

# Rate asymmetries in chargino and charged Higgs decays as a probe of CP violation

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- CP violating asymmetry in chargino decay into neutralino and W boson

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- CP violation in charged Higgs boson decays in the MSSM with complex parameters

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- CP violation in charged Higgs boson decays into tau and neutrino

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# OUTLINE

- Introduction: MSSM, CP phases (mass matrices)
- Decay rate asymmetry
- New:  $\tilde{\chi}_i^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_j^0 W^\pm$
- Review of  $H^\pm \rightarrow tb, \tau\nu_\tau$
- Conclusions

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- **but** constraints from electric dipole moments (EDMs) of  $e^-$ , n, Hg, Tl  
[Ibrahim, Nath, '99; Barger, Falk, Han, Jiang, Li, Plehn, '01; Abel, Khalil, Lebedev, '01]

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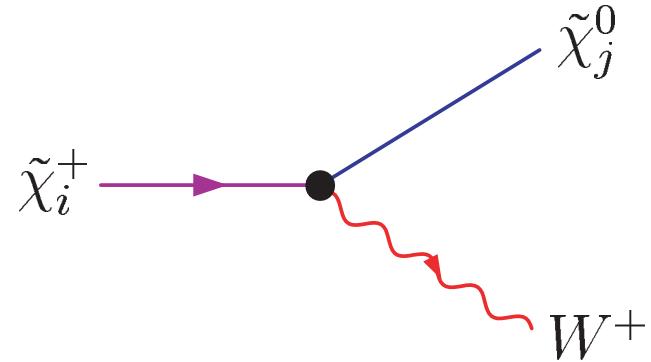
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tree-level:



$$\text{coupling} \sim \gamma^\mu (O_{ji}^R P_R + O_{ji}^L P_L)$$

$$O_{ji}^R = g Z_{j2}^* U_{i1} + \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} Z_{j3}^* U_{i2}, \quad O_{ji}^L = g Z_{j2} V_{i1}^* - \frac{g}{\sqrt{2}} Z_{j4} V_{i2}^*$$

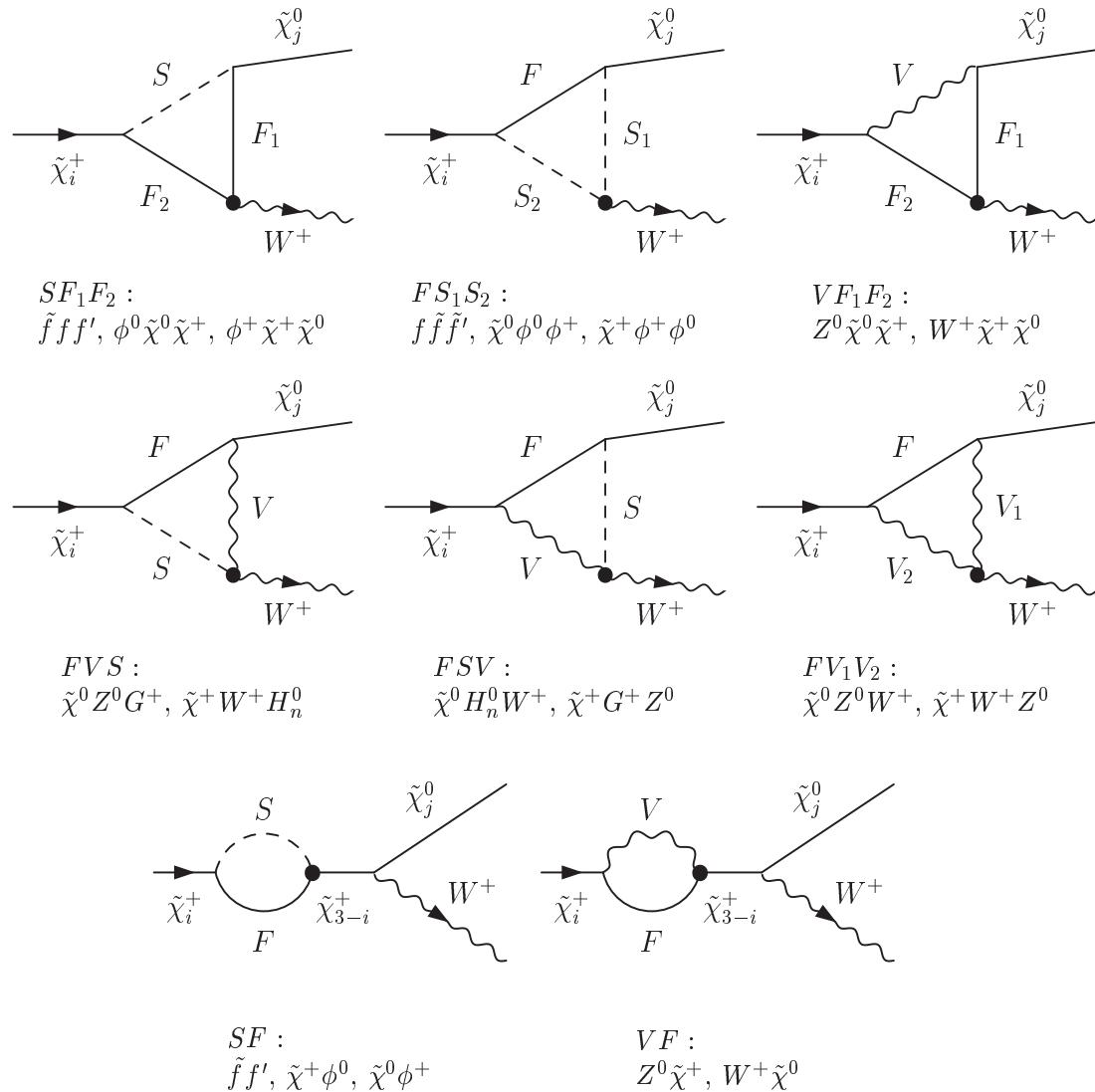
$$\Gamma^{\text{tree}} = \frac{\sqrt{\lambda}}{32\pi m_i^3} \left( \left( \frac{\lambda}{m_W^2} + 3X \right) (|O^R|^2 + |O^L|^2) - 12m_i m_j \text{Re}[O^{R*} O^L] \right)$$

$$X = m_i^2 + m_j^2 - m_W^2, \lambda = \lambda(m_i^2, m_j^2, m_W^2) \text{ with } \lambda(x, y, z) = (x - y - z)^2 - 4yz$$

