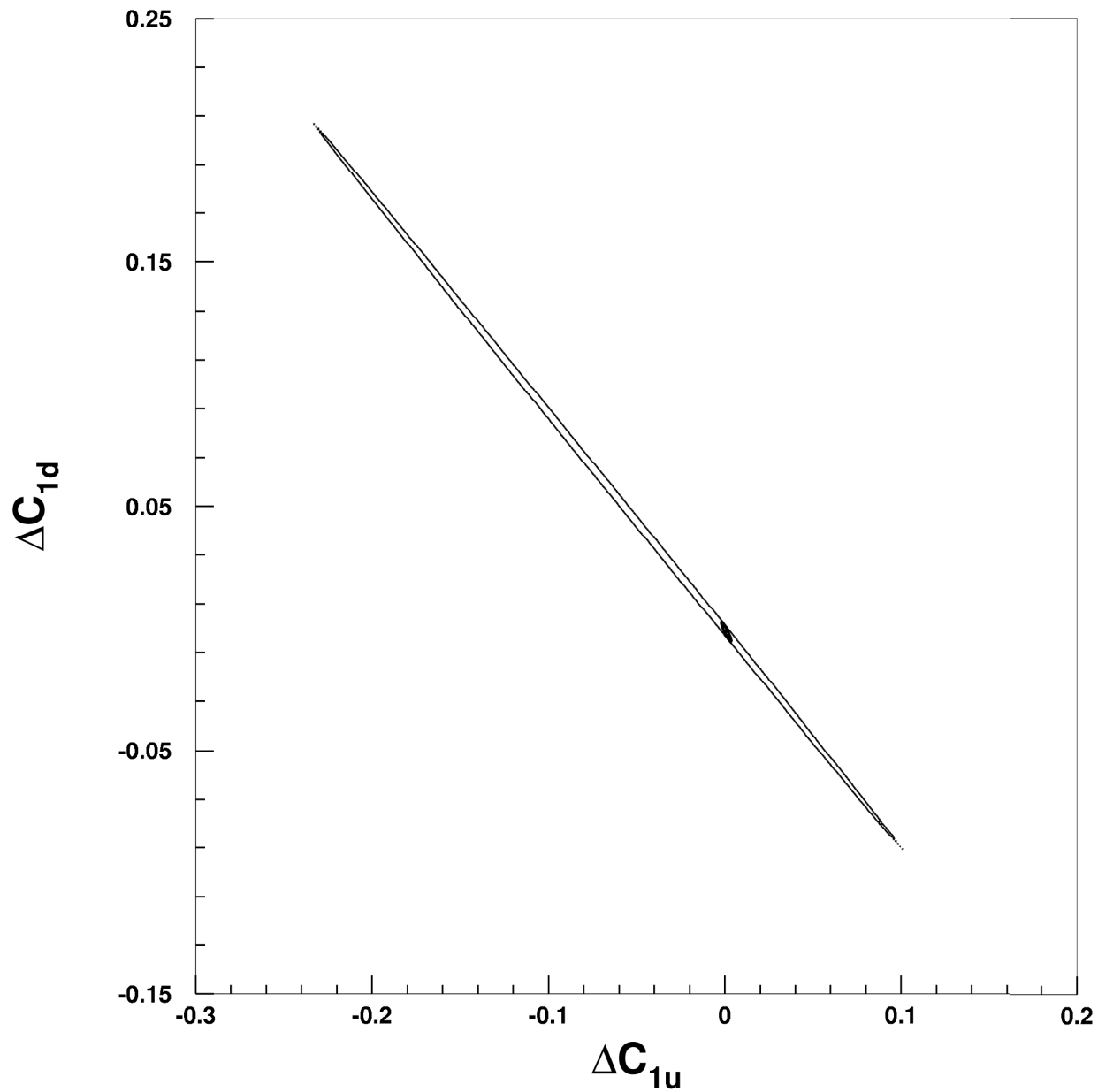
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σ_{had}^0 [nb]	41.541	0.037	41.467	2.0
R_τ (LEP)	0.0188	0.0017	0.0162	1.5
A_{LR} (SLD)	0.1514	0.0022	0.1471	2.0
$10^9 \frac{g-2-\frac{\alpha}{\pi}}{2}$	4511.07	0.82	4509.82	1.5
g_L^2 (NuTeV)	0.3001	0.0014	0.3038	2.7
Q_W (Cs)	-72.56	0.48	-73.17	1.3
$10^7 A_{LR}$ (E158)	-1.31	0.17	-1.53	1.3
$\sin^2 \theta_W^{\text{eff.}}$ (FNAL)	0.2238	0.0050	0.2315	-1.5

