

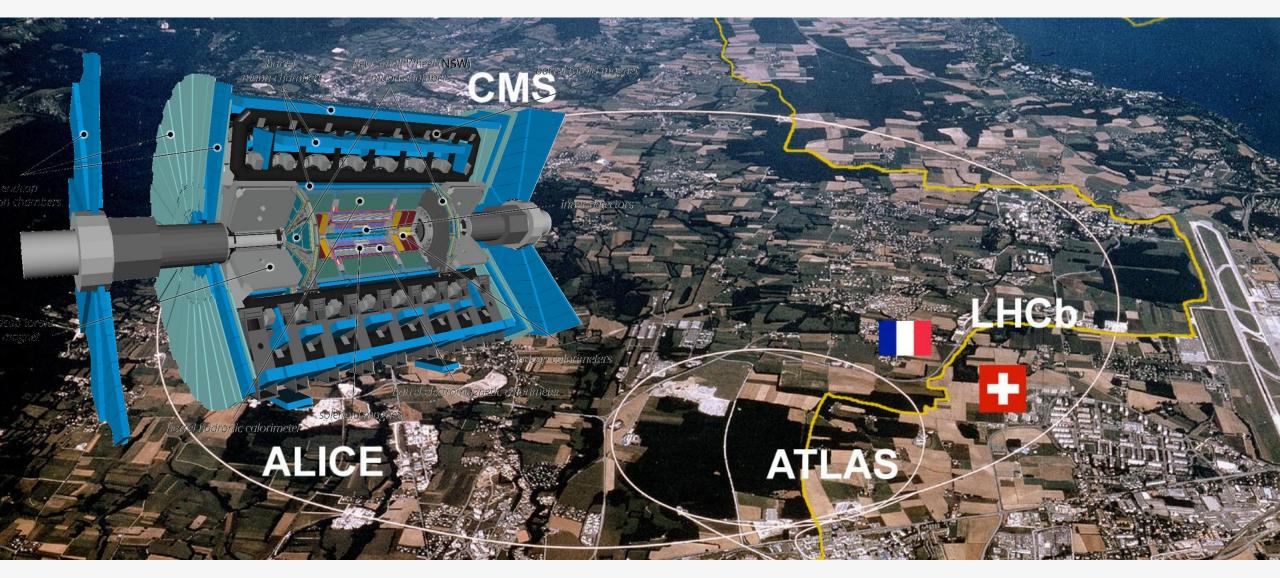
# **Combined Higgs Boson Measurements and Their Interpretations with the ATLAS Experiment Zhu Yifan On behalf of ATLAS Experiment** THE UNIVERSITY of EDINBURGH 上海交通大學 $\Delta S$ Shanghai Jiao Tong University EXPERIMENT 饮水思源•爱国荣

# Outline

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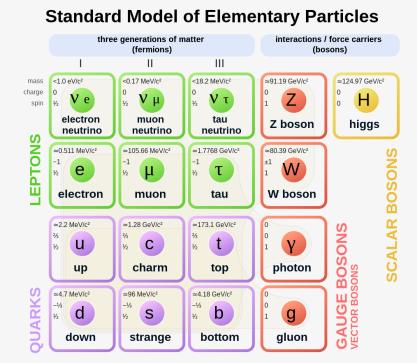
- Higgs Combination for Couplings to Particles
- Higgs Combination for Self-Coupling
- Higgs BSM Interpretations

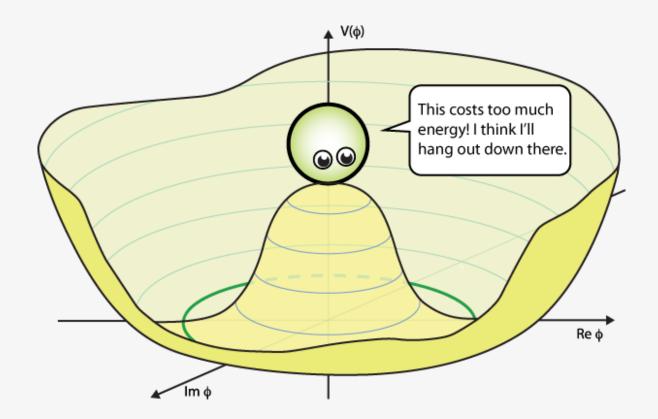
# LHC & ATLAS Experiment



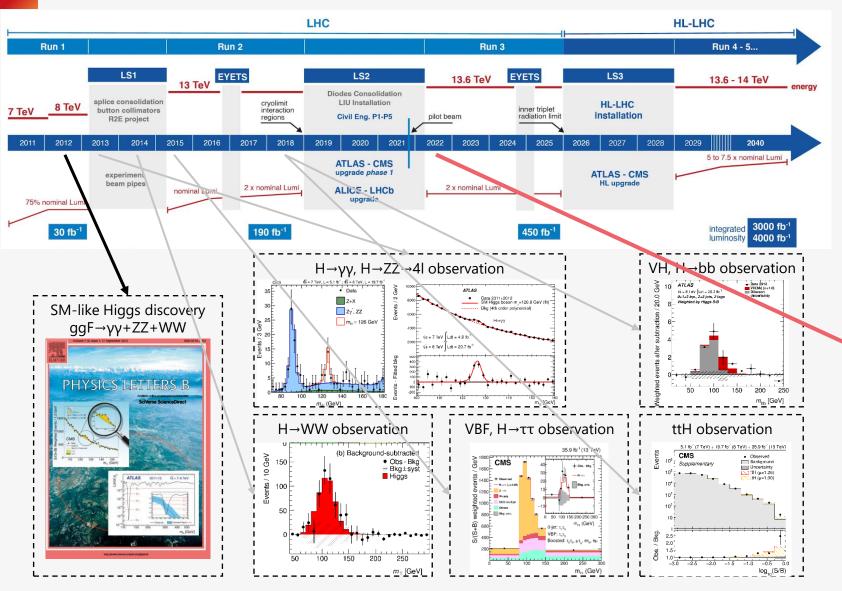
# Standard Model and Brout–Englert–Higgs Mechanism

- Masses of all massive elementary particles rise from their couplings to Higgs boson
  - Vector boson masses → spontaneous symmetry breaking
  - Fermion masses → Yukawa couplings





# Higgs at LHC



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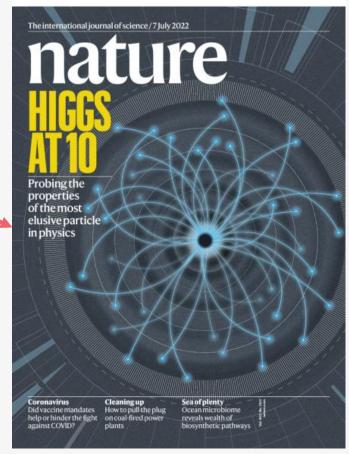
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### A detailed map of Higgs boson interactions by the ATLAS experiment ten years after the discovery

