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ELECTROWEAK BARYOGENESIS IN THE MSSM

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I. Introduction

- Observable Universe presents a clear asymmetry between Matter and Anti-Matter

$$N_B \gg N_{\bar{B}}$$

- Cosmic Rays:

$$N_{\bar{P}} \simeq 10^{-4} N_P$$

- Consistent with secondary emission of \bar{P}
- No γ -ray sources in cluster of galaxies
- What is the origin of the baryon asymmetry?
- Sakharov Requirements

- Baryon Number Violation

Any Baryon Number conserving process

$$N_B = N_{\bar{B}}$$

- C and CP Violation $(N_B)_{L,R} \neq (N_{\bar{B}})_{L,R}$

- Departure from Thermal Equilibrium. In thermal equilibrium $N_B = N_{\bar{B}}$

- In S.M. Baryon Number violation mediated by Non-Trivial Topological Configurations (Instantons)

$$\Delta B = \Delta L$$

- Rate exponentially suppressed at $T = 0$

$$\Gamma(T = 0) \simeq \exp(-2\pi/\alpha_W) \simeq 10^{-173}$$

- At finite Temperature, instead,

$$\Gamma \simeq \beta_0 T \exp(-E_{sph}(T)/T)$$

with

$$E_{sph} \simeq 8\pi v(T)/g,$$

and $v(T)$ being the v.e.v. of the Higgs field.

- If $n_B = 0$ for $T > T_c$, independently of the source of baryon asymmetry

$$\frac{n_B}{s} = \left(\frac{n_B}{s}\right)_{T_c} \exp\left[-\frac{10^{16}}{T_c[GeV]} \exp\left(-\frac{E_{sph}(T_c)}{T_c}\right)\right]$$

- Therefore, for the preservation of the generated n_B ,

$$\frac{v(T_c)}{T_c} \geq 1$$

Finite Temperature Effective Potential

$$V(\phi, T) = V_0(\phi) + V_1(\phi, 0) + \Delta V_1(\phi, T)$$

where the finite T contribution is given by

$$\Delta V_1(\phi, T) = \sum_{i=b,f} \left[\frac{n_i m_i^2(\phi) T^2}{48} - \frac{\eta_i m_i^4(\phi)}{64\pi^2} \log \left(\frac{m_i^2(\phi)}{T^2} \right) \right] - \sum_b \frac{m_b^3(\phi) T}{12\pi}$$

where $\eta_i = n_i(-1)^{2S}$ and $m_i(\phi) \leq 2T$. For large values of the particle masses, $m(\phi) \gg 2T$, the finite T -contributions are exponentially suppressed.

$$V(T) = D(T^2 - T_0^2)\phi^2 - E_B T \phi^3 + \frac{\lambda(T)}{2} \phi^4$$

$$\frac{v(T_c)}{T_c} \simeq E_B / \lambda(T_c)$$

- In the SM, $E_B \simeq \sqrt{2}(2M_W^3 + M_Z^3)/(3\pi v^3)$, while $m_H^2 \simeq 2\lambda v^2$. The condition of preservation of the generated baryon number

$$\frac{v(T_c)}{T_c} \geq 1 \quad \text{implies} \quad m_H \leq 40 \text{ GeV},$$

- Electroweak Baryogenesis in the **SM** is ruled out.

EW Baryogenesis implies presence of new light boson degrees of freedom, with relevant couplings to the Higgs field. The Higgs boson should remain light.

$$\frac{\phi(T_c)}{T_c} \simeq \frac{E_B}{\lambda(T_c)} \simeq \sum_b n_b g_{bH}^3 \frac{v^2}{m_H^2}$$

- Supersymmetry provides a natural framework for this scenario. Relevant Light Bosons: Supersymmetric Partners of the top quark (stops).
Espinosa, Quiros, Zwirner '93; Carena, Quiros, Wagner '96

- Each stop has six degrees of freedom, and couplings of order one to the Higgs field.

$$E_B \simeq \frac{g_W^3}{4\pi} + \frac{h_t^3}{2\pi} \simeq 8 E_{SM}$$

and hence, Higgs masses up to 110–115 GeV can be accommodated within the SUSY framework.

