

# How to distinguish NMSSM and MSSM?

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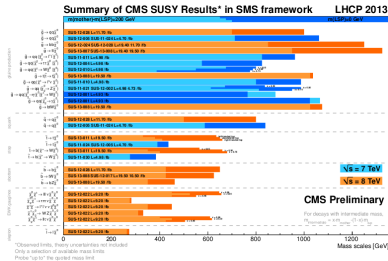
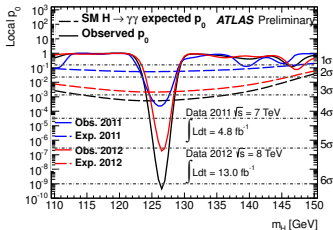
- LHC and SUSY
- Strategy to distinguish between **NMSSM** and **MSSM** scenarios.
- Example of analysis: light singlino scenario.
- Heavy singlino scenarios.
- Conclusions and outlook.

2012 gave us many of results from LHC, in particular:

- SM-like Higgs discovery at **125 GeV** at ATLAS and CMS.
- Great performance from LHCb.

BUT

- No direct observation of BSM particles
- Technicolor, Composite H models, Little Higgs [Reuter et al '13] ... under pressure as well as
- SUSY constrained minimal models, i.e. CMSSM; simplified models etc..



SUSY is still in good shape. Much parameter space to explore, in **MSSM** and in **NMSSM**.

It is the case if we do not apply as strict higher energy constraints as in mSUGRA.

For example, addressing the Higgs sector,

- Heavy CP-even Higgs at 125 GeV option [Bechtle et al].
- No lose theorems for NMSSM [Ellwanger et al.] ...
- Natural SUSY. [Papucci et al '11]
- ...

# The singlet

In the **MSSM** we have the so called " $\mu$ -problem"

$$W_h = \mu \hat{H}_u \cdot \hat{H}_d$$

why  $\mu$  should be at the SUSY-breaking scale?

**( $\mathbb{Z}_3$ -)NMSSM** offers an explanation:

$$W_h = \lambda \hat{S} \hat{H}_u \cdot \hat{H}_d + \frac{\kappa}{3} \hat{S}^3$$

A gauge singlet superfield is added such that  $\mu_{\text{eff}} = \lambda \langle S \rangle = \lambda x$ .

How to distinguish between **NMSSM** and **MSSM** scenarios?

## MSSM

$h, H, A, H^\pm$ :  $\tan \beta, m_A$

$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_2^\pm$ :  $M_2, \mu, \tan \beta$

$\tilde{\chi}_{1,2,3,4}^0$ :  $M_1, M_2, \mu, \tan \beta$

## ( $\mathbb{Z}_3$ -)NMSSM

$S_{1,2,3}, P_{1,2}, H^\pm$ :  $\tan \beta, \lambda, x, \kappa, A_\lambda, A_\kappa$

$\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_2^\pm$ :  $M_2, \lambda \cdot x, \tan \beta$

$\tilde{\chi}_{1,2,3,4,5}^0$ :  $M_1, M_2, \lambda, x, \kappa, \tan \beta$

+ Singlet =

Often one looks only at the Higgs scalar sector.

What if:

- Higgs spectra are not distinguishable at the LHC and/or not reachable at the LC?
- Very similar chargino/neutralino spectra?  $\Rightarrow$  **focus**
- Close  $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_i^0 \tilde{\chi}_j^0)$ ,  $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_i^+ \tilde{\chi}_j^-)$ ?  $\Rightarrow$  **on this**

These conditions are possible for unconstrained scenarios [[hep-ph/0502036](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/0502036)].

In general, very close lower **MSSM/NMSSM** spectra possible for unconstrained scenarios.

Looking at the **chargino/neutralino** sector, we can distinguish two classes:

- High  $\tilde{S}$  admixture in  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  or  $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$  [[hep-ph/0502036](#)].

Easier to distinguish from MSSM looking at higgsino/gaugino features of neutralino from decay channels.

- $\tilde{S}$ , mainly in the heavier states  $\tilde{\chi}_3^0, \tilde{\chi}_4^0, \tilde{\chi}_5^0$ :

- $\mu < M1, M2$
- $\mu > M1, M2$

Trickier scenario to be distinguished with **MSSM**, due to similar admixture in the lighter neutralinos and MSSM-like signatures.