#### The ATLAS Collaboration

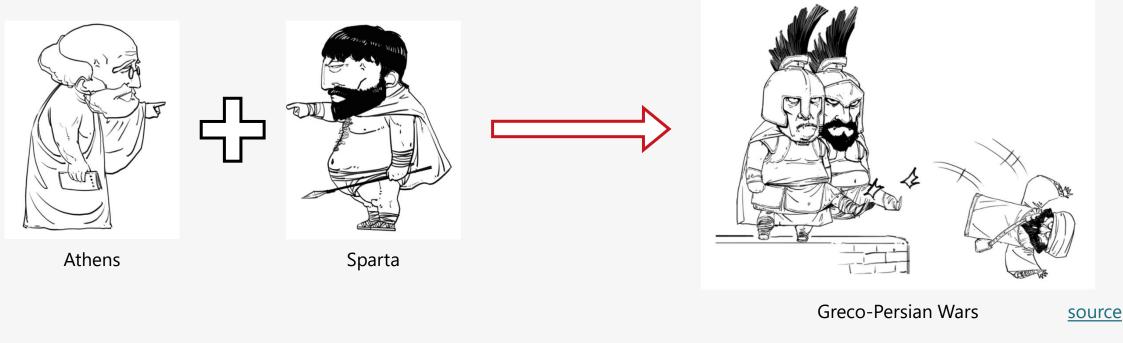
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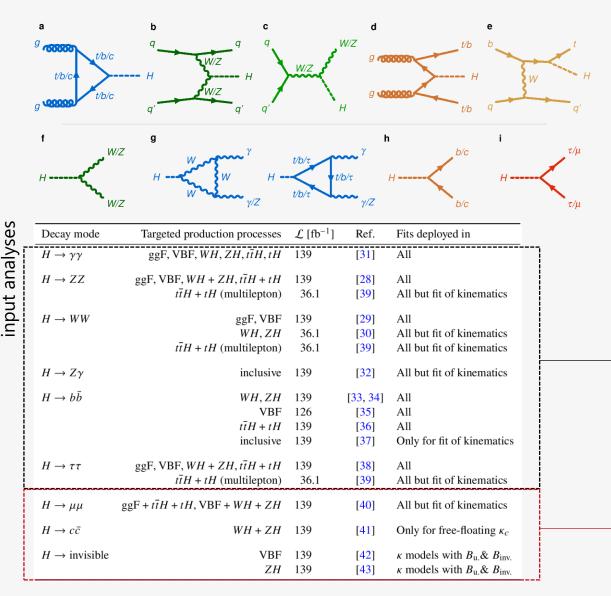


# **Motivation for Combination**

- In LHC Run 2, 30x more Higgs are recorded by the ATLAS detector than the discovery, which allows for precise
  measurements of cross-sections, couplings and kinematic properties, searches for rare decay modes and test
  phase space that hasn't been probed before
- A measurement based on a combination of all major ATLAS Higgs analyses can present more sensitive and less model-dependent results on Higgs, e.g.:
  - The combination of all measurements is necessary to constrain the couplings individually
  - Some analyses having higher sensitivity in certain kinematic regions



### **Input Analyses**



• All observed production & decay modes on ATLAS experiment included

### What's new w.r.t. <u>combination in 2020</u>?

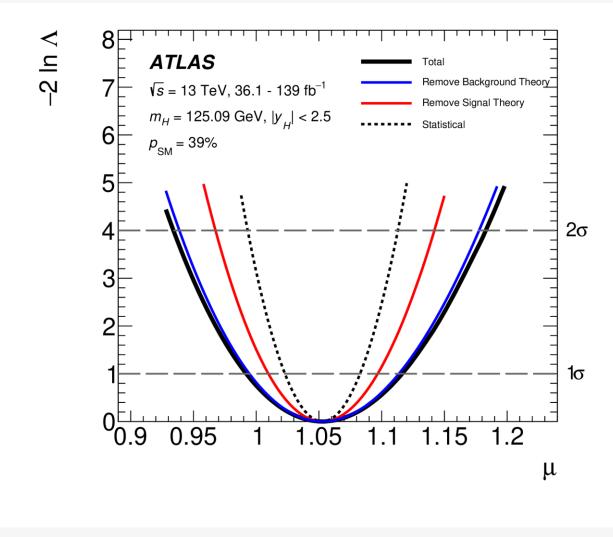
#### Main decay modes:

- New productions included
- More analyses updated to full Run-2
- More analyses available in the simplified template cross-section model
- Independent ttH and tH measurements

#### Rare decays:

- New H→Zγ/cc
- $H \rightarrow \mu \mu$  updated to 139fb<sup>-1</sup>

# **Global Signal Strength**



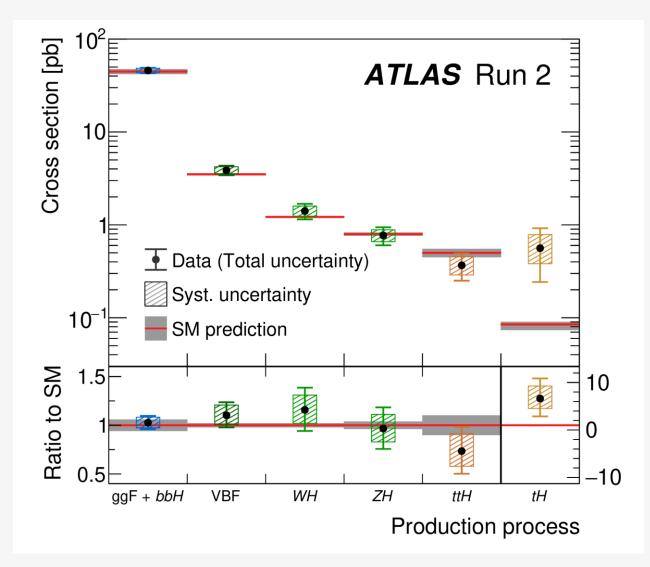
• Considering all production and decay modes together

$$\iota = \frac{\sigma \times \mathbf{B}}{(\sigma \times \mathbf{B})_{\mathrm{SM}}}$$

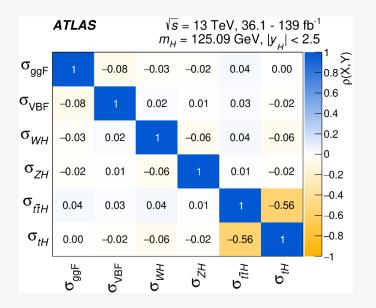
• Experimental and theory uncertainties reduced by a factor of 2 w.r.t. Run 1 result:

- Theoretical uncertainties now dominate
- SM compatibility (p-value): 39%

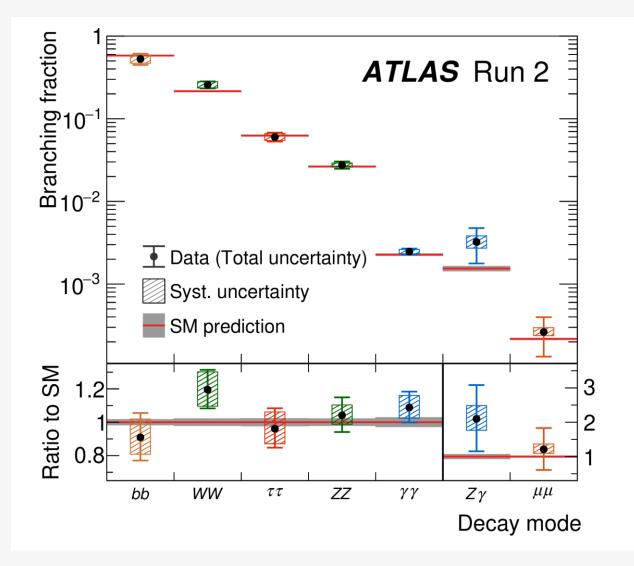
## **Production Cross-Section**



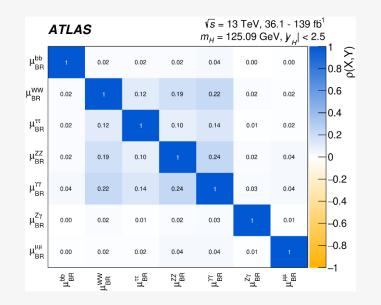
- Better precision:
  - ggF now at precision of 7%
  - VBF now at precision of 12%
- Evidence of rare production mode:
  - Upper limit on tH of 15(7) x SM at 95% C.L.
- SM compatibility (p-value): 65%