- In the MSSM, there are two Higgs doublets H_1, H_2 and the left-handed and right-handed stop mix

$$\mathcal{M}_t^2 = \begin{bmatrix} m_Q^2 + m_t^2 + D_L & m_t X_t \\ m_t X_t^* & m_U^2 + m_t^2 + D_R \end{bmatrix}$$

where $m_t = h_t H_2$, $X_t = A_t - \mu^* / \tan \beta$ and $\tan \beta = H_2 / H_1$.

- For $m_Q \gg m_U, |X_t|$, and either for large values of the heavy Higgs doublet mass, $m_A \gg M_Z$, or for large $\tan \beta$, for most values of m_A , there is one Higgs boson h with mass

$$m_h^2 \simeq M_Z^2 \cos^2 2\beta + \frac{3m_t^4}{8\pi^2 v^2} \left[\log \left(\frac{m_{\tilde{t}_1}^2 m_{\tilde{t}_2}^2}{m_t^4} \right) + 2 \frac{|X_t|^2}{m_Q^2} \log \left(\frac{m_{\tilde{t}_1}^2}{m_{\tilde{t}_2}^2} \right) + \mathcal{O} \left(\frac{|X_t|^4}{m_Q^4} \right) \right]$$

- For $m_{\tilde{t}_1} \simeq m_Q \simeq 1 \text{ TeV}$, $m_{\tilde{t}_2} \simeq m_t$ and $|X_t| \leq 0.6 m_Q$ [$g_{\tilde{t}H}^2 = h_t^2 (1 - \frac{|X_t|^2}{m_Q^2})$],

$$m_h \leq 110 \text{ GeV}$$

The largest values of the Higgs boson mass are obtained for values of $\tan \beta \geq 5$.

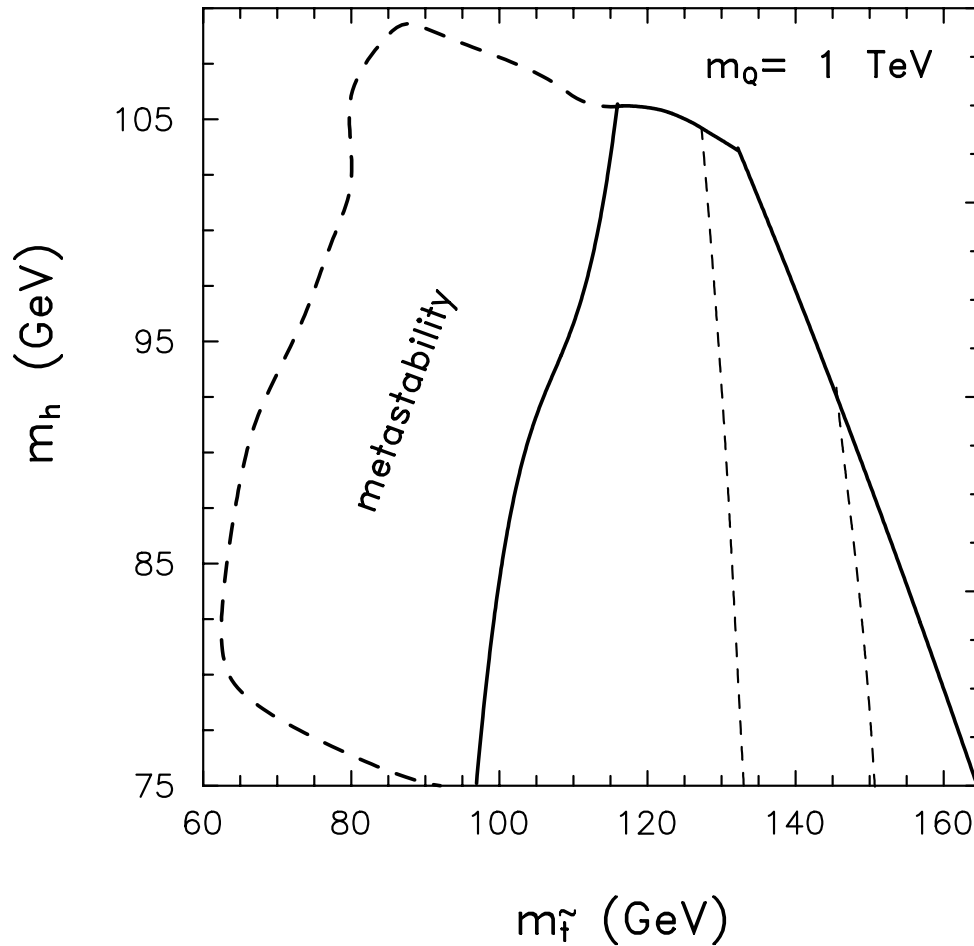
In order to make a precise analysis, we should take into account