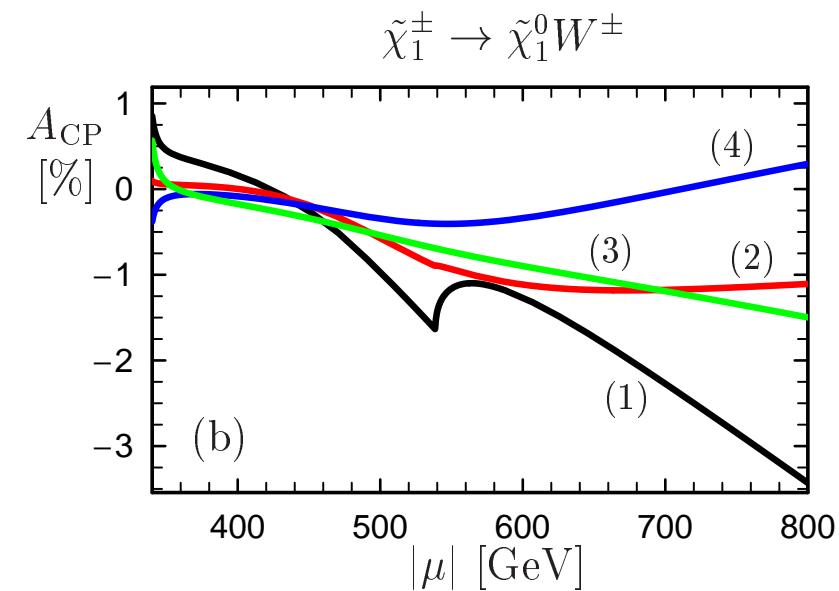
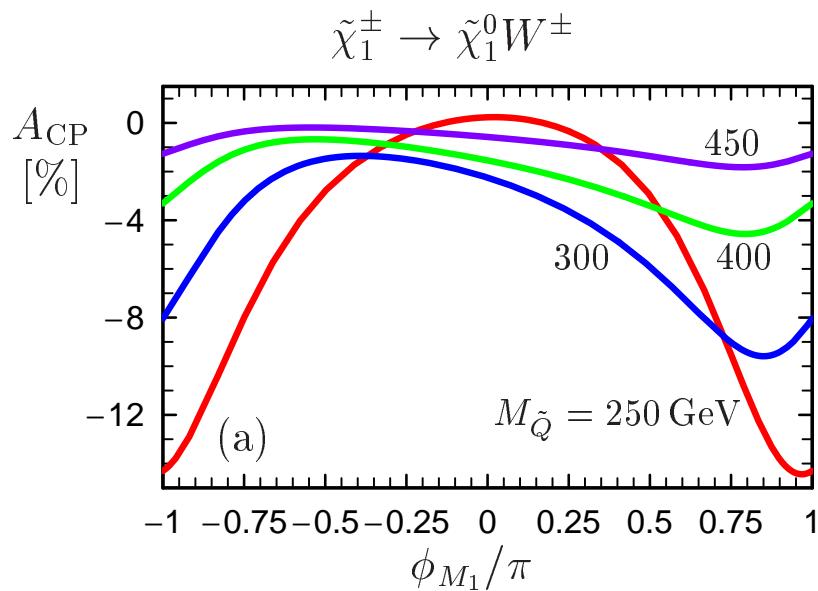
- dependence on  $\phi_\mu$  and  $\phi_{M_1}$
- no bino coupling -  $\Gamma^{\text{tree}}$  small for bino-like neutralino!  $\rightarrow \text{BR to zero}$