We assume:

- We measure at LHC/LC only the light SUSY masses:  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_{1,2}^0}$ ,  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$  ( $m_{\tilde{\nu}}$ ,  $m_{\tilde{e}_{R,L}}$ ).
- Experimental uncertainties:  $\delta m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$ ,  $\delta m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$ ,  $\delta m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0} \sim 0.1\%$ .
- At the LC:
  - We exploit polarized beams:  $P_{e^-} \in [-0.9, +0.9]$ ,  $P_{e^+} \in [-0.6, +0.6]$ .
  - We measure  $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0\tilde{\chi}_2^0)$  and  $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^+\tilde{\chi}_1^-)$  at  $\sqrt{s} = 350$  (top threshold), 500 GeV.

The strategy is to:

- $\chi^2$ -fit of the measured values to the **MSSM** parameters  $M_1$ ,  $M_2$ ,  $\mu$ ,  $\tan\beta$ .  
[Desch et al '03]
- Derive heavier **MSSM** neutralinos, as  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0}$ .
- Cross-check at LHC/LC of predicted  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0}$  and study its properties.



## Former example: Light singlino scenario

For  $M_1 > M_2$ , contemplated also in AMSB, one can get [\[hep-ph/0502036\]](#):

Disclaimer: just excluded by LUX [\[1310.8214\]](#).

|       | $M_1$ [GeV] | $M_2$ [GeV] | $\mu, \mu_{eff} = \lambda \cdot x$ [GeV] | $\tan \beta$ | $\kappa$ | $\lambda$ |
|-------|-------------|-------------|--|--------------|----------|-----------|
| MSSM  | 365         | 142         | 360                                      | 8            |          |           |
| NMSSM | 360         | 138         | 457.5                                    | 9.6          | 0.2      | 0.5       |

Leading to  $m_h = 125$  GeV and, and the tree-level masses [GeV]:

|       | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_4^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_5^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm}$ |
|-------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| MSSM  | 129                    | 338                    | 366                    | 405                    |                        | 130                      | 382                      |
| NMSSM | 129                    | 336                    | 366                    | 468                    | 499                    | 131                      | 474                      |

We also take  $m_{\tilde{e}_L} = 240$ ,  $m_{\tilde{e}_R} = 224$ ,  $m_{\tilde{\nu}_e} = 226$  GeV.

| MSSM               | $\tilde{B}$ | $\tilde{W}$ | $\tilde{H}_a$ | $\tilde{H}_b$ | NMSSM              | $\tilde{B}$ | $\tilde{W}$ | $\tilde{H}_a$ | $\tilde{H}_b$ | $\tilde{S}$ |
|--------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ | 0.08%       | 91.8%       | 2.3%          | 5.8%          | $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$ | 0.04%       | 95%         | 1.1%          | 3.4%          | 0.5%        |
| $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$ | 58.2%       | 3.8%        | 22.8%         | 15.2%         | $\tilde{\chi}_2^0$ | 39%         | 1.9%        | 11.4%         | 4.8%          | 42.6%       |
| $\tilde{\chi}_3^0$ | 0.1%        | 0.96%       | 38.3%         | 60.6%         | $\tilde{\chi}_3^0$ | 56%         | 0.2%        | 1.4%          | 0.004%        | 42.3%       |
| $\tilde{\chi}_4^0$ | 41.6%       | 3.41%       | 36.7%         | 18.3%         | $\tilde{\chi}_4^0$ | 0.1%        | 0.7%        | 39.3%         | 59.2%         | 0.6%        |
|                    |             |             |               |               | $\tilde{\chi}_5^0$ | 4.5%        | 2.3%        | 46.7%         | 32.5%         | 13.9%       |