- Two loop corrections at zero and finite T . Finite two-loop corrections, ignored here, can vary m_h by a few GeV

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- Study of vacuum stability at zero and finite T .

Stop and Higgs Mass Predictions



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- X_t ($\tan \beta$) grows to the left (top) of figure
- Bound $m_h \lesssim 115$ GeV obtained for $m_Q = 2-3$ TeV.
- Metastability possible if lifetime of metastable vacuum larger than age of the Universe.

The LEP Collider at CERN has reported a bound on the Standard Model Higgs mass of $m_H \gtrsim 112 \text{ GeV}$ at 95 % C.L. A 2.6σ excess of events consistent with a SM-like Higgs boson, with mass of about 113–115 GeV has also been reported. Great news !

What would happen if bound increases to 115 GeV ?

- Bound is only valid for a SM-like Higgs. In the MSSM, m_h behaves as a SM Higgs only for $m_A \gg M_Z$.
- Low values of m_A decrease $v(T_c)/T_c$ for small values of $\tan \beta$.
- Low values of m_A decrease m_h for small values of $\tan \beta$, without affecting the Higgs couplings in a significant way.
- The scenario of EW Baryogenesis in the MSSM can only survive if
 - Value of $\tan \beta$ is large, $\tan \beta \geq 5$ and either
 - * The excess of events observed at LEP correspond to a SM-like Higgs boson of mass in the range 110–115 GeV !, or
 - * The value of $m_A \simeq 80\text{--}200 \text{ GeV}$.

If all Higgs bosons are light, these particles may escape detection because either

- Their couplings to the gauge bosons are suppressed and/or
- Their couplings to b-quarks are suppressed