New Physics

- Z-pole: Z-couplings; new physics indirect
- LEP 2 + Tevatron: oblique parameters (S,T,U)
- LEP 2: high energies, low statistics
- Low energy: interference; new physics direct

$$\frac{\Lambda_{\text{NEW}}}{g} \approx \frac{1}{\sqrt{\sqrt{2}G_F |\Delta Q_W|}} \approx \begin{cases} 4.6 \text{ TeV} (Q_W^p) \\ 3.2 \text{ TeV} (Q_W^e) \end{cases}$$

$v_q a_e$ 4-Fermi couplings



Low Energy Complementarity

$$Q_W^p = 0.0716$$

$$\text{Experiment } \pm 0.0029$$

Experiment

SUSY Loops

E_6 Z'

RPV SUSY

Leptoquarks

SM

$$Q_W^e = 0.0449$$

$$\text{Experiment } \pm 0.0040$$

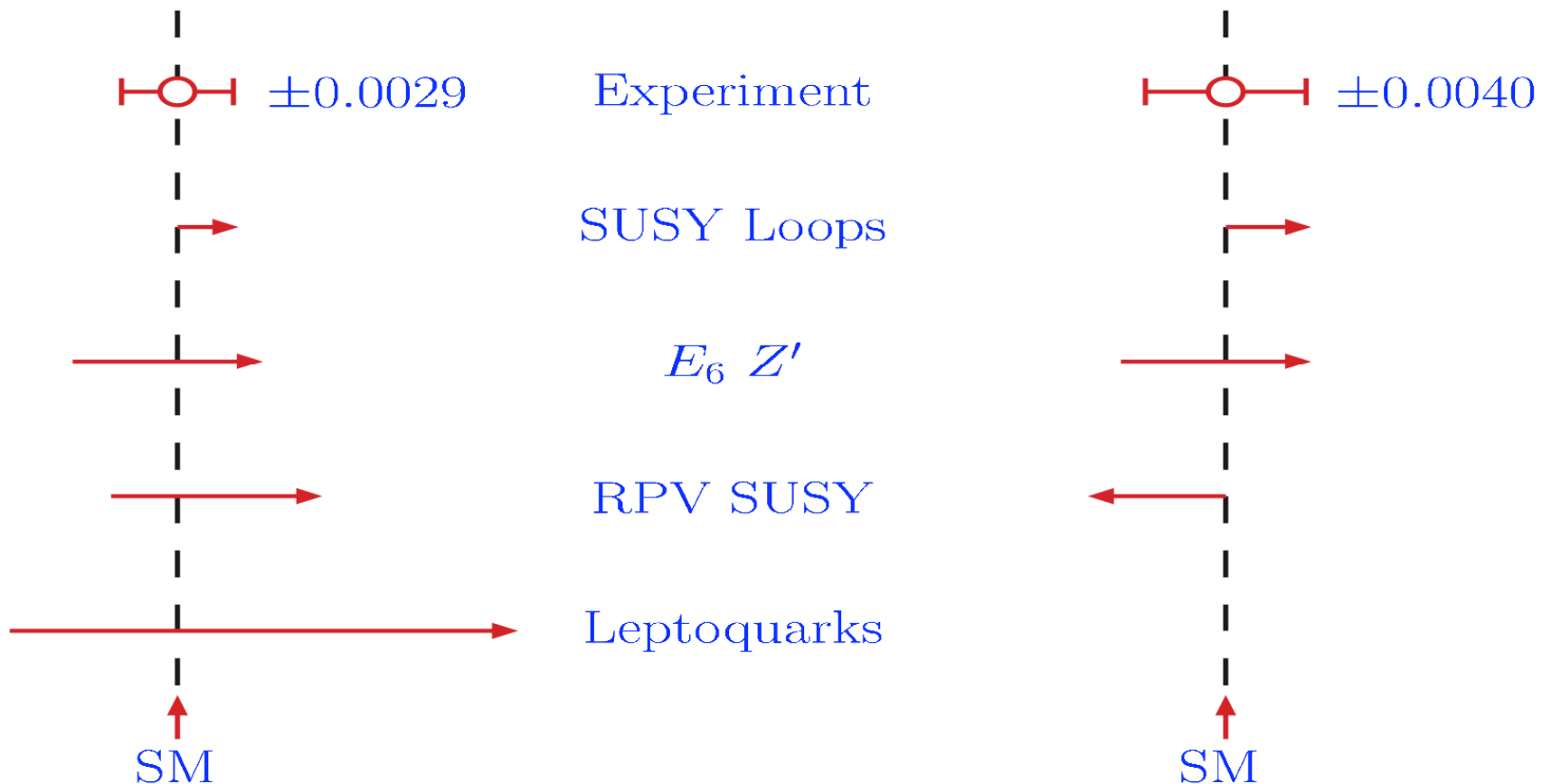
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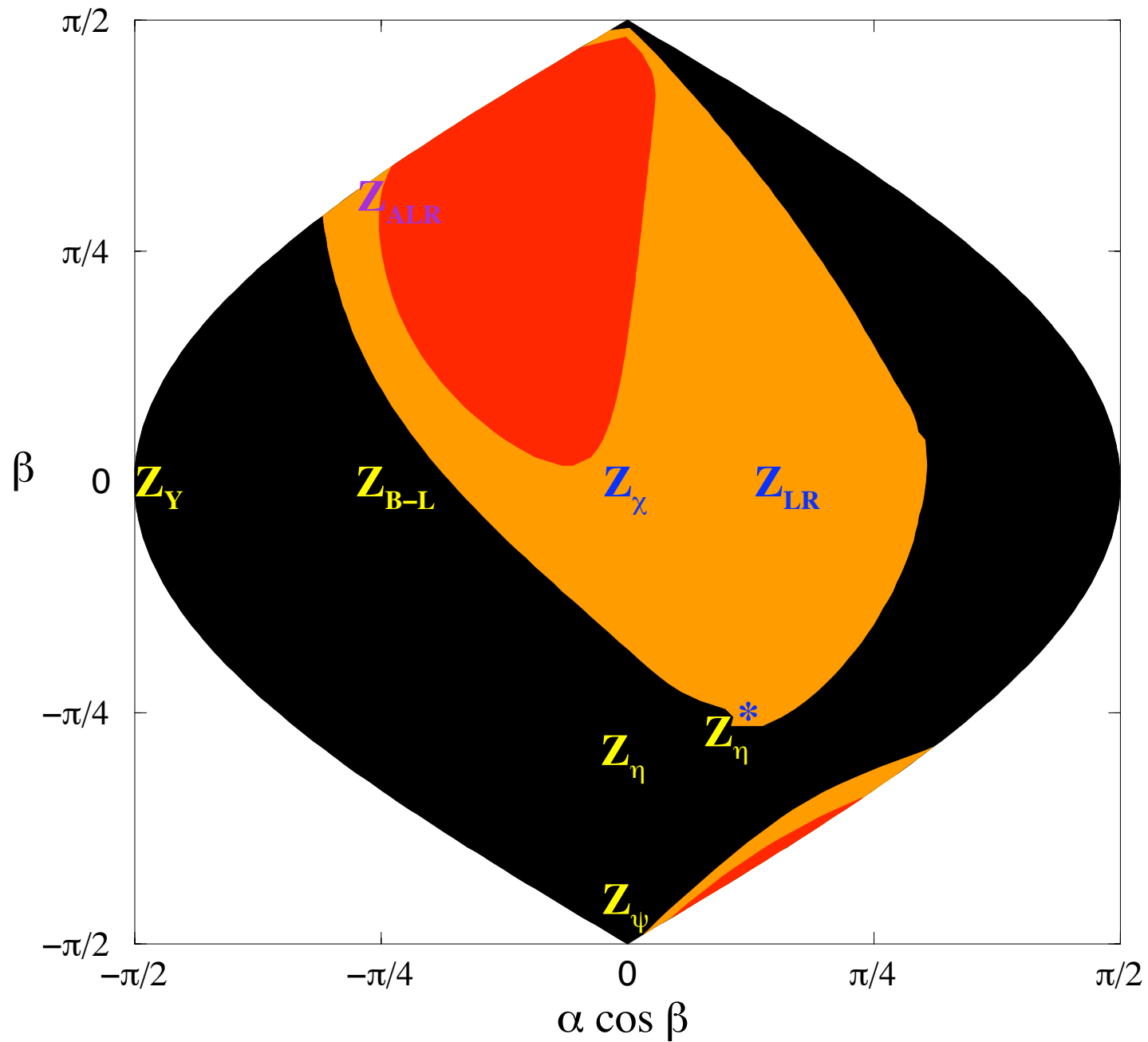
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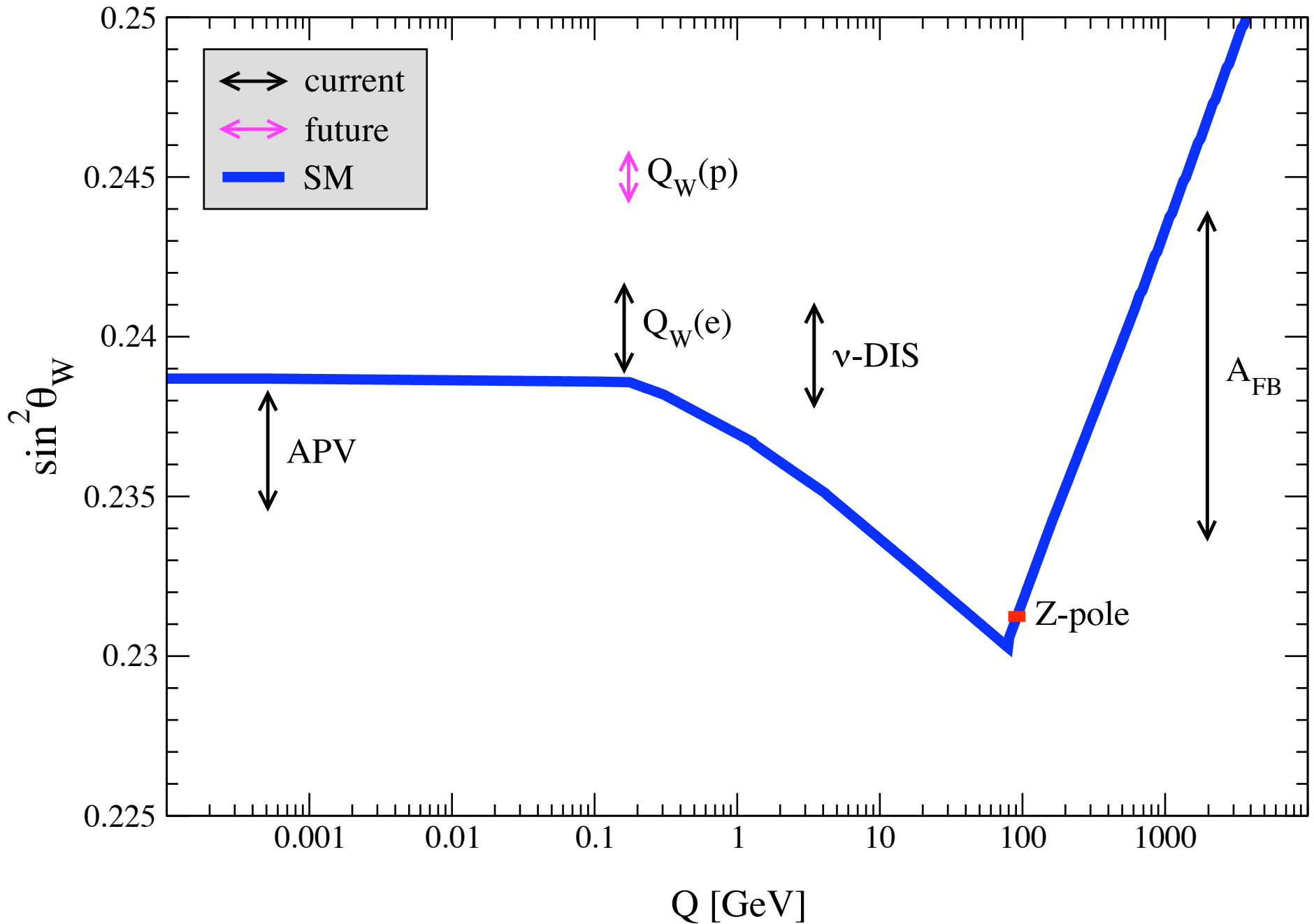


