

# **Naturalness of the Standard Model and Higgs boson**

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## Outline:

- **Running masses in the standard model (SM)**
- **Higgs boson mass evolution and naturalness problem**
- **the standard model: naturalness, hierarchy & fine-tuning and new physics**
- **Summary**

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**Running couplings:  $\alpha_{\text{QCD}}$ ,  $\alpha_{\text{EW}}$**

**Running masses**

**Different mass parameterizations  
(different approaches to include higher orders):**

- pole (on-shell) mass**
- running mass**

**SM running masses**

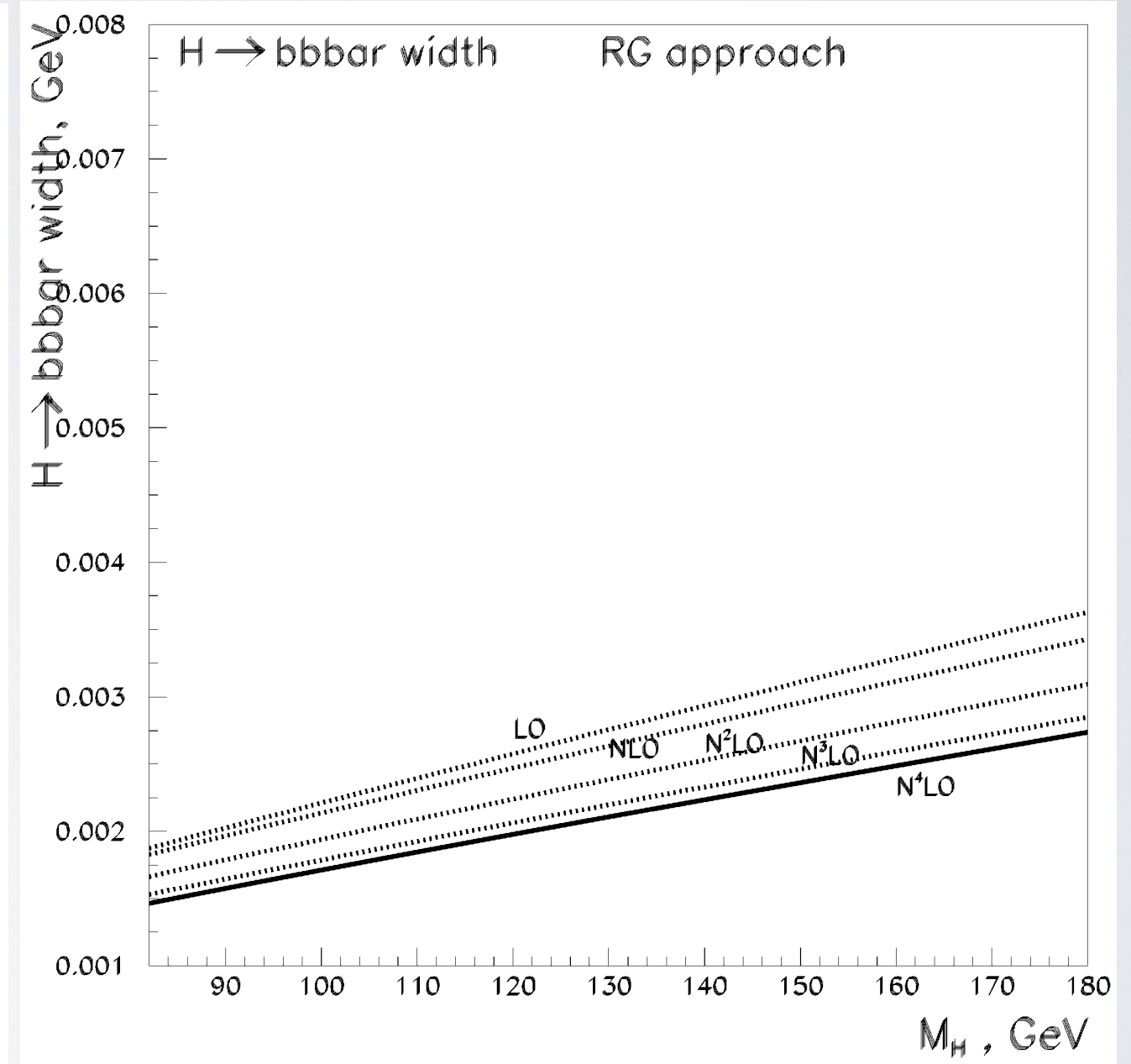
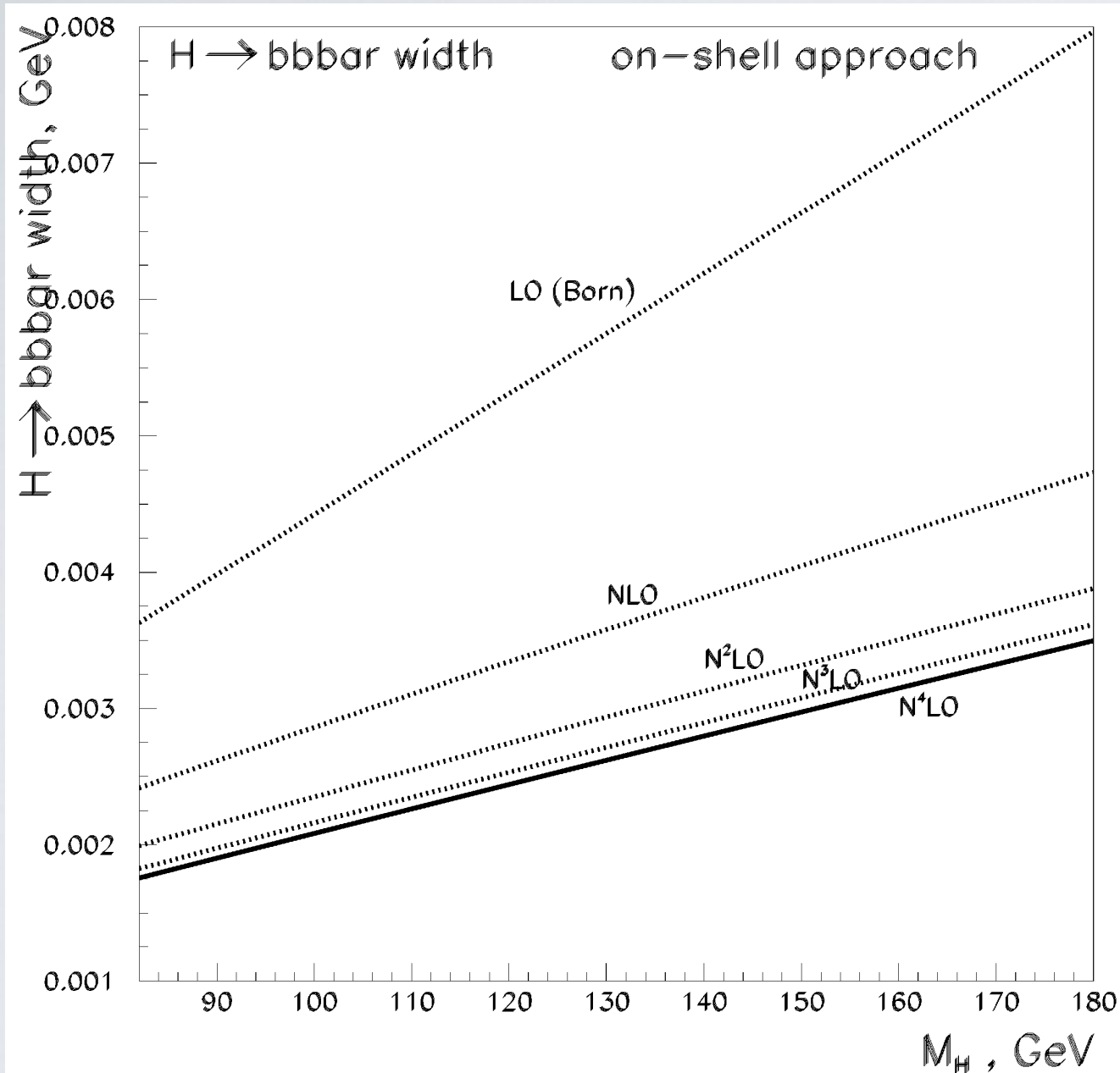
- fermions and vector bosons: logarithmic**
- scalar Higgs boson: logarithmic or/and quadratic ?**  
**quadratic -> “non-naturalness”**