# Example: Light singlino scenario - production cross-sections at LO

$$\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^+ \tilde{\chi}_1^-) \quad [\text{fb}]$$

| $\sqrt{s} = 350 \text{ GeV}$ | MSSM         | NMSSM       |
|------------------------------|--------------|-------------|
| P=(0,0)                      | 422.19±1.57  | 427.8±1.62  |
| P=(-0.9,0.6)                 | 1282.66±4.62 | 1298.5±4.77 |
| P=(0.9,-0.6)                 | 17.68±0.43   | 19.2±0.44   |
| $\sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$ | MSSM         | NMSSM       |
| P=(0,0)                      | 302.9±0.86   | 313±0.87    |
| P=(-0.9,0.6)                 | 920.4±2.22   | 951.35±2.29 |
| P=(0.9,-0.6)                 | 12.62±0.31   | 12.69±0.33  |

$$\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0) \quad [\text{fb}]$$

| $\sqrt{s} = 500 \text{ GeV}$ | MSSM       | NMSSM      |
|------------------------------|------------|------------|
| P=(0,0)                      | 9.45±0.20  | 6.05±0.14  |
| P=(-0.9,0.6)                 | 28.71±0.49 | 18.4±0.33  |
| P=(0.9,-0.6)                 | .40±0.03   | 0.251±0.02 |

- The statistic error is given by  $1 \sigma$  at  $\int \mathcal{L} = 500 \text{ fb}^{-1}$ .
- $\delta m_{\tilde{\nu}_e}, \delta m_{\tilde{e}_L} = 0.1\%$ ,  $\delta m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}, \delta m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}, \delta m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0}$  at 0.1%.
- Relative error on the polarizations:  $\Delta P/P = 0.5\%$ .

# Data fit to NMSSM and model distinction

$\chi^2$ -fit with **NMSSM**  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$ ,  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0}$ ,  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$ ,  $\sigma_{L,R}(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^+ \tilde{\chi}_1^-)$  and  $\sigma_{L,R}(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0)$  to **MSSM** parameters:

| $M_1$ [GeV]     | $M_2$ [GeV]     | $\mu$ [GeV]      | $\tan \beta$           |
|-----------------|-----------------|------------------|------------------------|
| $345.8 \pm 0.5$ | $134.7 \pm 0.2$ | $493.4 \pm 10.0$ | unconstrained: [1, 60] |

Fit result excludes that the “data” are consistent with the **MSSM** ( $\chi^2/\text{d.o.f.} = 185$ ).

Moreover, observing the **NMSSM**  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0} = 366 \pm 1.8$  GeV. Away from fit  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0} \in [489, 509]$  GeV !!

| $\tilde{\chi}_3^0$ | $\tilde{B}$ | $\tilde{W}$ | $\tilde{H}_a$ | $\tilde{H}_b$ | $\tilde{S}$ |
|--------------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|
| <b>NMSSM</b>       | 56%         | 0.2%        | 1.4%          | 0.004%        | 42.3%       |
| <b>MSSM fit</b>    | 0.1%        | 0.8%        | 48.5%         | 50.6%         |             |

One can also look at gaugino properties through precision observables.

In the case of heavy singlino scenarios, it can be particularly difficult to distinguish between **NMSSM** and **MSSM**.

Two classes considered:

- Case 1,  $M_1, M_2 > \mu$ : higgsino-like lightest neutralinos-chargino
- Case 2,  $M_1, M_2 < \mu$ : gaugino-like lightest neutralinos-chargino

# Heavy singlino, case 1: $\mu < M_1 < M_2$

|            | $M_1$ [GeV] | $M_2$ [GeV] | $\mu, \mu_{\text{eff}} = \lambda \cdot x$ [GeV] | $\tan \beta$ | $A_\lambda$ | $A_{\kappa\text{appa}}$ |
|------------|-------------|-------------|---|--------------|-------------|-------------------------|
| MSSM/NMSSM | 450         | 1000        | 120   | 27           | 3000        | -30                     |

neutralino/chargino tree-level spectra very close to MSSM, in [GeV]:

|         | $\lambda$ | $\kappa$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_4^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_5^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm}$ |
|---------|-----------|----------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| MSSM    |           |          | 113.30                 | 124.24                 | 454.35                 | 1006.6                 |                        | 118.74                   | 1006.6                   |
| NMSSM 1 | 0.05      | 0.4      | 113.28                 | 124.26                 | 454.35                 | 1006.6                 | 1920                   | 118.74                   | 1006.6                   |
| NMSSM 2 | 0.1       | 0.09     | 111.95                 | 124.68                 | 217.80                 | 454.35                 | 1007                   | 118.74                   | 1006.6                   |
| NMSSM 3 | 0.1       | 0.08     | 111.55                 | 124.72                 | 194.23                 | 454.35                 | 1007                   | 118.74                   | 1006.6                   |

