

# High $\tan\beta$ study in the stau/stop/sbottom sectors

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→ The crucial case of high  $\tan\beta$
2. Strategy: Use of  $\tau$  and  $t$  polarisation
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4. Results

→ Boos, GMP, Martyn, Sachwitz, Vologdin, hep-ph/0211040  
→ Boos, GMP, Martyn, Sachwitz, Sherstnev, Zerwas,  
hep-ph/0303110

## Step-by-step Strategy

General MSSM parameter from  $\tilde{\chi}^\pm, \tilde{\chi}^0, \tilde{\tau}$

- a) charginos:  $M_2, \mu, \Phi_\mu, \tan\beta$
- b) neutralinos:  $+ M_1, \Phi_1$

Remember:

only light system,  $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm, \tilde{\chi}_1^0, \tilde{\chi}_2^0$  would be sufficient!  
→ and even  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_2^\pm}$  predictable!...

Choi, Kalinowski, GMP, Zerwas, hep-ph/0108117+0202039

However, all  $m_{\tilde{\chi}_i}$  and couplings =  $f(\cos 2\beta, \sin 2\beta)$

High  $\tan\beta$ :  $\sin 2\beta \rightarrow 2\frac{1}{\tan\beta}$  and  $\cos 2\beta \rightarrow -1$

⇒ weak dependend on high  $\tan\beta$

No precise determination possible via  $\tilde{\chi}_i$  sector!

What to do?



## Possible channels for determining high $\tan \beta$

Higgs sector, e.g.:

- J. Gunion, T. Han, J. Jiang, S. Mrenna, A. Sopczak '01, '02  
 $e^+e^- \rightarrow HZ \rightarrow \bar{b}b\bar{b}b$ ,  $e^+e^- \rightarrow b\bar{b}h$ ,  $b\bar{b}A \rightarrow \bar{b}b\bar{b}b$   
rates and width  $\Rightarrow \Delta \tan \beta > 10\%$  (small  $m_A$ )
- V. Barger, T. Han, J. Jiang '00:  
 $e^+e^- \rightarrow Ht\bar{t}$ ,  $Hb\bar{b}$ ,  $At\bar{t}$ ,  $A, b\bar{b}$   
J.L. Feng, T. Moroi '97:  
 $e^+e^- \rightarrow Zh$ ,  $AH$ ,  $t\bar{b}H^-$ ,  $\bar{t}bH^+$   
rates and BR

$\tan \beta$	BHJ	FM
3	2.4–3.6	< 5.2
5	4.3–6.3	3–6
10	6.2–12.7	> 6.5
20	14–32	7.5–90
30	18–80	> 8

$\Rightarrow$  high  $\tan \beta$  is a problem ...

$\Rightarrow$  Help from  $\tilde{\tau}$ ,  $\tilde{t}$ ,  $\tilde{b}$  sector possible?

$\Rightarrow$  Yukawa couplings:  $Y_{\tau,b} = \frac{m_{\tau,b}}{m_W}/(\sqrt{2}\cos \beta)$ ,  
 $Y_t = \frac{m_t}{m_W}/(\sqrt{2}\sin \beta)$

## What was already done in the $\tilde{\tau}$ , $\tilde{b}$ , $\tilde{t}$ sector?

- Masses, rates, BR's, e.g.:

Bartl, Eberl, Kraml, Majerotto, Porod	'97, '00
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Eberl, Kraml, Majerotto	'99
Bartl, Hidaka, Kernreiter, Porod	'02

- Use of  $\tau$  Polarisation, e.g.:

Nojiri	'94
Nojiri, Fujii, Tsukamoto	'96
Guchait, Roy	'01, '02

- Extraction of  $t$  polarisation, e.g.:

Jezabek, Kühn	'89
Boos, Sherstnev	'02

## What are we doing now?

Interplay between  $\tilde{\tau}_i, \tilde{t}_i, \tilde{b}_i \leftrightarrow \tilde{\chi}_j^{0,\pm}$  sector:

- ⇒ detailed simulation of  $\tilde{\tau}$ ,  $t$  polarisation
- ⇒ measurement of (high)  $\tan\beta$
- ⇒ analysis concerning determination of  $A_f$

## Analysis of the $\tilde{\tau}$ sector

Mixing matrix of  $\tilde{\tau}_{1,2}$ :

$$\mathcal{M}_{\tilde{\tau}} = \begin{pmatrix} M_L^2 + m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2 + L \cos(2\beta) m_z^2 & m_{\tilde{\tau}} (A_{\tilde{\tau}} - \mu \tan \beta) \\ m_{\tilde{\tau}} (A_{\tilde{\tau}} - \mu \tan \beta) & M_E^2 + m_{\tilde{\tau}}^2 - R \cos(2\beta) m_z^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