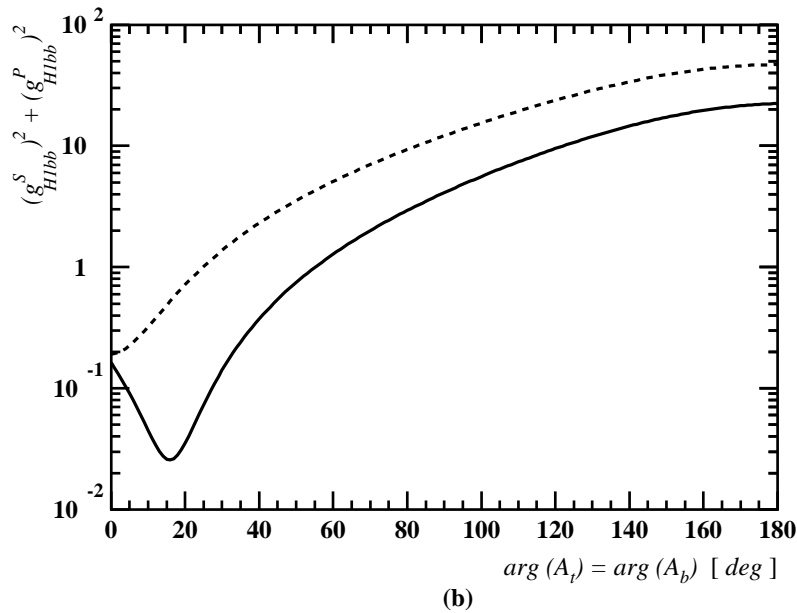
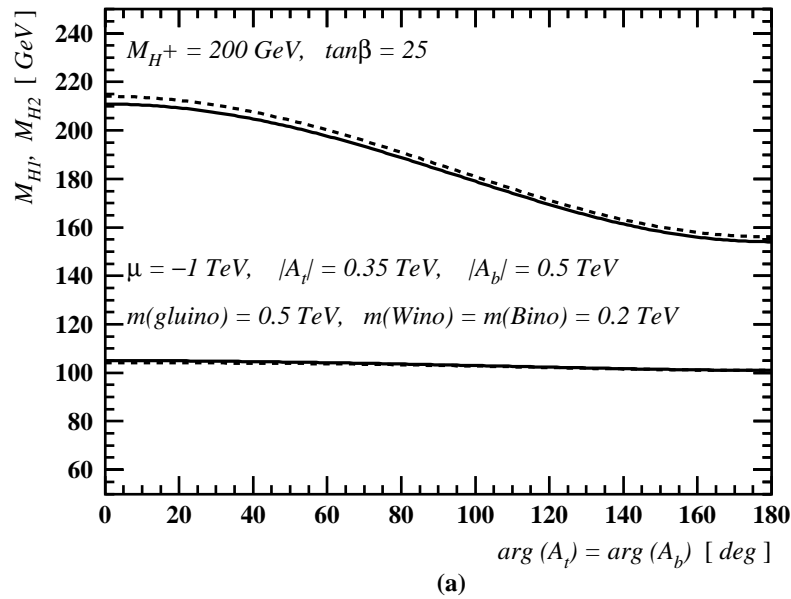
In the presence of CP-violating phases of the SUSY parameters, the three neutral Higgs boson mix and their couplings to the Z -boson fulfill

$$\sum_i g_{H_i Z Z}^2 = 1, \quad g_{H_i Z Z} = \epsilon_{ijk} g_{H_j H_k Z}$$

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Moreover, the couplings of the Higgs bosons to b -quarks may be strongly affected by radiative corrections.