# Higgs boson decay width

## Width of Higgs boson decay into b-quarks (up to N<sup>4</sup>LO)

P. Baikov, K. Chetyrkin, J. Kuhn (2006)

A. Kataev, V. K. (2008)



**b-quark mass**

**- 4.5 GeV Upsilon**

**- 2.8 GeV Higgs boson**



# Higgs boson of Standard Model

**Higgs boson discovery of CMS and ATLAS in 2012 is most important physics result at LHC upto now**

**ATLAS, Phys. Lett. B 716 (2012) 1**

**CMS, Phys. Lett. B 716 (2012) 30**

**Brout-Englert-Higgs-Guralnik-Hagen-Kibble mechanism of spontaneous symmetry breaking**

**R. Brout, F. Englert, Phys. Rev. Lett. 13 (1964) 321**

**P.W. Higgs, , Phys. Lett. 12 (1964) 132; Phys. Rev. Lett. 13 (1964) 508**

**G.S. Guralnik, C.R. Hagen, T.W.B. Kibble, Phys. Rev. Lett. 13 (1964) 585**

**P. Higgs & F. Englert: Nobel Prize (2013)**

**Higgs boson is only scalar elementary particle known up to now**

# Standard Model with 125 GeV Higgs boson

## Higgs boson: if logarithmic mass evolution

**Higgs boson defines electroweak vacuum density  
(meta)stable vacuum up to Planck scales**

**F. Bezrukov, M. Kalmykov, B. Kiehl & M. Shaposhnikov, JHEP 10 (2012) 140**

**One may conclude:**

**(Almost) no need for a New Physics up to Planck scales**

**Only needs:**

- ( $\sim 1$  GeV) BSM neutral leptons to explain Dark Matter
- strong CP-problem
- neutrino masses
- baryon-antibaryon asymmetry

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**- and still explain why there is naturalness (New Physics?!)**