- off-diagonal terms depend strongly on  $\tan \beta$  but also on  $A_{\tilde{\tau}}$ !
- diagonal terms depend only slightly on (high)  $\tan \beta$
- Mixing:

$$\begin{pmatrix} \tilde{\tau}_1 \\ \tilde{\tau}_2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta_{\tilde{\tau}} & \sin \theta_{\tilde{\tau}} \\ -\sin \theta_{\tilde{\tau}} & \cos \theta_{\tilde{\tau}} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \tilde{\tau}_L \\ \tilde{\tau}_R \end{pmatrix}$$

Rates and mixing angle:

$$\sigma(\tilde{\tau}_i \tilde{\tau}_i) = f(\cos^2 2\theta_{\tilde{\tau}}, \cos 2\theta_{\tilde{\tau}})$$

$$\sigma(\tilde{\tau}_1 \tilde{\tau}_2) = f(\sin^2 2\theta_{\tilde{\tau}}, \sin 2\theta_{\tilde{\tau}})$$

$\Rightarrow \cos 2\theta_{\tilde{\tau}}$  via light system  $\sigma(\tilde{\tau}_1 \tilde{\tau}_1)$  with 2-fold ambiguity

$\Rightarrow$  Resolving ambiguity via 2nd measurement  
 $\rightarrow$  use of beam polarization!

# Parameters from the $\tilde{\tau}$ sector

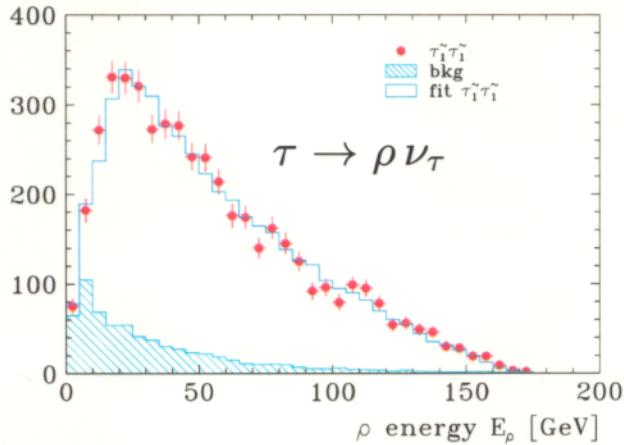
Reference scenario:

$m_{\tilde{\tau}_1}$	$m_{\tilde{\tau}_2}$	$M_1$	$M_2$	$\mu$	$\tan \beta$	$A_\tau$
151 GeV	305 GeV	99 GeV	193 GeV	140	20	-254.2

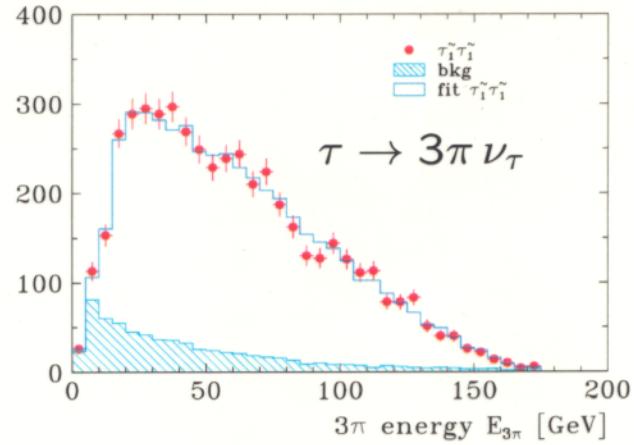
Process:  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}_1\tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau^+\tau^- + 2\tilde{\chi}_1^0$

Expected accuracy for masses and rates:

$\sqrt{s} = 500$  GeV,  $P_{e^-} = +80\%$ ,  $P_{e^+} = -60\%$ ,  $\mathcal{L} = 250$  fb $^{-1}$