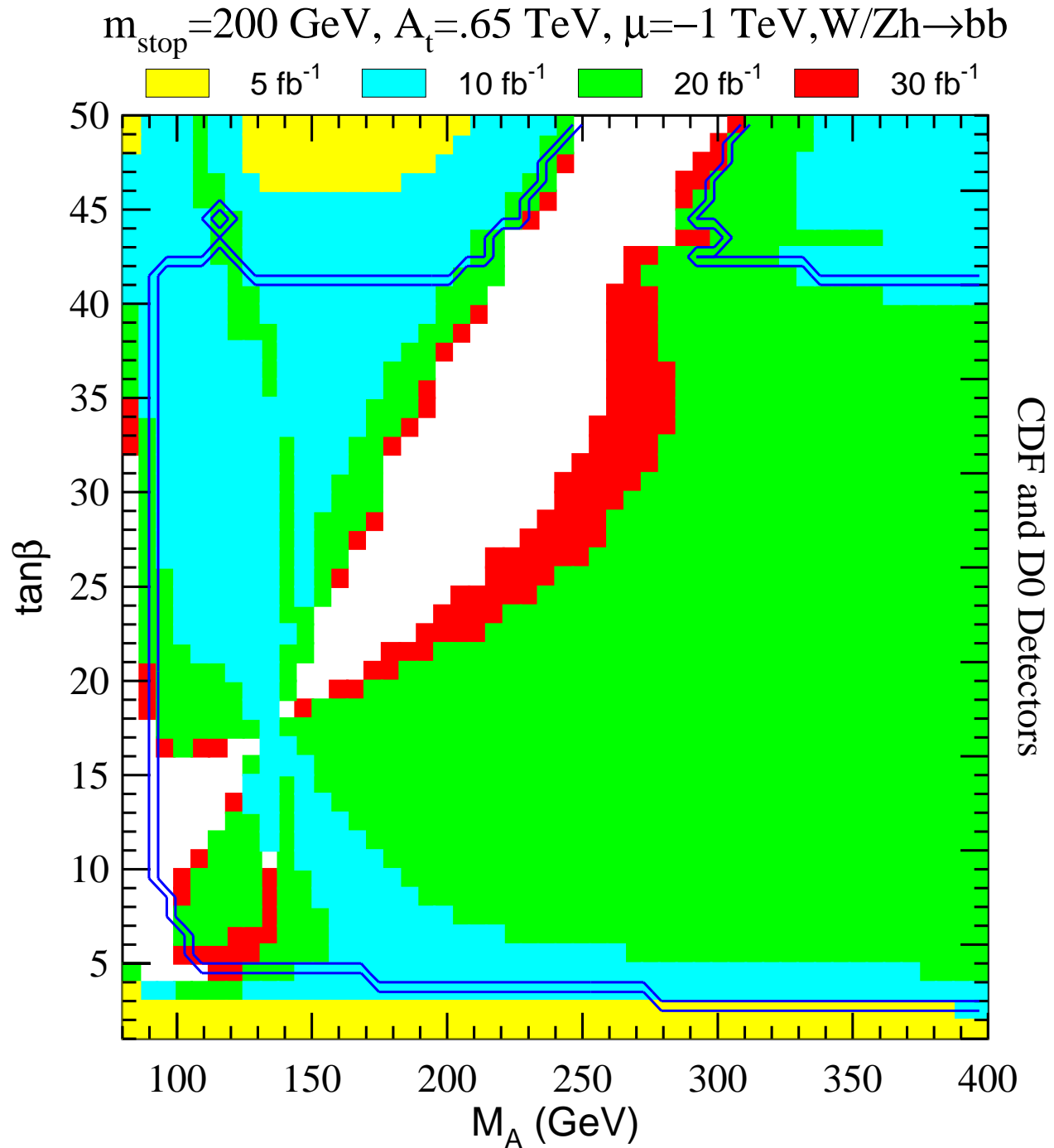
Higgs Properties vs. $arg(A_t\mu)$



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- Dashed- and solid-lines correspond to gluino mass phase $arg(M_{\tilde{g}}) = 0$ and π , respectively.