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$|\mu| = 600$  GeV,

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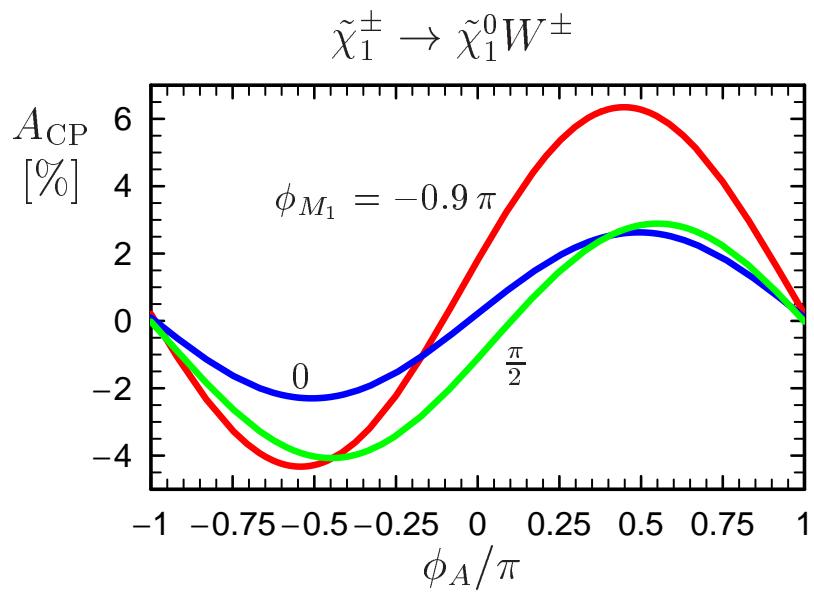
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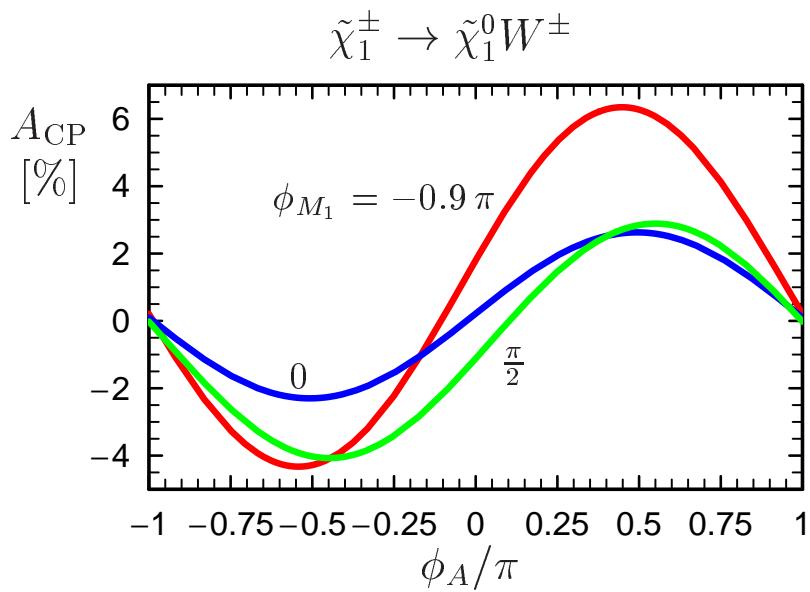
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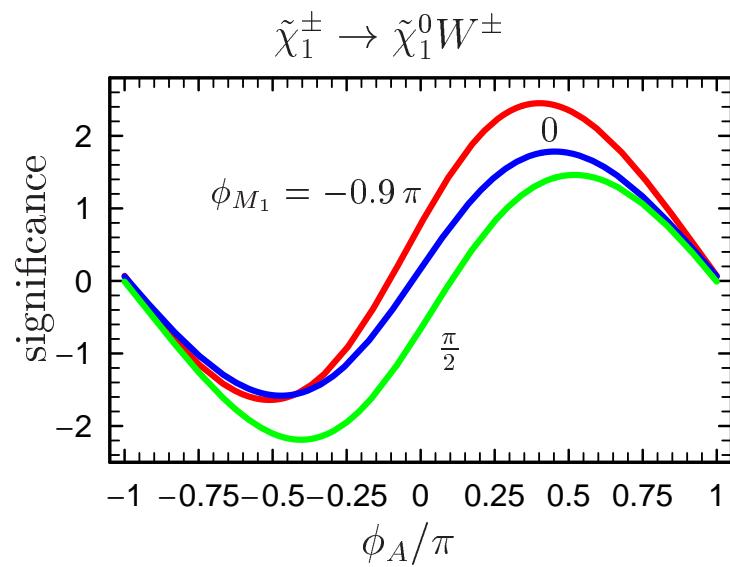
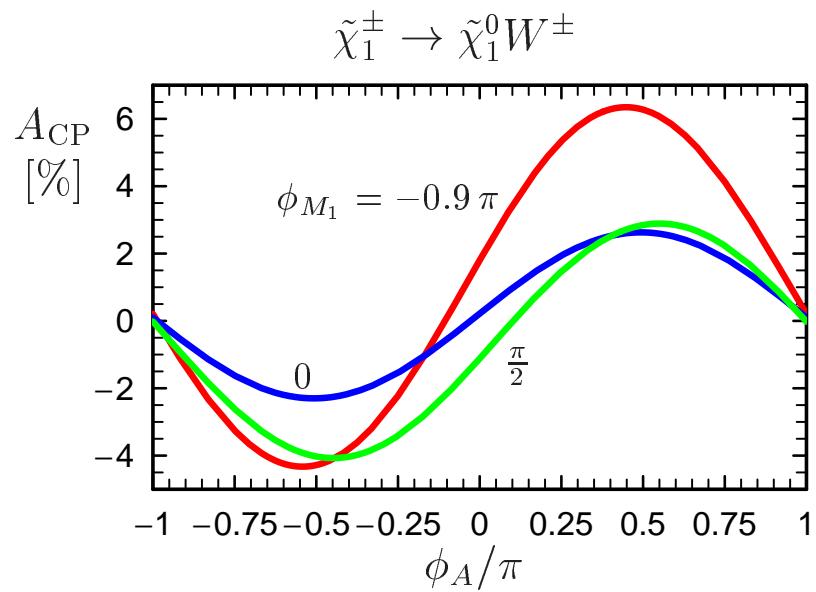