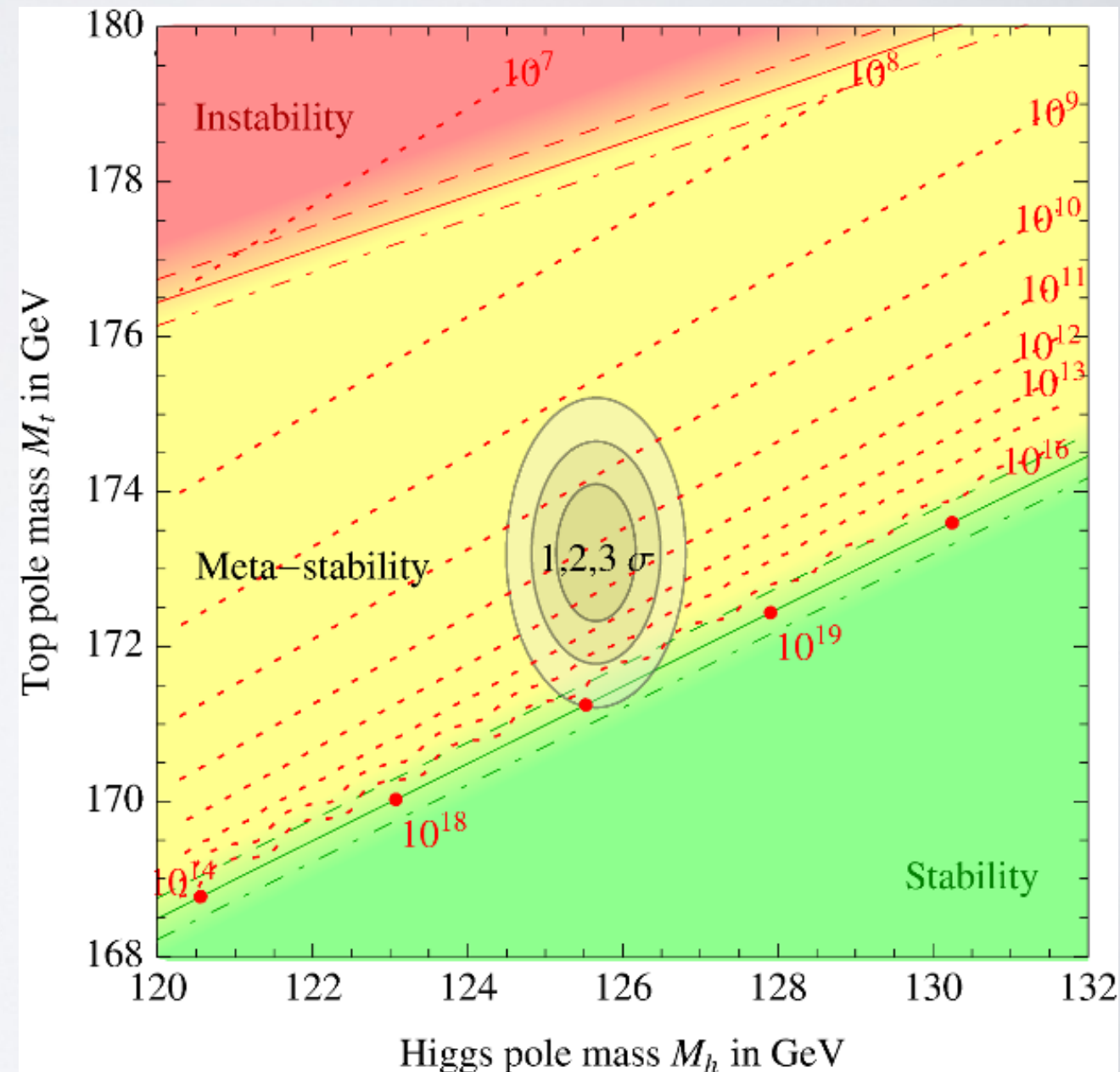
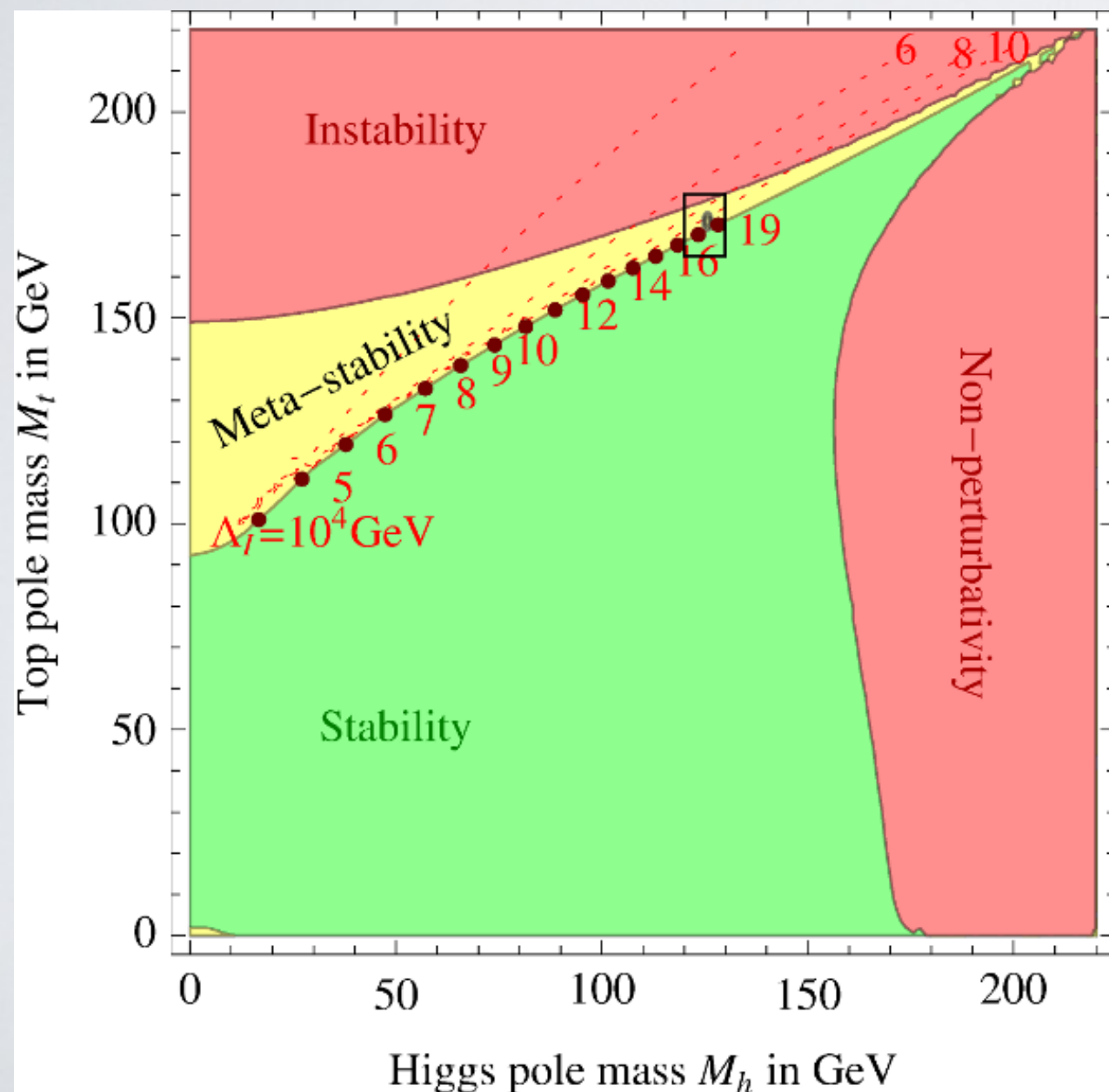
# Standard Model with 125 GeV Higgs boson