MSSM:  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \sim \frac{1}{2}(\tilde{H}_a + \tilde{H}_b), \tilde{\chi}_3^0 \sim \tilde{B}, \tilde{\chi}_4^0 \sim \tilde{W}_3$

NMSSM 1:  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \sim \frac{1}{2}(\tilde{H}_a + \tilde{H}_b), \tilde{\chi}_3^0 \sim \tilde{B}, \tilde{\chi}_4^0 \sim \tilde{W}_3, \tilde{\chi}_5^0 \sim \tilde{S}$

NMSSM 2:  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \sim \frac{1}{2}(\tilde{H}_a + \tilde{H}_b), \tilde{\chi}_3^0 \sim \tilde{S}, \tilde{\chi}_4^0 \sim \tilde{B}, \tilde{\chi}_5^0 \sim \tilde{W}_3$

NMSSM 3:  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \sim \frac{1}{2}(\tilde{H}_a + \tilde{H}_b), \tilde{\chi}_3^0 \sim \tilde{S}, \tilde{\chi}_4^0 \sim \tilde{B}, \tilde{\chi}_5^0 \sim \tilde{W}_3$

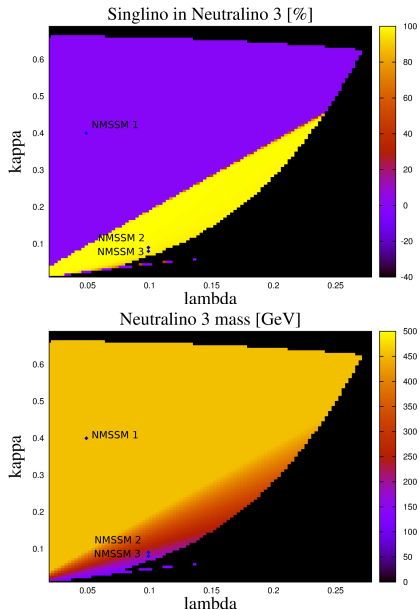
# Heavy singlino, case 1: $\mu < M_1 < M_2$

Scanning the  $\lambda - \kappa$  plane with:

- NMSSMTools-4.1.2 and micrOMEGAs-3.0 for pheno and DM constraints.
- HiggsBounds-4.0.0 and HiggsSignals-1.0.0 to check the Higgs sector.

Black areas correspond to excluded points.

Disclaimer: Scans not yet updated to the recent LUX results [1310.8214]



# Heavy singlino, case 1: $\mu < M_1 < M_2$ , $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0)$

| $\sqrt{s} = 350$ GeV, in fb | MSSM        | NMSSM 1 | NMSSM 2     | NMSSM 3 | $\delta\sigma$ |
|-----------------------------|-------------|---------|-------------|---------|----------------|
| P=(0,0)                     | 438.37      | 438.37  | 433.03      | 429.59  | 0.94           |
| P=(-0.9,0.55)               | 788.75      | 788.74  | 779.14      | 772.94  | 1.50           |
| P=(0.9,-0.55)               | 521.99      | 521.98  | 515.62      | 511.52  | 1.11           |
| $\sqrt{s} = 500$ GeV, in fb | MSSM        | NMSSM 1 | NMSSM 2     | NMSSM 3 | $\delta\sigma$ |
| P=(0,0)                     | 217.05      | 217.05  | 214.15      | 212.34  | 0.65           |
| P=(-0.9,0.55)               | 389.81      | 389.80  | 384.59      | 381.34  | 0.96           |
| P=(0.9,-0.55)               | 259.19      | 259.19  | 255.71      | 253.55  | 0.75           |
| $\tilde{\chi}_3^0$          | $\tilde{B}$ |         | $\tilde{S}$ |         |                |

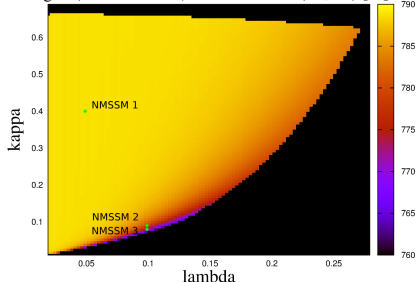
The  $\chi^2$ -fit tells that, for 7 d.o.f