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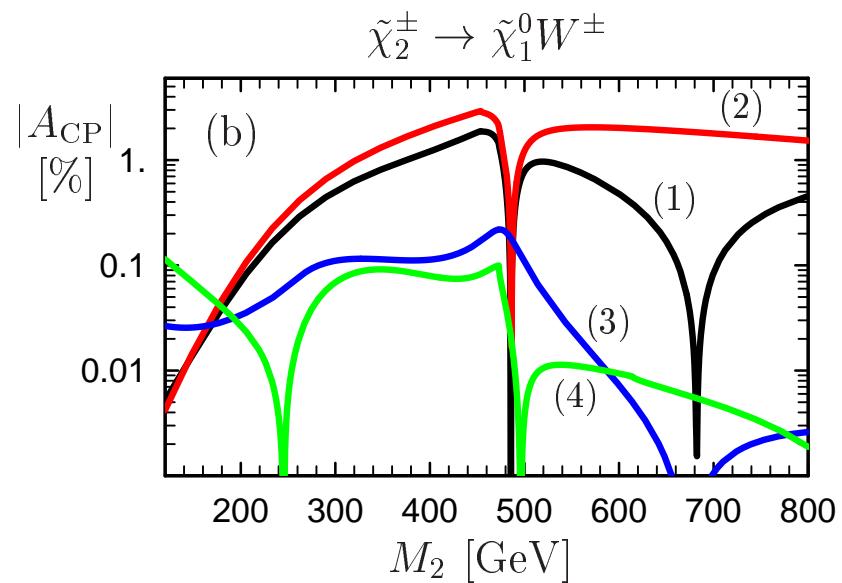
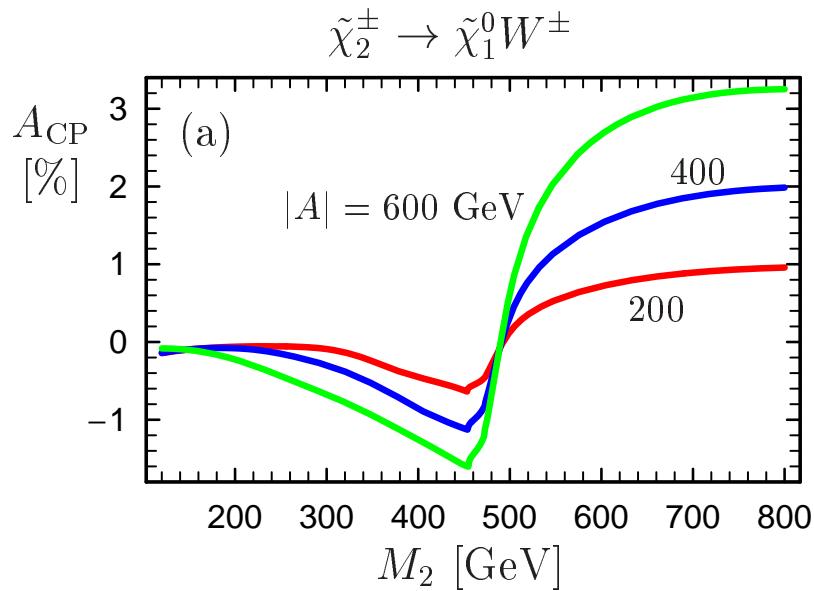
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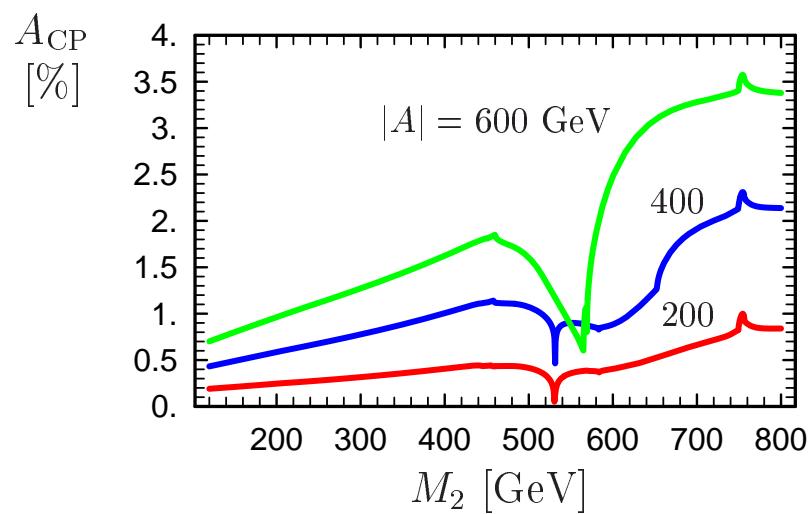
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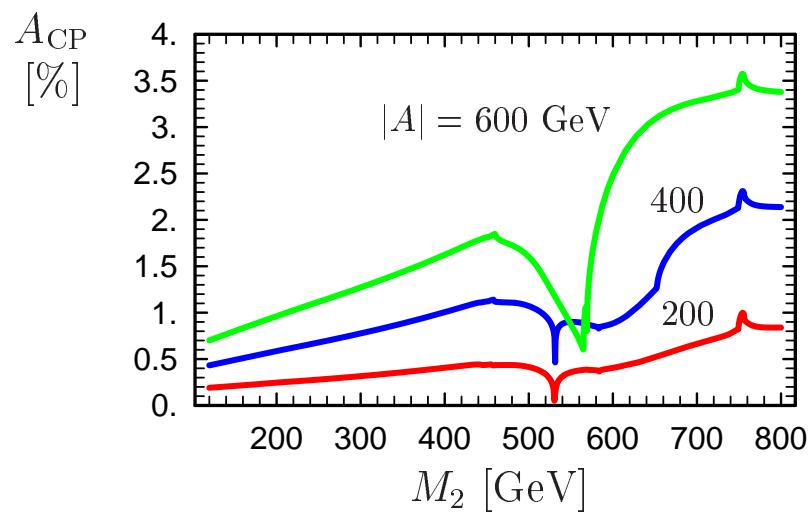
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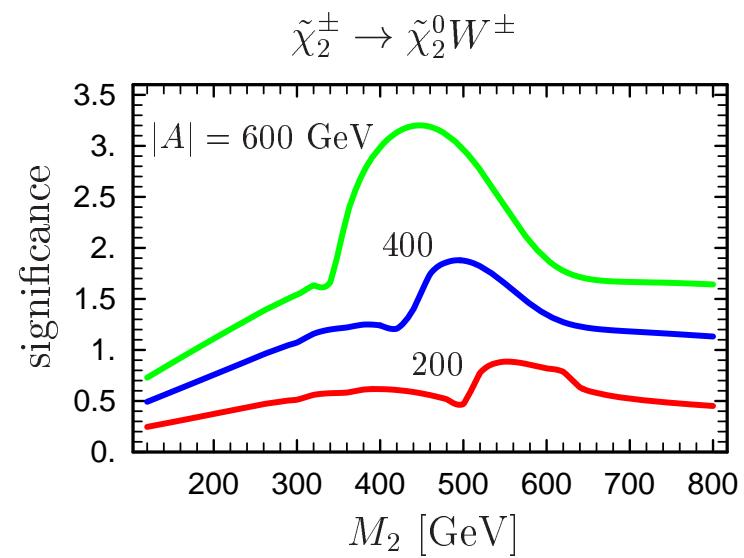