Higgs boson mass defines electroweak vacuum density  
Meta-stable vacuum

G. Degrassi et al., JHEP 08 (2012) 098

D. Butazzo et al., JHEP 12 (2013) 089

A. Bednyakov et al., Phys. Rev. Lett. 115 (2015) 201802

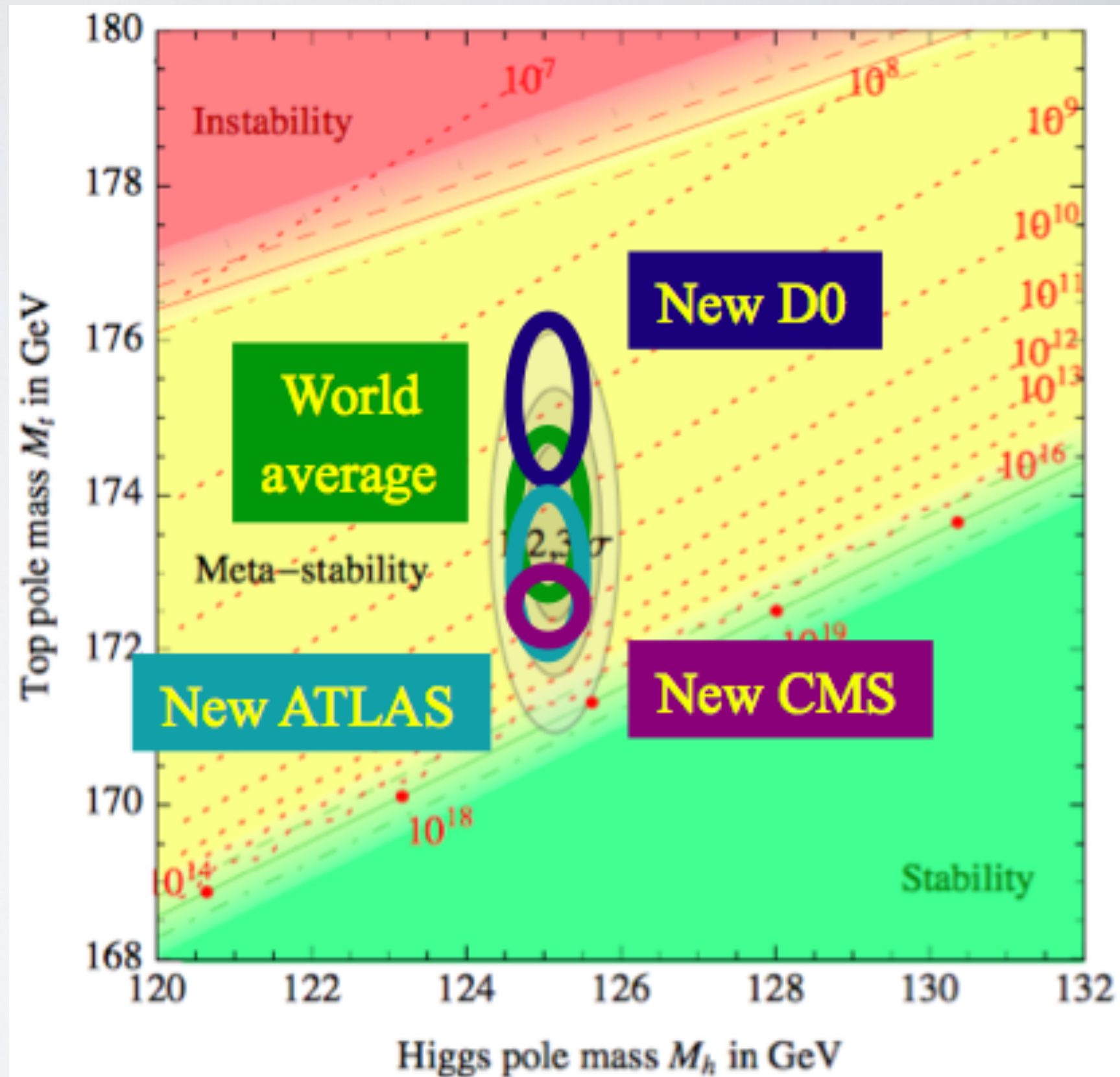




# Standard Model vacuum stability vs new LHC data

J. Ellis, arXiv: 1702.05436 (2017)

D. Butazzo et al., JHEP 12 (2013) 089





# **(Non-)Naturalness of the standard model**

**Logarithmic evolution of theory parameters:  
weak dependence between low and very large scales  
-> concept of "Naturalness"**

- Scalar field is simple, but "non-natural":  
scalar mass evolution is quadratic, not logarithmic**

**K. Wilson, Phys. Rev. D3 (1971) 1818**

**L. Susskind, Phys. Rev. D20 (1979) 2619**

- Scalar field is not protected by a symmetry,  
while fermions are protected by chiral symmetry**

**G. 't Hooft, Proc. Cargese Summer Inst. (1980)**

**for reviews see G. Giudice, (2008)**

**The previously discussed calculations were done within  $\overline{\text{MS}}$  renormalization: based on popular dimensional regularization (DR)**

**-> no quadratic mass divergences in “standard” prescription**

**Also, used as an argument for a necessity of SUSY**  
**R. Barbieri, G.F. Giudice, Nucl. Phys. B306 (1988) 63**

**Physical renormalization:  
momentum subtraction (MOM) scheme**

**-> there are quadratic mass divergences**

# Naturalness of the Standard Model in 1-loop

**M. Veltman, Acta Phys. Pol. B12 (1981) 437**

renormalization scheme dependence for scalar particles:

$$m_H^2 = m_{0H}^2 + C_L(\lambda_i, m_i) \cdot \log\left(\frac{\Lambda_{UV}^2}{m^2}\right) + C_X(\lambda_i, m_i) \cdot \Lambda_{UV}^2$$

"physical" schemes  $\rightarrow C_X \neq 0$

schemes with dim. regularization ( $\overline{\text{MS}}$ , ...)  $\rightarrow C_X = 0$