$$m_{\tilde{\tau}_1} = 155.2 \pm 0.8 \text{ GeV}$$



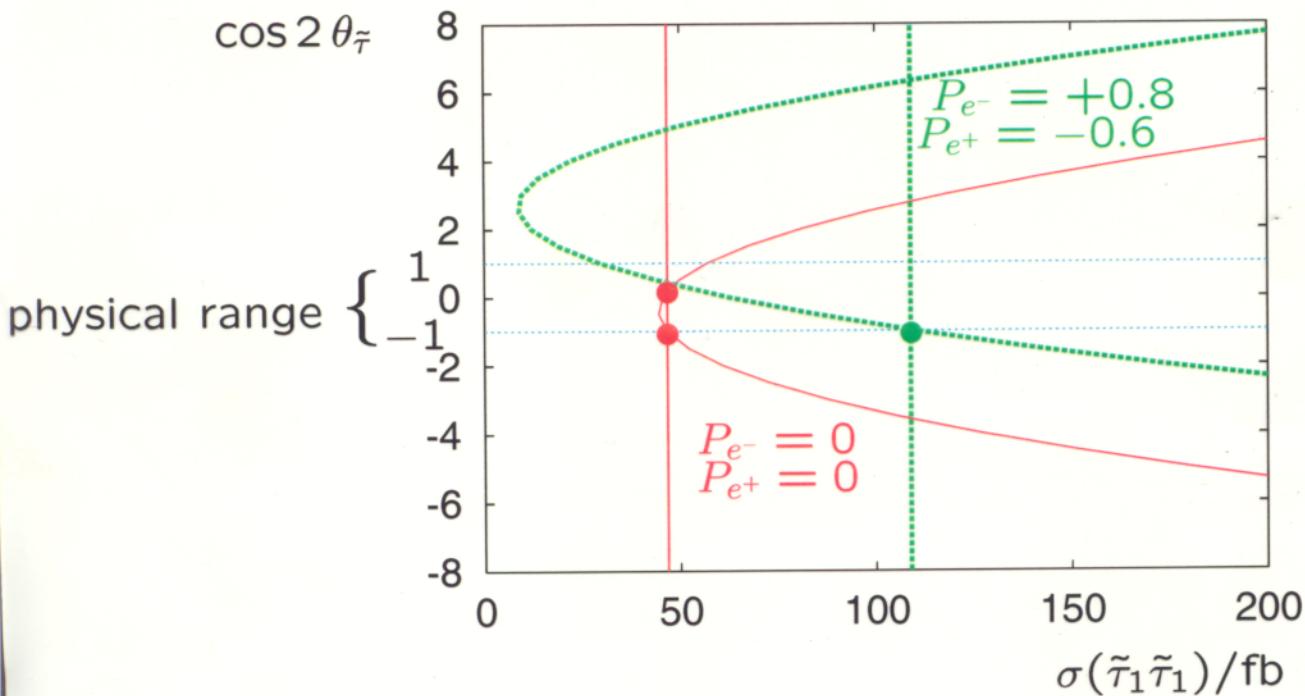
$$m_{\tilde{\tau}_1} = 154.8 \pm 0.5 \text{ GeV}$$

- QED and beamstrahlung included
- Energy and angle cuts  
→ Background  $WW \sim 6\%$ ,  $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm\tilde{\chi}_1^\mp \sim 3\%$ ,  $\tilde{\chi}_2^0\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \sim 7\%$
- Determination of  $\delta\sigma(\tilde{\tau}_1\tilde{\tau}_1)/\sigma(\tilde{\tau}_1\tilde{\tau}_1) \sim 3\%$ !

## The $\tilde{\tau}$ mixing angle

Process:  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}_1^+\tilde{\tau}_1^-$

(with  $P(e^-) = +80\%$ ,  $P(e^+) = -60\%$ )



$\Rightarrow P_{e^\pm} = 0: \sigma(\tilde{\tau}_1 \tilde{\tau}_1) = 47 \text{ fb}$

$\Rightarrow$  2-fold ambiguity!

$\Rightarrow P_{e^-} = +80\%, P_{e^+} = -60\%: \sigma(\tilde{\tau}_1 \tilde{\tau}_1) = 109 \text{ fb}$

$\Rightarrow$  no ambiguity:  $\cos 2\theta_{\tilde{\tau}} = -.987 \pm 0.08!$

Beam polarisation = simple and elegant method  
for resolving ambiguities!

Masses known  $\rightarrow$  predictable, which polarisation  
would be sufficient!

## Tau polarisation $P(\tilde{\tau}_i \rightarrow \tau)$

**Process:**  $\tilde{\tau}_i \rightarrow \tau \tilde{\chi}_j^0$

Lagrangian:  $\mathcal{L} = \sum \tilde{\tau}_i \bar{\tau}_i (P_L a_{ij}^R + P_R a_{ij}^L) \tilde{\chi}_j^0$

Polarization with complete  $\tilde{\chi}_i^0$  mixing:

$$\tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau \tilde{\chi}_1^0 = \frac{(4 - n_g^2) - (4 + n_g^2 - 2n_h^2\mu_\tau^2/\cos^2\beta) \cos 2\theta_{\tilde{\tau}} + 2(2 + n_g)}{(4 + n_g^2 + 2n_h^2\mu_\tau^2/\cos^2\beta) - (4 - n_g^2) \cos 2\theta_{\tilde{\tau}} + 2(2 - n_g)} \sin 2\theta_{\tilde{\tau}} n_h \mu_\tau / \cos \beta$$

- $n_g$ : gaugino components from  $\tilde{\chi}_i^0$
- $n_h$ : higgsino components from  $\tilde{\chi}_i^0$   
**crucial contribution!**