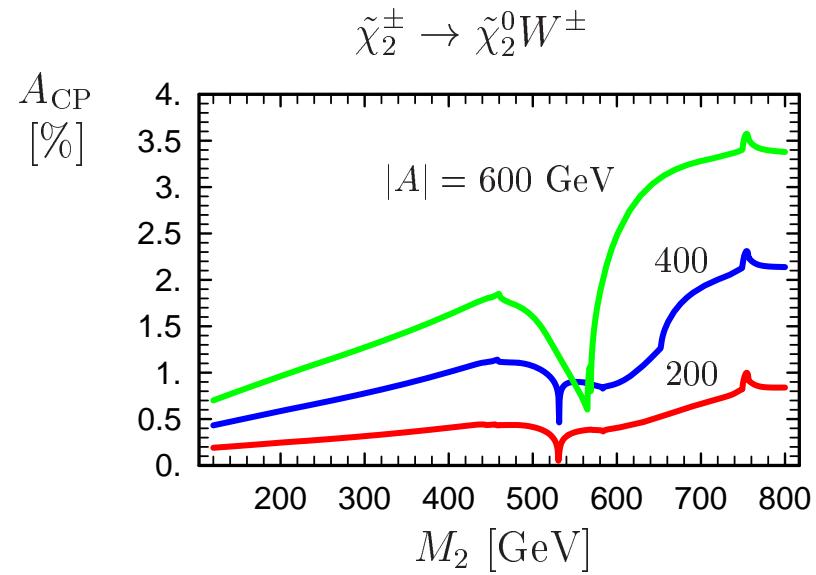
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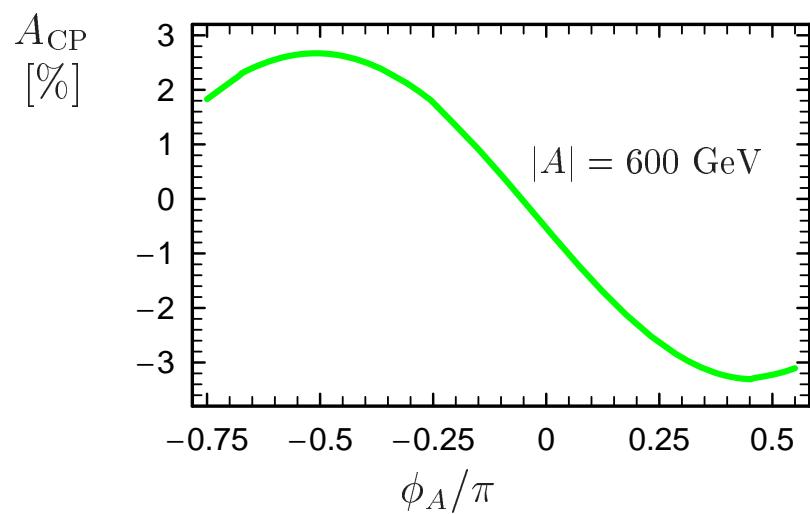
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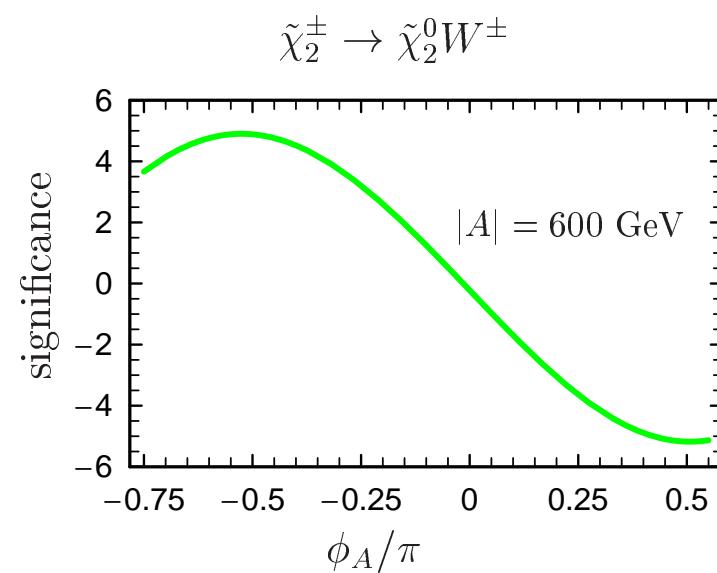
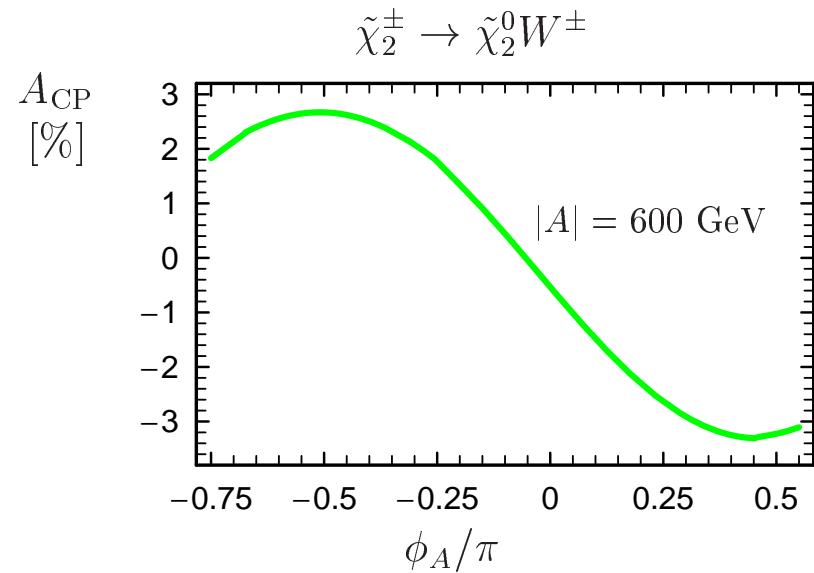
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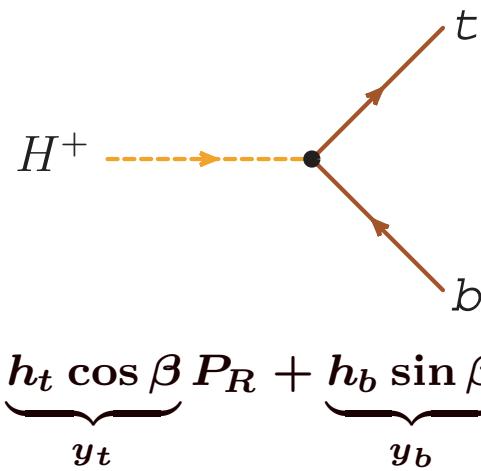