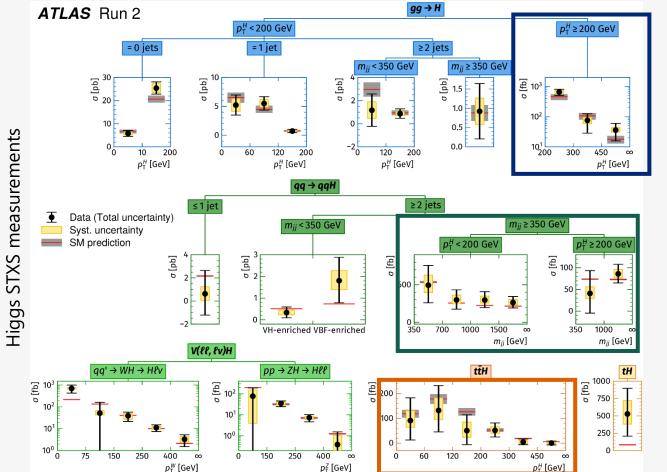
# **Decay Branching Ratio**



- Better precision:
  - H→γγ, ZZ, WW & ττ 10%~12%
- Evidence of rare decay modes:
  - H→μμ 2.0σ (1.7σ), Zγ 2.3σ (1.1σ)
- SM compatibility (p-value): 56%



# **Simplified Template Cross-Section**



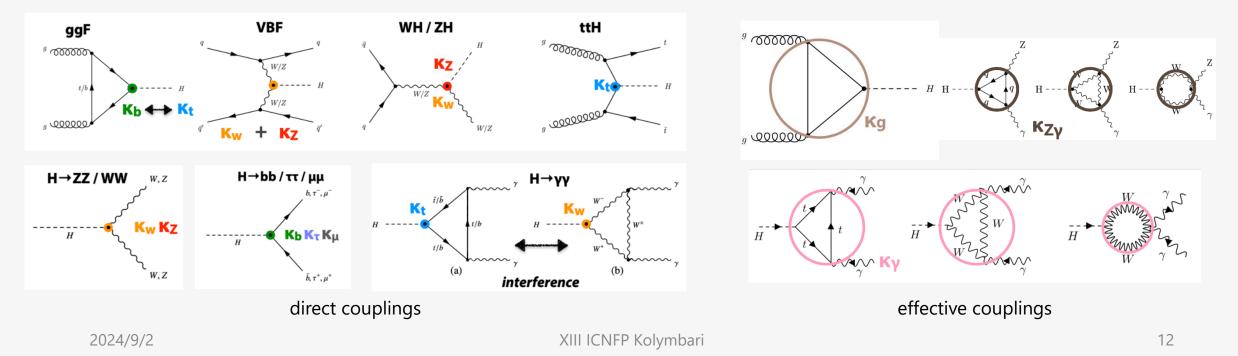
- Split phase space of Higgs production processes into 36 kinematic regions
  - Defined by kinematics of Higgs Boson and of associated jets, W, Z bosons
- Goal
  - provide sensitivity to BSM effects
  - avoid large theory uncertainties in predictions
  - minimize model-dependence from acceptance extrapolations
- SM compatibility (p-value): 92%
- Highlights
- **D** new bins from updated analysis, high  $p_T$  bins have sensitivity to BSM

## к Framework

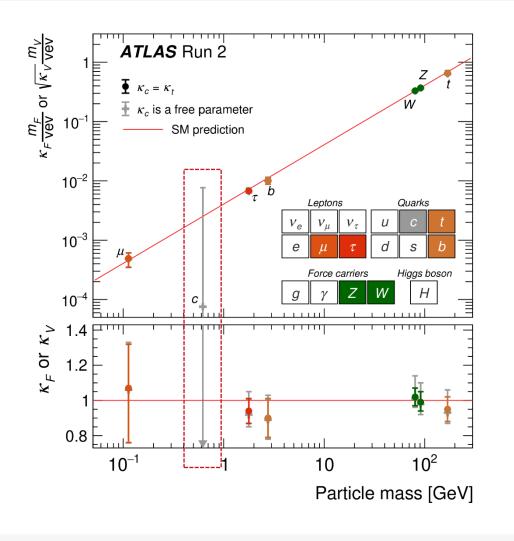
- A coupling modifier κ is introduced to probe into the structures of Higgs couplings to particles
  - Direct couplings:  $\kappa_b$ ,  $\kappa_t$ ,  $\kappa_W$ ,  $\kappa_Z$ ,  $\kappa_\tau$ ,  $\kappa_\mu$
  - Effective couplings:  $\kappa_{\gamma'} \kappa_{g'} \kappa_{Z\gamma'}$  etc

$$(\sigma \cdot BR) (i \to H \to f) \sim \frac{\sigma_i \cdot \Gamma_f}{\Gamma_H} = \frac{\sigma_i^{SM} \cdot \Gamma_f^{SM}}{\Gamma_H^{SM}} \cdot (\frac{\kappa_i^2 \cdot \kappa_f^2}{\kappa_H^2})$$

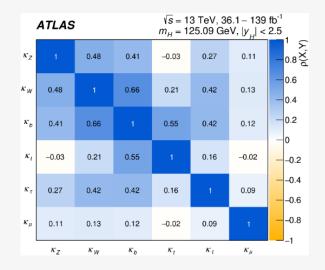
- Beyond Standard Model effects, e.g., undetected decays, can be parameterized within the Higgs total width  $\Gamma_{\!H}{}^{SM}$ 



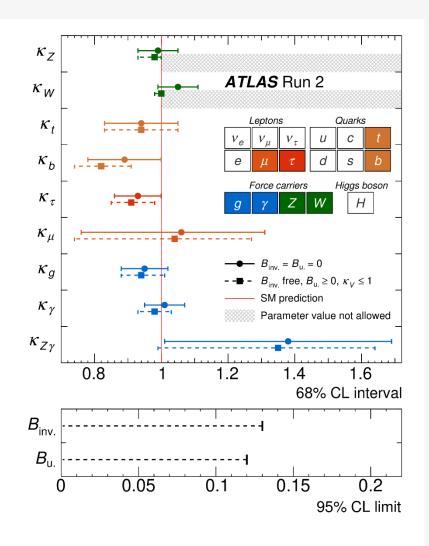
# **Higgs Couplings to Each Particle**



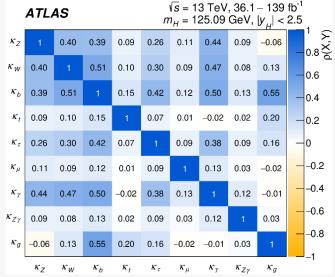
- All modifiers assumed to be positive
- Only SM processes
- Two scenarios:  $\kappa_c = \kappa_t$  and  $\kappa_c$  free-floating
  - Upper limit on  $\kappa_c$  of 5.7 (7.6) x SM at 95% CL
- Results
  - Fermions (t, b,  $\tau$ ): precision of 7%~12%
  - Vector bosons (W, Z): precision of 5%
  - SM compatibility (p-value): 56% ( $\kappa_c = \kappa_t$ ) and 65% ( $\kappa_c$  free-floating)