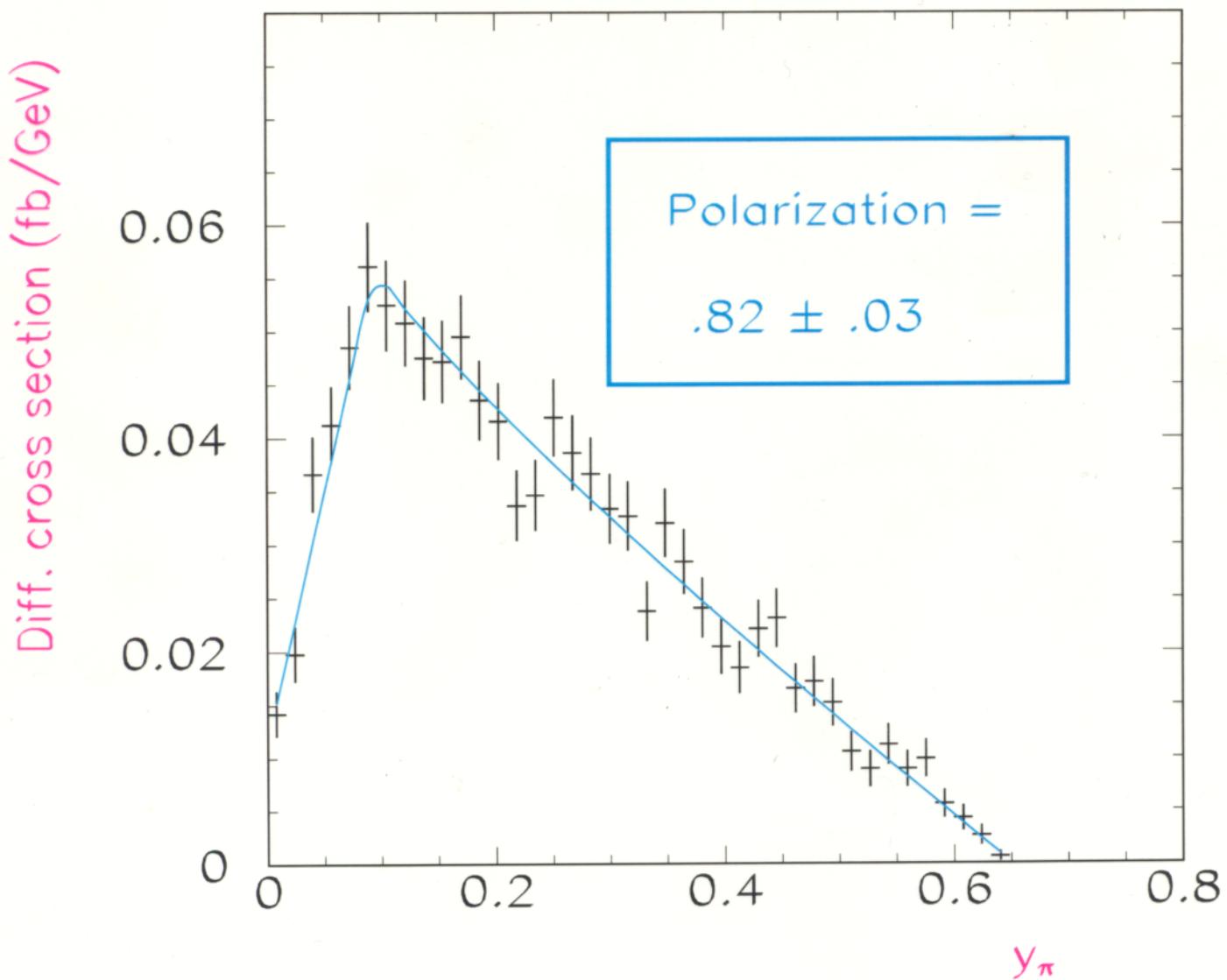
**$\tan \beta$  dependence of  $P(\tilde{\tau}_i \rightarrow \tau)$ :**

- strong dependence via  $\theta_{\tilde{\tau}}$
- weak dependence via neutralino contributions  $n_g, n_h$
- strong dependence via  $\tau \leftrightarrow \tilde{\chi}_i^0$  interplay:  $n_h \leftrightarrow \mu_\tau / \cos \beta$ !

## Measurement of the $P(\tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau)$

Process:  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}_1^+\tilde{\tau}_1^- \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}_1^+\tau\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \rightarrow \tilde{\tau}_1^+\nu_\tau\pi^-\tilde{\chi}_1^0$

Energy spectra of  $\pi$  ( $\tan\beta = 20$ )