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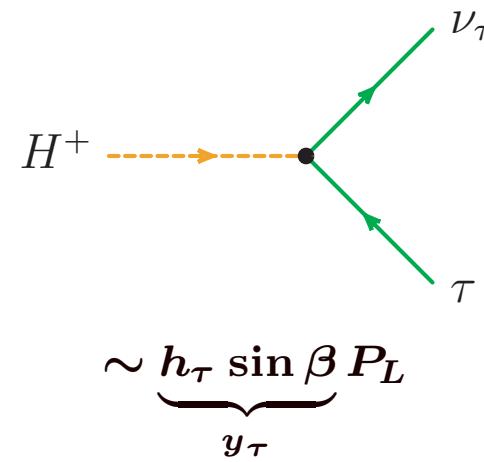
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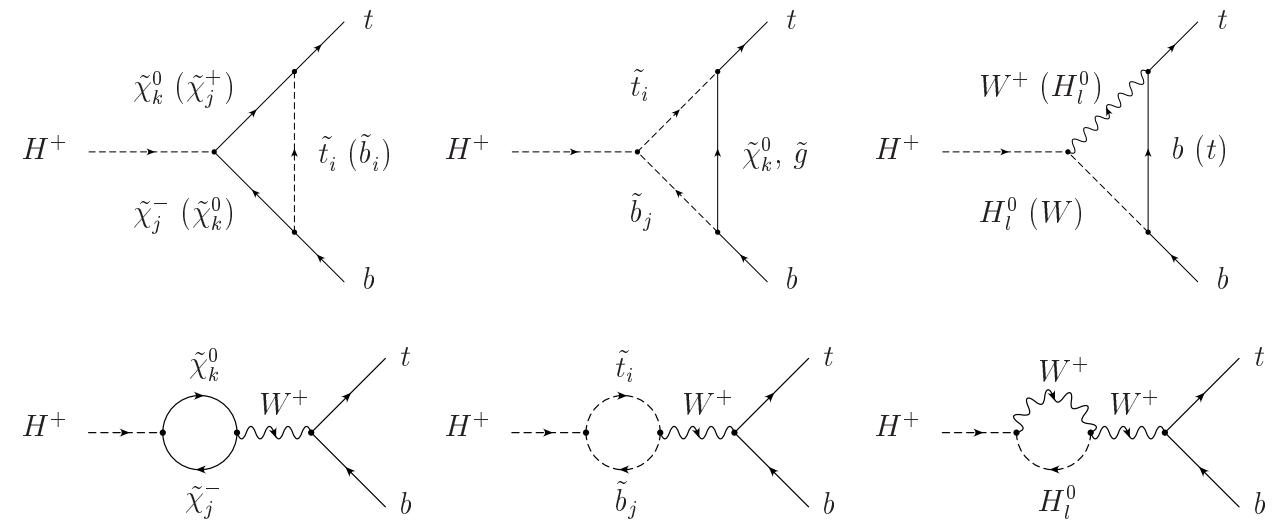
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$$h_t = g m_t / (\sqrt{2} m_W \sin \beta), h_{b,\tau} = g m_{b,\tau} / (\sqrt{2} m_W \cos \beta)$$