# **Higgs Generic Couplings**



- Allowing for **non-SM particles** in loop processes, with **effective coupling** strengths.
- Two scenarios: with and without invisible and undetected non-SM Higgs decays
- Results
  - SM compatibility (p-value): 61% ( $B_{inv.} = B_{u.} = 0$ )
  - Upper limits: B<sub>inv.</sub> < 0.13 (0.08) and B<sub>u.</sub> < 0.12 (0.21) at 95% CL

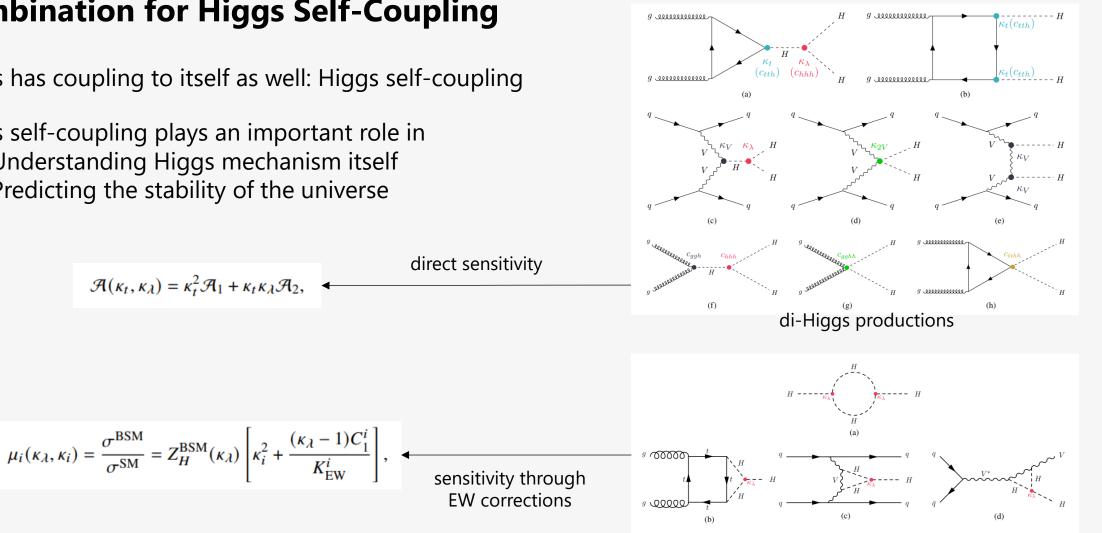


# **Combination for Higgs Self-Coupling**

Higgs has coupling to itself as well: Higgs self-coupling ٠

 $\mathcal{A}(\kappa_t,\kappa_\lambda) = \kappa_t^2 \mathcal{A}_1 + \kappa_t \kappa_\lambda \mathcal{A}_2, \quad \blacktriangleleft$ 

- Higgs self-coupling plays an important role in ٠
  - Understanding Higgs mechanism itself •
  - Predicting the stability of the universe ٠



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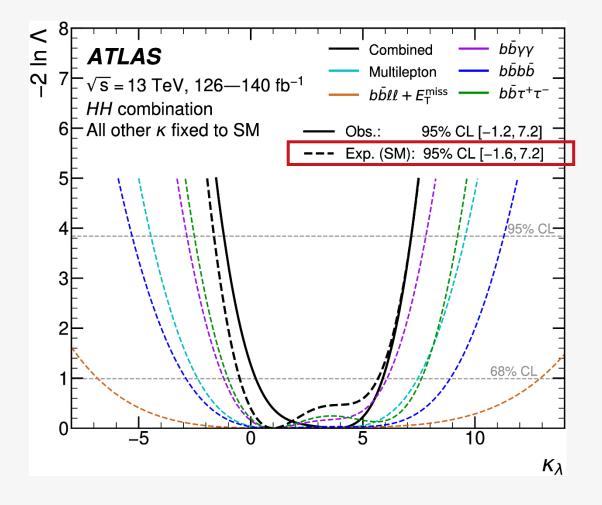
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single-Higgs productions

# **Higgs Self-Coupling from Di-Higgs**

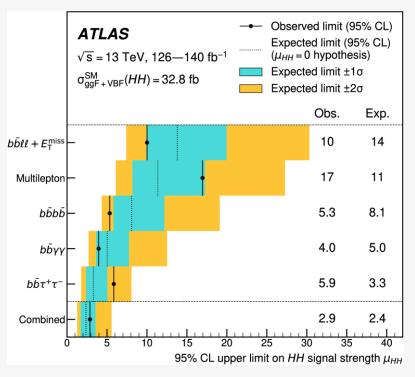
### - Constraint on $\kappa_\lambda$ from di-Higgs combination



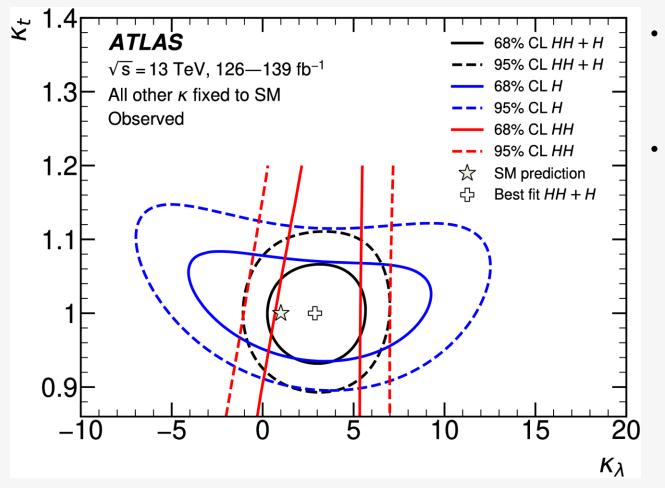
### • Provides the **best expected sensitivities** to the di-Higgs production cross-section and the Higgs boson self-coupling.