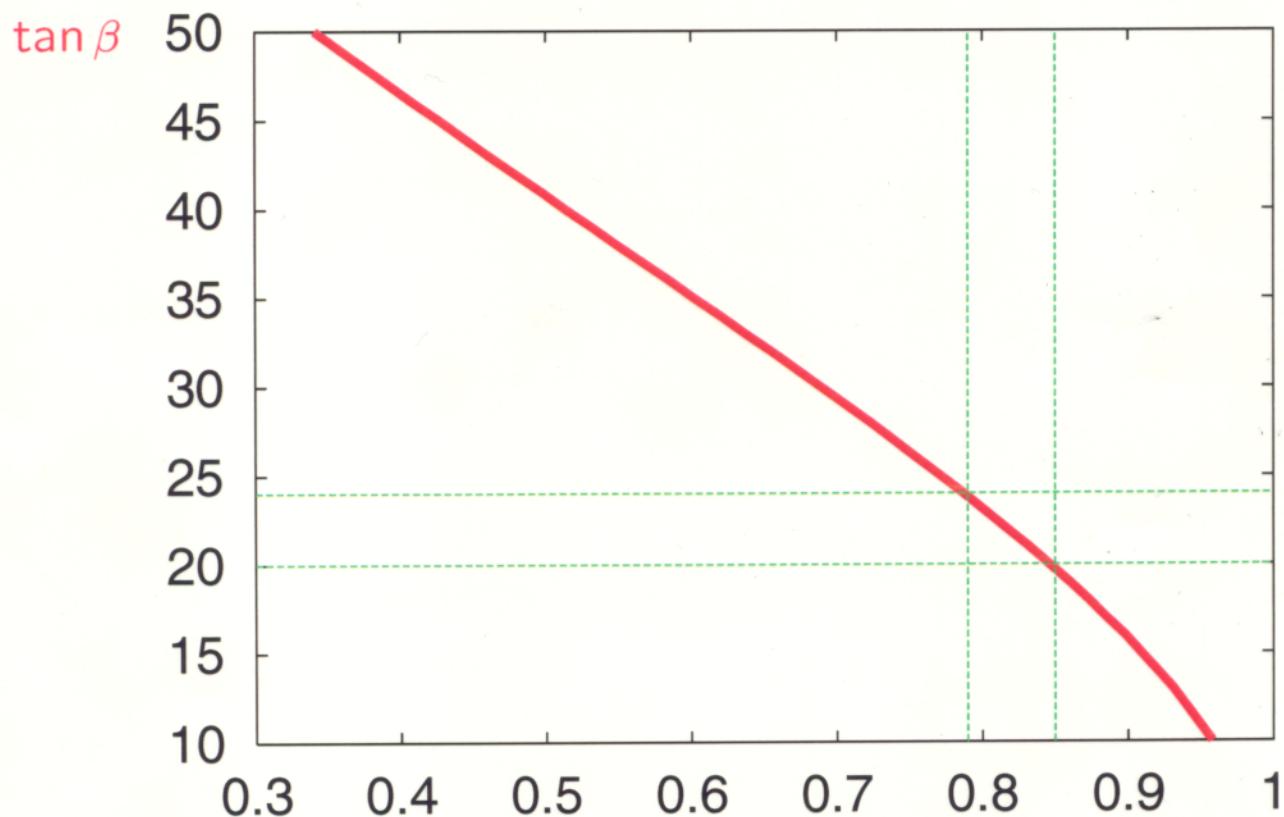


⇒ Precise determination of the polarization:  
 $P(\tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau) = 82 \pm 3\%$ !

Next step: Inversion of  $P(\tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau)$  leads to  $\tan\beta$ !

## Inversion of $P(\tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau)$

Polarization measured  $P(\tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau) = 82 \pm 3\%$ :



$$\Rightarrow \tan \beta = 20 \pm 2!$$

$$P_{\tilde{\tau}_1 \rightarrow \tau}$$

High accuracy even for high  $\tan \beta$  possible!

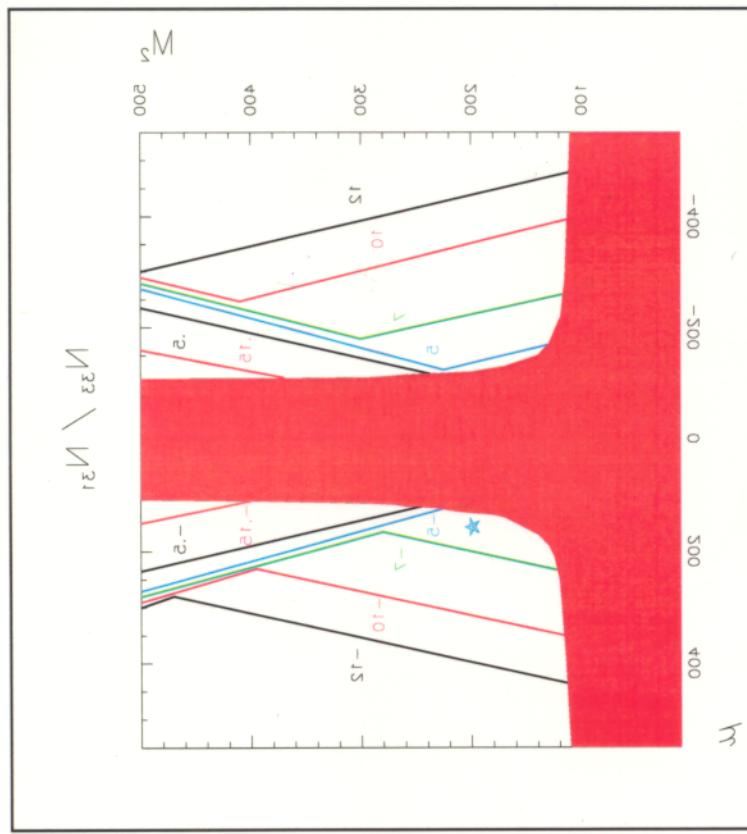
What's about the  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  contributions?