Z' bosons from E_6



Weak Mixing Angle

Scale dependence in $\overline{\text{MS}}$ scheme including higher orders



$$\hat{s}^2(\mu) = \frac{\hat{\alpha}(\mu)}{\hat{\alpha}(\mu_0)} \hat{s}^2(\mu_0) + \lambda_1 \left[1 - \frac{\hat{\alpha}(\mu)}{\hat{\alpha}(\mu_0)} \right] + \hat{\alpha}(\mu) \left[\frac{\lambda_2}{3} \ln \frac{\mu^2}{\mu_0^2} + \frac{3\lambda_3}{4} \ln \frac{\hat{\alpha}(\mu)}{\hat{\alpha}(\mu_0)} + \tilde{\sigma}(\mu_0) - \tilde{\sigma}(\mu) \right].$$

energy range	λ_1	λ_2	λ_3	λ_4
$\bar{m}_t \leq \mu$	9/20	289/80	14/55	9/20
$M_W \leq \mu < \bar{m}_t$	21/44	625/176	6/11	3/22
$\bar{m}_b \leq \mu < M_W$	21/44	15/22	51/440	3/22
$m_\tau \leq \mu < \bar{m}_b$	9/20	3/5	2/19	1/5
$\bar{m}_c \leq \mu < m_\tau$	9/20	2/5	7/80	1/5
$\bar{m}_s \leq \mu < \bar{m}_c$	1/2	1/2	5/36	0
$\bar{m}_d \leq \mu < \bar{m}_s$	9/20	2/5	13/110	1/20
$\bar{m}_u \leq \mu < \bar{m}_d$	3/8	1/4	3/40	0
$m_\mu \leq \mu < \bar{m}_u$	1/4	0	0	0
$m_e \leq \mu < m_\mu$	1/4	0	0	0
$\mu < m_e$	0	0	0	0

$$\bar{m} = \hat{m}(\hat{m}) \exp \left[-\frac{13}{24} \frac{\hat{\alpha}_s(\hat{m})}{\hat{\alpha}_s(\hat{m}) + \pi} - \frac{\hat{\alpha}_s^2}{288\pi^2} \left(655\zeta(3) - \frac{3847}{6} + \frac{361}{9}n_q + \frac{295}{9} \frac{\sum_{q \neq f} Q_q^2}{Q_f^2} \right) \right].$$

$$\hat{\alpha}_s(M_Z) = 0.1214 \pm 0.0018,$$

$$\hat{m}_c(\hat{m}_c) = 1.285_{-0.047}^{+0.040} \text{ GeV}$$

$$\hat{m}_b(\hat{m}_b) = 4.205 \pm 0.031 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\bar{m}_c = 1.176 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\bar{m}_b = 3.995 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\xi_q = 2\bar{m}_q/M_{1S}$$