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### Di-Higgs production cross-section:



# **Higgs Self-Coupling vs Higgs to Top Coupling**



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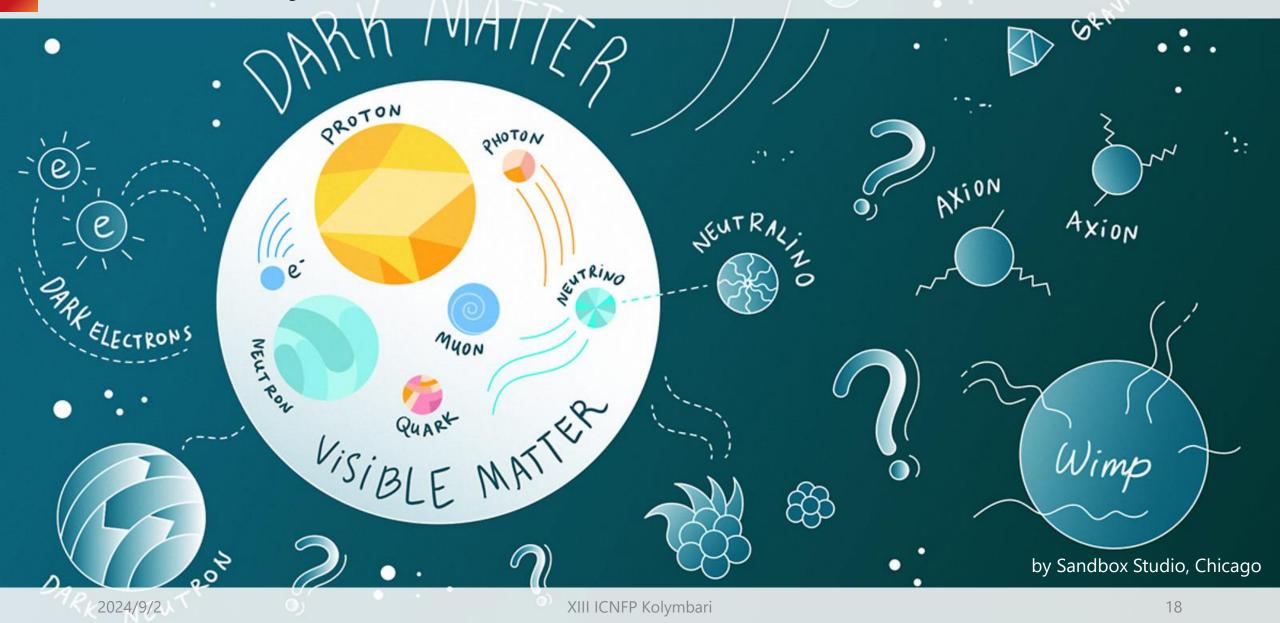
 single-Higgs processes help to relax assumptions about couplings to other SM particles, e.g., to top

95% CL:

-2.2 < *κ*λ < 7.7 (exp)

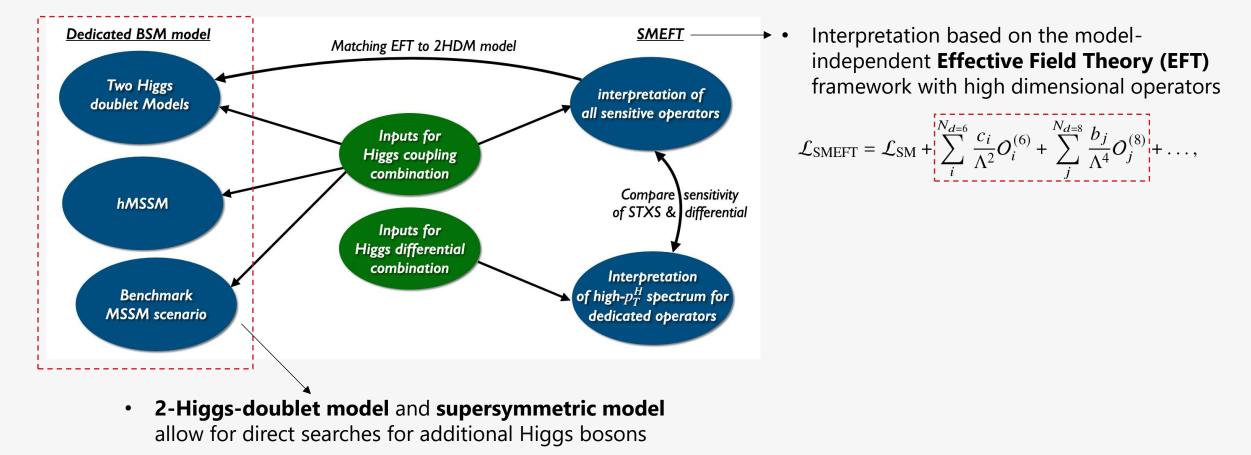
• Constraints on  $\kappa_{\lambda}$  with floated  $\kappa_t$  are almost as strong as those with its value fixed to unity

# **How About Beyond Standard Model?**



# **Interpretation Strategies**

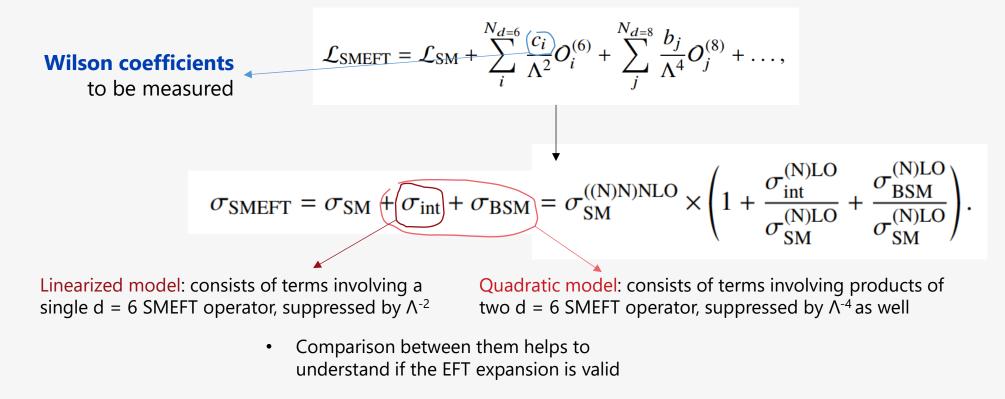
 Searches for physics beyond SM via multiple interpretations of Higgs boson measurements



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# **EFT Interpretations of Cross Sections**

- EFT provides an elegant language to encode the modifications of the Higgs boson properties induced by a wide class of BSM theories
- Within the language of the SMEFT, the effects of BSM dynamics at a high energy Λ = 1 TeV can be parametrized at low energies, E << Λ, in terms of higher-dimensional operators from the Standard Model fields and respecting its symmetries:



# **Results from EFT**

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uncertainty ( $\sigma$ )