- independent of phases.
- only two SUSY parameters:  $m_{H^+}$  and  $\tan \beta$

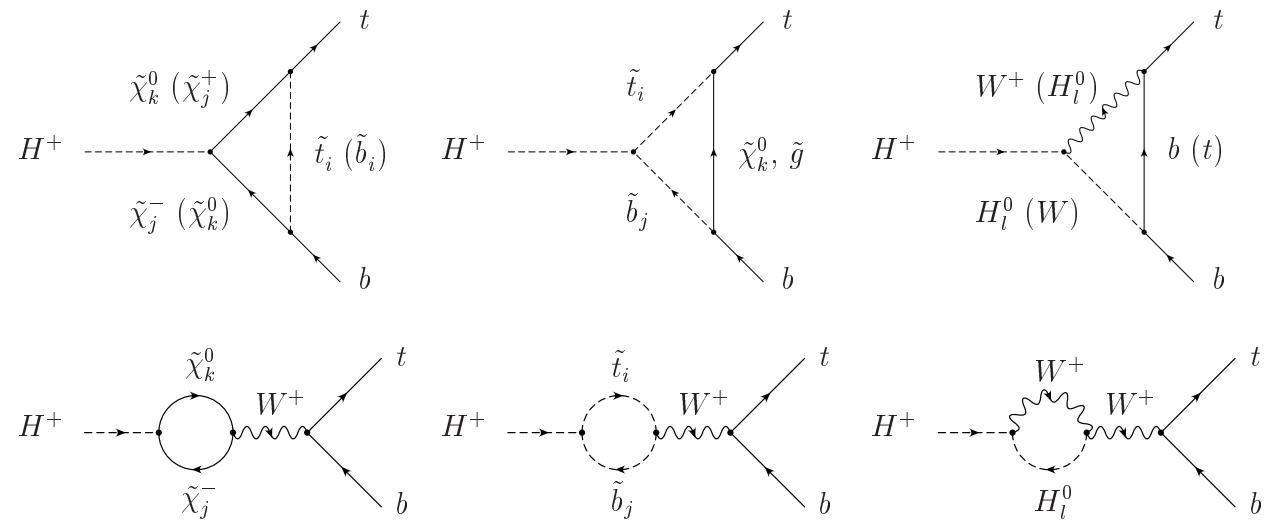
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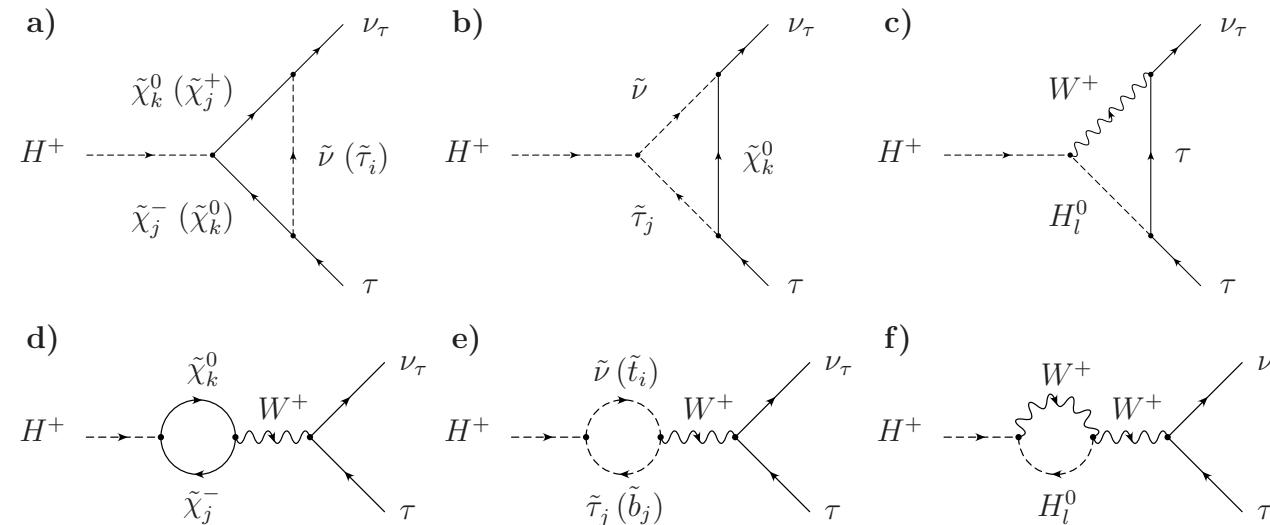