**NMSSM 1** data:  $\chi^2=0.01 < 14.07$   
consistent with MSSM.

**NMSSM 2** data:  $\chi^2=11.44 < 14.07$   
consistent with MSSM.

**NMSSM 3** data:  $\chi^2=32.18 > 14.07$   
not consistent with MSSM at 95% CLx.

Sigma(e+e- -> N1N2) at 350 GeV P=(-.9,.55) [fb]

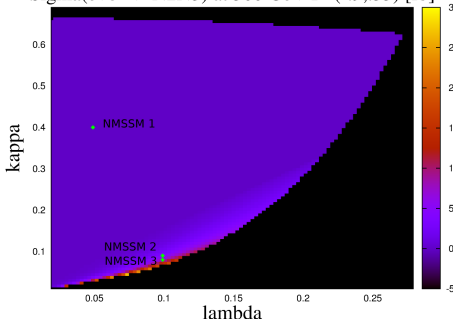


# Heavy singlino, case 1: $\mu < M_1 < M_2$ , $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \tilde{\chi}_3^0)$

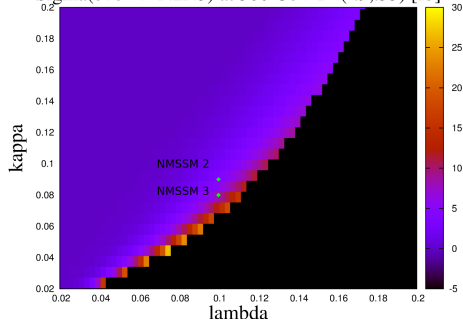
| $\sqrt{s}=500$ GeV | MSSM                      | NMSSM 1     | NMSSM 2         | NMSSM 3         |
|--------------------|---------------------------|-------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| P=(0,0)            | kinematically not allowed |             | $2.36 \pm 0.1$  | $4.13 \pm 0.12$ |
| P=(-0.9,0.55)      |                           |             | $4.23 \pm 0.16$ | $7.42 \pm 0.19$ |
| P=(0.9,-0.55)      |                           |             | $2.82 \pm 0.11$ | $4.94 \pm 0.14$ |
| $\tilde{\chi}_3^0$ |                           | $\tilde{B}$ |                 | $\tilde{S}$     |

Distinction possible also detecting/not detecting  $\tilde{\chi}_3^0$  at 500 GeV ( $\delta m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0} \sim 0.5\%$ ).

Sigma(e+e- -> N2N3) at 500 GeV P=(-.9,.55) [fb]



Sigma(e+e- -> N2N3) at 500 GeV P=(-.9,.55) [fb]





# Heavy singlino, case 2: $M_2 < M_1 < \mu$

|            | $M_1$ [GeV] | $M_2$ [GeV] | $\mu, \mu_{\text{eff}} = \lambda \cdot x$ [GeV] | $\tan \beta$ | $A_\lambda$ | $A_{\kappa}$ |
|------------|-------------|-------------|---|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| MSSM/NMSSM | 240         | 105         | 455   | 9.2          | 3700        | -120         |

neutralino/chargino tree-level spectra very close to MSSM, in [GeV]:

|         | $\lambda$ | $\kappa$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_4^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_5^0}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm}$ | $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm}$ |
|---------|-----------|----------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|
| MSSM    |           |          | 98.49                  | 236.30                 | 460.58                 | 470.78                 |                        | 98.62                    | 470.37                   |
| NMSSM 1 | 0.08      | 0.2      | 98.49                  | 236.31                 | 460.62                 | 470.74                 | 2275.08                | 98.62                    | 470.37                   |
| NMSSM 2 | 0.5       | 0.2      | 97.6                   | 235.56                 | 349.37                 | 465.85                 | 492.31                 | 98.62                    | 470.37                   |

**MSSM:**

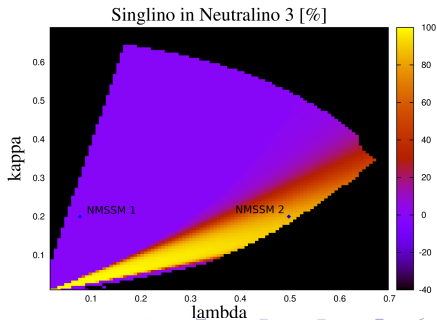
$$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \sim \tilde{W}_3, \quad \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \sim \tilde{B}, \quad \tilde{\chi}_3^0, \tilde{\chi}_4^0 \sim \frac{1}{2}(\tilde{H}_a + \tilde{H}_b),$$