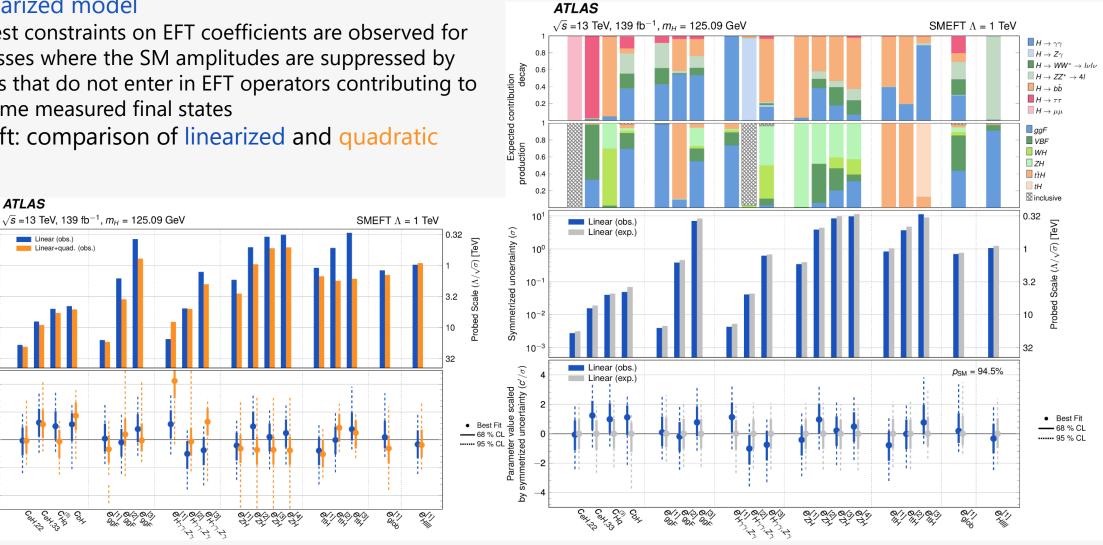
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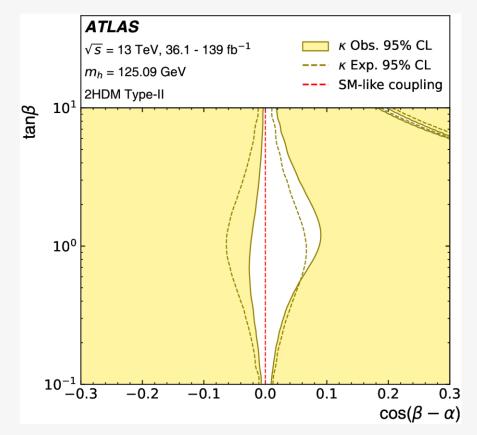
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- **Right: linearized model** ٠
  - Tightest constraints on EFT coefficients are observed for ٠ processes where the SM amplitudes are suppressed by factors that do not enter in EFT operators contributing to the same measured final states
- Bottom left: comparison of linearized and quadratic ٠ model



# **Two-Higgs-Doublet Models**

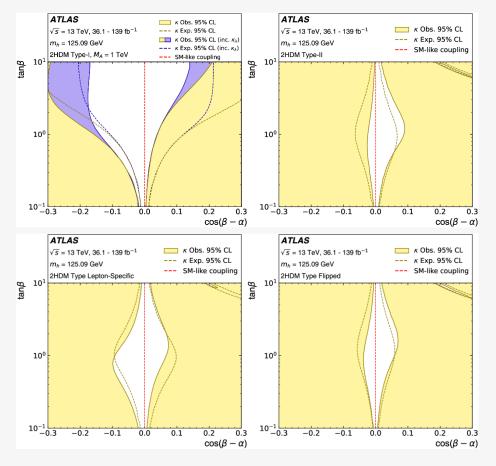
- In two-Higgs-doublet models, the SM Higgs sector with one doublet of scalar complex fields Φ<sub>1</sub> is extended by introducing a second doublet Φ<sub>2</sub>
- Four types of 2HDM models based on couplings
- Take Type-II model as an example
  - $\Phi_1$  has coupling to down-type quarks while  $\Phi_2$  to up-type & leptons
  - Of great interest due to its resemblance with the SM in the quark sector
- Two parameters are measured in this analysis
  - tanβ=v<sub>2</sub>/v<sub>1</sub>, v<sub>1,2</sub> are vacuum-expectation-values of the doublets
  - **α**: mixing angle of the CP even neutral Higgs bosons



# **Results of 2HDM**

• The measured signal strength  $\mu$  is reparametrized by using  $\alpha \& \beta$ :

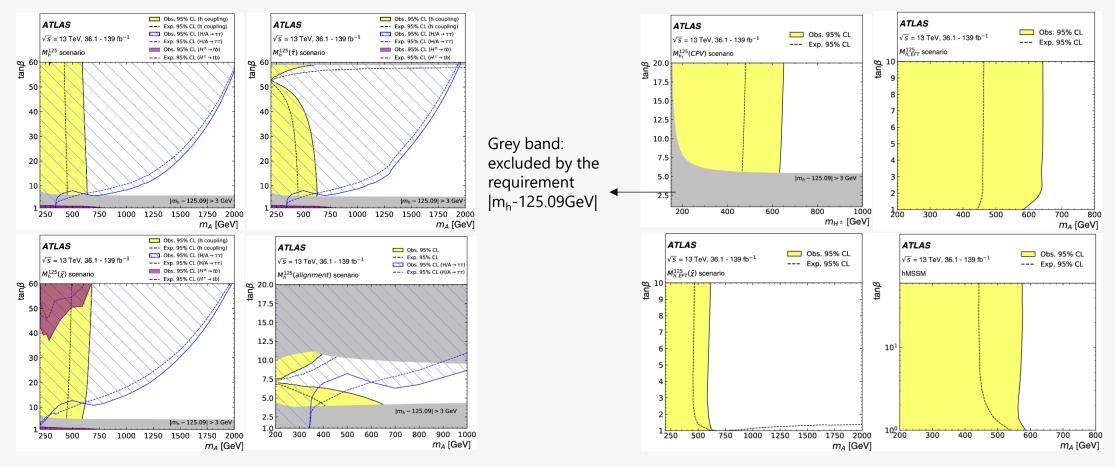
 $\mu_k^{i,X} = \mu^{i,X} \left( \left\{ \kappa(\tan\beta,\cos(\beta-\alpha)) \right\} \right)$ 



- All models exhibit similar exclusion regions in the  $(\tan\beta, \cos(\beta-\alpha))$  plane at low values (< 1) of  $\tan\beta$
- The interval of allowed values of  $\cos(\beta \alpha)$  increases in size with  $\tan\beta$ , up to a total width of about 0.1–0.2 for  $\tan\beta=1$
- A small allowed region in all types but Type-I corresponds to the fermion couplings that have same magnitude as in the SM but the opposite sign

# **Results of MSSM Interpretation**

- The **minimal supersymmetric extension of the Standard Model**, which introduces 7 benchmark scenarios plus a simplified one is also tested in our analysis
- These results exclude regime of pseudoscalar Higgs boson ( $m_A$ ) for most of the scanned tan  $\beta$  range



# Summary

- In the tenth anniversary of Higgs discovery, ATLAS experiment presented combination measurements on its coupling and beyond Standard Model interpretations with unprecedented precision
  - All main production and decay modes are observed
  - Hints of rare Higgs decays have been seen
  - Kinematic dependence of production cross sections has been studied across a wide range of phase space
  - Higgs couplings to other particles are measured
  - Higgs self-coupling is constrained from single-Higgs and di-Higgs combination
  - **BSM searches** show no deviation
- All these results are in good agreement with SM
- What will we see in the next ten years?