**$\overline{\text{MS}}$  reproduces quadratic divergence at  $D = 2$ ,  $L=1$**

$$m_H^2 = m_{H0}^2 + \delta m_H^2$$

$$v = 246 \text{ GeV}$$

$$\delta m_H^2 \approx \frac{\Lambda^2}{16\pi^2} (24y_t^2 - 6(2y_W^2 + y_Z^2 + y_H^2)) \sim 8.2 \frac{\Lambda^2}{16\pi^2}$$

$$y_i \equiv \frac{m_i}{v}$$

**Non-naturalness of Higgs boson at  $\Lambda > 550 \text{ GeV}$   
(Veltman criterion):**

$$\delta m_H^2 \approx m_H^2 \quad (\Lambda = 550 \text{ GeV}, m_H = 125 \text{ GeV})$$



**M. Veltman, Acta Phys. Pol. B12 (1981) 437**

**quadratic mass divergences within MSbar renormalization:**

**Dim = 4 – 2/L**

$$m_R^2 = m_B^2 + P \Lambda^2,$$

**where  $P = P(m_H, m_t, m_W, m_Z)$**

**Veltman condition for absence of quadratic mass divergences:**

$$P = 0$$

**Veltman condition holds up to 2-loops:**

**but in higher orders it cannot be hold in self-consistent way**

**M.S. Al-sarhi, I. Jack, D.R.T. Jones,**

**Nucl. Phys. B345 (1990) 431, Zeit fur Physik C55 (1992) 283**

**Veltman condition and Higgs effective potential**

**M.B. Einhorn, D.R.T. Jones, Phys. Rev. D42 (1992) 5206**

# Naturalness of Standard Model

**Barbieri-Giudice (BG) condition:**

**sensitivity physical parameters for small variation of bare ones**

**R. Barbieri, G.F. Giudice, Nucl. Phys. B306 (1988) 63**

**Using BG condition with both quadratic and logarithmic contributions leads to extension of Naturalness domain of SM: up  $\sim O(10 \text{ TeV})$  instead of  $\sim O(1 \text{ TeV})$**

**VK, G. Pivovarov, Phys. Rev. D78 (2008) 016001**

**Regular way for scalar boson mass evolution with quadratic mass divergences**

**G. Pivovarov, Phys. Rev. D81 (2010) 076077**

**Landau pole like in  $\lambda H^4$ :**

$$\lambda(Q) \simeq \frac{\lambda(v)}{1 - \frac{3}{4\pi^2} \lambda(v) \ln(Q^2/v^2)}$$

# Standard Model: Higgs boson roles



- provide mass to SM particles by Brout-Englert-Higgs mechanism
- restore unitarity for EW vector boson scattering:  
Higgs boson cancels quadratic growth of longitudinal components for EW vector bosons with collision energy
- if Higgs could be very light -> no noticeable growth with collision energy
- if Higgs could be very heavy -> strong growth of EW vector boson interaction -> New SM dynamics: nonperturbative strong EW interaction can lead to heavy EW resonances



# SM with “non-natural” Higgs boson

**Proper physical consideration with quadratic evolution  
for Higgs boson mass:**

**Higgs boson observables (mass, self-coupling, EW vacuum density)  
gets critical values at larger scales  
than in popular “standard” treatments with scale  $\sim O(1 \text{ TeV})$**

- > only at the scales  $\sim O(10 \text{ TeV})$  one should expect  
new physics manifestations:**
  - new strong EW dynamics**
  - or/and New Physics beyond Standard Model**

# Summary

- **Standard Model without quadratic evolution for Higgs boson mass requires (!) New Physics to have Naturalness**
- **Naturalness domain of Standard Model with quadratic evolution for Higgs boson mass may be larger than generally accepted: up  $\sim O(10 \text{ TeV})$  instead of  $\sim O(1 \text{ TeV})$**
- **Present LHC physics: new physics is unavoidable either as a new dynamics of SM or/and a New Physics. Besides search direct search of New Physics it requires ‘non-naturalness’ studies (talk by M. Gouzevitch)**