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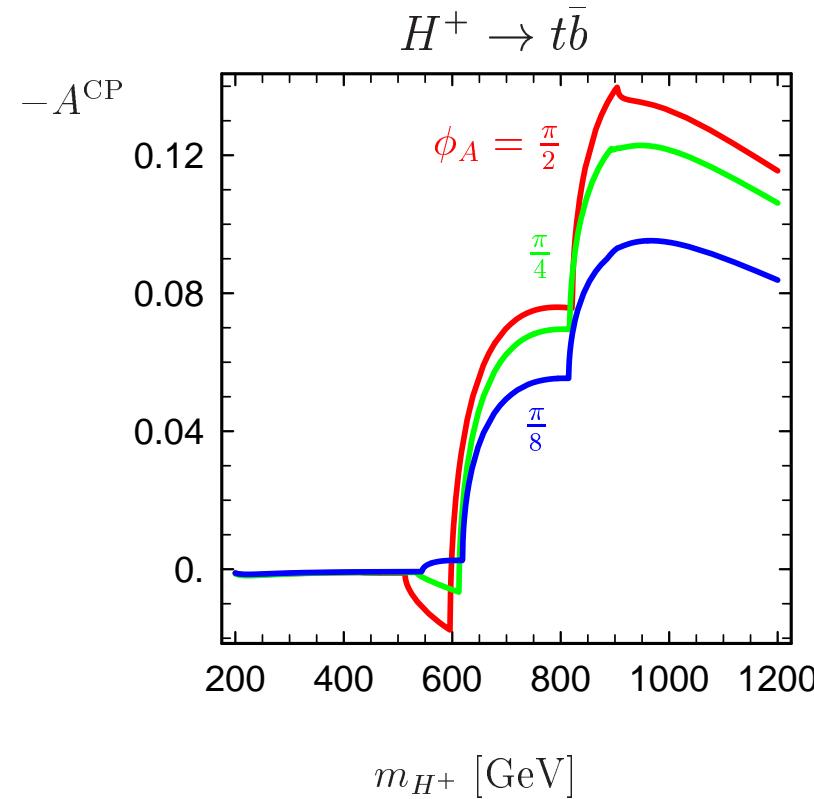
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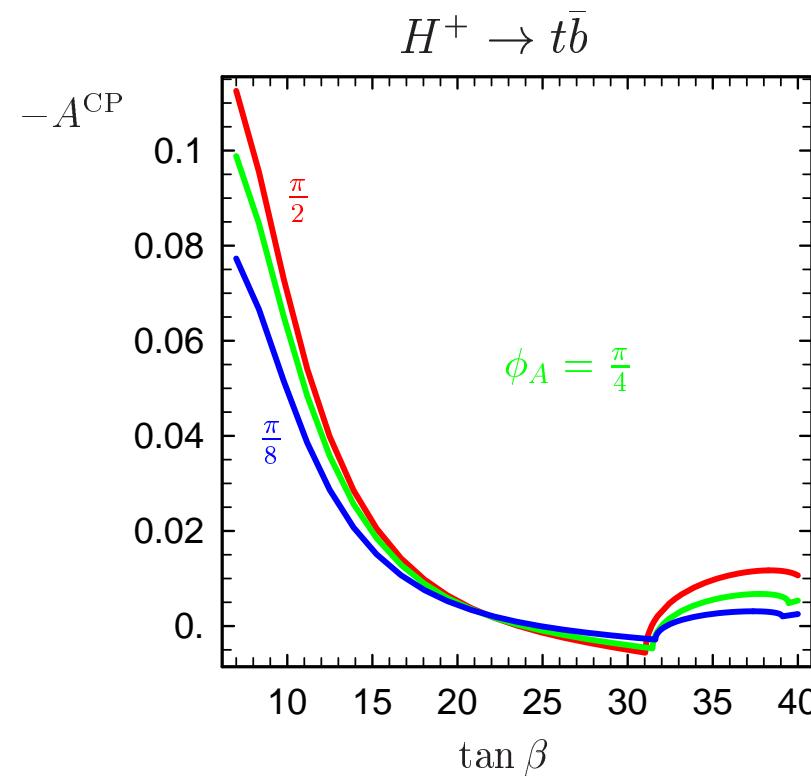
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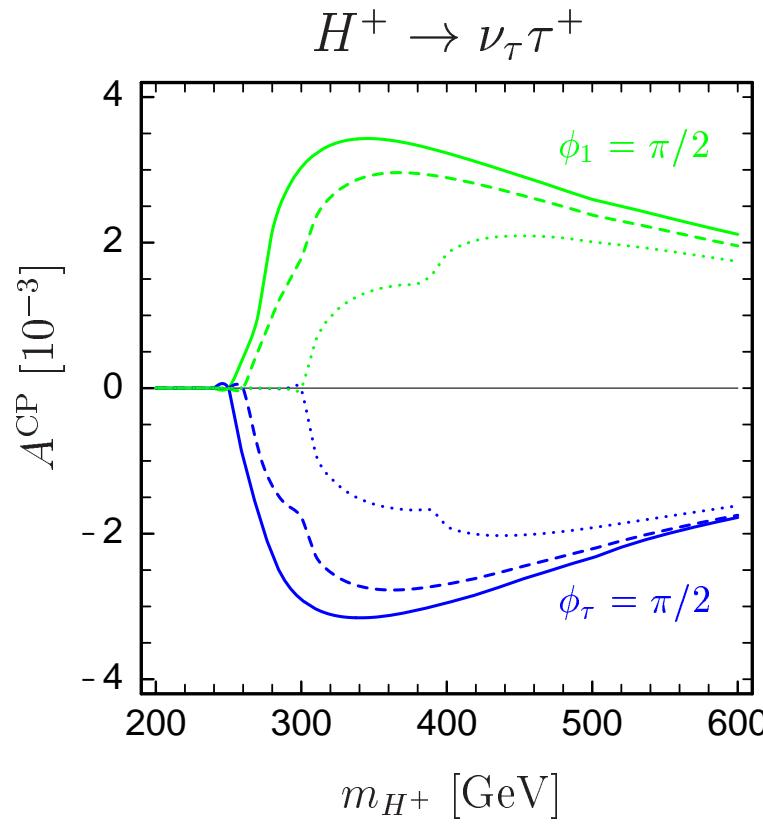
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$M_2 = 200 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $\mu = 300 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $M_{\tilde{E}} = M_{\tilde{L}} - 5 \text{ GeV} \rightarrow m_{\tilde{\tau}} = 135 \text{ GeV}$ ,  
 $|A_\tau| = 400 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $M_{\tilde{Q}} = 500 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $M_{\tilde{U}} = 450 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $M_{\tilde{D}} = 550 \text{ GeV}$ ,  $A_t = A_b = -500 \text{ GeV}$ .



$\phi_\tau = \pi/2$ ,  $\phi_1 = 0$  ( $A_{\text{CP}} < 0$ ), and for  $\phi_1 = \pi/2$ ,  $\phi_\tau = 0$  ( $A_{\text{CP}} > 0$ ),  
 $\tan \beta = 5$  (full), 10 (dashed), 30 (dotted).

# Conclusions

- $A_{CP}$  - simple measurement - only total decay rates
- SUSY loop effect – vertex and selfenergy contributions
- $\tilde{\chi}_i^\pm \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_j^0 W^\pm$ :  $A_{CP}$  order of several percent.  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  must not be very bino like.
- $H^\pm \rightarrow tb$ :  $A_{CP}$  up to  $\sim 10\%$ , high  $m_{H^+}$  necessary ( $> 500$  GeV),  $\tan \beta \uparrow$  —  $A_{CP} \downarrow$  and BR  $\downarrow$ , stop-sbottom channel, gluino exchange important.
- $H^\pm \rightarrow \nu_\tau \tau^\pm$ :  $A_{CP}$  smaller than 0.5%, rel. low  $m_{H^+}$  ( $< 300$  GeV),  $\tan \beta \uparrow$  —  $A_{CP} \downarrow$  but BR  $\uparrow$ , stau-snu channel important.
- If  $A_{CP}$  becomes large, total (renormalized) one-loop result is maybe necessary.
- Combined study with production, BR and  $A_{CP}$  necessary.