$$\xi_q \rightarrow 1 \text{ for } \bar{m}_q \rightarrow \infty$$

$$\xi_q \rightarrow 0 \text{ for } \bar{m}_q \rightarrow 0$$

$$\text{Heavy quark: } \xi_q \sim 1$$

$$\text{Light quark: } \xi_q \ll 1$$

$$\bar{m}_1 < \bar{m}_2 \implies \xi_1 < \xi_2$$

$$\xi_c = 0.759, \xi_b = 0.845$$

$$\bar{m}_s = \xi_s M_\phi / 2 < \xi_c M_\phi / 2 = 387 \text{ MeV}$$

Limits on the strange quark contribution

$$\Delta_s \hat{\alpha}(\bar{m}_c) = Q_s^2 \frac{\alpha}{\pi} K_{\text{QCD}}^s \ln \frac{\bar{m}_c^2}{\bar{m}_s^2} > Q_s^2 \frac{\alpha}{\pi} K_{\text{QCD}}^c \ln \frac{\bar{m}_c^2}{\bar{m}_s^2} > \frac{2\alpha}{9\pi} K_{\text{QCD}}^c \ln \frac{M_{J/\psi}}{M_\phi} = 6.9 \times 10^{-4}.$$

$$K_{\text{QCD}}^s > K_{\text{QCD}}^c = 1 + \frac{\hat{\alpha}_s(\bar{m}_c)}{\pi} + \frac{103}{48} \frac{\hat{\alpha}_s^2(\bar{m}_c)}{\pi^2} + \frac{1979}{576} \frac{\hat{\alpha}_s^3(\bar{m}_c)}{\pi^3} = 1.209,$$

$$\Delta_s \hat{\alpha}(\bar{m}_c) < \frac{\Delta \hat{\alpha}^{(3)}(\bar{m}_c)}{6} - \frac{5}{27} \frac{\alpha}{\pi} K_{\text{QCD}}^s \ln \frac{M_\phi}{M_\omega} < \frac{\Delta \hat{\alpha}^{(3)}(\bar{m}_c)}{6} - \frac{5}{27} \frac{\alpha}{\pi} K_{\text{QCD}}^c \ln \frac{M_\phi}{M_\omega} = 9.9 \times 10^{-4}.$$

$$\Delta \hat{\alpha}^{(3)}(\bar{m}_c) = 0.00678 \pm 0.00010,$$

$$\Delta_s \hat{\alpha}(\bar{m}_c) = (8.4 \pm 1.5) \times 10^{-4}, \bar{m}_s = 305_{+82}^{-65} \text{ MeV}.$$

Uncertainties

- Heavy flavor: parametric (α_s, m_b, m_c)
- effects fully correlated with $\alpha(M_Z)$
- SU(3) breaking effect
- Isospin violation
- OZI rule violation

Error Breakdown

Source	$\Delta \sin^2 \theta_W(0)$
$\Delta \sin^2 \theta_W(M_Z)$	1.5×10^{-4}
ΔM_Z	1.4×10^{-5}
$\Delta m_c, \Delta m_b$	4×10^{-5}
$\Delta \alpha_s$	4×10^{-5}
$\Delta^{(3)} \alpha(m_\tau)$	3×10^{-5}
SU(3) breaking	5×10^{-5}
SU(2) breaking	$< 10^{-5}$
OZI rule breaking	3×10^{-5}
TOTAL	$\pm 0.00016 \quad (0.000007)_{\text{theory}}$

Conclusions

- Above, below, and top of the Z-pole offer complementary BSM physics opportunities.
- Polarized electron scattering at low energies is valuable diagnostic tool.
- “Discovering” new physics would require factor 4 or better improvement in precision.
- **Diversification**: many different observables will hedge us against error and help distinguish between competing models for physics Beyond the SM.