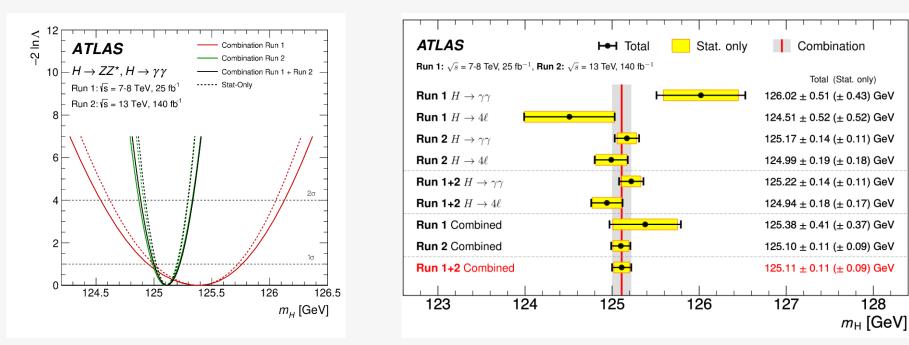




# **Higgs Mass Combination**

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- A measurement of the mass of the Higgs boson combining the Run 1 and Run 2  $H \rightarrow ZZ \rightarrow 4I$  and  $H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$  analyses •
  - The most suitable processes to measure m<sub>H</sub> at the LHC due to their excellent mass resolution
- Result m<sub>H</sub> = 125.11 ± 0.09 (stat.) ± 0.06 (syst.) GeV ٠
  - Most precise measurement of the Higgs boson mass, thanks to the improvement in object calibration and ٠ increase in data statistics



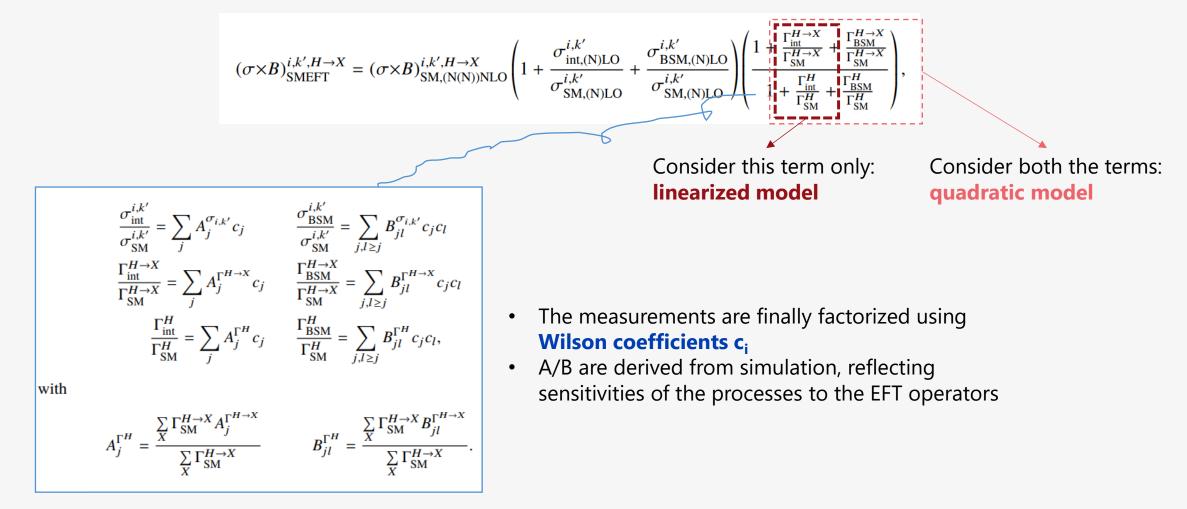
# **Input Analyses for the Interpretations**

- **HComb EFT and MSSM** interpretations 2020? 2HDM and Analysis  $\mathcal{L}$ Reference Binning SMEFT  $[fb^{-1}]$ Decay channel Production mode (h)MSSM [20] STXS-1.2  $(ggF, VBF, WH, ZH, t\bar{t}H, tH)$  $H \to \gamma \gamma$ 139[18] differential  $\checkmark$  (subset) [19]STXS-1.2  $\checkmark$  $H \to ZZ^*$  $(ZZ^* \rightarrow 4\ell: \text{ggF}, \text{VBF}, WH + ZH, t\bar{t}H + tH)$ 139[17]differential  $\checkmark$  (subset)  $(ZZ^* \to \ell \ell \nu \bar{\nu} / \ell \ell q \bar{q}; t\bar{t}H \text{ multileptons})$ 36.1[31]STXS-0\* Main decay modes:  $H\to\tau\tau$  $(ggF, VBF, WH + ZH, t\bar{t}H + tH)$ STXS-1.2 139[26] $\checkmark$  $\checkmark$ **All** inputs from the coupling  $(t\bar{t}H \text{ multileptons})$ 36.1[31] $STXS-0^*$ combination wherever STXS available  $H \to WW^*$ (ggF, VBF)139[27]STXS-1.2  $\checkmark$ 36.1[41] $STXS-0^*$ (WH, ZH)36.1[31] $STXS-0^*$  $(t\bar{t}H \text{ multileptons})$  $H \to b\bar{b}$ (WH, ZH)[21, 22]STXS-1.2 139 $\checkmark$ (VBF) 126[42]STXS-1.2139[43]STXS-1.2 $(t\bar{t}H + tH)$ STXS-1.2(boosted Higgs bosons: inclusive production) 139[44]Rare decays: ---[28] $STXS-0^*$  $H \to Z\gamma$ 139(inclusive production)  $\checkmark$ New  $H \rightarrow Z_V$  $H \to \mu \mu$  $(ggF + t\bar{t}H + tH. VBF + WH + ZH)$ 139[29]STXS-0\*  $\checkmark$  $H \rightarrow \mu\mu$  updated to 139fb<sup>-1</sup> input analyses
- All observed Higgs decay modes and two rare decays included

What's new compared to

# Linearized and quadratic models

• We further modified the Higgs productions and decays to reveal the impact of these SMEFT operators :



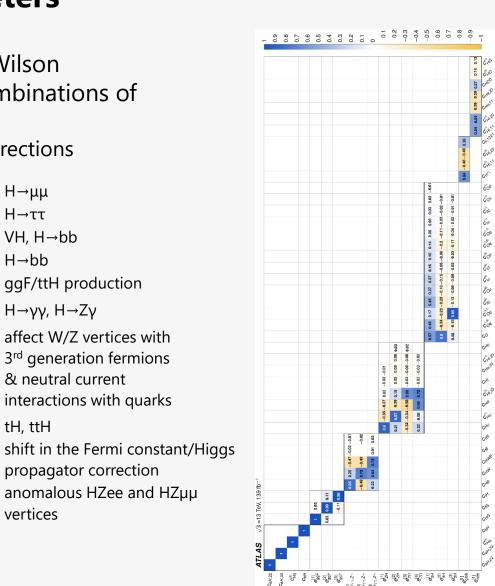
# **Sensitivity Estimate and Choice of Parameters**