Suppression of coupling of Higgs to b -quarks and Tevatron Reach



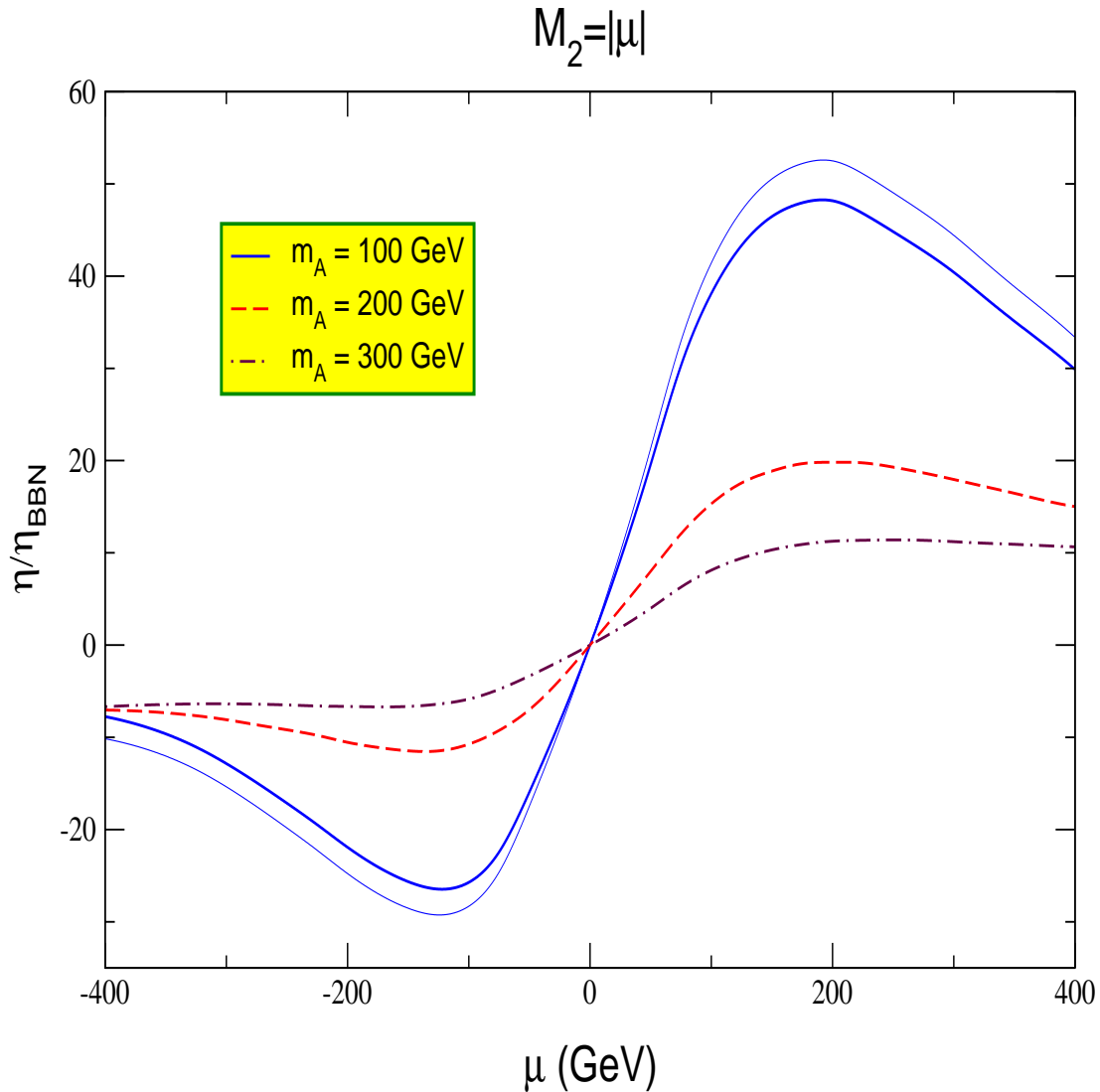
Computation of Baryon Asymmetry

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- We derived diffusion equations for the chiral charges induced by the passage of the wall of the expanding true-vacuum bubbles.
- We developed a method to compute the CP-Violating sources of baryon asymmetry in a derivative expansion, **to all orders in Higgs mass insertions**.
- Sources are dominated by chargino-neutralino contributions, and proportional to $\arg(M_2\mu)$, where M_2 and μ are the masses of the supersymmetric partners of the gauge and the Higgs boson fields, respectively.
- Results depend slightly on the wall parameters and strongly on M_2 , $|\mu|$ and m_A . The results also depend linearly on $\arg(M_2\mu)$.
- Results generalize the previously found ones

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Baryon Asymmetry η for $\arg(M_2\mu) = \pi/2$



- We set $v(T_c)/T_c \geq 1$; $\tan \beta = 5-20$, $m_h \simeq 105-115$ GeV for $m_Q = 1-3$ TeV.

Gaugino masses of order of the weak scale. Larger

$|\mu|$ suppresses n_B : $n_B \simeq n_B^0 \left| \frac{\mu^0}{\mu} \right|^2$.

Conclusions

- The scenario of Electroweak Baryogenesis can be realized in the MSSM if
$$m_h \lesssim 110\text{--}115 \text{ GeV}, \quad m_{\tilde{t}} < m_t$$
- Present LEP bounds imply that if this scenario is realized if
 - Large values of $\tan \beta > 5$ and
 - Large values of $m_Q = 1\text{--}3 \text{ TeV}$.
Small values of $m_{H^+} < 300 \text{ GeV}$ preferred if no Higgs at LEP.
- Computation of Baryon asymmetry: Acceptable values of η/η_{BBN} for $\arg(M_2\mu) \geq 0.01$.
- Values of the gaugino and Higgsino masses of order of the weak scale are preferred.
- If Higgs bosons are not seen at LEP due to kinematic reasons or a suppression of its coupling to b -quarks, they should be seen at either a high luminosity Tevatron or at the LHC ($H \rightarrow \gamma\gamma$).
- Light stops, and probably light charginos should also be seen at at least one of these colliders.