→ can be decoupled!

When is this method for measuring rarefication applicable?

The decay neutrino needs hadronic absorption approximation when  $M_3 \setminus M_1 \neq 0$ :



(exclusion bounds for  $m_{\tilde{\chi}^+} > 103 \text{ GeV}, m_{\tilde{\chi}^\pm} > 45 \text{ GeV}$ )

In our example:  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \sim M_3 \setminus M_1 \sim 0.5$  is sufficient!

What to do if  $M_3 \setminus M_1 \sim 0 \rightarrow$  tabical suggestion:  
→ even though it can't needed to cover also **negative**  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0 \sim M_3 \setminus M_1 \neq 0$   
→ **predictable** bino with already known  $M_1, M_2, m_{\tilde{\chi}}$

## Determination of $A_\tau$

Final step:

Since  $\tan \beta = 20 \pm 2$  already known

⇒ use off-diagonal terms to determine  $A_\tau$ :

$$A_\tau = \frac{1}{2m_\tau} (m_{\tilde{\tau}_1}^2 - m_{\tilde{\tau}_2}^2) \sin(2\theta_\tau) + \mu \tan \beta$$

Measurement of  $m_{\tilde{\tau}_2} = 305$  GeV:

→ analogues to analyses in the TDR:

$$\delta(m_{\tilde{\tau}_2}) \sim 2 - 3 \text{ GeV} \text{ expected}$$

However, due to  $m_\tau \ll (m_{\tilde{\tau}_1}^2 - m_{\tilde{\tau}_2}^2)$  and  $\sin \theta_{\tilde{\tau}} \sim 0$ :

$$\Rightarrow \delta(A_\tau) \sim 2700 \text{ GeV}, \dots$$

No chance for  $A_\tau$ ?

⇒ strongly dependent on the scenario:

if  $M_L = 300 \rightarrow 200$  GeV → larger mixing angle  
→  $\delta(A_\tau) \sim 400$  GeV

## Analysis of the $\tilde{b}$ sector

Mixing matrix of  $\tilde{b}_{1,2} \dots$  as usual

$$\mathcal{M}_{\tilde{b}} = \begin{pmatrix} M_Q^2 + m_q^2 + m_z^2 \cos(2\beta) (I_{3L}^q - e_q \sin^2 \theta_W) & m_b (A_b - \mu \tan \beta) \\ m_b (A_b - \mu \tan \beta) & M_D^2 + m_b^2 + e_q m_z^2 \cos(2\beta) \sin^2 \theta_W \end{pmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow$  In principle 'same'  $\tan \beta - A_b$  strategy as before

However, since  $P(b)$  is not an prospective observable  
study the process:  $\tilde{b}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_j^\pm t$

$\rightarrow P(t)$  needed!

$$\frac{P_{\tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_k^\pm}}{\mathcal{G}^{D_1} - \mathcal{G}^{D_2} f_2} \quad \text{with} \quad f_1 = \frac{\lambda^{\frac{1}{2}}(m_{\tilde{q}}^2, m_t^2, m_{\tilde{\chi}}^2)}{m_{\tilde{q}}^2 - m_t^2 - m_{\tilde{\chi}}^2} \quad \text{and} \quad f_2 = \frac{2m_t m_{\tilde{\chi}}}{m_{\tilde{q}}^2 - m_t^2 - m_{\tilde{\chi}}^2}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{G}^N = & -c_h^{+2} \mu_t^2 / \sin^2 \beta + c_h^{-2} \mu_b^2 / \cos^2 \beta + 2 - (2\sqrt{2} c_h^- \mu_b / \cos \beta) \sin 2\theta_{\tilde{b}} \\ & - (c_h^{+2} \mu_t^2 / \sin^2 \beta + c_h^{-2} \mu_b^2 / \cos^2 \beta - 2) \cos 2\theta_{\tilde{b}} \end{aligned}$$