**NMSSM 1:**

$$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \sim \tilde{W}_3, \quad \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \sim \tilde{B}, \quad \tilde{\chi}_3^0, \tilde{\chi}_4^0 \sim \frac{1}{2}(\tilde{H}_a + \tilde{H}_b), \quad \tilde{\chi}_5^0 \sim \tilde{S}$$

**NMSSM 2:**

$$\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \sim \tilde{W}_3, \quad \tilde{\chi}_2^0 \sim \tilde{B}, \quad \tilde{\chi}_3^0 \sim \tilde{S}, \quad \tilde{\chi}_4^0, \tilde{\chi}_5^0 \sim \frac{1}{2}(\tilde{H}_a + \tilde{H}_b)$$



# Heavy singlino, case 2: $M_2 < M_1 < \mu$ , $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0)$

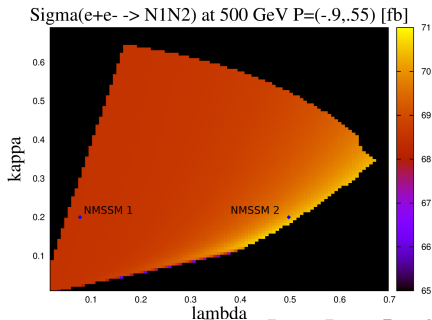
| $\sqrt{s}=350$ GeV, in fb | MSSM                                     | NMSSM 1 | NMSSM 2     | $\delta\sigma$ |
|---------------------------|--|---------|-------------|----------------|
| P=(0,0)                   | 1.40                                     | 1.40    | 1.65        | 0.06           |
| P=(-0.9,0.55)             | 4.14                                     | 4.14    | 4.85        | 0.14           |
| $\sqrt{s}=500$ GeV, in fb | MSSM                                     | NMSSM 1 | NMSSM 2     | $\delta\sigma$ |
| P=(0,0)                   | 23.28                                    | 23.28   | 23.86       | 0.22           |
| P=(-0.9,0.55)             | 68.514                                   | 68.52   | 70.20       | 0.39           |
| P=(0.9,-0.55)             | 1.09                                     | 1.09    | 1.14        | 0.05           |
| $\tilde{\chi}_3^0$        | $\frac{1}{2}(\tilde{H}_a + \tilde{H}_b)$ |         | $\tilde{S}$ |                |

The  $\chi^2$ -fit allows to distinguish **MSSM**, at 95% confidence level, only with **NMSSM 2**.

Indeed, for 6 d.o.f.,

**NMSSM 1** data:  $\chi^2=0.84 < 12.6$   
consistent with MSSM.

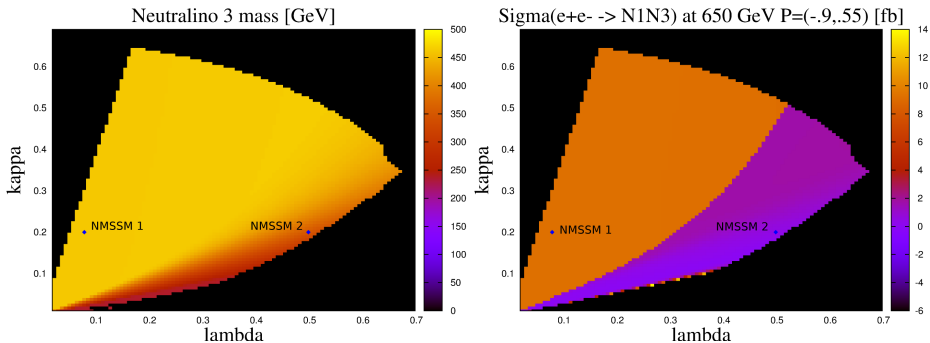
**NMSSM 2** data:  $\chi^2=37.77 > 12.6$   
not consistent with MSSM.