- Since the data samples are not capable of constraining all Wilson ٠ coefficients, we have to pick out sensitive ones or linear combinations of these parameters, based on the covariance matrices of data
  - A principal component analysis is done to identify sensitive directions

| $c = \{c_{eH,22}\} \cup$   | <i>c</i> ′ =  | $= \{c_{eH,22}\} \cup$   |  |
|--|---------------|--|--|
| $\{c_{eH,33}\} \cup$   |               | $\{c_{eH,33}\} \cup$   |  |
| $\{c_{Hq}^{\scriptscriptstyle (3)}\} \cup$   |               | $\{c_{Hq}^{\scriptscriptstyle (3)}\} \cup$   |  |
| $\{c_{bH}\} \cup$  |               | $\{c_{bH}\} \cup$  |  |
| $\{c_{HG}, c_{tG}, c_{tH}\} \cup$  | $\rightarrow$ | $\{e_{\rm ggF}^{[1]}, e_{\rm ggF}^{[2]}, e_{\rm ggF}^{[3]}\} \cup$   |  |
| $\{c_{HB}, c_{HW}, c_{HWB}, c_{tB}, c_{tW}\} \cup$   | $\rightarrow$ | $\{e^{[1]}_{H\gamma\gamma,Z\gamma},e^{[2]}_{H\gamma\gamma,Z\gamma},e^{[3]}_{H\gamma\gamma,Z\gamma}\} \cup$ |  |
| $\{c_{Hu}, c_{Hq}^{(1)}, c_{Hd}, c_{Hl,33}^{(3)},$   |               |  |  |
| $c_{Ht}, c_{He,33}, c_{Hl,33}^{(1)}, c_{Hb} \} \cup$   | $\rightarrow$ | $\{e_{ZH}^{[1]}, e_{ZH}^{[2]}, e_{ZH}^{[3]}, e_{ZH}^{[4]}\} \cup$  |  |
| $\{c_G, c_{Qq}^{(1,8)}, c_{Qq}^{(3,1)}, c_{tq}^{(8)}, c_{Qu}^{(8)}, c_{tu}^{(8)}, c_{td}^{(8)}, c_{td}^{(8)},$ |               |  |  |
| $c_{Qd}^{(8)}, c_{Qq}^{(3,8)}, c_{Qq}^{(1,1)}, c_{tu}^{(1)}, c_{tq}^{(1)}, c_{Qu}^{(1)}, c_{Qd}^{(1)}\} \cup$  | $\rightarrow$ | $\{e_{\mathrm{ttH}}^{[1]}, e_{\mathrm{ttH}}^{[2]}, e_{\mathrm{ttH}}^{[3]}\} \cup$                          |  |
| $\{c_{H\Box}, c_{Hl,11}^{(3)}, c_{Hl,22}^{(3)}, c_{ll,1221}\} \cup$  | $\rightarrow$ | $\{e_{	ext{glob}}^{[1]}\} \cup$  |  |
| $\{c_{Hl,11}^{(1)}, c_{Hl,22}^{(1)}, c_{He,11}, c_{He,22}, c_{HDD}, c_{HQ}^{(3)}, c_{HQ}^{(1)}\}$              | $\rightarrow$ | $\{e_{H1111}^{[1]}\}.$   |  |
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Original Wilson coefficients

Coefficients measured in this analysis



H→µµ Η→ττ

H→bb

tH, ttH

vertices

VH, H→bb

 $H \rightarrow \gamma \gamma, H \rightarrow Z \gamma$ 

ggF/ttH production

& neutral current

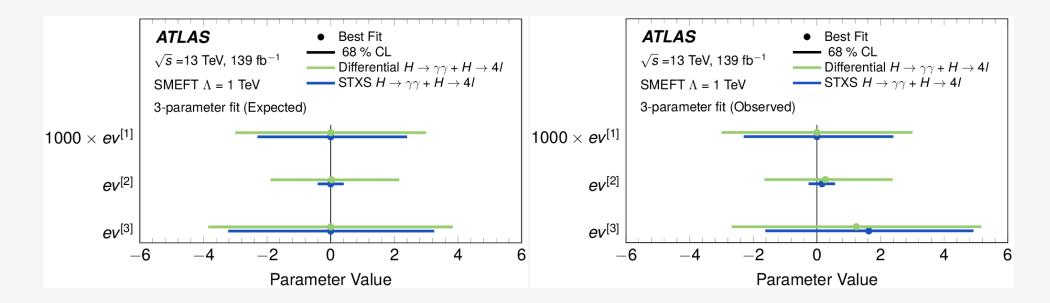
affect W/Z vertices with 3<sup>rd</sup> generation fermions

interactions with quarks

propagator correction

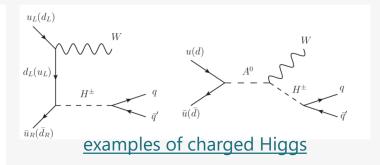
# **EFT differential results**

- Anomalous couplings of the Higgs boson to gluons and top quarks, as well as between gluons and topquarks, can affect the total Higgs boson production cross-section and its dependence on the Higgs boson transverse momentum
- The expected deviations from the SM predictions due to these anomalous couplings can be relatively
  large in high Higgs boson pT regions, which are also characterized by a better signal-to-background ratio,
  making the p<sup>H</sup><sub>T</sub>-differential cross-section measurement more sensitive to these effects compared to a
  measurement of the inclusive rate



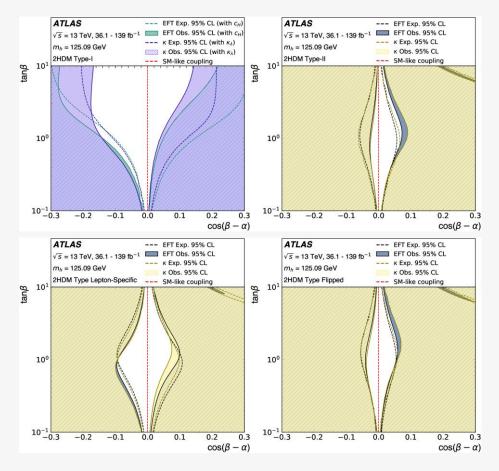
# **Two-Higgs-Doublet Models**

- In two-Higgs-doublet models, the SM Higgs sector with one doublet of scalar complex fields Φ<sub>1</sub> is extended by introducing a second doublet Φ<sub>2</sub>
  - The vacuum-expectation-values  $v_{1,2}$  of  $\Phi_{1,2}$  are related by  $v_1^2 + v_2^2 = v^2$
  - Electroweak symmetry breaking leads to five physical scalar Higgs fields: two neutral CP-even Higgs bosons h and H, one neutral CP-odd Higgs boson A, and two charged Higgs bosons H<sup>±</sup>, where h is the observed Higgs
- Z<sub>2</sub> discrete symmetry forbids tree-level flavor-changing neutral currents(see <u>S. Glashow and S. Weinberg</u>, <u>E. Paschos</u>), which are strongly constrained by existing data, and implies that all fermions with the same quantum numbers couple to only one Higgs doublet
  - Type I: All fermions couple to the same Higgs doublet.
  - Type II: One Higgs doublet couples to up-type quarks while the other one couples to down-type quarks and charged leptons.
  - Lepton-specific: One Higgs doublet couples to leptons while the other one couples to up- and down-type quarks.
  - Flipped: One Higgs doublet couples to down-type quarks while the other one couples to up-type quarks and leptons.



# **Results of 2HDM Based on EFT**

• The modifications introduced in 2HDM could also be generated by using theκ-framework:



$$\frac{v^2 c_{iH}}{\Lambda^2} = -Y_i \eta_i \frac{\cos(\beta - \alpha)}{\tan \beta},$$

- Comparing the results from EFT interpretation and κframework, we found:
  - The exclusion regions are quite similar in general
  - In Type-I model, EFT approach leads to looser constrains due to not considering dimension-8 operators and higher level terms in Higgs selfcoupling
  - The small allowed region disappear in other types because only dimesion-6 terms and linear expansions of Wilson coefficients are considered