$$\mathcal{G}^{D_1}, \mathcal{G}^{D_2} = \text{etc.}$$

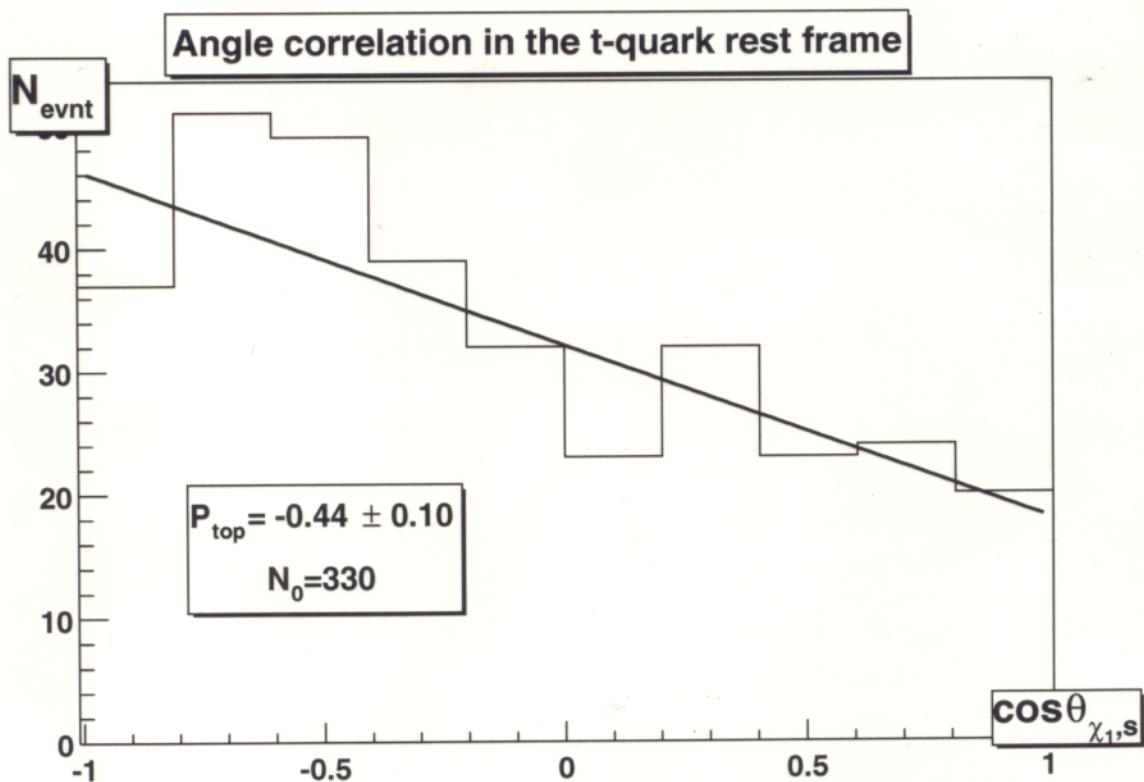
with  $c_h^+ = V_{j2}/U_{j1}$ ,  $c_h^- = U_{j2}/U_{j1}$ : again higgsino admixture important!!!

$\Rightarrow$  In principle same procedure applicable

## Measurement of the $P(\tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow t)$

Process:  $e^+e^- \rightarrow \tilde{b}_i\tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow \tilde{b}_i\tilde{\chi}_1^+ t \rightarrow \tilde{b}_i\tilde{\chi}_1^+ b c \bar{s}$

⇒ determine t polarisation via angle correlations!



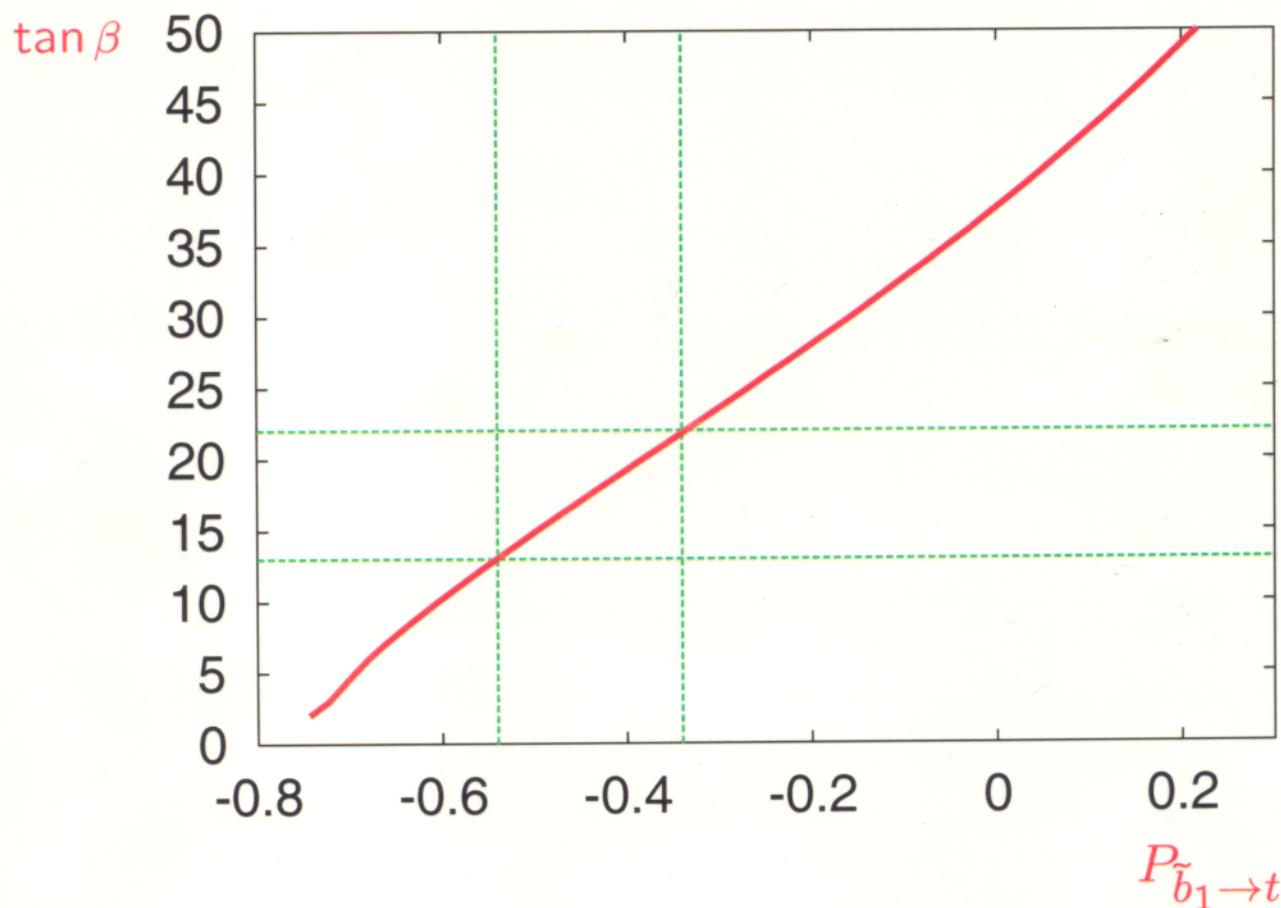
⇒ Determination of the polarization:

$$P(\tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow t) = -44 \pm 10\%$$

⇒ Inversion of  $P(\tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow t)$  leads to  $\tan\beta$ ?

## Inversion of $P(\tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow t)$

Polarization measured  $P(\tilde{b}_1 \rightarrow t) = -44 \pm 10\%$ :



$$\Rightarrow \tan \beta = 17.5 \pm 4.5!$$

High accuracy again for high  $\tan \beta$  possible!

What about  $A_b$ ?

$\Rightarrow$  Same procedure as in the  $A_\tau$  case

$$A_b = \frac{1}{2m_b} (m_{\tilde{b}_1}^2 - m_{\tilde{b}_2}^2) \sin(2\theta_b) + \mu \tan \beta$$

but higher precision:  $\delta(A_b)/A_b \sim 60\%$ !

(assuming  $\delta(m_{\tilde{b}}) = 2$  GeV)

## Analysis of the $\tilde{t}$ sector

Mixing matrix of  $\tilde{t}_{1,2} \dots$  as usual

$$\mathcal{M}_{\tilde{t}} = \begin{pmatrix} M_Q^2 + m_q^2 + m_z^2 \cos(2\beta) (I_{3L}^q - e_q \sin^2 \theta_W) & m_t (A_t - \mu \cot \beta) \\ m_b (A_t - \mu \cot \beta) & M_{\tilde{t}}^2 + m_t^2 + e_q m_z^2 \cos(2\beta) \sin^2 \theta_W \end{pmatrix}$$

$\Rightarrow$  Again  $\tan \beta - A_t$  strategy applicable?  $\Rightarrow \cot \beta$  dependence!  
not so nice for high  $\tan \beta \dots$

Since  $P(\tilde{t} \rightarrow b \tilde{\chi}_j^\pm)$  does not lead to an prospective observable  
 $\rightarrow$  study the process:  $\tilde{t}_i \rightarrow \tilde{\chi}_j^0 t$   
 But  $Y_t \sim 1/\sin \beta$  also not very sensitive to  $\tan \beta \dots$

- $\Rightarrow$  Use  $\tan \beta$  from e.g.  $\tilde{b}$  sector and get  $A_t$  via mixing angle
- $\Rightarrow \delta(A_t)/A_t \sim 10\%$  (assuming  $\delta(m_{\tilde{t}}) = 10$  GeV,  $\delta\sigma/\sigma = 0.05$ )
- $\Rightarrow$  Use  $P(t)$  for tests of mixing, Yukawa coupling etc.

## Conclusions and Outlook

In principle:  $M_2$ ,  $\mu$ ,  $\tan\beta$ ,  $M_1$  can be determined via only the light system!

However,  $\tilde{\chi}_i^0$ ,  $\tilde{\chi}_j^\pm$  weak dependent on  $\tan\beta$ :  
→ not suitable for determining  $\tan\beta > 10$

- step-by-step procedure for  $\tilde{\tau} - \tilde{\chi}_i^0$  applicable if  $\tilde{\chi}_1^0$  has higgsino admixture  
→ predictable with input from  $\tilde{\chi}_{1,2}^0$ ,  $\tilde{\chi}_1^\pm$
- Determination of  $\tan\beta$  with high prec. and  $A_\tau$  without an assumption on the SUSY breaking scheme!
- For  $\tilde{\tau}_i \rightarrow \tau \tilde{\chi}_{2,3,4}^0$  also valid, only higgsino component needed!
- Same method for  $\tan\beta$  from  $P(\tilde{b}_i \rightarrow t \tilde{\chi}_k^\pm)$   
→  $A_b$ ,  $A_t$  with higher precision!!!
- Input from LHC constructive?

→ high  $\tilde{q}$  masses?