# Heavy singlino, case 2: $M_2 < M_1 < \mu$ , $\sigma(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_3^0)$

| $\sqrt{s} = 650$ GeV, in fb | MSSM                                     | NMSSM 1         | NMSSM 2     |
|-----------------------------|--|-----------------|-------------|
| P=(0,0)                     | $3.74 \pm 0.58$                          | $3.74 \pm 0.58$ | .16         |
| P=(-0.9,0.55)               | $9.19 \pm 1.35$                          | $9.19 \pm 1.35$ | .46         |
| P=(0.9,-0.55)               | $1.99 \pm 0.38$                          | $1.99 \pm 0.38$ | .03         |
| $\tilde{\chi}_3^0$          | $\frac{1}{2}(\tilde{H}_a + \tilde{H}_b)$ |                 | $\tilde{S}$ |

Distinction possible also detecting/not detecting  $\tilde{\chi}_3^0$  at 650 GeV ( $\delta m_{\tilde{\chi}_3^0} \sim 0.5\%$ ).



# Conclusions and outlook

- LHC data have severely put under pressure constrained SUSY models, **not** SUSY in general. **NMSSM** is a fashionable option.
- **MSSM** and **NMSSM** scenarios can lead to similar lower spectra and production cross section.
- Exploit the power of polarized beam at the LC. Look at the neutralino/chargino sector. Measure  $\sigma_{L,R}(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^0 \tilde{\chi}_2^0)$  and  $\sigma_{L,R}(e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_1^+ \tilde{\chi}_1^-)$ .
- Fit to the **MSSM** parameters and search for heavier resonances; interplay LHC/LC.
- Strategy effective for light-singlino scenarios. Trickier with heavy-singlino scenarios, for certain areas in the  $\lambda - \kappa$  plane need more information.

## To do:

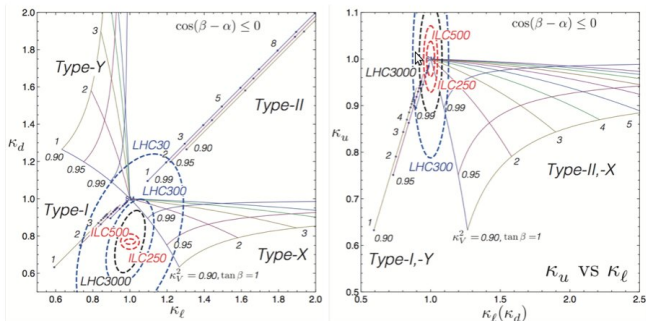
- Extend analysis to other observables as asymmetries, spin-dependent observables, tau polarization [0908.0876], stop sector.
- Include quantum level precision.
- Include more Higgs sector observables in the analysis, i.e. couplings to fermions etc..

**Thank you for your attention!**

|             | MSSM   | NMSSM  |
|-------------|--------|--------|
| $m_{S_1}$   | 125.07 | 125.07 |
| $m_{S_2}$   | 4409   | 322.69 |
| $m_{S_3}$   |        | 4411   |
| $m_{P_1}$   | 4411   | 335.27 |
| $m_{P_2}$   |        | 4411   |
| $m_{H^\pm}$ | 4409   | 4410   |

- In the NMSSM,  $S_2$  and  $P_2$  are singlet-like at 99%.

# Backup: effective theory approach



**Figure 1.17.** The deviation in  $\kappa_f = \xi_h^f$  in the 2HDM with Type I, II, X and Y Yukawa interactions are plotted as a function of  $\tan\beta = v_2/v_1$  and  $\kappa_V = \sin(\beta - \alpha)$  with  $\cos(\beta - \alpha) \leq 0$ . For the illustration purpose only, we slightly shift lines along with  $\kappa_x = \kappa_y$ . The points and the dashed curves denote changes of  $\tan\beta$  by one steps. The scaling factor for the Higgs-gauge-gauge coupling constants is taken to be  $\kappa_V^2 = 0.99, 0.95$  and  $0.90$ . For  $\kappa_V = 1$ , all the scaling factors with SM particles become unity. The current LHC constraints, expected LHC and ILC sensitivities on (left)  $\kappa_d$  and  $\kappa_\ell$  and (right)  $\kappa_u$  and  $\kappa_\ell$  are added.

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Similar analysis, relative to LHC in [\[hep-ph/1212.5240\]](https://arxiv.org/abs/hep-ph/1212.5240).